CALENDAR OF EVENTS

FRIDAY, JUNE 14
8:00 - 12:00 PM
Church Office Hours

SUNDAY, JUNE 16
Nursery is available from 9:00 am till 11:30 am
9:15 AM
SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES
Clegg/Open Door - Parlor—led by David Cole, Billie Dadgar, Roger Guevara
Explorers/Morning Star - Upstairs—Scott Nipper/Dan Grantham
Children Sunday School - Preschool - 5th Grade
Upstairs in Treehouse - led by Shelly Burgess/Diana Courson
Jr. High and High School—Basement—led by Gary Herron
9:15 AM
Sanctuary Worship
Ways to attend: In-Person, Facebook Live, Recording (posted later) on Website, YouTube
5:30 PM
VBS VOLUNTEER MEETING

MONDAY, JUNE 17
8:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Church Office Hours

TUESDAY, JUNE 18
8:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Church Office Hours

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19
6:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Church Office Hours
ANNUAL CONFERENCE - HOT SPRINGS

THURSDAY, JUNE 20
8:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Church Office Hours

10:00 AM
THE CARING PLACE
4:00 PM
STEWPORT
ANNUAL CONFERENCE - HOT SPRINGS

FRIDAY, JUNE 21
8:00 - 12:00 PM
Church Office Hours
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A Record of Our Faithfulness

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Dear FUMC Family,

Thank you so much for the Senior recognition, luncheon, Bible and Prayer Square. I was also very honored to have been chosen to receive the Tucker Elliott Franks Scholarship. I appreciate the love and support you all have shown to me through the years.

Love,
Landry Carter

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VBS HELP WANTED
Thirty-seven adults and youth have already responded to this ministry opportunity! Are you the person who could fill one of the remaining roles?
We have openings for assistant tribe leaders, assistant shopkeepers, registration assistants, daily greeters, and set-up and clean-up crews. To join us in Nazareth, contact Tabitha Lewis, 870-904-5746, or Diana Courson, 870-510-2404.
What a beautiful morning…

If you recall from last week’s newsletter, I mentioned that some painting contractors were at the parsonage recently. Between rainstorms, they finished at the parsonage and moved their equipment to the church to paint on the north side of the office wing, where windows were replaced last fall. The finished product at the parsonage really turned out well.

Penny and I were so excited when the work concluded. We immediately began to plan for how we were going to spruce up our outdoor space. Last week’s storms created a lot of dead limbs and leaves, so there were a couple of hours of just picking things up. I’ve been slowly working through the beds in the backyard, getting rid of deadwood in the shrubs, and removing trash plants.

As the work began to build on itself over several days, it looked so much better we just kept going. Penny and I bought new pads for our deck furniture. Over the weekend, we worked on the carport, deck, and patio areas. We cleaned up a lot of junk, gave away a couple of extra items, moved things around, bought and planted some flowers in pots, and moved all of our lawn and garden equipment.

Penny is so happy with the end result; it looks incredible. A couple of new orange sail-shades will go up this week. We have a Bluetooth speaker for mood music, and we like to stream YouTube music from one of our phones. One afternoon, Sam’s phone connected intermittently and regaled the parental units with her techno-pop music. Penny has her heart set on a small outdoor fridge, and I agree it would be super convenient.

Since we are transitioning between spring and summer, I know that regular use of the outdoor spaces will be limited to morning and evening. It’s a great way to spend a Saturday morning or unwind after work. Penny is scheming where to place bird and squirrel feeders for the outdoor living spaces. The yard is becoming an oasis for the wildlife of the neighborhood. It provides us with a place to enjoy nature and a little peace.

Many of the staff took some much-needed time off last week. Penny and I are looking forward to a vacation in the last week of June. It’s back to our favorite lake cabin at Table Rock, with dinner and a show in Branson thrown in for good measure. Sleeping in, swimming, eating what we want when we want it, and generally doing the things that bring us joy for a few days. Did I mention that Sam will be at Tanako?

We all need a little refuge where we can retreat and recharge. Jesus regularly withdrew from the public eye to reconnect with his followers or spend time with the Father. The word recreation means re-creation. When we make time to recreate, God uses that to renew and inspire us. Quiet times in quiet places allow us to find rest and peace. Where do you go to find peace?

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