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August Offerings

**Coffee/Conversation
August 1
9:30-10:30 am @
King's Cafe*

*Adult Sunday School
will resume Sunday,
August 2 at 9:30 a.m.
in the Fellowship Hall
where we can
comfortably social
distance. We will pick
back up with Chapter
17 of Adam Hamilton's
"Making Sense of the
Bible"*

Marianne's Message

Eleven days..eight days..three days.. and so the countdown begins. The countdown parents and children all dread or anticipate.. the countdown until school starts! I'm reminded of a joke I once heard that goes something like this. A little girl come home from school and her father immediately asks what she learned that day at school. Expecting to hear excitement from some wonderful thing that happened during her class that day, the father waited in anticipation.. only to hear his young daughter say, quite frankly: "Not much. I've got to go back tomorrow." Back to school. Back to life. Back to reality. The words don't sound the best, but we all have to face life and we all have to face reality. Maybe its school..maybe its work..maybe just people in general.

I want to share some thoughts with you that I believe will help with life and reality in general. These words will apply to both the young and the old.

1. Pay attention to all in authority. Proverbs 1:8-9: "My child, obey the teachings of your parents, and wear their teachings as you would a lovely hat or a pretty necklace."
 2. Don't give in to peer pressure. Corinthians 15:33: "Don't fool yourselves. Bad friends will destroy you."
 3. Make Christ the Lord of your life. Peter 3:15: "Honor Christ and let Him be the Lord of your life."
- As a new school year begins, may we celebrate a new beginning in our lives with Jesus Christ. God's Blessings to each of you,
Pastor Marianne

BRIDAL SHOWER

The Church congregation is cordially invited to a Bridal Shower in honor of Hannah Robertson in her impending marriage to Chad Wissler on Sunday, August 30 at 1:00 p.m. It will be held at 28 East Front Street in Cambridge City. The couple plans to be married October 10, 2020.



Monthly Mission for August:

Cross Road Ministry

Cross Road Christian Recovery Center for Women is located in east central Indiana at 6512 U.S. Highway 27 South Richmond, Indiana. The campus is situated on nearly eight acres in a safe rural setting. Cross Road offers a four month residential Christian recovery program. The program is available at no cost to women 18 years and older who struggle with alcohol/drug addiction. They utilize a non-medical, non-clinical approach to addiction recovery. Tom & Wendy Canon will be here Au-

Have any music requests?

Do you have a favorite hymn or praise song you would like to hear or sing? If so please see Lynne Kem and she will try to work it in to our Worship Service.

A B I G T H A N K Y O U

A **BIG THANK YOU** goes out to Penny Pentecost, the Trustees led by Wanda Knipp and others that worked so hard to prepare the parsonage for Pastor Marianne. Thanks also to all that prepared goodies for Pastor Marianne's freezer. She really appreciated everything.

New Phone Number for Parsonage

Please note that the Parsonage has a new phone number: 765-334-8265. Pastor Marianne has given out her home number in Mohawk if you need to get in touch with her when she is not in Cambridge City. That number is 317-326-4151. Her cell number is 317-459-5322.

PRAYERS

As schools open up for the coming school year, let us remember the students, parents, grandparents, teachers/staff, and school leaders in this unprecedented time.

Have Any News or Pictures?

Do you have any news or pictures you'd like to see in the monthly newsletter? If so, please see Jane Myers and she would be happy to put it in the monthly newsletter.



T H A N K Y O U S H I R L E Y

As you well know Shirley Jenkins retired at the end of July with 30 years of service as Secretary here at CCFUMC. We thank her for all she has done here as a faithful servant and wish her the best as she plans to travel and visit with her family. She is not leaving the church and will continue her other positions.

PASTOR & SECRETARY OFFICE HOURS

Pastor Marianne's office hours will be on Fridays from 9:00 a.m. -12:00 p.m. and by appointment. The Secretary's Office will have hours of Mondays and Fridays from 8:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

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