

Announcements for Sunday, June 23, 2013

New Announcements

This morning's altar flowers are given by Liz Duncan to the Glory of God and in memory of her sister, Helen Moore who passed away on Thursday, June 23rd, 2011.

Faith UCC's Prayer Square Ministry is looking for people to help sew quilts. Fabric, patterns, and any assistance needed will be provided. Please speak with Marilyn Glover, Sue Jacquet, or Donna Nedrow if you are interested in being a part of this ministry. If you need to request a prayer square, please be sure to fill out the request form and give it to Sue Jacquet.

Thanks to everyone who contributed to the Fifth Sunday Offering towards pew cushion cleaning in the sanctuary and carpet/furniture cleaning in the parlor. This money was received on Sunday, September 30, 2012 and the work was done this past week.

Faith Seniors will be meeting on Tuesday, July 9th, at 1:00 p.m. at the church. We will hear independent speaker Tom Strong on his presentation on improving your memory and causes of Alzheimer's disease. Everyone is welcome. Please come.

Previous Announcements

The Faith Formation Ministry Team has decided to have a one-year hiatus for Vacation Bible School. We didn't have enough adult volunteers to offer the program, but we remain hopeful that VBS will return next summer.

If you are interested in helping on Sunday morning, Karen is looking for three people to teach the preschool class and three people to teach the senior highs. The teaching teams of two people are on for two weeks per month. Curriculum, training, affirmations, and gratitude are provided.

Karen Wagner, our dedicated and talented Christian educator, will be taking her vacation and comp time in July. During that time, please direct questions you might have for Karen either to the pastor or to Nancy Jacquet, the chair of our Faith Formation Ministry. And wish Karen a well-deserved rest!

The Ritcheys have moved: Bill and Mary Ellen Ritchey are now at The Waterford, located at 261 Richmond Road, Apt. IL-227, Richmond Hts., 44143.

The Faith Reading Group will have no discussion due to summer break for the dates of Wednesday, July 3rd, and Wednesday, August 7th. We will discuss G. K. Chesterton's *The Man Who Was Thursday* on Wednesday, September 4th, starting with coffee in the kitchen at 7:00 p.m. followed by discussion at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome. Please come.

This year, Faith will again have a tent and table at the Gay Pride Festival to be held on Saturday, June 29th. It will be at Voinovich Park located at the end of East Ninth Street behind the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame. We are looking for volunteers to attend our table. Mary and Ron Ober will set up and tear down the tent and table plus provide handouts about The United Church of Christ and Faith UCC. We are looking for volunteers to help during the balance of the day. A sign-up sheet has been posted. If there are any questions, please see Mary or Ron.

Summer Schedule Change for Oksana Melnychenko: Music lessons in the choir room on Wednesdays will go from 3:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. until July 31st. Lessons on Fridays will go from 3:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. until July 26th. There will be no lessons on Saturdays until July 27th.