

# FELLOWSHIP FAMILY NEWS

June 2015

*How many are  
your works, O  
Lord! In your  
wisdom you  
made them all;  
the earth is  
full of your  
creatures.  
Psalm 104:24*



## News Notes

Ronda and I just got home from 2 weeks in Europe. We took a river cruise from near Prague across Germany east to west and ended with 4 days in Paris. It was on our bucket list and we feel very blessed to have had this opportunity. We are glad to be home. **Pat Black**

The **Joyce Cook Memorial Scholarship** in the amount of \$1000 was presented to **Curtis Bradley Bowers** from Mountain Home High School. No one from the church family applied for the scholarship this year.



Winners of the almost annual FCPC Chili Cook-off were: 1st place—Jerry Jones, 2nd place—Christy Hancock, and 3rd place—Gay King. The real winners were those who got to eat the chili!



### Ushers

**June 14:** George Hove and John-Carl Laidler

**June 21:** Lynn Kelsh and Rowan Laidler

**June 28:** Gary and Chris Steiger

**July 5:** Mike and Pam O.

### Acolytes

**June 14:** Pat Black and Mike Fisher

**June 21:** Terry King and Christy Hancock

**June 28:** Tammy Marts and Toni Fisher

**July 5:** Al and Barb Amman

### Greeters

**June 14:** Mike and Pam O.

**June 21:** Libby Barnes and Lynda Meek

**June 28:** Bob Green and Jerry Jones

**July 5:** Sandra Thorn and Arlene Fisher

## *July Birthdays and Anniversaries*

Richard Beadle 7-2	Jim Krutina 7-22
Carl Cook 7-4	Kylee Sabella 7-23
Rachel MacKercher 7-4	Toni Fisher 7-24
Kathy Amos 7-7	Pete MacKercher 7-26
Amanda Clements 7-11	Jerry and Marjie Jones 7-29
Howard Flippin 7-13	JL and Peggy Hickman 7-29
Jay Sabella 7-15	Corrine Sodergren 7-29
Kathy Lane 7-15	Pat Baker 7-31
Tammy Marts 7-19	
William and Annetta Hoverstein 7-19	
EJ and Joy Olson 7-21	

### Nursery

**June 14:** Barbara Flippin and JoAnn Gould

**June 21:** JL and Peggy Hickman

**June 28:** Marjie Jones and Ellen MacKercher

**July 5:** Tammy Marts and Toni Fisher

## *Summary of the Actions of the Session*

By Andy Marts Stated Clerk of the Session

The Session of the Fellowship (Baxter) Cumberland Presbyterian Church met in regular session on Wednesday May 27, 2015 at 7:05 pm in the Hudson Fellowship Hall. Present were the following Elders: George Hove, Kathy Amos, Chris Steiger, Tammy Marts, Barbara Flippin, and Mike Risk. Also present were Moderator Gary Tubb and Stated Clerk Andy Marts. Lynn Kelsh, Pat Black, and Al Cookson were absent. Gary Tubb opened the meeting with a devotion followed by prayer.

The minutes for the April regular meeting and the May 24<sup>th</sup> congregational meeting were approved.

The treasurer's report for April 2015 was accepted.

Lynn Kelsh, Pat Black, and Al Cookson were excused.

The date was set to ordain and install elders to session for May 31<sup>st</sup>.

A report was received from the Christian Education committee. The committee reported that they had reviewed the Joyce Cook Memorial Scholarship applications received from Mountain Home High School and had selected Curtis Bradley Bowers.

It was approved to use the \$2500.00 anonymous donation for new wide screen format video cameras and audio equipment.

It was approved to participate in the "Baby Bottle" Campaign for the Pregnancy Resource Center during the month of July.

It was approved for Gary Tubb to book After Grace for a suitable date in March of 2016.

It was approved to pay the \$95.00 registration fee for Gary Tubb to attend the Annual Leadership Summit at Christ Community Church in August.

Tammy Marts closed the meeting in prayer.

Next meeting will be Wednesday June 24, 2015 in the Hudson Fellowship Hall.

# OK Club News

The OK Club's annual garage sale was a great success bringing in \$1775. They would like to thank everyone who contributed in any way from donating items to be sold, to helping with the set up, the sale, and the clean up. The group will be making decisions on how to spend the proceeds as the year progresses.



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<http://www.fellowshipcumberland.org/>

## *Camp Peniel*

Time is fast approaching for the summer camping season at **Camp Peniel**.

Camp forms are available in the pastor's study, or go online to [www.camp-peniel.com](http://www.camp-peniel.com)

Junior High Camp - July 5-10 -

Junior - July 12-17 -

Sr. High - July 19-24

## *Craft Night Planned*

We are planning another craft day. It will be on Friday June 19th from 5 to 10ish in the fellowship hall of the church. This time we are going to come and work on whatever you want to work on. For those that liked the cards we will have all of our tools with us. We will also be available to help in any way and for those that like to do other crafts please bring whatever you would like to work on and join us. We will probably be doing some scrapbooking, card making, tag making and maybe even some sewing, who knows. If you knit or crochet please feel free to bring it along and join us for some fun, food, and fellowship.

Please let Tammy Marts know if you can join us or if you have any questions.

## *VBS is Coming!*

This year, vacation Bible school will be August 2nd through 5th. There will be a short meeting (15 to 20 minutes) after church on June 28th. Please plan to attend if you can help with VBS in any way. If you can't attend the meeting, but will be available to help with VBS, please get in touch with Christy Hancock.

## *One Last Thing*

An old farmer had a wife who nagged him unmercifully. From morning till night (and sometimes later), she was always complaining about something. The only time he got any relief was when he was out plowing with his old mule. He tried to plow a lot. One day, when he was out plowing, his wife brought him lunch in the field. He drove the old mule into the shade, sat down on a stump, and began to eat his lunch. Immediately, his wife began arguing with him again. Complain, nag, nag; it just went on and on. All of a sudden, the old mule lashed out with both hind feet; caught her smack in the back of the head. Killed her dead on the spot. ...

At the funeral several days later, the minister noticed something rather odd. When a woman mourner would approach the old farmer, he would listen for a minute, then nod his head in agreement; but when a man mourner approached him, he would listen for a minute, then shake his head in disagreement. This was so consistent, the minister decided to ask the old farmer about it.

So after the funeral, the minister spoke to the old farmer, and asked him why he nodded his head and agreed with the women, but always shook his head and disagreed with all the men.

The old farmer said: "Well, the women would come up and say something about how nice my wife looked, or how pretty her dress was, so I'd nod my head in agreement."

And what about the men?" the minister asked.

"They wanted to know if the mule was for sale."