

THE CHIMES

Official Newsletter of Chester United Methodist Church—www.chesterumc.org



FAREWELL TO PASTOR CLARA GESTWICK

Please join us in wishing Pastor Clara and Doug Gestwick a fond farewell on **Sunday, June 20**, following the 11:00 Traditional Service. We will assemble a car parade starting at **12:15 PM** in the CUMC parking lot behind the Atrium and overflow into the School Street gravel lot (beside the Baptist Church lot). At 12:30 PM, we ask that you follow the parking lot attendants in circling the Sanctuary and roll down your windows to wish Clara and Doug a safe and heartfelt farewell. **A table for cards or gifts** will be available in the Atrium between the 8:30 AM and 11:00 AM services as well as outside the Atrium for the car parade. Should you wish to send your greetings to Pastor Clara’s home, please use the following address:

Rev. Clara Gestwick
6630 Glebe Point RD
Chesterfield, VA 23838

GRADUATE RECOGNITION

On Sunday, June 13, we will recognize all of our 2021 graduates! Whether you are graduating from high school, college, trade school, secondary education—any sort of graduation—we want to celebrate with you! Please let the Church Office (cumcsecretary@chesterumc.org) know so we can include you in our celebration. Be sure to attend in-person worship on Sunday, June 13, as we pray a blessing over you and honor your achievements!

HIGH SCHOOL GRADS—Send us a short video! Introduce yourself, tell us where you are graduating from, and what your next steps are upon graduation. You can even share briefly about how God is working in your life! Please submit your videos (via text, email, or through Facebook Messenger) to Joshua Wortham (music@chesterumc.org) by June 6. Also, please send us 3-4 pictures of yourself at various ages for a PowerPoint that we will share with the congregation.

CHURCH FAMILY—We need your help! We want you to write notes of encouragement to our high school graduates. Let them know you are praying for them, share your favorite scripture, or another word of hope that has sustained you on life’s journey. Please write 10 copies of the note and place them in the labeled box in the Sharing Bin (near the Welcome Center/Atrium entrance). Submit them by May 31 so we can include them in the Bibles we are gifting our high school graduates.



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WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Contemporary Worship
Davis Fellowship Hall
8:30 AM

Virtual Worship
Facebook & YouTube
10:00 AM

Traditional Worship
Sanctuary
11:00 AM

Worship By Phone
804-768-9594
Anytime

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CLARA'S CONTEMPLATIONS

As I prepare to write this article, a drove of emotions engulf me. I'm sad and scared, yet excitement and joy fill my heart. I'm sad because there are some wounds from the pandemic that still need healing. I'm scared because, for the first time in my adult life, I don't know where I will be going to church come July 1. I'm excited because, for the first time in my life, I will get to visit many churches and choose the one where I want to land! I'm joy-filled because I will get to attend to family and discover what a weekend is without the stressors of having to be prepared for Sunday's sermon or lessons.

My time as one of your pastors is coming to a close. It's only been three short years but we've journeyed through a deep space together. Ministry has changed as it always does but in this past year and a half, it feels like a drastic change. But rest assured, God remains the same. God has been with us through these uncertain times.

I had hoped I could be with you for a decade, but plans change as we listen to the Spirit moving within and among. Many of you have asked what my next steps are. I have discerned that I need to step away from the local church as an appointed pastor (I'll still worship in a local church) and go on Family Leave. This Leave will give me the time and energy to attend to the needs of Doug and our adult children as they transition out of the home and into their adult lives. I fully expect the Spirit-nudgings to return me to appointed ministry in the future but I will await the holy guidance.

We aren't moving away from the area. Doug and I will continue to enjoy Chesterfield and being close to his doctors in Richmond. So you may run into me in the local grocery or at the gas station. Feel free to begin a friendly conversation but remember, after July 1, I will no longer be your pastor. Pastors Chad and Nathan will fill that role for you. I want to thank you for your love, support and kind words or other gestures. They have warmed my heart. May you always live the disciplined life that God has called you to live.

Still in One Peace,

Clara



MUSIC NOTES

Years ago, I heard the story of a church divided over worship wars. The church debated whether or not to include "contemporary" music (like we use at Fresh Start Worship at 8:30 AM on Sundays) in their worship services. The riff grew so intense that the church finally decided to devote an entire year to worshipping with no music whatsoever. They explored the scriptural and theological basis and purpose of worship. They discovered and rediscovered a variety of ways to express their worship. Ironically, a "contemporary" worship song was born out of this experience.

