

Calendar for the week of July 16 – July 23 (and beyond)

Just a Carpenter

Offering

Hymn * Kum Ba Yah KUM BA YAH

1. Kum ba yah, my Lord, kum ba yah! Kum ba yah, my Lord, kum ba yah! Kum ba yah, my Lord, kum ba yah! O Lord, kum ba yah!
2. Someone's crying, Lord, kum ba yah! Someone's crying, Lord, kum ba yah! Someone's crying, Lord, kum ba yah! O Lord, kum ba yah!
3. Someone's singing, Lord, kum ba yah! Someone's singing, Lord, kum ba yah! Someone's singing, Lord, kum ba yah! O Lord, kum ba yah!
4. Someone's praying, Lord, kum ba yah! Someone's praying, Lord, kum ba yah! Someone's praying, Lord, kum ba yah! O Lord, kum ba yah!

Prayers of the People

Lord in your mercy
"Hear our prayer"

The Lord's Prayer

"Our Father, who art in heaven; hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done; on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts; as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil; for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen."

Hymn Great is Thy Faithfulness FAITHFULNESS

1. Great is thy faithfulness, O God my Father; there is no shadow of turning with thee. thou changest not; thy compassions, they fail not. As thou hast been thou forever wilt be.
[Refrain]
Great is thy faithfulness! Great is thy faithfulness! Morning by morning new mercies I see. All I have needed thy hand hath provided. Great is thy faithfulness, Lord unto me!
2. Summer and winter and springtime and harvest, sun, moon, and stars in their courses above join with all nature in manifold witness to thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love.
[Refrain]
3. Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth, thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide, strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow: blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!
[Refrain]

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Benediction

Sending the Twelve

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Sanctuary maintenance. We will be doing much needed maintenance in the sanctuary from July 6-21. The organ will not be available while we do the work and the youth room will be closed. We apologize for the inconvenience and ask for your patience during this time. (Harry Coleman)

TODAY – July 16

The flowers are given for the glory of God by The Holloway Family in memory of their mother and grandmother, Arlene Ferschweiler.

After worship you are invited to join us for a picnic in the social hall. The main meal, beverages, and paper products are provided. Childcare will be provided during the morning.

MONDAY – July 17

Items for the **August newsletter are due** to Carol either at fpc_carol@hotmail.com or in the office.

TUESDAY – July 18

Session does NOT meet in July. The next meeting will be August 15.

WEDNESDAY – July 19

Crafters group will meet at 3 p.m. in the social hall. Contact Mary Huie (282-9712) for information.

SUNDAY – July 23

Worship at 9:30 a.m.

Session has called a special meeting of the congregation July 23 at 9:30 a.m. immediately preceding worship for the purpose of electing officers.

Join Mark Mueller for a **group walk through Cascade Meadow Wetlands** (2900 19th Street NW) beginning at 1 p.m. Cascade Meadow sits on a 100-acre site of which 90 acres of natural areas have been restored. Two miles of trails winds its way through seven different types of wetlands and three upland communities. Bring a hat and water and wear sunscreen. Feel free to invite a friend. Questions? Contact Mark Mueller (markmueller@chartermi.net).

WEDNESDAY – July 26

Presbyterian Women will host a **Medical Missions Coffee** from 1-3 p.m. at the home of Bev Lewis (1609 Ridge Drive NE). At 1:45 Johanna O'Neill, Supportive Housing Site Director at Gage East Apartments, a new facility for homeless youth and homeless families in Rochester, will talk about "Homelessness: The Gage East Project."

Among the Church Family

Yes, we have a trio of couples celebrating 52nd wedding anniversaries on July 24 this year!

Congratulations to Ed and Frances Gomez who will celebrate their 52nd wedding anniversary July 24.

Congratulations to Dale and Jane Goodfriend who will celebrate their 52nd wedding anniversary July 24.

Congratulations to Dudley and Peg Parsons who will celebrate their 52nd wedding anniversary July 24.

Happy Birthday to Jean Peterson, who will celebrate her 90th birthday July 24.

We extend our condolences to Otis Laurberg and Carol Shaffer on the death of Otis' mother, Melva Laurberg, July 8 at the age of 101.

We extend our congratulations to Caitlyn Sheridan and Adam Reitmann who were married July 1 at Barns of Glory in St. Charles.

About Our Church

Rev. Thomas J. (T.J.) Parlette, Pastor
Rev. Jay P. Rowland, Associate Pastor
Lee J. Afdahl, Director of Music/Organist

Kathleen M. Kruger, Music Assistant
Susan K. Kruger, Office Administrator
Harry E. Coleman, Facility Manager

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Security and custodial personnel: Steven Aug, Sally Evans, Tami Rinn

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