

CORNER CONNECTIONS

Galatians – Freedom in Christ



Galatians 5:1, NRSV



On Sunday mornings in August we will walk through the book of Galatians. Galatians is all about the gospel. From the first chapter, Paul eagerly defends the gospel of Christ against the anti-gospel of those who would add to the finished work of the life, death and resurrection of Jesus Christ.

The book serves as a strong defense against the idea that we can contribute to our own justification through works. It attacks self-made religion and includes some penetrating analyses to be applied to many of the philosophies and pseudo-religions in our world that promise freedom but in reality bring us into slavery.

We are saved by grace alone through faith alone in Christ alone. But this is no license to sin as the same Spirit by whom we are justified now works in us for our sanctification.

Since we have life by Him, we are to live by and walk in Him as we image the character of our God. Christ is our righteousness. Christ is our freedom. Christ is our life. This is the gospel.

This is the message of Galatians. I look forward to diving into this message with you!

In Christ,
Clint

VBS



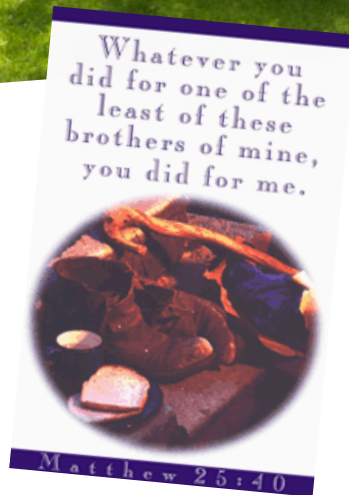
thank you

We had a wonderful time at VBS! The kids had the best time uncovering who God is each day. They stopped in the book of Acts and learned about how GREAT God is, next in the book of Psalms to discover how AL-MIGHTY he is, and how PERFECT he is, and finally in the book of Romans to learn about his great love for us! We had 53 kids here that we were able to share the word of God with and love on each day!

The kids' mission project for the week was to bring in items for the Mission House. These kids collected a total of 858 items for the Mission House. I could not be prouder of them!

It was such a blessing this week to serve with each and every person that volunteered their time!! A huge thanks to all of you who helped make this week so special and run so smoothly!!

A special thanks to all of our youth workers who showed up and worked so hard every day! I think it is HUGE for all of the kids to see you serving and to be able to look up to you as the youth of our church! FUMC is blessed with such a special group of young people! You guys are awesome!!



BACK TO REGULAR SUNDAY SCHEDULE

Sundays

- 8:50 am - Encounter - contemporary worship
- 10 am - Sunday School, all ages
- 11 am - Traditional worship
- 5-6:30 pm - Kids & Youth (supper included)

Wednesdays

- 6-6:30 pm Wednesday Night Fellowship Meal
- 6:30 -7:15 pm - Activities for all ages

Now is a perfect time to join a Sunday School Class

Adults

- Allen Cowan Class - Library (306)
- Men's Class - Room 202 Circle 360 - Fellowship Hall
- Julia Burton Class - Room 304



Missions Notes



VBS participants are the BEST! Thanks to VBS kids and their families for providing over 800 donations to the Mission House! These items are now available for people in our community who are struggling to make ends meet. And thanks, also, to our awesome youth who spent an afternoon working at the FUMC Mission House during their Missions Week. Their work was appreciated and benefitted the Mission House ministry. Also, thanks to the many who have responded to specific requests for needs. I wish you all could see the joy and support felt by those in our community that have received your gifts!

Anyone doing a last minute summer clean out, please know donations of lightly used towels, washcloths, dishtowels, sheets, comforters, pots, pans, and utensils would be helpful. Also needed are girl toddler clothing, sizes 2T, 3T, 4T, and 5T. If you prefer purchasing, consider women's underwear, feminine hygiene products, clothes detergent, house cleaning supplies, or school supplies (Ziplocs of pencils, pens, erasers, glue sticks, safety scissors, etc.) Also, if you need to recycle lightly used book bags, now is the time, as school begins all too soon!

