

Hunter's Horn

Hunter Presbyterian Church
109 Rosemont Garden
Lexington, KY 40503



THE PASTOR'S PEN

Dear Friends,

As summer arrives, the pace of life here at church slows considerably. Worship attendance dips as people leave town on vacations, the choir breaks during July and August, Sunday school wraps-up, and most committees stop meeting. And so we transition from the busy seasons of Lent and Easter to the more relaxed attitude of Ordinary Time.

It sounds so generic—Ordinary Time—as though nothing much happens during these thirty-three weeks from Trinity Sunday to Christ the King. But the term actually comes from the Latin word ordinal, which means rule or order, and this period is the meat and potatoes of the liturgical calendar. During the so-called “special seasons” of the year, we focus on the beginning and the end of the gospel story, but it’s during Ordinary Time that we consider everything in between.

This is when we walk with Jesus through the course of his ministry. This is when we remember his words and actions that revealed him to be the Son of God and showed his disciples what it means to follow him. And this is when we renew our commitment to nourish his vision and continue his work, which is why the color of Ordinary Time is green—to symbolize growth and life and the hope of new life in the resurrection.

So as things quiet down in the coming weeks, let’s remember to celebrate Ordinary Time as much as any other. Let’s celebrate the exuberance of our congregation and all the ways we minister to one another. Let’s look for Jesus in the world, remembering that we meet him, unnamed and unrecognized, in the faces we see every day. And let’s fill our lives with the spirit of his teachings and works of faith.

May this be a relaxing and challenging season for you, and may you come to know the love of God more and more.

*Together We Serve,
JASON*

Nursery Volunteers for July are:

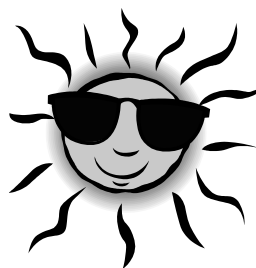


July 4 Daisy Rhau
July 11 Tami Daniel
July 18 Carol Hulse
July 25 Tery Ackerman

Worship & Wonder Greeters are:



July 4 Melinda Ashworth-French
July 11 Trisha Bernard
July 18 Kriis Zeps
July 25 Emese Gal



VBS will be held July 25th through the 28th from 6 to 8:15 pm. On Sunday July 18th we will be having a VBS

Decorating/Property Clean-Up Day immediately following church. Children and parents are invited to help set up decorations for VBS and the Property Committee will be meeting for clean up and also to clean up the courtyard.

Pizza will be provided so please RSVP to emilybakerwarren@gmail.com so we can have enough for everyone!



Vacation Bible School: Items Needed!!

As Vacation Bible School fast approaches there are some items that are needed and would be greatly appreciated if they were donated. VBS will be from July 25—28, so the following items are needed prior to those dates:

- Baby Food Jars with Lids
- Small Jelly, etc. Jars
- Washed Styrofoam Meat Trays



If you have any of these items, please bring them to the church office (Mon—Fri., 9am—3pm). Thank you for your support of VBS...it's sure to be a grand time for the children this Summer!!



Hope Center

The middle and high school youth will be serving breakfast at the Hope Center on Sunday, July 11th. Meet at the Hope Center at 7:45 am or in the Hunter parking lot at 7:30 am. Please let James Bush or Kelly Telech know if you'll be coming to the church so they can wait for you.

IMPORTANT ODDS & ENDS

BURNAMWOOD
CAMP AND CONFERENCE CENTER



Burnamwood summer camps. There is something for everyone from 1st grade to 12th grade at Burnamwood Camp. In addition to the traditional camps known as conferences, there is a pioneer camp for those who like to rough it, a music, art, and drama camp for those

who enjoy the arts, and a night owl camp for those that like to stay up late and sleep in. New this year is a two day mother and daughter camp. Additional information is available online at www.burnamwood.net/summer.htm and at Hunter.

The registration deadline is two weeks prior to the start of the desired camp. To register you may download and print a registration form from the Burnamwood website and mail it in, or you may register online through the Burnamwood website.

Burnamwood Summer 2010 Dates Remaining

Summer Program	Dates	Rate
1st and 2nd Grade Mini Camp	July 19-21	\$120
5th and 6th Grade Pioneer Camp	July 19-21	\$120

Please note, we are officially starting our Summer Worship Hour on July 4th, with only one service at 10:00 am. The Summer Worship Hour will continue through August 8th. Thank you for making note of this change!

