

**ANNUAL FATHER'S DAY OFFERING FOR
THE PRESBYTERIAN HOMES OF NORTH CAROLINA**
Sunday, June 19

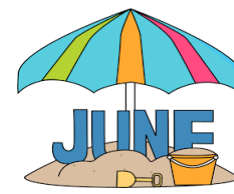
The mission of The Presbyterian Homes is to honor God by enriching the lives and touching the hearts of those we serve. PHH provides independent living, assisted living, Memory Care and skilled nursing within a community of friendship with others of similar age and diverse interests. Facilities are located at Glenaire in Cary, River Landing in Colfax, and Scotia Village in Laurinburg. Read more about The Presbyterian Homes of North Carolina at www.presbyhomesinc.org.



Birthdays In June
Happy Birthday to You!



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| 3- Gina Farrior | 19- Zach Casteen |
| Cole Farrior | 20- Emily Wells |
| 5- Don Thomas | 21- Tanya Robinson |
| 7- Geneva Maready | Lydia Woodard |
| 8- John Lettieri | Burroughs Strickland |
| James Sills | 24- Jim Robison |
| 13- Brenda Long | 25- Leon Wells |
| 15- Burke Saunders | 26- Sharon Robison |
| 16- Margaret Toothman | 28- Stanley Skidmore |
| 17- Wells Wallace | 29- Jack Blackney |
| 19- Joyce Ange | Jim Simpson |



Dr. Philip K. Gladden, Minister

JUNE 2022

Cheryl Brinkley, Editor



**CREATION
CAMP 2022**
June 5 - 9
Camp
Kirkwood



Make A
Joyful
Noise



KIRKWOOD CREATION CAMP 2022

We are going to have a blast at this year's Kirkwood Creation Camp. Our theme this year will be Make a Joyful Noise and camp will be held June 5th - 9th. Below is the tentative schedule for the week:

Sunday, June 5	3:00-7:00 pm - Swim test
Monday, June 6	9:00-3:15 pm
Tuesday, June 7	9:00-3:15 pm
Wednesday, June 8	9:00-3:15 pm
Thursday, June 9	2:00-7:00 pm





Dear friends,

Mark Twain is quoted as saying, “It ain’t the parts of the Bible that I can’t understand that bother me, it’s the parts that I do understand.” That is never more true than when we hear Jesus say the following in the gospels: “The first [commandment] is, ‘Hear, O Israel: the Lord our God, the Lord is one; you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength.’ The second is this, ‘You shall love your neighbor as yourself.’ There is no other commandment greater than these.” (Mark 12:29-31) The Greek word for “love” in Jesus’ commandment is *agape*, which has been defined as “love in action.” *Agape* is the love that puts the other person’s best interests first. *Agape* is the love best expressed by 1 John 3:18: “Little children, let us love not in word or speech but in deed and truth.” *Agape* is what God did for us in Jesus Christ: “For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life.” (John 3:16)

On Sunday, May 22, the members of the Alternative Sunday School Class discussed Jesus’ statement to his disciples the night before he died, after he had washed their feet: “I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.” (John 13:34-35) We discovered that this “new” commandment is/was rooted in the ancient commands to “Love God. Love neighbor.” (Deuteronomy 6:4-5; Leviticus 19:18) Writing to the Christians in Galatia about twenty years after Jesus gave his disciples the “new” commandment to love one another, the apostle Paul echoed the centrality of that command for the Christian life: “For the whole law is summed up in a single commandment, ‘You shall love your neighbor as yourself.’” (Galatians 5:14)

When I got home after worship on that Sunday two weeks ago, I read a post on Facebook from a church member who said, “Great words to start my Sunday morning as I get ready to spend time worshiping my Lord and Savior!” The post said: “Love Your Neighbor who doesn’t – Look like you; Think like you; Love like you; Speak like you; Pray like you; Vote like you. Love Your Neighbor. No exceptions.” Love God. Love neighbor. It’s not that we can’t understand what Jesus is saying. As Mark Twain said, what Jesus says often bothers us because we can understand it, we just don’t always want to do it. But, as the Old and New Testaments make abundantly clear, again and again, “Love God. Love neighbor,” is the heart of our Christian faith and life. As we are reminded in 1 John 4:11, 19:

ACTIONS OF THE SESSION

At the Tuesday, May 17, 2022 stated session meeting, the elders and minister:

- * were led in an opening devotion and prayer by Elder Hayes Ludlum;
- * conducted the meeting as a worship service;
- * elected Elder Kelli Norris as Elder Commissioner to the Saturday, May 21 virtual meeting of the East Community of the Presbytery of Coastal Carolina;
- * approved a grant application from the directors of the Helping Hands Food Pantry to the Hunger Program of the Presbytery of Coastal Carolina;
- * accepted an invitation from the Mission Cabinet of the Presbytery of Coastal Carolina to host the Spring 2023 stated presbytery meeting;
- * approved the minutes of the February 15, 2022 and March 15, 2022 stated session meetings;
- * affirmed the recommendation from the Presbyterian Women to resume serving snacks between Sunday School and worship on Rally Day 2022;
- * approved a request from Philip Gladden to use Continuing Education leave time and funds to attend the August 22-24 Pastor Retreat at The Trinity Center;
- * prayed for members of the congregation, our community, and the world;
- * were led in a closing prayer by Elder Hayes Ludlum.



