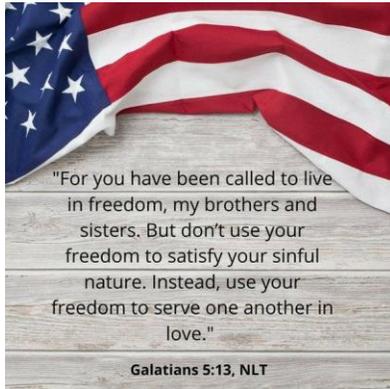


WLCC Weekly Newsletter 7.1.22

This Sunday, we will continue our series, The Good and Beautiful Community by exploring what it means to be a community that sets people free to live, serve and love like Christ. We will look at Luke 4: 14-20 and Micah 6: 6-8. Looking forward to seeing you in worship.

Pastor Kirsty DePree



Dear fellow travelers,

We have turned the page on the calendar again. It's hard to believe that we are halfway through the year. This weekend we will celebrate our country's birthday. As we worry about the older members of our congregation, many of us also worry about our country and the growing divide. I suggest we turn our worry over to God and accept the responsibility to be good citizens.

Reminders: Masking is optional. We recommend wearing a mask. If you are entering the sanctuary, we ask you to practice physical distancing, use good hand hygiene and stay home if you are not feeling well. We will be continuing these practices until the situation changes toward the positive. We thank you for your cooperation.

Calendar for the week of July 1-7

**July 3 - Sunday Worship at 10 AM No communion this Sunday
After church to-go lunches offered by Missions Committee**

July 4 - Office is closed

July 7 - Women's Fellowship 9 AM

Upcoming July Events

July 17 - Kirsty's Last Sunday with us

July 18 - Basket Wrapping 1 PM

July 21 - Community Dinner 2:30- 5:30 PM

July 23 - Christmas in July Sale 8:30 AM- Noon

Potluck Luncheon Thank You

Thank you to all who made last Sunday potluck such a success by attending and making a dish! We enjoyed sharing a meal together and the diversity of dishes was fabulous. What great cooks we have!

Missions

Greetings from your Missions group,

We are gearing up for a busy Summer!

We will start again to raise funds to help the children at Mount Lebanon elementary school. We will prepare to-go lunches for you to pick up after the service on July 3. There will be a selection of three types of sandwiches, tomatoes, chips, fruit and cookies. A great way to enjoy the summer sunshine with a picnic!! By donations only. Thank you so much for being generous!

Thank you,

Your missions group (Lorinda, Jackie, Dick, John and Christine)

Women's Fellowship & Christmas in July

Women's Fellowship is meeting at 9 AM on Thursday mornings. The women have set **July 23** as the date for our "Christmas in July" event from **8:30 to noon**. Our plan is to hold the event rain or shine. If you are interested in preparing a basket for our basket raffle, please return your finished basket to the church by **July 17**. We will be working all week of July 18 to prepare for the sale. If you have questions, please contact Nancy Simpson. Join us for fellowship and all women are welcome.

Little Food Pantry

We are in urgent need of food for our pantry! Some items that go quickly are peanut butter, cereal, ramen noodles and coffee, also shelf stable milk. During the warmer months canned and jarred goods are welcome. Food can also be put inside the Food Bin in the sanctuary which is taken to the Haven or LISTEN. Thank you to all who have contributed. Please pass the word on about the availability of food in the Little Food Pantry.

WLCC Giving Options

We have instituted several new electronic (credit/debit/ACH) giving options. Note that these are in addition to the conventional giving methods. **If you are comfortable with the giving method you currently use there is no need to change.** The intent of adding these electronic options is to make giving more convenient, which will hopefully increase our revenue. Note that the church is charged a nominal processing fee with each electronic transaction, so please consider covering that fee if you use an electronic option. The electronic options will allow you to specify where you would like your gift to go (e.g. general fund, memorial gift, missions, etc.). You can access these options by going to the WLCC home webpage (<https://westlebcc.org/> **and clicking on the "Give" tab along the top, or go directly to the Giving page** <https://westlebcc.org/give/>). If you have any questions or problems please see Aaron in the WLCC office or our co-collectors Christine Kidd or Laurie Tostenson.

Faithfully
Nancy Simpson
for WLCC