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# *The* **INFORMER**

## **FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK**

### **Celebrating Fatherhood**

I believe the poem below describes well the relationship that I have had with my Heavenly Father. It brought to my heart a smile, and a tear. I have lived most of my life without an earthly father and I still hold the memories of him in my heart. My Father in Heaven has been faithful and ever present, and I would never want to contemplate a life without him.

I pray that as you read this poem that your heart will become glad, and a spirit of thankfulness will be released for those who have been a faithful father to you, especially your father in heaven.

Blessings,

Jeff

### **"My Father My Friend"**

"For my father, my friend,  
This to me you have always been.  
Through the good times and the bad,  
Your understanding I have had.  
A gentle man at heart,  
This sets you apart  
From the others I've seen.  
You mean so much to me.  
The laughter we have shared  
Cannot be compared.  
The tears I have shed,  
As you lovingly nodded your head.  
You have always been there,  
With a smile and a hug,  
A precious gift from our God up above.  
The times that I have been down and sad,  
Your silly ways could always make me glad.  
You gave me strength to carry on,  
Even when all hope seemed to be gone.  
The lessons in life that I have learned  
Are from your genuine love and concern.  
With deep appreciation for all you have done.  
You, Dad,  
Are my number one.  
With all my love, Your Daughter, Your Friend"  
--Peggy Stewart

# Pastor Page



## June Sermon Series

### "Prodigal"

**Luke 15: 11-31**

June 6 "The "Wayward Prodigal" Luke 15: 11-13

June 13 "The Faithful Prodigal" Luke 15:25-31

June 20 "The Merciful Gracious Father" Luke 15: 20b-24

June 27 "The Redemptive Wilderness" Luke 15:14-20a

## Youth & Children Engagement

### Summer 2021

**Children's Engagement** (Games, Crafts, Creative Bible Stories and more)

Beginning in June 2021

Tuesdays 10:00 AM-11:30 AM (4 year old –3<sup>rd</sup> Grade)

Thursdays 10:00 AM-11:30 AM (4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Grade)

Launch Date TBD



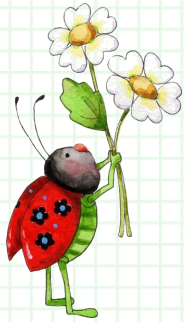
### **Youth Engagement**

Coming this Summer, a time of fun with old and new friends. We will get the details out via the Church Email, Facebook Page and Word of Mouth.

## **May 23, 2021 Church Council Report**

- Approved Nominating Committee Recommendations, The Nominating Committee will present at the June 9, 2021
- Approved having Family Sunday on August 29, 2021 at Gallimore Pond with Covered-dish meal with contingency that there is not further guidance from CDC or VDH. The Church Council will revisit this at our July meeting.
- Approved \$200.00 from Team Kid to be donated in honor of our Mothers and Fathers to the Perfect Christmas Store.
- We revert to previous policy of food usage with encouraging persons to utilize social distancing and their best judgement relative to Covid. We will inform persons who secure usage of our space that this policy is contingent on no new recommendations from the CDC or VDH.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS



### **Business Meeting**

Wednesday, June 9, 2021, 7:00pm

### **Church Council Meeting**

Sunday, June 20, 2021, 8:30am, FH

### **Deacon's Meeting**

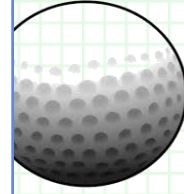
Monday, June 28, 2021, 7:30pm



### **Friday Foursomes**

Fridays at 5pm at Great Oaks Country Club

Contact Steve Hamlin or Chris Bond  
with questions



## MUSIC MINISTRY

### **SANCTUARY CHOIR REHEARSAL**

June 2 7:00p.m. - 7:45p.m. - Sanctuary Choir rehearsal

June 9, 2021 - NO Sanctuary Choir rehearsal

June 16, 2021 - 7:00p.m. - 7:45p.m. Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

June 23, 2021 - 7:00p.m. - 7:45p.m. Sanctuary Choir rehearsal

June 30, 2021 - 7:00p.m. - 7:45p.m. Sanctuary Choir rehearsal



## THANK YOU NOTES

Dear Floyd Baptist Church Family,

The many thoughtful actions shown when our beloved Matriarch, Irene, entered her Heavenly Home were and remain a constant comfort... living Christ's words, "Blessed are they that mourn for they shall be comforted."

You called, you visited, you provided food, you sent cards, you texted, and you sent flowers. We felt your loving generous spirit and your prayers. We felt your shared sorrow... mirroring the body of Christ.

Irene loved her church family. Thank you for sincerely loving Irene and us unconditionally.



The Family of Irene C. Smith

# JUNE BIRTHDAYS

1- Hazel Thompson	7- Jeremy Quesenberry	23- Larry Caldwell
2- Belinda Alderman	9- Jackie Weddle Epperly	25- Caleb Tanner
3- Linda Morris	10- Joshua Long	26- Tracy Britt
4- Anna Arbogast	11- Adam Petty	27- Karen S. O'Connor
4- Vicky W. Via	14- Janie M. Weddle	27- Dorsey Thompson
4- Michael Shortt	15- Susan T. Tanner	29- Cathy Higgins
4- Kennedy Clinger	15- Evan Paxton Davis	29- Linda Bell
5- Brian Swortzel	16- Hannah Carolyn Altizer	30- Michael Patton
7- Nathan Ryan Reynolds	17- Crystal Larimer	
7- Kendra Arthur	22- Larry Battle	



# SERVICE MINISTRIES

## *Greeters*

June 6	Richard Wood Jim & Louellen Sharp
June 13	Maurice & Connie Quesenberry Chris & Kim Bond
June 20	Danny & Martha Thompson Leisa Holman
June 27	Robert & Donna Petty John & Ashlee Weeks
July 4	Richard Wood Jim & Louellen Sharp



## *Deacon of the Week*

June 6	Janice Yearout-Patton
June 13	Michael Browning
June 20	Connie Browning
June 27	Steve Hamlin
July 4	Scott Lovitt



# PRESCHOOL NEWS

Wow, our year has come and gone! Our year was different but not with our preschoolers! We learned about Jesus' love, laughed, prayed, danced, sang, played, made friends, learned our ABC's & numbers, rhymed, did experiments, watched caterpillars turn into butterflies, watched baby chicks hatch and lots more because that's what preschoolers do!!!!