"When the music fades, all is stripped away, and I simply come longing just to bring something that's of worth, that will bless Your heart. I'll bring You more than a song, for a song in itself is not what You have required. You search much deeper within through the way things appear. You're looking into my heart. I'm coming back to the heart of worship, and it's all about You. It's all about You, Jesus. I'm sorry, Lord, for the thing I've made it, when it's all about You. It's all about You, Jesus." (by Matt Redman)

Our church family is blessed with so many gifted musicians who offer their gifts to worship God, the Giver of Song! And each of us is capable of making a joyful noise (Psalm 100)! As the sound of singing returns to in-person worship, my heart is lifted as we unite our voices in praise. While music may not be essential to a worship service, for me at least, it's how I pray. Music is where I most often hear the heart and voice of God. It is the medium I use to express my adoration and gratitude for the Great Conductor who has orchestrated the gift of grace.

My prayer is that ALL the music we make within these walls, in our virtual services, and through our outreach (such as choir tour and community worship events) will bring honor and glory to God! Even in the midst of the pandemic, our praises did not fall silent, and God never abandoned us! May our hearts always ring with praise. May our lips shape words that celebrate the God of creation. May our instruments stir resonations of the Spirit. May our breath be used to praise the One who gives us life and breath!

"Sing"-cerely, *Joshua Wortham*



STEWARDSHIP MINUTE

Stewardship: An Expression of Discipleship
by Bryon and Josefa Wall

We're now in the season of Pentecost—the birth of the Church. What do we do to celebrate birthdays? We send cards (Prayers), join in celebrations (Presence), give presents (Gifts), offer to help prepare the celebration (Service), and we share the good news with others (Witness).

Stewardship is not just about money. It's about us sharing our God given gifts (talents) as an expression of our faith. Sometimes, sharing from our abundance is challenging. To make it a little easier, when you thank God for the many gifts you have received, ask yourself what gifts God is asking you to share as you live out your faith. If you wish to talk with someone about sharing your gifts, please email Pastor Clara (claragestwick@chesterumc.org) or Pastor Chad (chadbeck@chesterumc.org). The need in our community and world continues to be great. Let us be good stewards and disciples as we cultivate our gifts out of our love for God and each other.



Peace be with you.

FINANCIAL UPDATE

Congregational Finance update through April 30, 2021

General operating fund checking account balance is \$105,580.14.

Projected giving for our 2021 budget, based on first 17 weeks contributions, is \$800,795.84.

On February 23, Finance approved the use of up to \$37,000 from reserve funds to repair the Church Parsonage to an updated, livable condition for our new Pastor. We have had approximately \$2,500 in donations and used approximately \$6,000 from the transferred money for the repairs so far. I want to extend a big thank you to all of the church members who have volunteered their time and talent so far on this project. It is not too late to get involved and commit your time and extra funds that you have to help out!



Click here to sign up: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0d44a5a72ba75-parsonage>

The church was approved for a second draw from the PPP program for just over \$68,000 to help with payroll and utilities. To date we have about \$38,000 of these funds left in our checking account to spend towards these items.



GETTING TO KNOW OUR STEPHEN MINISTERS



One interest that the D'Agostinos share is that of traveling and learning about other cultures. Some of their visits include China, Africa, Costa Rica, Italy, Switzerland, Germany, and Canada. Some of these trips were with students during Vince's 15 years as Principal of Hanover High School. Linda met him at the high school during her 30 year career teaching Home Economics (or Family and Consumer Science as it is called now). Linda taught while also running a pre-school there! Vince and Linda have lived in Chester for 21 years and together have five adult children and eight grandchildren. Before coming to CUMC, both were involved in Young Lives, a mission to help pregnant teens, and both were Deacons. Mission work has been in the forefront of their church life, and both worked tirelessly in Outreach at their former church, adding new members to their congregation. In 2015, they joined CUMC. Linda has served on the Bereavement Committee, the Visitation Committee, the Christmas Box Project, and the Backpack Ministry. Vince has been a part of the Methodist Men's Group and is the Chairman of the Board of our preschool at CUMC. He is fluent in Spanish and teaches it to preschoolers as well as teaching adults in the ESL class at Greenleigh.

