



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 text or phone: 309-830-2267 or by email: diana.homann56@gmail.com. **Stay Connected!**

Opportunities to Donate

Worship Options

In Person Worship : Aug 30th at 10:45 AM
Sunday School at 9:15 AM.

Online Worship by: YouTube

<https://tinyurl.com/PastorSandiYouTube>

& FaceBook:

<https://www.facebook.com/FarmerCityUMC/>



Church Activities/Worship News

Adult Sunday school: is meeting at 9:15!

AA: will meet on Mondays at 7:00 PM (FCUMC)

Milk Give-Away: Wednesdays 10 AM (FCUMC)

Food Pantry Distribution: Saturday 9 AM (SCRC)

Charge Conference: Nov 12 at 7 PM



Video Recording News

We used our new video camcorder during worship last Sunday. Overall, it went well and service is posted to both our Facebook page and YouTube channel. We do realize that our audio needs some improvements and we are working on that.

This equipment is an investment into our future! Just think about all the options we will have to minister God's word! Please consider donating to help cover the cost of this equipment. We are approx. \$600 short. **Just add video equip to the memo line of your check made payable to FCUMC.**

Special Offering

First Mile Mission –Special Offerings

August 23-September 27 has been designated for giving to the priorities of the UMC.

These offerings help offer refuge in times of disaster, promote peace and justice, provide scholarships, reach out to the community, teach skills to encourage self-sufficiency and share the love of Jesus Christ with God's people everywhere. **There are 8 UMC missions: Human Relations, UMCOR (formally One Great Hour of Sharing), Native American, Peace with Justice, United Methodist Student, World Communication, Golden Cross, & Rural Life.**

If you would like to make an offering to any or all of these missions, add First Mile Mission to the memo line of your check made payable to FCUMC. Indicate the amount for each mission or tell us to divide your check equally.

NEW

FOCUS is planning a September Meeting

Happy Birthday to:

Rick Kopp (8/27)...

Jennifer Steers (8/30)...Susan Kling (8/30)

Jeff Jones (9/1)...Rhonda Kimmel (9/2)

Julia Galaway (9/3)...Trent McCartney (9/4)

Mike Enger (9/5)...Josh Harden (9/7)



* The Birthday and Anniversary list will now cover a two week period, so that you will have time to mail a card if you wish.

Happy Anniversary

Marc & Laura Enger (9/5)

Frank & Jill Freden (9/5)



In our Prayers

(New additions in bold print.)

Health Issues: Robert Drake, (Nephew of Laura Enger), Doris Kelly, (Hospice care), Roger Barlow, Hannah Jean McCartney, Mary Lou Beggs, Ron Vance, Red Ulitzsch, (Father of Michelle Cordes), **Jim Schuler**, (**Hospice Care**), Sally Williams,

Cancer: Craig Brock, (Friend of Dan Pearl), Becky Fouth, (Niece to a friend of Rhonda Kimmel), Ken Brock, (Friend of Pearls and father of Craig Brock), Dave Harris, (Son-in-law of Mary Ann Copley), Brian Snider, (Friend of Murl Kimmel), Beth Loy, (Friend of Heather Howell).

John Homann, (**Kidney Surgery 8/31**), Jim Gustafson, (Uncle of Amy Phillips)

Other: Scott Smith (MS), Stefanie Crownover (Nursing Home), David Watkins (Wheelchair Bound), Greg Mosgrove (Lung Transplant), Jane Evans (knee surgery), Mary Ann Copley (Acute Renal Failure), Steve Anderson (broken scapula)

Thank you for your thoughts and prayers.

Your offering helps to support our ministries and outreach.

Thank you for continuing to support the financial needs of our church. Checks made payable to FCUMC can be mailed to 101 S William St, Farmer City, IL 61842 or to 1215 W Clinton Ave, PO Box 234, Farmer City, IL 61842 (in care of Janis Maxwell) or

Consider Online Giving at

<http://www.farmercityumc.org/online-giving.html>: If you don't already have a profile, you will be asked to create one. After that, you can make a one-time donation or set up a recurring donation.

Contact Pastor Sandi: by text or phone: (217)-834-3165...by Email: pastorsandihire@gmail.com



In the
Spotlight

Sue Hoffman

Thank you Sue for being our August Liturgist!
Now is the time to sign up for September.
Please see Diana

Do you have an idea or suggestions to help us spread love and keep God's work moving? If so, please let us know! Email us at fcwm101@gmail.com

MILK



Volunteers Needed

Sign up today

<https://signup.com/go/LkwZDnP>

New Dairy Boxes Available

(2 gallons milk, 4-single serve milk, cottage cheese, sour cream, cream cheese, and dip)



FREE DRIVE BY MILK GIVEAWAY:
WED 8/26, 10 A.M.—NOON
FCUMC - 101 S WILLIAM STREET

NEW OUR CAPS YOUR CAUSE

We recently applied for the **Our Caps Your Cause** program through Prairie Farms. Here's how the program works. On the cap of Prairie Farms milk products is a peel off sticker. Under the sticker is a code. (See the pictures below)



Now, all you have to do is enter the code. Visit the [donation page](#) on Prairie Farms website.

(<https://www.prairiefarms.com/ocyc-redeemcodes/>)

Once you are on the webpage, you will see a **Select a category** drop down box; select Faith-Based & Religious. In the **Select an organization** drop down box; select Farmer City United Methodist Church, Farmer City. Then simply enter the code. (See below)

DONATING CAP CODE

Select a charitable category
You may enter from 1 to 10
Note: Click the DONATE button on

Faith-Based & Religious

Farmer City United Methodist Church, Farmer City, IL

Please enter your code(s) below **CLEAR CODES**

Enter your code here

Enter your code here

For every cap code redeemed, Prairie Farms will donate 5 cents to our church. **Please help us spread ministry in our community by entering your cap codes today!**