Thanks to Pastor Jeff for visiting us and thanks for the preschool committee who are always ready to help!!

Our promotion and graduation programs were great this year! Especially since we didn't get to have any last year! It had been around 15 years since our graduation was at our church. Previously its been at the high school but it turned out wonderful!

We are blessed each year with awesome parents who support us tremendously!!! This year was no different!

And thanks Floyd Baptist Church and our loving folks who support what we do!!!

Have a blessed summer!

Ms. Janice



## **Floyd Baptist Preschool 3 year old class, 2020-2021**

Row 1 - Emma Brevard, Ivory Conner, Gavin Cox, Carsten Harris

Row 2 - Harlow Poff, Ceanna Poff, Annikah Underwood, Brenna Harman, Lydia Meneghini

Row 3 - Carsyn Link, Scarlett Crawford, Ethan Nichols, Savannah Webster, River Yearout-Patton

Row 4 - Daisy Bishop, Kadesh Wade, Malachi Cluxton, Hollie Rakes, Dawson Schumann

## PRESCHOOL NEWS



### Floyd Baptist Preschool Graduating Class of 2021

Row 1 - Madison Cox, Amelia Wade, Blair Cox, Lydia Thomas, Asher Coleman, Brooke Collins

Row 2 - Aubree Belcher, Lucas Brueckl, Limary Ingram, Adam Lucas, Ellie Thompson

Row 3 - Charlotte Thompson, Ridley Whitlock, Mabry Mannon, Adaleigh Weeks, Laci Williams, Mayson Gonzalez

Row 4 - Reagan Keith, Arlen Elder, Lars Johnson, Lawson Burton, Coleton Weddle, Zander Ayala





# MISSION NEWS

## Food Drive

Please help us with our collection of food items for the local food bank

The theme for June is:

### Canned Soups

Please drop off your donations by

June 30

in the box outside the Fellowship Hall



## Operation Christmas Child.

Each month the Youth will be collecting an item that will be used in filling the shoeboxes in November for Operation Christmas Child.

So far, bar soap, tooth brushes, small toys, & plastic items have been collected

In June, socks will be collected.

Cash donations are also appreciated in order to purchase extra things needed. Please place your donations in the box located in the Sanctuary.

*Thank You!*



## OPERATION IN AS MUCH

### Coming Soon!

Planning has begun for this day and opportunities to serve will be similar to last year. Please let someone on the Evangelism and Missions committee know if you have any thoughts or ideas for OIAM this year.



**Start praying about where you are being led to serve, for God's will to be done and His love to be shown in this mission effort.**

If you are "spring cleaning" and have items that you would like to donate to the Free for All Yard Sale, you can begin dropping these items off at the church.



## Serving from the Heart

### Senior Smiles

Senior Smiles goal is to supply the residents of Skyline Nursing Home with personal name brand supplies they don't have access to, like body wash, shampoos, after shave, magazines and much more. A suggestion sheet is available at the drop off box. As the Senior Smiles ministry continues throughout the year, I want to thank all who have generously given. Please continue placing your donations in the drop box near the Fellowship Hall entrance. Senior Smiles, Judi Dempsey





# June 2021



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2 10am FB Live Prayer  7:00pm-Sanctuary Choir  7-9 pm AA & AI-Anon, Annex	3	4  5pm-Friday Foursomes  11pm –Last Wk Svc on Citizen's Channel 20	5
6 <b>Lord's Supper</b>  9:45am– Sunday School (for classes that are meeting) 11am Worship Svc  12pm –Last Wk Svc on Citizen's Channel 20	7  7-9pm, FH, AA	8	9 10am FB Live Prayer  7pm - Business Meeting 7-9 pm AA & AI-Anon, Annex	10	11  5pm-Friday Foursomes  11pm –Last Wk Svc on Citizen's Channel 20	12
13 <b>Mission Sunday</b> 9:45am– Sunday School (for classes that are meeting) 11am Worship Svc  12pm –Last Wk Svc on Citizen's Channel 20	14  7-9pm, FH, AA	15  2-3 pm FH, Christmas for Kids	16 10am FB Live Prayer  7:00pm-Sanctuary Choir 7-9 pm AA & AI-Anon, Annex	17	18  5pm-Friday Foursomes  11pm –Last Wk Svc on Citizen's Channel 20	19
20 8:30 am Church Council  9:45am– Sunday School (for classes that are meeting) 11am Worship Svc 12pm –Last Wk Svc on Citizen's Ch 20	21  7-9pm, FH, AA	22	23 10am FB Live Prayer  7:00pm-Sanctuary Choir 7-9 pm AA & AI-Anon, Annex	24	25  5pm-Friday Foursomes  11pm –Last Wk Svc on Citizen's Channel 20	26
27 9:45am– Sunday School (for classes that are meeting) 11am Worship Svc 12pm –Last Wk Svc on Citizen's Ch 20	28  7:30pm Deacons Meeting  7-9pm, FH, AA	29	30 10am FB Live Prayer  7:00pm-Sanctuary Choir 7-9 pm AA & AI-			