It Takes A Village...

We all know how important it is to conserve energy and provide security for our homes. What we may forget at times is that those things are just as important for our Church. In the past few months, on more than one occasion, certain items have been taken from bathrooms and the kitchen, including dish soap and hand sanitizer. The office is aware of this problem (and the potential culprit) and just wants to make sure that everyone is doing their part to make our church building safe.



If you are in the building for a committee meeting, women's circle, Worship on Sundays, or any other reason, please check to make sure that things are left in proper order. For instance: turn off all lights, return the Air Conditioning/Thermostat to a higher temperature (78°, for example) so the A/C won't run all night and day, make sure that all doors you entered/exited through are locked appropriately, etc.

For security measures, and to curb the stealing problem of late, the doors by the kitchen will no longer be left unlocked during the week. If you need to get in the building, the main entrance near the Sanctuary will continue to be open while Ashley is in the office. If you need access to the building during office hours, just call the office and Ashley or Kevin can let you in if you do not have a key. We are very sorry if this causes any inconvenience, but appreciate your patience and understanding as we work to ensure the safety of the church and those who work there everyday.

Mission & Outreach

Presbyterian Women of Hunter (PWOH) “Blessings in a Backpack” Program

John 21:15 *When they had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, “Simon, son of John, do you love me more than these?” He said to him, “Yes, Lord; you know that I love you.” Jesus said to him, “Feed my lambs.”*



The Presbyterian Women’s project, “Blessings in a Backpack”, is ready to go for the fall semester beginning on August 11th at Glendover Elementary School. Due to the generosity of donors, we have the money to pay for 25 children for two semesters. It has been our hope that we could increase the number of children we feed each weekend. There are over 200 at Glendover who qualify, and we are the only ones who provide them with food. Your gift of \$40 will add one more child to our list for one semester. Please give what you can and consider volunteering to help this worthy cause that benefits children in our very own community.

Volunteer

- ***Pick up food** from Meijer on Reynolds Road on Wednesday morning.
- ***Pack the food** on Wednesday evenings at Hunter, just before the Dinner & Program.
- ***Deliver the food** to Glendover Elementary School on Thursday morning and return bins to church.

If you are interested in volunteering or have questions about other ways you can help this mission, please call Carolyn Holmes at 277-3004.

Donate

If you wish to make a monetary donation to “Blessings in a Backpack”, please make your check payable to PWOH and put **Backpack Program** in the memo line.

Imagine having lunch on Friday afternoon, knowing that you won’t be guaranteed another meal until breakfast on Monday morning. How many of us could endure such a situation week in and week out? Your support of this program ensures that fewer children go hungry on the weekends. Please help us continue to “feed the lambs”.

ANNUAL CHURCH PICNIC: Don’t Miss It!!



The Annual Church Picnic is right around the corner! Mark your calendars for Wednesday, August 4th (the Wednesday before Fayette Co. Public Schools begins). The picnic will be at Shillito Park in Shelter #2. Watch the Sunday bulletins for more information as the time draws near. As always, you are encouraged to bring a dish to share and come enjoy the fellowship in the park!!



Sunday Worship at 8:45 am and 11:00 am

July 2010

Events at Hunter Presbyterian Church

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>Bulletin items are due each Wednesday afternoon for Sunday bulletins!</p> <p><i>Hunter's Horn articles are due Monday, July 26!</i></p>						
<p>4 Happy Independence Day  10:00 am Worship</p>	<p>5 Flower Guild, 9:30 am Co-op Quilters, 6:30 pm, UC</p>	<p>6 Garden Club, 1:30 pm (UC)</p>	<p>7  All are welcome here...</p>	<p>1 Alateen, 7:30 pm, Library NA, 7:30 pm, UC Al-Anon, 7:30 pm, Lounge</p>	<p>2 OFFICE CLOSED</p>	<p>3 NA, 7:30 pm, UC</p>
<p>11 10:00 am Worship</p>	<p>12 Flower Guild, 9:30 am Co-op Quilters, 6:30 pm, UC</p>	<p>13 Travel Club, 7 pm, FH</p>	<p>14 15 Stitch N Listen, 10am, UC</p>	<p>16 Alateen, 7:30 pm, Library NA, 7:30 pm, UC Al-Anon, 7:30 pm, Lounge</p>	<p>17 NA, 7:30 pm, UC</p>	<p>17 NA, 7:30 pm, UC</p>
<p>18 10:00 am Worship 11:30 Session Meeting (FH)</p>	<p>19 Flower Guild, 9:30 am Co-op Quilters, 6:30 pm, UC</p>	<p>20 KY Mountain Club, 6:30 pm, FH</p>	<p>21 22 Alateen, 7:30 pm, Library NA, 7:30 pm, UC Al-Anon, 7:30 pm, Lounge</p>	<p>23 Wheeler Dealer Square Dancers, 7:30 pm, FH</p>	<p>24 VBS Set-up, 9 am, FH/UC</p>	<p>24 VBS Set-up, 9 am, FH/UC</p>
<p>25 10:00 am Worship</p>	<p>26 Flower Guild, 9:30 am VBS, 6-8:15 pm, FH/UC</p>	<p>27 VBS, 6-8:15 pm, FH/UC</p>	<p>28 VBS, 6-8:15 pm, FH/UC</p>	<p>29 Alateen, 7:30 pm, Library NA, 7:30 pm, UC Al-Anon, 7:30 pm, Lounge</p>	<p>30 NA, 7:30 pm, UC</p>	<p>31 NA, 7:30 pm, UC</p>