Clearly, Vince and Linda give of themselves to help others. How fortunate are we that they both serve as Stephen Ministers?! In 2018, Vince also spent an intense week studying to become a Stephen Leader. Besides all of their good works, they are just very dear people, and it is a privilege to have them as a part of the CUMC community. Philippians 4:13 says "I can do all things through Him who strengthens me". The Stephen Ministers are said to be the hands and feet of Jesus, and Vince and Linda clearly reflect this in their life at CUMC.

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

The **United Methodist Women (UMW)** is to "be a community of women whose purpose is to know God and to experience freedom as whole persons through Jesus Christ, to develop a creative, supportive fellowship, and to expand concepts of mission through participation in the global ministries of the church."

- The **Jean Craig Fellowship** will meet on Monday, June 7, at 6:00 PM at the Petrey's for a picnic and to hold a "Pounding" for a young mother in need. We welcome any women who are looking for an evening circle. Call Susan Petrey, 275-9258, for details.



United
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Women

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Call Susan Petrey, 938-5396, to learn more about UMW, our two participating fellowships, and how you can become involved.

APPRECIATE OUR VETERANS ON JULY 4

As we celebrate our nation's birthday on July 4, we also need to celebrate our veterans and remember their service and sacrifice to our country. I am hoping that, once again, I can count on you to write a few notecards or make cards for the Vets at McGuire Hospital for the 4th of July.

Here are suggestions you might write inside the cards:

- Happy 4th of July!
- Thank you for protecting our freedoms!
- God bless you.
- I am praying for you.
- As I celebrate our nation's birthday on July 4th, I also celebrate you and remember your service and sacrifice to our country.
- Thank you for your service and sacrifice to our country.
- I am thinking of you.

Only sign your first name. Please put your cards in the box inside the Sharing Bin by Sunday, June 27. Thank you so much. POC Barbara MacIntyre (804) 748-0775

REST STOP YOUTH MINISTRY

Rest Stop Wrap-Up for the 2020-21 School Year

Dear Church Family,

Thank you so much for all the support you've given our Rest Stop program. This year we have graduating seniors in our group and we are so proud of their growth and accomplishments. Our Rest Stop program has provided support and extra care to these students who have needed it the most.



Before ending the program for the school year, we asked kids for honest feedback about what they liked most about the program. One of them shared that he was so grateful to have a place to go every week that was so welcoming and safe. Another shared that he liked the accountability and encouragement to keep up with grades so he could finally graduate.

We've been honored to have had the opportunity to build relationships with these youth and look forward to continuing those relationships after graduation. All the students we have been serving are graduating.

So, What's next for Rest Stop? We are looking forward to working with new high schoolers and continuing this program. Thanks again for all your support of this program!

Pictured here is our Rest Stop Class of 2021 along with some of our youth volunteers.



WELCOME THE DECKER FAMILY

Our new pastor, Rev. Nathan Decker, and his family will be joining us in July! Let's get ready to offer the Decker family a warm Chester welcome! We look forward to getting to know Nathan, his wife Stephanie, and their sons, Elijah and Ethan. Pastor Nathan currently serves High Street UMC in Courtland, VA.

Nathan's first Sunday at Chester UMC will be July 4.

Save the Date: Plans are in the works for a welcoming event on Sunday, July 11.

Watch the July/August Chimes and our daily emails for Nathan's biography and more information about our welcome event.

If you'd like to send a welcome note, beginning July 1, 2021, you may send it to the parsonage: 12121 Percival Street, Chester, VA 23831.

KIDS CORNER

Save
the
Date!



Chester UMC
VBS
July 12th-16th,
2021



SUMMER FAMILY CHALLENGE

Kicks off June 6 through August 22

Pick up your challenge guide starting June 6!
The Summer Family Challenge is a “choose your own adventure” type of activity. It’s all about having fun, making memories, and growing in faith. Your family decides what challenges they will complete and in what order. There will be prizes for three families with the highest scores. In order to qualify for winning a prize, you must turn in 5 pictures of you doing 5 different challenges that are listed in the guide.

For more information, pick up your guide at church from Alina, or pick up from the Sharing Bin in the parking lot drive through lane!

