

Faith's Happenings...

June, 2024

Happy Birthday

Linda Schultz	2nd
Douglas Schuemann	10th
Marcie Eifert	12th
John Schleede	13th
Lou Taylor	14th
Linda Bennett	18th
Lynn Kittleson	21st
Susan D'Amico	22nd
Margarete Rieck	22nd
Sandy Cox	24th
John Matz	27th

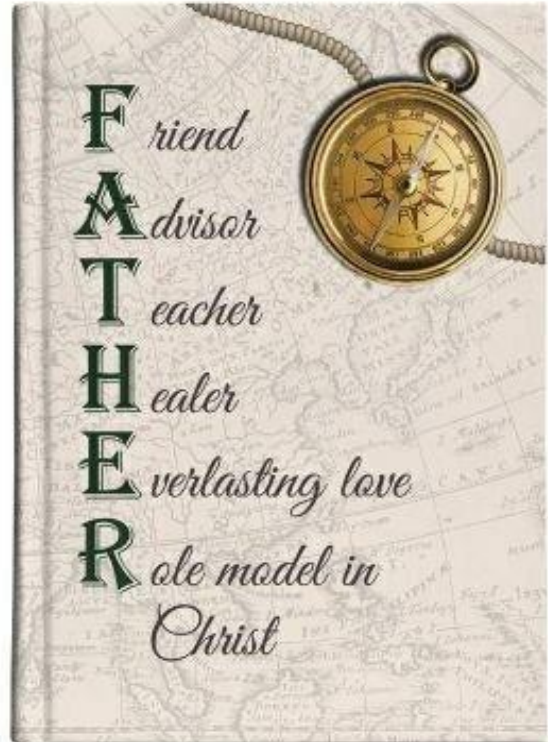
Happy Anniversary

Lynn & Jeanne Kittleson	8th
Pastor Brian & Lori Armen	9th
Brian & Ellen Lindhurst	11th
Fred & Cyndi Carley	23rd

If we missed your name/date, we're sorry.
Please notify Barbra in the church office
to have your special dates added.

June at a Glance

Mark your calendars now!
Men of Faith Breakfast: June 4
Ladies Luncheon: June 12



FATHER'S DAY
JUNE 16



JUNE 14

Men's Breakfast

Guys, you are invited to join us on Tuesday morning, June 4th, at Stefanos. We meet at 7:30 for some great food and fellowship. You can stay as long as you like and get to know your church brothers. No sign-up necessary.

Long Term Prayer

This prayer list is for those who need continued, long-term prayer. We try to keep the weekly prayer list short, so people named may be moved to the newsletter after a few weeks in the bulletin. If you want to add someone to this list, contact Barbra in the church office (697-3313). Please keep these folks in your prayers: Joanne Best, Kathy Kanak, John Schleede, Carl Jaspers, Lois Howell, Gary Wilkins, Scott Schultz, Alex Hoops, Tom Jackling, Ginny Linsberg, Jack Myers, Rosie LaQuay, Doug Skolski

Ladies Luncheon for June

By popular request, the June Ladies Luncheon will be held on Wednesday, June 12th, 11:30 am, at Mango Bistro. It's located on Dearborn Street, at the corner of Mango St., in Olde Englewood. We will order off the menu with separate checks.

Come for the enjoyment of fellowship and laughter! Deadline is Sunday, June 9th. Sign up on the sheet in the narthex. For more information, see or call Kathie Wiley (941-662-5383).

Secretary for a Day

Would you like to be Faith's secretary for a day? Our secretary is taking vacation days on June 17 and 21 to 27. If you are willing to fill in for one or more of those days, call Barbra in the church office (941-697-3313).

On-line Access to Photo Directory

You may have received an email last week from appsupport@ucdir.com about accessing our photo directory on-line. It is a valid email, not spam or phishing. You can use the link to install the app on your smartphone, tablet or computer to look at our photo directory. Download the App Start Guide attachment and either the Android or iPhone users guide to get started. The on-line version will be kept updated with changes such as new members or address/phone changes. If you deleted the original email, or did not receive an email and want access, please contact me. Thank you. Ellen Lindhurst (ellenlindhurst@gmail.com)

From the Pastor

For he (Jesus) has rescued us from the dominion of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of the Son he loves, in whom we have redemption, the forgivingness of sins. Colossians 1.13-14

As we move into the summer season, we complete the heart of the cycle of the life of the church: Advent, Christmas, Epiphany, Lent, Easter, and Pentecost. We have moved from the promise of God's reign among us in Advent to the fulfillment of that promise with the arrival of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost. Now is the time for us to live out the kingdom of God, growing in faith and life and using every opportunity to speak God's word of life and do God's work.

As you are out and about this summer, be aware of and use the situations you find yourself in to be God's presence. We are children of light and children of our heavenly Father. We have been redeemed and forgiven. May our words and our actions demonstrate that sense of love and grace for all we meet.

Blessings,

+ Pastor Brian