



The Mustard Seed

JUNE CALENDAR

Weekly events (unless otherwise noted):

Sundays (nursery provided)

Sunday School at 9:45 am

Choir Rehearsal at 10:30 am

Coffee Fellowship at 10:30 am

Worship Service at 11:00 am

Additional events for June:

6/04 Davidson Singers, FPC sanctuary, 7:00 pm

6/05 Building & Grounds, 6:30 pm

6/12 Session, 7:00 pm

6/17 Pizza with the Pastor, 12:15 pm

Sunday Seekers, 2:00 pm

6/19 CCM Meal of Grace, 5:30 pm

6/22 Drive-in Movie, FPC, 7:30 pm



FPC

June 22

7:30 pm

SPRING CONCERT

The Davidson Singers will present their Spring Concert in our sanctuary on Monday, June 4 at 7:00 pm. The theme is "Romance is in the Air." A love offering will be collected to cover expenses for both the group and our church.

Tom Byrnes, Jr.
Producer of the Davidson Singers



FOOD OF THE MONTH FOR CCM: Grits/Oatmeal

Please place your contributions in the red wagon in the church hallway (near the choir room). Non-perishable food items are welcomed at any time!

WELCOME, JOSHUA WALDRON

Our summer supply musician will be Joshua Waldron. He is an alum of the University of North Carolina School of the Arts, where he received his degree in piano performance. In addition to studying the piano, he enjoys composing and has attended courses in composition at The Royal Conservatoire in the Netherlands. He is currently on the faculty at the UNCSCA Community Music School. We look forward to meeting and working with Joshua this summer!

SESSION HIGHLIGHTS

Nine session members were present and one was absent. Special guests included Kayden Messer and Aden Elizabeth Tyson. Kayden and Aden expressed their interest in being baptized (Kayden) and becoming members of the church (both). They read their statements of faith they had written as a result of the confirmation classes they had completed. Both will be presented to the congregation on May 20, 2018.

Minutes of Stated Meeting of Session on April 10, 2018 were reviewed due to changes, and approved.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Melissa Varner of VAS will be handing our Accounts Payable starting next month.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Building and Grounds: The committee is working on the TO DO list. Installing WiFi extenders for Education Building so there will be WiFi throughout the church. Bill Varner, who rents the Manse, has experienced declining health and will be moving out of the house during the next month. Jim Moore will discuss/renege our contract with Advantage Properties (realtor) if they wish to continue managing the property. FPC received check of \$37,000 for sale of house on Cramer Street. Session had previously voted to put half of the sale funds into the Investment Account and half into the church Money Market Account. A thank you note will be mailed to attorney Paul Mitchell, along with a small token of our appreciation, for all the work he and his office staff put into this sale at no charge.

Christian Education: Committee will be meeting, plans are for the youth to take charge of Youth Church.

Congregational Care: There will be training soon for the Phone Tree.

Outreach: The BBQ and Silent Auction was a huge success. We brought in over \$3600, and money is still coming in. Session thanked the Outreach Committee for the wonderful job they did putting together this event. It was nicely laid out and well organized. The CCM meal in June will be spaghetti. The next project will be collecting eye glasses for Presbytery.

Personnel: There is a person interested in working in the nursery, and they will soon be interviewed. Jennifer and Carolyn will be serving in the nursery on May 20, and Jennifer will help with Pizza with the Pastor. There will be no Youth Church on May 20, due to baptisms and confirmations.

Worship: The A/V training session was cancelled due to lack of availability. Josh Waldron will serve as our summer music director beginning June 3rd through July 22nd, at \$150 per week.

TRANSITIONAL MINISTER'S REPORT:

Pastor Jennie will begin "Jesus on Tap" at the Chair City Tavern from 5:30-6:30 each Wednesday evening. Session is taking a look at options for using the "other end of the facility." Julie Tyson shared some of her thoughts with regards to this subject, such as setting up to offer shelter for those in need. Thomasville City Schools Summer Book Project was so much more successful than we had imagined. Pastor Jennie will host a meeting of Thomasville clergy on Monday, May 21 in an effort to begin regular meetings of the Thomasville Ministerial Group.

NEW BUSINESS:

Jim Moore reported on the Salem Presbytery meeting held on Tuesday, May 15 at Alamance PC in Greensboro.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN UPDATES



The Presbyterian Women presented \$500 checks to Cooperative Community Ministry, Davidson Medical Ministries, and Thomasville Meals on Wheels on May 16th. These were proceeds from our Lenten Lunches. We will be having a Bake Sale at the Thomasville Farmers Market on Guilford Street on July 14. We will need baked goods as well as volunteers to help on that day.

A special thanks goes out to all of our ladies who participated in Women's Sunday on May 6. We were delighted to honor Thea Nyll with the Honorary Life Membership Pin. During worship hour, Sue Hunter provided us with a look back at the sponsorship of the Nyll family by our church many years ago, highlighting the blessings we have experienced as a result of meeting this special family.

Shirley Byrnes & Marguerite Fowler

JUNE BIRTHDAYS



6/3	Shirley Byrnes
6/3	Jazmin Kunkle
6/4	Julie Tyson
6/10	Twig Bowers
6/12	Cathy Hedgpeth
6/21	Marguerite Fowler
6/26	Susan Hauser



Earl & Pam Hackman
6/1/1969

*Your word is a
lamp to my feet
and a light to my
path.
Proverbs 6:23
AMPC*

SCRIPTURE READERS FOR JUNE

June 3	Sue Hunter
June 10	Carolyn Bennett
June 17	Anice Griffin
June 24	Gene Moore

Thank you for your willingness to read the scriptures to the congregation during worship time. If you have a scheduling conflict regarding your scripture reading date, please arrange to trade dates with someone; you will need to notify Carole Skinner in the office of any changes so that this may be reflected in the worship bulletin.

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PRAYER FAMILIES FOR JUNE

1st week: Keith Harrison, Benny & Carol Huff
2nd week: Jordan Harrison, Haleigh Harrison, Mitch & Julie Tyson
3rd week: Don & Jane Hasty, Andrew & Karen Rubish
4th week: Mike & Susan Hauser, Greg & Sandi Rice



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