POC: Alina Roy family@chesterumc.org

Children's PK-5th Grade
In-Person Summer
Sunday School

9:45-10:30 AM
Room 210 (Upstairs)



FAITH FORWARD

JUNE

Pray for each other.
~ James 5:16

TUESDAY

1 Pray for someone who attends your church.



8 Pray for your teachers.



15 Pray for local farmers.



22 Pray for widows.



29 Pray for people who don't know Jesus.

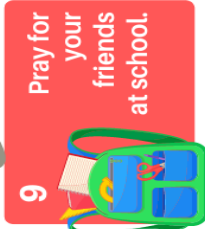


WEDNESDAY

2 Pray for your parents.



9 Pray for your friends at school.



16 Pray for foster care families.



23 Pray for someone who believes in you and encourages you.



30 Pray for someone in your neighborhood.



THURSDAY

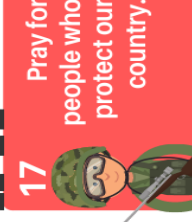
3 Pray for someone who hasn't been nice to you.



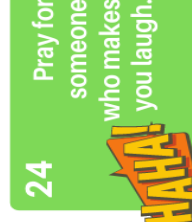
10 Pray for your grandparents.



17 Pray for people who protect our country.



24 Pray for someone who makes you laugh.

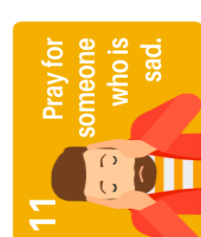


FRIDAY

4 Pray for someone who is sick.



11 Pray for someone who is sad.



18 Pray for orphans.



25 Pray for persecuted Christians.



SATURDAY

5 Pray for the peace of Jerusalem. (See Psalm 122:6 & Isaiah 62:6-7.)



12 Pray for someone who is expecting a baby.



19 Pray for local businesses.



26 Pray for someone whose name starts with the letter J.



SUNDAY

6 Pray for your pastor.



13 Pray for missionaries.



20 Pray for your city.




27 Pray for your nation.

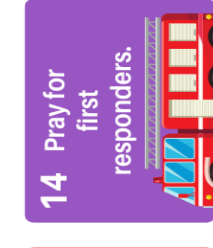


MONDAY

7 Pray for people who are poor.



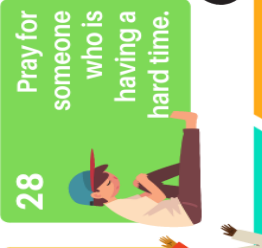
14 Pray for first responders.



21 Pray for the President of your country.



28 Pray for someone who is having a hard time.



*God is always listening.
Keep on praying.*

SMALL GROUPS AND SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

We offer a wide variety of study groups for every age and every phase of your spiritual journey. Here is a list of our current offerings. Prayerfully discern which class you want to join as you grow in your walk with Christ. Or, perhaps you're feeling led to start a new class! Contact the Church Office or one of the leaders listed below for more information.

SUNDAY

ROAD (*Reaching Out Across Darkness*) Crew Walking Group

7:30 AM, Walking begins at the Annex
8:15 AM, Bible/Book Study via Google Meet (*virtual*)
POC: Natalie Galarza (familygalarza05@gmail.com)

Children's Sunday School (PK-Grade 5)

9:30 AM, Room 210
POC: Alina Roy (family@chesterumc.org)

Fresh Start Sunday School Class

9:45 AM, Room 205
POC: Susan Petrey (susanmpetrey@gmail.com)

Journey Sunday School Class

9:45 AM, Room 116 and Google Meet (*hybrid class*)
POC: Lisa Anderson (Lpanderson5@gmail.com)

Seekers Sunday School Class

9:45 AM, Room 226
POC: Barbara MacIntyre (telluwhatbarbara@aim.com)

Senior Singles Sunday School Class

9:45 AM, Parlor
POC: Cynthia Corley (cacorley@ctsi.net)

Joy Unspeakable Small Group

6:30 PM, Room 226
POC: Clara Gestwick (claragestwick@chesterumc.org)

TUESDAY

Hospitality & Intercultural Relationships Small Group

7:00 PM, Room 226 and Google Meet (*hybrid class*)
POC: Chad Beck (chadbeck@chesterumc.org)

WEDNESDAY

Joy Unspeakable Small Group

12:00 PM, Google Meet (*virtual*)
POC: Clara Gestwick (claragestwick@chesterumc.org)

PRESCHOOL NEWS

Registration is now open for the 2021-2022 school year! Visit www.chesterumcps.org for more information. Be sure to share this with your family, friends, and neighbors who have young children.

We are now offering Kindergarten with limited spaces available! Register today!

Contact director Jennifer Barnes (preschool@chesterumc.org, 804-748-2275) for more information.



