



Staying Connected

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Farmer City United Methodist Church

Staying Connected is a weekly guide to news, events, and announcements. Send your announcements to Diana Homann by email: diana.homann56@gmail.com.

Church Activities

AA: Mondays at 7:00 PM (FCUMC)
Sunday Worship: In House at 10:45 AM
Backpack Blessing: August 22nd during Worship
Food Pantry Distribution: 8/28
The Summer Lunch Club: 8/11-8/17 delivery only

In House Sunday School

Pairs and Spares: Wesley Room at 9:30 AM
Path Finders: Office at 9:30 AM
Nursery Attendant: 9:30 – 11:45 AM

Online Worship Options

YouTube: Farmer City UMC Class Room
FaceBook: <https://www.facebook.com/FarmerCityUMC/>
Webpage: <https://www.farmercityumc.org/sermons>

ATTENTION: To those struggling to find our Sunday worship videos on YouTube; they are no longer on Pastors Sandi's page but can be found by googling **FCUMC Class Room!**

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/FCUMCClassRoom>

Farmer City UMC Class Room - YouTube

Farmer City United Methodist Church (UMC) Class Room is for video's related to Sunday School or Children's Time or Stories.

Back Pack Blessing

August 22, will be the Back Pack Blessing during Church. Children are encouraged to attend and bring their backpacks.

Annual Charge Conference

The 2021 Annual Charge Conference will be on Saturday November 13, 2021, at 11:30 AM. It is a joint meeting with Weedman UMC. All are welcome to attend.

Coffee Time with Pastor Sandi

Pastor Sandi has established a summer schedule which includes times for anyone to visit with her. Starting in July, you will find her in the Wesley Room. On Wednesdays from 9:30 to 11:30 AM, she will be brewing coffee so come by and have a cup with her. Coffee Time with Sandi is open to anyone and everyone. All other days she will work from home. Friday is her day of rest and renewal. Sandi has also decided to schedule her afternoons for emails so if you send an email that needs immediate attention, please text her. Otherwise, your emails will be answered in the afternoons.

The Summer Lunch Club

Week Of	Total Lunches	Grand Total
June 1-4	39	
June 7-11	73	
June 14-18	128	
June 21-25	111	
June 28-2	124	
July 5-9	56	
July 12-16	81	
July 19-23	133	
July 26-30	128	
Aug 2-6	151	
Aug 9-13	147	1,171
Aug 16-17		

With only one week left, you can see that we will distribute approximately 1200 sack lunches this summer. Next week, a financial accounting of this project will be available so that we can monitor this project for future summers. Thank you to all that donated and volunteered to make The Summer Lunch Club successful.



Kent & Wendy Hammitt August 24



TO: (8/11) Lucius Kempfues
 (8/17) Joshua Byrd...(8/20) Wesley Byrd
 (8/20) Chad Vance...(8/21) Joella Evans
 (8/22) Jared Hoffman...(8/22) Bev Buttry
 (8/23) Nick Drinkwater...(8/23) Teresa Drinkwater

Giving Opportunity – Building Needs

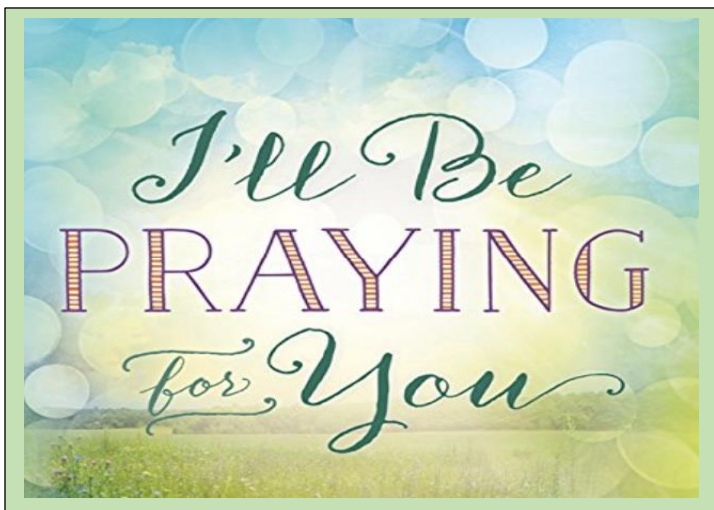
Help us maintain our building! Maintaining the church building is much like the maintenance on your own home. Some years, we experience only routine maintenance needs and in other years...well, it seems like everything needs fixed. Guess What? It's one of "those" years. Please consider giving to our "Maint-Nance" Train Campaign to help us fundraise for maintenance needs. Your donation check should be made payable to FCUMC with Maint-Nance or Building on the memo line.

Free Pool Swim

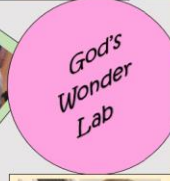
We unfortunately did not have a good turnout for the free Swim Pool Party. To make up for this, we are paying for anyone in the community who wants to swim and who does not have a pool pass. So far, we have paid for 15 people to swim for free. This program ends on August 18th or until we reach our \$300 budget.

Coming Soon – 5th Sunday Celebrations

Stay Tuned for more information.



More Pictures of VBS



Vacation Bible School
August 2-6, 2021



Lord, Hear our Prayers

Health Issues: Robert Drake, (Nephew of Laura Enger), Judy Wallace, Mary Lou Beggs, Ron Vance, Red Ulitzsch, (Father of Michelle Cordes), Margaret St. Clair (Cousin to Laura Enger & Stephanie Drake), Ruth Nafziger, Brian Butler (Brother-in-Law of Tim Green, recovering from heart attack), Clarine Tipsord, Linda Ashworth

Cancer: Craig Brock, (Friend of Dan Pearl), Ken Brock, (Friend of Pearls and father of Craig Brock), Dave Harris, (Husband of Katie Copley Harris), John Homann, (brother of Diana Homann), Gary B (friend of Jane Evans), John Baker (Weldon), Lynn Davis (friend of Craig Brock & Dan Pearl), Moe Winstead, **DJ Homann (Dan Homann's son)**

Other: Stefanie Crownover (Nursing Home), David Watkins (Wheelchair Bound), Greg Mosgrove (Lung Transplant), Dewey Gronau's Family: Mike, Jacklynn, & Maddie Stroz (car accident), Don Ferrill, (fall), Wayne Bowns (starts extensive long-term therapy), Addy Benjamin (Brain Tumor), the Goode family, the Reeder family, **Dan Manke (heart)**

Thank you for your thoughts and prayers.