



News & Updates from Your CPC Family



All Together Worship Service 2nd Sunday after Pentecost Father's Day

Sunday, June 11, 2017

Worship Service 10:00 a.m.

Sermon: *Gifts of Our Fathers*, Dr. Kyle Allen

Readings: *Genesis 18:1-15: 21:1-7*

Weekly Contemplation:

Gifts of Our Fathers...upon seeing that sermon title, I think back to the birth of our children, Courtney, Elizabeth and Mark, and find myself giving thanks for each of them - especially remembering our

oldest Courtney, whose birthday is today!

When you see that sermon title, where do your thoughts take you?
Here are some things I'd ask you to consider and discuss with your family in preparation for worship this Father's Day:

How has your father been a gift to you?

What memories of your times with him do you cherish?

What is it he has taught you about life and the life of faith in God?

How would you complete this sentence: My father is really gifted when it comes to _____?

How are/were you a gift to your father?

With thanks to God, the Parent of All, and for each of you,

Kyle

News and Announcements



Summer Worship at 10:00 a.m.
continues this Sunday, June 18

All Together Services for summer continue this Sunday, June 18.

Mark your calendars for these summer service changes: a single 10:00 a.m. Sunday worship service will continue each week through August 20. On August 27, Rally Day, there will be an 11:00 a.m. All Together Service, a single 11:00 a.m. worship service on Sept. 3 (Labor Day weekend), with 8:30 and 11:00 a.m. worship services resuming on Sept. 10.

Summer 2017 Cary Presbyterian Church ASP Team

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Our ASP 2017 Summer Mission Team will head to Scott County, Tennessee, Sunday, June 25. The team will lodge at a local elementary school with AC and hot showers. As former ASP team members know, this is welcome news! As our team travels, they are undergirded by your generous and loving support as a congregation, as in years past.

Below is information from ASP about Scott County. Statistics tell one story, though not the whole story. ASP is about making homes warmer, safer and drier for God's people in need in the heart of Appalachia.

Of equal if not greater significance, though, are relationships the mission team members form with each other, the ASP staff, and especially with the families they serve. What they see, experience, and share can be transformative enough to last a lifetime.

Let us remember this year's team in our thoughts and prayers, along with all the families they will meet, and the experiences they are yet to have.

History of ASP in Scott County: ASP has served Scott County on and off for several years. ASP works well in Scott County because an existing non-profit organization, the Morgan Scott Project, already serves families having many needs during the year. They assist ASP in finding families to assist, and follow up our work after volunteers leave the area.

Population: 21,947

Terrain: Partially mountainous, partially agricultural.

County Seat: Huntsville

Major Employers: Manufacturing, Prison, School System



Vacation Bible School: Sunday, June 25 - Thursday, June 29

Vacation Bible School registration is still open: Forms are in the Narthex. Complete one form per child. Invite a friend and have them experience a fun-filled, educational, and welcoming time for children from age 4 through rising 5th graders.

Vacation Bible School will be June 25 - 29, 5:45 p.m. - 8:15 p.m. PARENTS: There will be a family potluck at 5:00 p.m. for the June 25 opening. This will follow a 4:30 p.m. craft time for families on the VBS theme: "Hero Central: Discover Your Strength in God." Feel free to stay through Opening Assembly at 5:45 that day.



Food, Friends, & Fun! is back starting next week!

It's almost time for this summer's Food, Friends, & Fun (FFF) with families from the Wrenn Drive neighborhood!

- There is a **MANDATORY** training for Food, Fun, & Friends volunteers. If you did not attend previous training sessions and still want to help, please contact [Medora Hix](#) or [Lori Pistor](#).
- There are still plenty of opportunities to be a part of FFF. [Sign up ASAP on Sign-Up Genius at this link](#) or at the Narthex bulletin board.

REMEMBER: Helpers of all ages are welcome!

Rev. Stephanie Workman of the Kirk has worked hard to secure funding for FFF. The entire program has been certified as a USDA Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) and has received thousands of dollars of grant money.

- Our own Jen Pierce has been hired as the overall program director.
- A professional cook has been secured for all sites! (We only need to assist, serve....and eat!)
- The grant provides all supplies from plates to napkins, paint to glue, and salaries for program staff!
- New Hope Presbytery awarded FFF a Passion Driven Grant to supplement any needs not covered under the larger grant.