THE SEEKERS MEET AGAIN

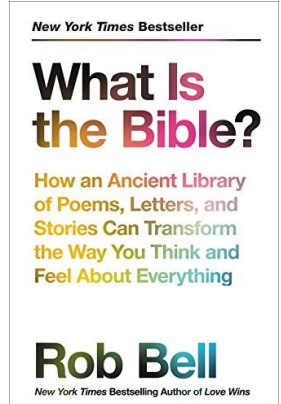
Join the Seekers Sunday School Class on Sunday mornings at 9:45 AM in room 226 above the choir room. Let me know you're coming! POC: Barbara MacIntyre (telluwhatbarbara@aim.com)

FRESH START SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

Join the Fresh Start Sunday School Class in Study, Fellowship and Service:.

Please join us on Sunday mornings at 9:45 AM in Room 205 (the old Wesley Seminar Class across from the church library). We will continue the study of **What is the Bible by Rob Bell**. Books are \$10. Please **RSVP to Susan** if you plan to attend.

The Fresh Start Class welcomes visitors and new members. Call Susan Petrey, 938-5396, for more information.



Intercultural Church

A Biblical Vision for an Age of Migration



WORD & WORLD BOOKS
THEOLOGY FOR CHRISTIAN MINISTRY

HOSPITALITY AND INTERCULTURAL RELATIONSHIPS SMALL GROUP

Leader/Facilitator: Associate Pastor Chad Beck, chadbeck@chesterumc.org, 434-907-7202 (text/call)

Hybrid Format: Options for in-person (room 226) and/or virtual (via Google Meet)

Time/Date: *Tuesdays at 7:00 PM*, for about 10 weeks, starting *April 20*.

Books: Holy Bible and *Intercultural Church: A Biblical Vision for an Age of Migration* by Safwat Marzouk (\$19 paperback or \$15 e-book, financial assistance available).

PARISH NURSE CINDY WEBB

Did you know that CUMC has a Parish Nurse? Her name is Cindy Webb, she is vaccinated, and is a registered nurse with almost 40 years experience in all types of nursing. She is available Sundays from **9:15 -10:45 AM** in Room 111, across from the Church Office. Cindy is also available by appointment during the week. Call Cindy (804.748.5314) or the Church Office to arrange a time to meet. Voice messages will be returned ASAP.

Would you like to have your blood pressure checked? She can take it. If you have questions about your medication she can help! Besides being prepared for First Aid, she also is CPR certified. If you are diabetic she can check your blood sugar if you are symptomatic. Glucose tablets are available. Screening blood sugars will not be done.

All information given and visits with Parish Nurse are kept confidential.

Nurse Cindy is looking forward to seeing you!



THANK YOU NOTES

My Dear Church Friends,

You are my comfort in the storms. Thank you so much for your continued prayers and your cards of encouragement during my recent health setback. I feel your love and it lifts my spirits. I am doing much better and enjoying the birds and the spring flowers.

~Cathy Chase

Dear Church Family,

Thank you for the beautiful birthday cards and enjoyable phone calls for my special day. I wish for all of you God's many blessings. Love and prayers.

~Louise Sheets

Dear, precious Tuesday Morning Prayer Group,

I cannot tell you how this old Mama's heart smiled when I received your beautiful flowers. They were full of my favorites, and I even took the Liatris to my garden to spread the seeds. We are still trying to process the loss of our Grady [April 2021], but I'm sure he was greeted with all the heavenly Tuesday morning girls and my Tommy Boyd! I love you all so very much and hope you know how dear each and every one of you is to my heart!

~Love, Monta [Moody] and Ken Anthony

NOTE: Grady Anthony joined the saints at the young age of 30. His young wife's name is Rachel.



DAILY NEWS

Do you receive our daily news via email? Subscribe today!

Click here: <http://eepurl.com/blV9Tv>

BLOOD DRIVE—Book Your Appointment Today!

Wednesday, June 30, 2021

11:00 AM—4:00 PM

Davis Fellowship Hall



The need is great! Book your appointment today at www.redcrossblood.org.

FREE HAND SANITIZER

We received a large supply of free hand sanitizer from the Virginia Department of Health! Drop by the Sharing Bin, grab a few bottles for yourself, and take some to share with friends and neighbors. We will continue to restock the supply until all bottles have been distributed.



