

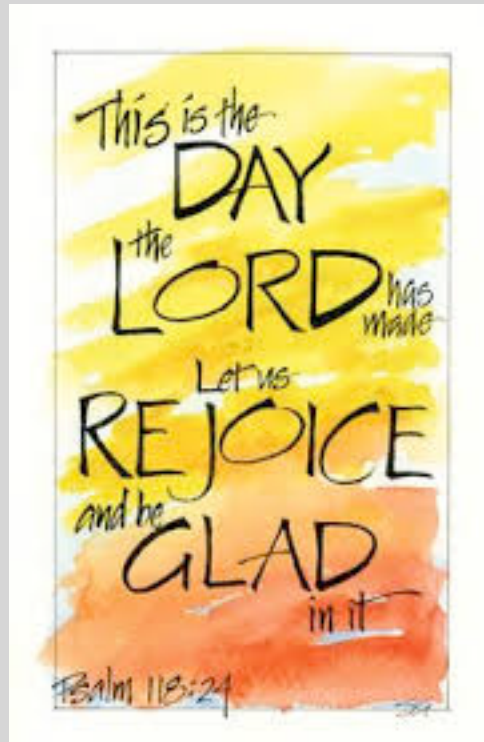
Footprints of WPC

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IPNC

At the April 18, 2017 Session meeting, the session voted to approve a candidate to be called as our interim pastor. With the help of Reverend John Cairns, our Committee On Ministry (COM) mentor and session moderator, a proposed contract was prepared. Our candidate will now go through the approval of our Presbytery's COM. This will take several weeks.

Joyce Johnson, Chair, IPNC

FOOTPRINTS OF WPC

Westminster Presbyterian Church

May/
June
2017



Our Mission is:

LOVING GOD,

We are a community of faith, called together by Jesus Christ to love God with all our heart, and all our soul, and all our minds, and all our strength. (Mark 12:30)

LOVING LIFE,

Southwest Florida is the best place we know to live out our faith with one another, learning together and loving each other.

LOVING OUR NEIGHBORS

We were created by God, each with a unique gift to share with our neighbors. We are encouraging and empowering the sharing of gifts with the world in Jesus' name.



Mission:

Beth-El food donations as well as quilts and sweaters made by Needles and Knots were delivered in March.

Mision Peniel- non perishable food items are collected in the red wagon in the narthex and delivered periodically.

Three-Cents-A-Meal donations, last collection was April 30, are divided equally among Beth-El, Mision Peniel and Our Daily Bread.

Hope Seeds, One Great Hour of Sharing, Hope Family Services and Presbytery causes received monetary donations for the first quarter. These donations come from the Mission Memorial Fund.

LOOKING AHEAD: School Supplies for Beth-El will be collected during the month of July (school begins the beginning of August). There are always great sale prices on school supplies in July. A complete list of needed items will be in the July/August Footprints. However, pencils, erasers, notebooks, folders, markers, colored pencils, glue sticks, backpacks are always on the list.

Joyce Johnson, Mission Committee Chair

Happy Birthday to all of you born in May!

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|----|------------------|----|----------------------|
| 1 | Lee Schouw | 2 | Fred Crowl |
| 3 | Carolyn Wilson | 4 | Mary Ellen Pickering |
| 4 | Lillian Spencer | 5 | Kaylee O'Dell |
| 7 | Joyce James | | |
| 8 | Jennifer Grimes | 8 | Shayne Kull |
| 10 | Betty Carlson | 13 | Beverly Gilchrist |
| 16 | Jennifer Granda | 18 | Jane Foster |
| 19 | Sylvia Hutchison | 25 | Ruth Voorhes |
| 25 | Jean Shoemaker | 28 | Marcia Scherf |

Happy Birthday to all of you born in June!