80 Wrenn Drive family members have already registered for this summer!

HOW WILL YOU PARTICIPATE? Help is needed with:

- Reading
- Recreation
- Child care,
- Shepherding groups
- Crafts
- Driving

CPC's Food, Friends, and Fun is each Wednesday, beginning June 21 through August 23, from 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Sign up on the big bulletin board in the Narthex, or [through this link](#).

Social Justice
Ministry:
Summer
Conversations
Beginning This
Sunday

C O N V E R S A T I O N S
T H E R S A L
L O G I C A L

Words Matter

Ecclesia reformata, semper reformanda, secundum verbum Dei
Theological Conversations – PCUSA

This summer, all are invited to attend one or more in a

series of Summer Conversations hosted by the Social Justice Ministry.

These facilitated discussions, each based on a short reading, will help us examine how our faith is affected and informed by pertinent events and topics.

Summer Conversations will be held from 9:00 a.m. - 9:45 a.m. (preceding 10:00 a.m. worship) in Room 100 on the following Sundays: June 18, July 16 and August 20.

Our first discussion, "Words Matter" will examine the value of free speech and the use of language and words in public discourse and in matters of faith. [Please read all or part of the following article at this link](#) on which the June 18 Summer Conversation will be based. (Hard copies are available in the CPC office.)

Remember Ties That Bind for
Father's Day!
This Sunday, June 18

CPC congregants recorded brief tributes to their mothers a few weeks ago for Ties That Bind: now it's Dad's turn!

Consider taking a few moments to record a favorite memory about your father or something you appreciate about him.

It's a Ties That Bind moment of sharing with one another about those who are still with us or have passed on. This is an opportunity to get to know one another better and honor those whom we love: our dads.

To record, use your iPhone or Android and search for Voice Memo. Say your name and your father's name and share with us why your dad is so special. Our young ones are welcome and encouraged to participate as well! Send your recording to Caroline Derifaj at 919-452-5095 or cderifaj@gmail.com. Recordings will also be shared on the [Ties That Bind web page at this link](#).

CPC's Ties That Bind (TTB) audio recording ministry (patterned after NPR's StoryCorps program) was approved by Session in the spring of 2016 as a means of addressing one of the top three priorities established by our congregation- to be more intentional in our effort to connect with one another, our own community and the world. .



Reflections of my Father Blessings

CPC member Yates Fletcher has written a moving tribute to his father, The Reverend Ragland Fletcher, in celebration of Father's Day and in joyful anticipation of Ragland's 100th birthday June 22! Entitled Reflections on My Father, Yates chronicles the development of their father-son relationship and how that relationship has impacted his faith and life as a father.

[To see the full tribute, click here.](#)

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Did You Know?

Cary Presbyterian Church is a part of a larger family of churches comprising the New Hope Presbytery.

From Efland to the Outer Banks, spanning 33 counties, with 122 congregations representing 28,314 members, we are a Mid-Council of the Presbyterian Church (USA) serving eastern North Carolina.

To learn more about what is going on within our New Hope Presbytery, [click here to sign up for the Presbytery of New Hope e-newsletter.](#)

CPC Calendar for June 18 through June 25

THIS WEEK AT CARY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH		
Sunday, June 18 Father's Day	9:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m.	Social Justice Ministry Task Force (100) Worship Service
Monday, June 19	6:30 p.m.	Personnel and Administration (209)
Tuesday, June 20	10:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Connections Book Group (P) Girl Scouts Teen Troop 418 (Upper Level Education Building) Strength, Hope, Healing (100, 102) Boy Scouts Troop 232 (101, 103, 105) Budget and Finance Committee (106)
Wednesday, June 21	8:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 5:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Food, Friends, & Fun (Fellowship Hall) Food, Friends, & Fun (Library, 209, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225) Prayer Shawl Knitting Group (P) Coping Creatively with Cancer (Off-campus) P&A Search Team (209) Youth and Family Ministries Team (103)
Thursday, June 22		
Friday, June 23	9:00 a.m.	Centering Prayer/Kathleen Norris's <i>Amazing Grace</i> (P)
Saturday, June 24	9:30 a.m. 6:30 p.m.	Library Team Meeting (L) Stated Session Meeting (102)
Sunday, June 25	10:00 a.m. 4:00 p.m.	Appalachia Service Project Team departs Worship Service Vacation Bible School

Send Your News and Announcements

Bulletin and e-Link announcements for the most recent upcoming dates are due by 9:00 a.m. each Wednesday.

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