

## VENICE VOLUNTEER CONNECTIONS

The Nurture Committee would like to compile a list of caring volunteers willing to assist other Venice Church members who are in need.



Would you like to make a difference for someone in our congregation?

Then consider volunteering as little or as much as you want.

If you can help someone an hour or two a week, or a month, you can make an impact.

### **It is anticipated that volunteers may be needed for:**

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|--------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1. Transportation        | 7. Minor household maintenance |
| 2. Shopping and errands  | 8. Light housekeeping          |
| 3. Caregiver relief      | 9. Spiritual nurturing         |
| 4. Paperwork assistance  | 10. Telephone visitation       |
| 5. Supportive visitation | 11. Sending cards              |
| 6. Meal preparation      | 12. Other                      |

This is a new program being implemented by the Nurture Committee. While not yet finalized, it is anticipated that the Nurture Committee will manage the program by connecting the “need” to the volunteer by way of a phone discussion with the volunteer.

If you can volunteer please fill in the information below (using the numbers above) and drop it in the offering plate.

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Text: Yes / No

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

I can assist with number(s): \_\_\_\_\_

I have the following limitations that impact my assisting (ex. lifting, days of week available, location, etc)

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## Tuesday Bible Study

this week, July 10, at 12:00 noon.  
We're studying the book of Mark.  
Join us!

You're welcome to bring your lunch along if you'd like!

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## Meeting this Week:

**Wednesday:** Outreach Committee 6:00 pm

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## Daily Bread Devotional—Large Print

The new large print edition of the *Daily Bread* is available the Main Entryway this morning.

This version has daily devotions for the months of July, August, & September.

The content is the same as the smaller booklets.

If larger print is helpful for you, please take a copy home with you this morning!

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**Mark Your Calendars for our  
Next Combined Worship Sunday**

**Sunday, July 29**

with luncheon and Hymn Sing  
following worship

## Schedule for Combined Worship Sundays:

9:00 am Sunday School

10:00 am Combined Worship

11:00 am Luncheon & Hymn Sing



## Summer Storytime at Venice Friday, July 13 - Fishes & Friends!

10:00 am - 11:30 am

Summer Story Time is for children birth through 6 years old and their special adult (mom, grandma, the babysitter).



Children will enjoy bubbles, sidewalk chalk, crafts, stories & a snack. (Older siblings are welcome to tag along but stories will be chosen with our littlest ones in mind).

Please RSVP to the Church Office - [secy@venice-church.org](mailto:secy@venice-church.org)

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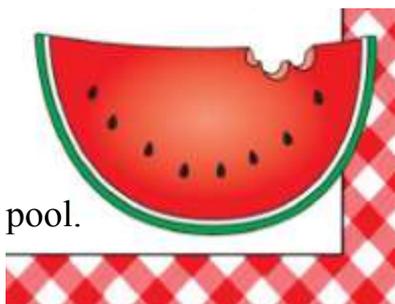
## Picnic at the Yosts' Hosted by the Dorcas Circle

All are welcome!

Wednesday, July 25th at 5:30 pm

Bring a dish and enjoy the swimming pool.

523 Springdale Road, Eighty Four



## NEW!! July Newsletter

The July *Venice Views*  
is available in the Main Entryway.

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## Venice Church is pleased to announce the arrival of Xavier William Smith

on July 3, 2018, 1:34 pm

6 lbs. 3 oz. 19 inches

son of Brennan and Melanie Smith.

Xavier joins big brother, Grayson.

Loving Congratulations are also extended to grandparents,  
Tom & Cheryl Smith, and uncle Tyler Smith.



## Christmas in July - OCC Shoeboxes

Again this year, during the month of July, Venice Church will provide —shoe boxes of love to children around the world.

### ***Cardboard shoe boxes will be supplied for you.***

You may pack a box for a boy or a girl and pick the age of the child. You may fill your box individually, as a family, as a Sunday School class, as a Committee, etc. You can decorate your box with stickers or add colored tissue paper inside.

If you choose not to fill a box and you would still like to participate, you can make a donation toward postage. The cost of postage is \$9.00 per box. Please use a pew envelope and mark it: Postage - Operation Christmas Child and write your check out to Venice Presbyterian Church.

**If you would like to track your shoebox**, make your \$9 shipping donation online using a credit or debit card. You will receive a special shoe box label included in your e-mail receipt. *Print or copy the label as many times as you need and attach to each of your boxes.*

Thank you for your support of this mission!

### ***Suggested Gifts:***

- ♦ **Toys:** cars, balls, dolls, stuffed animals, kazoos, harmonicas, yo-yos, jump ropes, small Etch-A-Sketch, toys that light up or make noise (with extra batteries), Slinky
- ♦ **School supplies:** pens, pencils and sharpener, crayons or markers, stamps and ink pad sets, coloring books, writing pads or paper, solar calculators
- ♦ **Hygiene items:** toothbrush, comb, washcloth, soap
- ♦ **Other:** sunglasses, ball cap, socks, T-shirts, hair clips, watches, small picture books

### ***Do NOT include the following:***

**Used items; War-related items:** toy guns, knives; Chocolate, candy, or perishable food items; **Liquids:** shampoo, lotion, bubbles, hand sanitizer;

**Medicines:** vitamins, cough drops, ointment, toothpaste;

**Breakable items:** mirrors, china dolls, snow globes

**Check your bulletin inserts each week for more details  
about our OCC Shoebox Ministry!**