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| 1 | Ray Douglass | 5 | Dorothy Nuttle |
| 5 | James Woodson | 9 | Phyllis Hanna |
| 10 | Rick Skillman | 11 | Elizabeth Grimes |
| 13 | Rose Ames | 13 | Chris Hardesty |
| 13 | Lynnda Fleishman | 13 | Scott Mattson |
| 15 | Mary Jane Tenny | 16 | Mike Stone |
| 17 | Raymond Arvidson | 19 | Norman Lee |
| 20 | Chibuzor Onugha | 20 | Robin Regal |
| 21 | Daphne-Ann Haynes | 23 | Harris Onugha |
| 24 | Patricia Byrnes | 24 | Gloria Kallstrom |
| 25 | Marilyn Thompson | 25 | Richard Rogers |
| 26 | Roy Anderson | 27 | Laura Rieley |
| 30 | Karl Insani | | |

Flower Dedications:

May 7, Elizabeth Dykstra
May 21, Grace Fischer

May 14, John and Linda Progar
May 28, John and Linda Progar and
MG (USA ret) and Mrs. Richard Haynes

June 4, Sally Sarver
June 18, Perry Matz

June 11, Valerie Beechy
June 25, Florence Gordon, Margaret Brock
and Juanita Starkweather

Addendum#10 (to the 2015 Pictorial Telephone Directory)

Clark, Jill Hunter (and Kobi) deleted from the rolls, 3/21/17.

Hutchison, Frank, went to his heavenly home on 4/1/17

Klemeyer, Anna Moore, went to live with Jesus on 4/12/17

Kouris, Betty, removed from the rolls, 3/21/17

Rieley, Laura, address correction, 4550 70th St W, Apt. 93, Bradenton, FL 34209

Small, Cliff and Barbara, new address: Unit 2303, 2925 Terra Ceia Bay Blvd, Palmetto, FL 34221-6931, phone (941-981-9521, cell numbers remained the same.

Sommerfeld, Gene and Joan, new address: 6015 Courtside Dr, Bradenton, FL 34210

Spahr, Don, went to his heavenly home on 2/22/17

Wallace, Nancy, went to live with Jesus on 2/26/17

WE CELEBRATE THE MONTH OF THE MILITARY CHILD

“The official flower of the military child is the dandelion. Why? The plant puts down roots almost anywhere, and it’s almost impossible to destroy. It’s an unpretentious plant, yet good looking. It’s a survivor in a broad range of climates. Military children bloom everywhere the winds carry them. They are hardy and upright. Their roots are strong, cultivated deeply in the culture of the military, planted swiftly and surely. They’re ready to fly in the breezes that take them to new adventures, new lands, and new friends.”



-Anonymous

Upcoming Events:

Eat-Around-Lunch-Bunch: On Saturday, May 20, at noon, the Eat Around Lunch Bunch will be at Mocha Joe’s, 3633 Cortez Road West, behind McDonald’s. If you can go, please call Peter or Carol MacFarlane for reservations at (941) 727-4287.

•FELLOWSHIP COMMITTEE EVENTS

BRADENTON MARAUDERS BASEBALL

2017 FAITH & FAMILY NIGHT AT LECOM PARK (formerly McKechnie Field)

FRIDAY, MAY 12 - Marauders vs Palm Beach Cardinals

Gates Open at 5:30 pm – Game Starts at 6:30

\$10.00 Ticket gets you: Infield Box or Reserve Ticket to Game

FREE Marauders Baseball Hat

FREE Souvenir Fountain Drink

Also they will announce our church on the PA and it will appear on video board.

Sign up for the game in the Fellowship Hall on April 23rd and 30th and May 7.

ANNUAL CHURCH BEACH PICNIC

SATURDAY, MAY 13 at Coquina Beach North Pavilion

We have the Pavilion rented all day so come and enjoy the beach. Beverages will be provided, but bring your table service and a dish to pass. We plan to eat at 1:00 pm.

Sign up for the Picnic in Fellowship Hall on April 23rd and 30th and May 7. Let us know what food you are bringing.

Any questions on either of the above, please call John James 941-746-5818.



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