



THE FAIRVIEW CHRISTIAN CHURCH VISITOR

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Upcoming Events

July 8—Garden N Grow (FL); Classic Crowd (FH); Boy Scouts (FL)

July 10—Aquarium Club (FH)

July 11—Sunday School; FCC In-Person & Online Worship Service; Koffee Klatch (FH); Faith Community Church (FH); Ethiopian Christian Fellowship in Missouri (Sanctuary)

July 12—Monday Morning Men (Cornerstone); Garden N Grow (FH); Exec. Board Mtg. (Cornerstone); General Board Mtg. (Conf. Room / Lounge)

July 13—Faith In Him (Music Room)

July 15—Garden N Grow (FH)

July 18—Sunday School; FCC In-Person & Online Worship Service; Koffee Klatch (FH); Faith Community Church (FH); Ethiopian Christian Fellowship in Missouri (Sanctuary)



Fairview Beloved,

Thank you again for all of the surveys you all have so diligently and thoughtfully filled out and turned in! It's been an incredible response and oh so helpful to me in learning who you are. I appreciate it so much!

As we look forward to the second half of Summer and then forward to the Fall and Advent seasons, the excitement is brewing as to what God wants to do with Fairview. What opportunities do we have to serve our neighbors? How can we follow this path of discipleship in our worship and in our learning? I am inviting you to dream with me about what a post Covid Fairview might look like.

What sort of small group studies would we like to do? Are there mission opportunities that speak to any of you? Is there a committee or a group within the church already you'd like to be a part of? Or even better - do you have a grand idea that you've always wanted to see happen at Fairview that we could look at? Something God might be calling you to do? There are endless possibilities! But the important thing is - how open are you to God calling you to these possibilities?

God calls us at all times and it is in our call that we find a deep joy! Perhaps, as we look to the changing of the season in a few months it might be YOUR time to follow that call and experience the joy of trying that idea you've always had!

Send me an email, give me a call and let's talk about how God might be calling you!

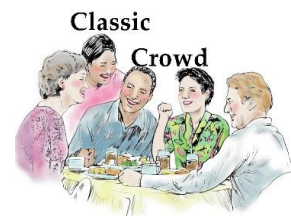
In Christ's Peace,

Rev. Jill

Thursday, July 8th at 11:30 a.m.
in the Fellowship Hall.

Food will be grilled hamburgers & hot dogs by 'Chef' Vaughn.
Entertainment will be
Tom & Terry — The Varsity Pack Band.

What do you need to bring....just yourself and \$5.



**Sunday
Services**

**10:00 a.m.
Worship Service
In-Person & Online**

**Senior Minister
Rev. Jill S.**



July Board Mtg.

Fairview's July General Board meeting is Monday, July 12th
at 7 p.m. in the Conference Room/Lounge

The Executive Board will meet at 6:30 p.m. in the
Cornerstone Room on the 12th.

**Sharing the Good News of God's Love through
Faith, Worship, Service and Community**



Friday Fellowship

Fairview's Pizza Fridays in July

Liberty Pizza Shoppe (8584 N. Church Rd.)

6:00 p.m. to ? Come join the fun!

ATTENTION

FYI...

Bob & Norma H.'s house phones are not working.

Please call Bob's cell phone #.

If you don't have it, contact Kathy S. in the office for the #.

I (Kathy S.) will be looking for some volunteers to help in the office at the beginning of August.

I will be having knee replacement surgery on Thursday, August 5th for my right knee.

I will be looking for some volunteers to help part-time in the office especially for the first two weeks following my surgery (i.e. opening mail, answering the phone, retrieving phone messages, helping Rev. Jill when she is in the office, etc...).

Sarah M. has already graciously volunteered to help out on Wednesdays as it pertains to the printing & folding of the newsletter and bulletin.

There will be more details in upcoming newsletters, as I get more information from my surgeon & finalizing things.

Can You Help?



We would like to thank everyone who helped us celebrate our 50th anniversary.

Thank you for your good wishes, cards and having a piece of cake with us.

—Stephen and Barbara M.

Reminder ...as the hotter weather increases, please be sure as you leave the building that the doors latch close (i.e. FH, side outside door by the office, etc...).

Thanks for your continued help.
—FCC Office



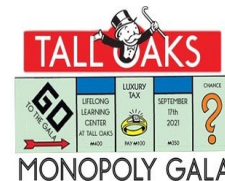
Thanks to the many of who you who celebrated our recent anniversary with us. Your cards and well wishes were most appreciated.

We have said before that our Fairview friends are family and that celebration certainly affirmed that. We love you all and are so grateful you participated in our happy event.

Many thanks again. God Bless,
Karen and Tom S.

The Gala is back with a Monopoly theme in person at Tall Oaks!

Friday, September 17, 2021
Silent auction 5:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.
Dinner and Live Auction - 6:30 p.m.



We look forward to everyone joining us IN PERSON at the 2021 Tall Oaks Gala on Friday, September 17, 2021, at the Life Long Learning Center at Tall Oaks. Formal Invitations will follow.

We need Auction Donations! Restaurant Gift Cards, Sports events, and tickets do very well. We need some live auction items. Anyone have a vacation home they would rent for a week or weekend?

Please contact Ann Morton at amorton324@gmail.com or 913-515-3828. Ann will make arrangements to pick up your donation! We need all donations by September 1st.



You are invited to participate in the 2021 Disciples Virtual Gathering, on **Saturday, August 7, 2021!**

What is the Disciples Virtual Gathering?
We are glad you asked!

It's a one day event on August 7 where Disciples from across the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) in United States and Canada will gather virtually to:

- Hear Bible lectures with dynamic teachers
- Worship together, celebrating that NOTHING can separate us from the love of God
- Attend interactive and engaging workshops on relevant leadership and ministry topics
- Engage in a virtual exhibit hall that is informative and interactive
- PLUS a virtual lounge where participants can connect and chat with each other

It's all happening live on August 7, but you will have access to the exhibit hall and platform a few days early so you can browse, get a feel for the experience and prepare for a day of reflection, study, worship and learning.

We can't wait to see you there and celebrate that NOTHING can separate us from the love of God!

(Contact Kathy S. in Fairview's office if you would like her to forward you the email with the link to more information.)

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Your Questions Answered
Get all of your questions answered now at this Social Security Seminar at the Gladstone Community Center.



Clay County Senior Services scholarship money applies.
\$25 – Registration
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816.423.4200 gladstonecommunitycenter.com



SAVE THE DATE !

October 1, 2 & 3

FCC JULY SERVING SCHEDULE

Worship Services

The following are scheduled to be serving elders:

Table 1:	Stephen M.
Table 2:	Bob B.
1 st Concerned:	Joy G.
2 nd Concerned:	Clarke N.

Worship Leader for July 11 Bill R.



BIRTHDAYS

JULY: (7) Carolyn K.; (9) Maurice K. (13) Roni T., Debbie B.

ANNIVERSARIES

JULY: (8) Mike & Mandy H.; (15) Randy & Kathy C.



Contributions Report

June Offerings	\$ 20,566
YTD Offerings	\$128,958
YTD Budget	\$117,240

OUR RECORD

Sunday July 4, 2021

Sun. School Attendance	28
Worship Attendance	81
Visitors	12
New Members 2021	0