

Congregational Tidings



*No matter who you are, or where you are on life's journey,
you are welcome here!*

A weekly newsletter



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May 15, 2019

Pictures from Music Sunday...



We will Miss you, Miah!



**Fifth Sunday
of Easter**
May 19, 2019
10:30 am

RECOGNITION SUNDAY

Deacon-In-Charge
Abbey Akin

Acolytes
Dale and Evie Waack

Greeters
Teri Graham
Craig Driver
Jo and Bob Tefft

May Ushers
Craig Jensen
Dave Panicucci
Jeff Thompson
Rocky Petersen

Upcoming Events

Thurs., May 16
6:00 pm - Book Study

Sun., May 19
9:30 am - Sunday School
10:30 am - Worship Service

Mon., May 20
Community Meals (A)

Tues., May 21
7:30 am - Men's Breakfast
at Village Inn



**Scholarship for
Current
College Students**

The Scholarship Committee is excited to announce that FCUCC has been given a tuition grant from the Donna Koweil Scholarship Fund. The intention is for current college students who are members of FCUCC and have successfully completed at least one year of schooling. Deadline to submit an application is May 31, 2019. Please contact Michelle in the office for more information and an application.

Thank you!



**May is Brain
Tumor
Awareness
Month**

The grey ribbon is used to bring awareness to this difficult diagnosis. In support of Sara Bruce and others who have suffered a brain tumor, a basket of grey ribbons has been placed on the small table in the library. Please feel free to take and wear one in support of these individuals.

**Last Sunday
School for the
Season...**

Gathering (9:00 - 9:15am)
Youth and adults meet for singing, praying, and mission news in the chapel

Classes (9:15 - 10:15 am)

CHILDREN

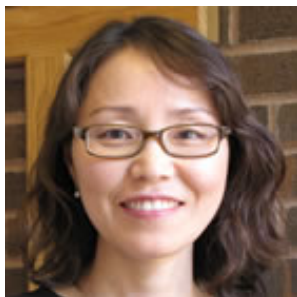
Students 6th grade and up will gather upstairs with Diana Paige and Evie Waack in the Murphy Youth Room

Children ages pre-K - 5th grade meet with Jayne Slaughter in the Sunday School Room.

ADULTS

Adults meet in the chapel.

Women's Book Study meets in the Friendship Room looking at Marcus Borg's *Meeting Jesus Again for the First Time*. We would love to have more ladies join us!



Miah's New Address:

**3502 Whispering Brook Dr. SE #8
Kentwood, MI 49508**

Phone - (586) 707-4417

UPCOMING EVENTS:



EDUCATION SUNDAY

This coming Sunday is Education Sunday. Please join us as we recognize our seniors and Sunday School teachers.



Graduations

Now is the time to let Michelle in the office know if you have someone graduating from high school or college. Include future plans they may have in mind such as colleges they will be attending.

Church Picnic June 2, 2019

The annual church picnic will be held on Sunday, June 2nd. Please save the date! We always enjoy a wonderful day of worship and fellowship!



Vacation Bible School

June 16 - 20, 2019

Zion Lutheran Church

5:00pm to 7:30pm

Ages 3 years to Grade 5

This year's theme is To Mars and Beyond. We are in need of volunteers to help as well so please let Michelle in the office know if you are able to help teach, help with the FCUCC sponsored meal on Wednesday night or simply assist with registration or as guides on those evenings. Registration forms are in the library. Please return them to Michelle in the office.

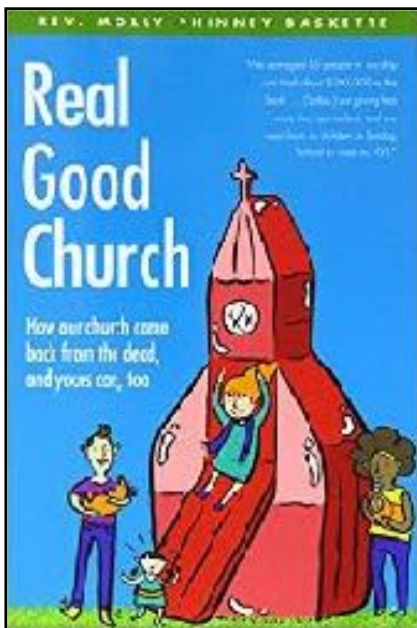
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Create an endowment of love. Please consider including our church in your estate planning.

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DINNER BOOK STUDY

When: Thursday Evenings

Time: 6:00 pm Potluck Dinner with discussion
starting around 6:30 pm

Where: First Congregational Church Chapel

Title: *Real Good Church*

by Rev. Molly Phinney Baskette

* Rev. Baskette is a UCC pastor who writes openly and honestly about the experience of church renewal and gives practical steps for any congregation.