Thanks to all who have donated used medical equipment. We have all we need and can store at this moment, so only wheelchairs can be accepted at this time.

If you are strong (and old enough to drive!) and want to participate in the Mission House ministry, would you consider being available occasionally to pick up large donated items and take them to a family in need? We do not have space (or manpower) to routinely accept furniture or appliances in the Mission House. However, sometimes people coming through our doors need a sofa, table and or chairs, washer, dryer, refrigerator, stove, etc. Mission House volunteers try to keep their eyes open for these items, and we occasionally put the word out to the congregation. But we need able-bodied volunteers to call on when these situations arise. Please prayerfully consider this opportunity to serve those in need. "Love one another." John 13:34

If you have a business or know of one that needs workers (permanent or temporary), please pass that word to the Mission House so we might share the contact information with our guests that might be looking for work. Email TallasseeMissionHouse@gmail.com or call/text 334-640-5760.

AUGUST ALTAR FLOWERS

August 7	August 14	August 21	August 28
none	Marsha Price	Open	Open

WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEALS

- August 3**
Mission House
- August 10**
Shepherding
- August 17**
Men's Club
- August 24**
UMW
- August 31**
Choir

Stewardship Summary - July 2022 (to 07/26)

	Budgeted	Actual
Monthly Contributions	\$31,250	\$26,076
Monthly Total Income	\$36,021	\$26,076
Year to Date Income	\$252,144	\$253,090
Monthly Expenses	\$36,329	\$20,797
Year to Date Expenses	\$181,646	\$230,866

Avg. total worship attendance per Sunday: 95

AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

- 02 Sarah Buice
Bobby Butler
Jimmy Turner
- 03 Bryant Hathcock
- 04 John Wayne Bradford
- 07 Thomas Battles III
Caroline Lockwood
- 08 Jeremy Clark
- 09 Anne Bryant
Linda Williams
- 11 Winn Eckstein
- 13 Angie Cook
- 16 Ann Stuedeman
- 18 Troy Glasscock
Hamp Love
- 20 Ava Bankester
- 24 Meg Young
- 25 Lea Clark
Dana Metz
- 26 Leah Burnham
Steve Martin
Jacob Patterson
Sarah Patterson
- 30 Amelia Barton

AUGUST ANNIVERSARIES

- 01 Patrick & Laura Taylor
- 02 Darryl & Kristina Pendergrass
- 04 Michael & Angel Miller
- 05 Bob & Susan Dragone
- 06 Tracy & Wendi Bearden
Herb & Gayle Mason
- 09 Tom & Jeanette Crain
- 11 Keith & Terry Holt
- 12 Harry & Shirley Jackson
Wade & Pamela Shipman
- 14 Jackie & Bucka Golden, Jr.
Bob & Rose Taunton
- 15 Steve and Lu Missildine
- 16 Woody & Sally Weaver
- 17 Amy & Meredith Milstead
- 29 Bill & Sandra Patterson

August

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3 Wednesday Night Fellowship - 6 pm	4	5	6
7 	8 First Day of School!	9	10 Wednesday Night Fellowship - 6 pm	11	12	13
14	15	16	17 Wednesday Night Fellowship - 6 pm Long Range Planning 6:30-7:30 pm	18	19	20
21 Long Range Planning 3:30-5:00 pm	22 Church Council 6:00 pm	23	24 Wednesday Night Fellowship - 6 pm	25	26	27
28	29	30	31 Wednesday Night Fellowship - 6 pm			



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SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP

8:50 am - contemporary worship
10 am - Sunday School, **all ages**
11 am - traditional worship

KIDS & YOUTH ACTIVITIES

Sundays - 5 to 6:30 pm
Wednesdays - 6 to 7:15 pm



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The service for the preceding week is broadcast each Sunday at **11 am**. Listen to Clint's daily devotions at **7:15 am** each weekday morning.