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June Birthdays

June 1

Michelle Jackson
Angie Smith
Hillary Smith
Wayne Stuart

June 2

Tim Baker
Linda Becker
Mandi Davis
Tripp Doyle III
Keenan Hall
Jamie Hammersley

June 3

Celeste Buccola
Taylor Deitz
Beth Johnson
Sarah Jones

June 4

Taylor Chandler
Edwin Gilliam
Greg Keffer
Mike Lowry
Sherry McDermott
AJ Roy

June 5

Karen Comer
Jim Watters

June 6

Daphne Curtis
Jennie Gray
Berkeley Hill
Chris Matthews
Tom McHugh
Mary Musselwhite
Jacob Tignor

June 7

Marleen Fleeman
Jennifer Jernigan
Adela Lamas

June 8

Susan Larkin
Paul Micou
Myra Simmons

June 9

Mike Anderson
Reed Boyd
Betty Jones
Katherine Lipscomb
Randy Melton
Ethan Rutledge
Chelsea Slaasted
William Topping

June 10

John Farrell
Ed Garrett, Jr.
Pipper Gregory
Benjamin Johnson
Jeff McHugh
Martha Motley
John J. Phillips

June 11

Billy Hopson
Katelynn Houston
Alison Hurdle
Nicole Perry
Dawn Snow
Mareen Thomas
David Wilson

June 12

Tom Jenkins
Christy Pritchard
Robert Russell, Jr.
Vann Stanfield

June 13

Denny Bernacki
Ben Ferry
Melissa Heyer

June 14

Eric Bittenbender
Mat Bittenbender
Georgi Fisher
Barbara Johnston
Mary Topping
Robbie Wood III

June 15

Andrew Bittenbender
Kyleigh Ferguson
Corinne Lewis
David Maher
Daniel Muller

June 16

Vicki Bowers
Billy Perkinson
Susan Stacks

June 17

Lindsey Brubaker
M.C. Jones
Elna Mey
Beverly Trevillian

June 18

Beverly Buccola
Barry Hawkins
Thomas Lewis
Steven Pendlebury
Ruthie Sarver
Pam Young

June 19

Audrey Comer
Kelsey Deckert
Kimberly Dombrowski
James Longest
Jack McCall
Melanie Scruton
Taylor Shannon

June 20

Ruth Devore
Karen Flores
Scott Herndon
Eliza McVicker
Adrienne Shaner
Adam Tyus

June 21

Avery Anderson
Denis Gilpin
Alex Mason III
Larry Sheppard
Wayne Smith II
Rebekah Thomas
Phil Wallace, Sr.

June 22

Nat Bittenbender
Pam Earley
Joanna Oliver
Bradley Seitz
Jana Stewart
Amy Worman

June 23

Ruth Boyd
Shari Gordon
Mary Halvorsen
Ella Hilton
Guy Marshall
Wil Payne III
Dana Potter

June 24

Richard Anderson
Cass Awalt
Blake Crosby
Stacey Ferrer
Kelly Harmon
Joe Rollins

June 25

Laurie Garnett
Carson Miles
Priya Vasa
Kathi Williams

June 26

Christian Fox
Janice Hobson
Sylvan Martin
Rachel McCoy
Nancy Murdock
Abby Segrest
Paul Shelton
Charlotte Sheppard

June 27

Leslie Epperly
Matt Micou
Brendan Munchel
Mark Swofford

June 28

Sara Deakin
Rachael Gress
Paul Johnson
Caroline Levin
Don Phelps
Marlene Sarver
Jordan Tignor
Jane Turner
Jayna Zwennes
John Zwennes, Jr.

June 29

Allan Buccola
Dave Fournelle
Michael McVicker
Jeff Perry
Joshua Wortham

June 30

Noah Haskins
Tim Heffernan
Katey Houglan
Matthew Hurt
Seth Overstreet
Tamra Spurlock
Emily Squires
Carole Young



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The deadline for submission to the **July/August Chimes is Wednesday, June 16.**

CHESTER UMC ONLINE RESOURCES

Website: www.chesterumc.org

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/ChesterUnitedMethodistChurch/>

Facebook Closed Group: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/ChesterUMC/>

Daily Email News: Visit <http://eepurl.com/bIV9Tv> to subscribe.

YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/c/ChesterUMC>

Prayer Chain Email: Submit your name and email address to cumcsecretary@chesterumc.org with "Prayer Chain" in the subject line to subscribe.

CUMC Library Catalog: <https://16538.rmwebopac.com> (password: CUMC).

Search for titles, peruse our inventory, and much more. POC: Ron Dombrowski (rmachachi@aol.com)

Call the Church Office, 748-6006, for more information.