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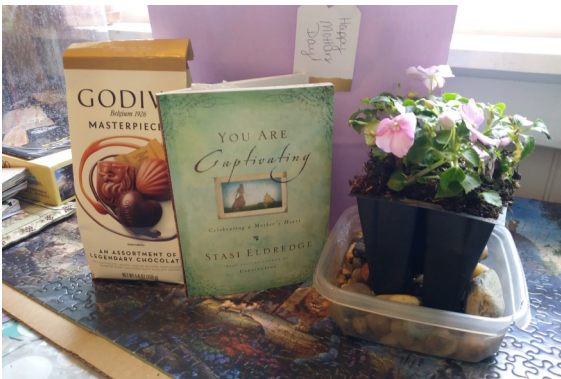
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Delivery Fairies Spotted In & Around Cecil County

Over Mother's Day and Father's Day weekends, some of you may have caught a glimpse of our "delivery fairies." They were out dropping off packages of goodies and items to uplift the moms and dads in our congregation. It is our hope that this outreach has brightened the lives of those that received them, during a time when many were, and maybe still are feeling isolated and alone. We encourage you all to reach out and do an act of love, for someone in your family, church or community. It could be as simple as holding the door for someone or grocery shopping for an elderly neighbor.



Pictured above: Mother's Day goodies

Pictured below: Father's Day goodies



Pictured below is Laura Bayer, receiving her Mother's Day gift. At the time, Laura was due in one month. Early in the morning, on Thursday, June 11, Laura and Tim Bayer (our youth associate) became parents to Ethan Bayer. Congrats!



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| July Birthdays | |
|----------------|--------------------|
| 3 | Ralph Veasey, III |
| 7 | Kathy Glace |
| 8 | George Deaver |
| 9 | Joslyn Robinson |
| 10 | Matthew Osbourne |
| 10 | James Haynes |
| 12 | Danny Clemons, Sr |
| 12 | Gladys Hamilton |
| 12 | Dr. Stephen Hokuf |
| 12 | Teala Robinson |
| 13 | Susan Philavanh |
| 14 | Andy Wagner |
| 17 | Carl Moore, Sr |
| 17 | Daniel Wagner |
| 18 | Mary Mohler |
| 19 | Duke Grant |
| 19 | Hannah Sanders |
| 20 | George Jackson |
| 22 | Judith Brown |
| 24 | Mary K. Parks |
| 28 | Kevin Barker |
| 28 | Mille Bee Cavanagh |
| 28 | Tim Lotman |
| 30 | Sara Hayes |

| August Birthdays | |
|------------------|--------------------|
| 4 | Patricia Adkins |
| 5 | Bobby Hudler |
| 6 | Wayne Jones |
| 8 | Tom Hall |
| 9 | Kelsey Hackman |
| 9 | Miranda Hackman |
| 11 | Lib Lewis |
| 12 | Joyce Blithe |
| 12 | Brenda Sommers |
| 13 | Brendan Willien |
| 16 | Betty Jackson |
| 16 | Seth Moyer |
| 16 | Amy Short |
| 18 | Kathy Gray |
| 18 | Jane Hopman |
| 25 | Richard Brasefield |
| 31 | Jorden Lotman |
| 31 | Kenny Shores |
| 28 | Mille Bee Cavanagh |
| 30 | Sara Hayes |

| July Anniversaries | |
|--------------------|--------------------------|
| 3 | Gerritt & Jane Hopman |
| 7 | Brian & Jennifer Musser |
| 11 | Richard & Margie Jackson |
| 18 | Cecil & Anmarie Walsh |
| 26 | Adam & Melissa Marvel |

| August Anniversaries | |
|----------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 | Edward & Sylvia Hobson |
| 2 | Ben & Jenny Hokuf |
| 3 | Roger & Grace Cann |
| 3 | Thomas & Ruby Perry |
| 5 | Tim & April Lotman |
| 10 | Bobby & Chrissy Hilaman |
| 12 | Stephen & Janet Hokuf |



Kids' Korner



It's that time of year; Summer Break!!! Hooray! But we are also still dealing with some restrictions due to the COVID virus. So here are a few activities and puzzles to keep you (and your parents, grandparents, aunts, uncles, or friends) busy for a little while. The answer to the puzzle is a great reminder of God's love for us, even in stressful times, like these. And who doesn't love a snack that you can wear around your neck and take with you on your summer adventures?! Have fun!!