PREACHING SCHEDULE JUNE 2022

SUNDAY

June 5 (Pentecost Sunday)
June 12 Trinity Sunday)
June 19
June 26

SERMON TEXT

John 14:8-17, 25-27
Romans 5:1-11
Mark 12:28-34
Galatians 5:1, 13-25



We extend our Christian love and sympathy to Joyce Wells Ange, Jackie Wells Dormagan, and Dave Wells and their families on the death of Verlie Wells, on Monday, May 9, 2022.



P.A.T.H. OFFERING
Presbyterian Answer to Hunger
Sunday, June 5



We will receive our quarterly (March, June, September, December) P.A.T.H. (Presbyterian Answer to Hunger) offering during worship on Sunday, June 5. This offering supports the Hunger Program of the Presbytery of Coastal Carolina which, in turn, funds feeding programs for children in Haiti and Malawi. The Hunger Program also provides funds for congregational food ministries such as our Helping Hands Food Pantry.



June



06/05: Lindsay & Stanley Skidmore
06/12: Ellie Newton & Gloria Wells
06/19: Harriet & Windsor Farrior
06/26: Geneva & Greg Maready

Joyce Ange Charley Farrior
Hayes Ludlum

OPENING CHURCH BUILDING

June 1-15: Hayes Ludlum
June 16-30: Dave Long

CHURCH NEWS . . . For Your Information

* **We will receive** our quarterly P.A.T.H. (Presbyterian Answer to Hunger) offering during worship on Sunday, June 5. This money supports the Hunger Program of the Presbytery of Coastal Carolina which provides feeding programs for children in Malawi and Haiti and grants to congregational hunger ministries such as our Helping Hands Food Pantry.

* **The session** will meet on Tuesday, June 21 at 7:00 p.m. If you have any business or concerns for the session to consider, please speak to one of the elders or the minister.

* **We will receive** our annual Father's Day offering to support The Presbyterian Homes of North Carolina on Sunday, June 19.



Hospital & at home:

Cathy Wells (Pender Memorial Rehab) Judy Robinson (home)
Dan & Eva McLaughlin (The Gardens) Bruce Lyon (Dayspring)

"Beloved, since God loved us so much, we also ought to love one another. We love because he first loved us."

In Christ's love,

Phil

Love ONE Another



DATE	TIME	FORMAT	TEXT
Monday, June 6	No Bible Study this night		
Wednesday, June 8	No Bible Study this morning		
Monday, June 13	7:00-8:00 pm	Zoom	Mark 12:28-34
Wednesday, June 15	10:00-11:00 am	Room 304, Zoom	Mark 12:28-34
Monday, June 20	No Bible Study this night		
Wednesday, June 22	10:00-11:00 am	Room 304, Zoom	Galatians 5:1,13-2
Monday, June 27	7:00-8:00 pm	Zoom	Romans 8:1-17
Wednesday, June 29	10:00-11:00 am	Room 304, Zoom	Romans 8:1-17



**WEAR
RED
for
PENTECOST
Sunday**

**TIME FOR A
NEW CONGREGATIONAL PICTURE!
WEAR RED ON SUNDAY, JUNE 5**

Everyone is invited to wear red to worship on Pentecost Sunday, June 5. We will take a new congregational photo to use on our church website. UNC and Duke fans, do this for the church, even if you have to borrow something red to wear!

June 2022

- Holidays in United States
- WPC Calendar
- drphil@wallacepresbyterian.com
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29 Minister on Vacation 9:30 AM Alternative Sunday School Class, in person & Zoom, Room 304 10:00 AM Sunday School 11:00 AM Worship (in-person and live-stream) Rev. Cynthia Williams, preacher/	30 Church Office Closed Memorial Day 7:00 PM No Zoom Bible Study	31	1 First Day of L. Pride Month 10:00 AM Bible Study, Zoom and In-Person (Room 304)	2 12:30 PM Meeting of The commission on Ministry, Presbytery of Coastal Carolina, Room 304	3	4
5 Kirkwood Creation Camp Day Of Pentecost 10:00 AM Sunday School Classes 10:00 AM Choir Practice 11:00 AM Worship (in-person and live-stream) 3:00 PM Kirkwood Creation	6 9:00 AM Kirkwood Creation Camp 7:00 PM No Zoom Bible Study	7 9:00 AM Kirkwood Creation Camp	8 9:00 AM Kirkwood Creation Camp 10:00 AM No Wednesday Morning Bible Study	9 2:00 PM Kirkwood Creation Camp	10	11
12 TRINITY SUNDAY 9:45 AM Alternative Sunday School Class, Room 304 & 10:00 AM Sunday School Classes 10:00 AM Choir Practice 11:00 AM Worship (in-person and live-stream)	13 7:00 PM Zoom Bible Study	14 Flag Day	15 10:00 AM Bible Study, Zoom and In-Person (Room 304)	16	17	18
19 Happy Father's Day! Father's Day Juneteenth 9:45 AM Alternative Sunday School Class, Room 304 & 10:00 AM Choir Practice 10:00 AM Sunday School 11:00 AM Worship (in-per-	20 Juneteenth (substitute) 7:00 PM No Zoom Bible Study	21 7:00 PM Session Meeting, Room 304	22 10:00 AM Bible Study, Zoom and In-Person (Room 304)	23	24	25
26 9:45 AM Alternative Sunday School Class, Room 304 & Zoom 10:00 AM Choir Practice 10:00 AM Sunday School Classes 11:00 AM Worship (in-person and live-stream)	27 7:00 PM Zoom Bible Study	28	29 10:00 AM Bible Study, Zoom and In-Person (Room 304)	30	1	2