Stitch 'N Listen

Will be meeting on Thursday,
July 15th at 10 am in the
Undercroft.



PRESBYTERIAN
WOMEN

The Lunch Bunch

Tuesday, July 20th, 11:30 a.m. at Carino's
Italian Restaurant in the Fayette Mall area.
To car pool or to be picked up and for
reservations, call Betty Scott at 272-2800 or
Polly Martin at 266-1734.

**Hunter's Horn Articles will be due by
Monday, July 26th. ~Thank You!**

Night Circle will **not** meet in the months
of July and August. We'll see you again
in September; enjoy the Summer break!!



Deborah Circle will meet on
Thursday, July 8th at 10:00 am in
the Undercroft.



Garden Club will meet on Wednesday,
July 7th at 1:30 pm in the Undercroft.



Come celebrate with us
The 90th Birthday

of
Mary Jane Roser

On

Sunday, July 18th, 2010

1:00—3:00 pm

2092 Williamsburg Road

Lexington, Kentucky



Look Who's Having a Birthday in July!

- 1 David Hulse
- 2 Clint Smith
- 3 Pauline Tabb
- 3 Zsombor Gal
- 7 Janet Dasi
- 7 Amy Campbell
- 8 Emily Demarest
- 14 Mary Jane Roser
- 20 Loretta Moffett
- 23 Aly Ackerman
- 29 Benedict Uwabandi



COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Christian Education
TBA

Worship & Music
TBA

Outreach
TBA

Session: Sunday, July 18 at 11:30 am (FH)

Evangelism
TBA

Property
TBA

Stewardship
TBA

Clerk's Corner by Ruth Beattie, Clerk of Session

At a Called Session Meeting on June 13, the Session:

- Approved the baptism of Daniel Thomas Ackerman.
- Met with the Communicants Class and received Caroline Danielle Ackerman and Alyson McClain Ackerman in membership through the sacrament of baptism and also received Jacob Abbott, Elise Bernard, Ian Campbell, Madison Campbell, Amanda Daniel, Joshua Goodrich and Abigail White into membership through reaffirmation of faith.

At the regularly scheduled Stated Meeting of Session on June 20, the Session:

- Reviewed the financial statement for May 2010.
- Approved a new model for the 2011 Stewardship campaign – details will follow in the Fall.
- Approved the Christian Education Committee exploring the possibility of a Hunter Facebook page for youth activities.
- Approved the holding of a *Lenten Pastor Week* during Lent. During that week, the pastor will spend Sunday worship time with the youth and children. The worship service would be conducted by a supply pastor.
- Approved vacation time for the Pastor.
- Approved the designation of Hunter's portion of the Pentecost Offering to the Backpack program.

Stewardship Report

May Report:	<u>May</u>	<u>Year-to-date</u>	<u>YTD as % of amount budgeted for 2010</u>
Pledges Received	\$18,880	\$86,486	40.6%
Total Receipts	\$22,891	\$107,426	40.7%
Total expenditures	\$21,485	\$113,651	37.9%

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The Wednesday Dinner & Program at Hunter is on break for the Summer. Please be sure to come to the Annual Church Picnic at Shillito Park on August 4th and we'll see you back at Hunter for the Wednesday activities later in August. Enjoy the Summer!!