GREAT SUMMER GAMES

Though this year's Summer Olympics were postponed, you can host friendly neighborhood competitions.

What you need:

- Masking tape
- Large craft sticks
- Paper plates
- Balloons
- Ribbon
- Scissors
- Green construction paper
- Craft glue



What you do:

Balloon Badminton: Make rackets by taping a stick "handle" to each plate. Blow up and tie a balloon. Use the rackets to pass the balloon back and forth, without letting it touch the floor.

Rhythmic Routines: Using tape, firmly attach one end of a 4-foot ribbon to a craft stick. Display style and skill by waving it around. Try choreographing a routine to a praise song.

Champion Crown: Cut a large hole out of the center of a paper plate. Cut 2-inch ovals from green paper. Glue those "leaves" to the ring as garland. Crown a winner of each game!

ROAD TRIP TREAT

Make this snack necklace to enjoy during summer travels.



What you need:

- Dental floss
- Sewing needle
- O-shaped cereal
- Raisins
- Popcorn

What you do:

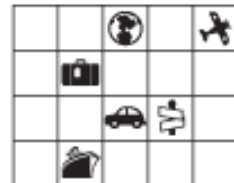
1. Carefully thread a yard of floss through the needle.
2. String a pattern of cereal, raisins and popcorn on the floss until only 4 inches remain on either end. Tie the two ends together.
3. Repeat to make necklaces for your whole family.
4. When you're ready to eat, simply bite off each "bead." Experiment with other non-perishable foods.

PUZZLE

Wherever we go

No matter where we journey, God always protects us.

Directions: Use the map and compass to answer the clues. Then write the boxed letters in order in the spaces below to complete Psalm 121:8, NIV.



Start at the SHIP.

Move 1 space N, 3 spaces E, and 2 spaces N

Start at the WORLD.

Move 1 space W, 1 space S, and 1 space SE

Start at the SUITCASE.

Move 1 space NE, 2 spaces S, and 1 space E

Start at the PLANE.

Move 2 spaces SW, 1 space S, and 1 space W

Start at the CAR.

Move 1 space E, 1 space N, and 1 space NW

Start at the SIGN.

Move 1 space SE, 1 space W, and 2 spaces NW

The _ ORD will watch ove_ your comi_g and go_ng
both no_ and for_vermore. Psalm 121:8, NIV

Answer: plane, car, sign, ship, world, suitcase. The LORD will watch over your coming and going both now and forevermore. Psalm 121:8, NIV

Q. What animal could Noah not trust?

A. A cheetah.



This year's 4th of July celebrations may look a little different than years past. Although some may still have cook-outs and get-togethers, others may opt to stay home and just celebrate with family or a few close friends. This doesn't mean you have to miss out on all the fun. Here are a few fun

things you can do to celebrate.

1. Make some red, white & blue recipes & have a picnic.
2. Make a festive craft.
3. Go for a bike ride or hike.
4. Host outdoor movie night.

Whatever you chose, remember to enjoy this time with your loved ones.



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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

REGULAR CHURCH SERVICES/EVENTS

PLEASE NOTE: At this time, the Sunday 10:30am service is the only service/event that is active. We will update our website as other services/events start to resume.


Sunday

| | |
|---------|--|
| 8:30am | WORSHIP |
| 9:20am | Breakfast (<i>1st Sun, monthly</i>) |
| 9:30am |  Sunday School/Bible Study |
| 10:30am | WORSHIP/Children's Worship |

Tuesday

6pm  **Praise & Worship Team Practice**

Wednesday

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| 6:30pm | Kids' Klub |
| 6:30pm | Youth |
| 6:30-7:30pm |  Prayer/Bible Study |
| | BUSINESS Mtg (<i>2nd Wed—after Prayer Mtg</i>) |

Thursday

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| 10am | Fold Lamplighter (<i>Last Thurs of the month</i>) |
| 10am | Ladies' Prayer Time |

Budget/Attendance Analysis

Budget/General Fund Weekly
Average as of 6/14/2020
(25 weeks): **\$3,284**

Needed Weekly: **\$3,820**

Budget Status: **-\$13,412**

Maintenance/Building
Repairs Fund: **\$3,645**

PARKING LOT FUND:
Received to date: **\$43,550**
Church goal: **\$47,745**

Annie Armstrong Easter
Offering Goal: **\$1,400**
Received to date: **\$1,205**

Average morning worship
attendance: **43**