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July 25, 2021  
8:30 am

**Prelude** - Cindy White - "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" arr. Ritter,  
"THANKFULNESS" arr. Tornquist (For the Beauty of the Earth/Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow)

**Prelude** - Joyful Ringers - Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee by Ludwig Van Beethoven, arr. By Patricia Sanders

**Welcome and Greeting** – Pastor Dave York

**Call to Worship** – Kathy McKinley

L: Let praise to God resound in the heavens!

**P: Let praise to God fill the earth!**

L: Let all God's angels offer praise and rejoicing!

**P: Let all God's creatures sing praise and joy!**

L: Open your hearts and spirits today.

**P: Let us praise the Lord today and always! AMEN.**

**Opening Hymn** – Love Divine All Loves Excelling UMH 384

**Joyful Ringers** - Give Thanks by Henry Smith; arr. By Patricia Sanders Cota  
For the Beauty of the Earth by Conrad Kocher; arr. By Patricia Sanders Cota

**Prayer of Illumination** – Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit, that as the Scriptures are read and your Word is proclaimed, we may hear with joy what you say to us today.  
In Jesus name - AMEN

**Scripture Reading:** Revelation 21:1-6 and 22:1-5 – Jonas & Anya Anderson

**Congregational Hymn** - Joy in the Morning TFWS 2284

**Old Testament Reading:** Isaiah 65:17-25 – Pastor Dave York

**Sermon** – New Creation: Eden Restored

**Prayer Time and Lord's Prayer**

**Next Steps**

**Offering, Doxology, Prayer of Dedication**

**Closing Hymn** – Shall We Gather at the River UMH 723

**Benediction**

**Postlude** – Joyful Ringers - Majesty by Jack Hayford,  
arr. By Patricia Sanders Cota





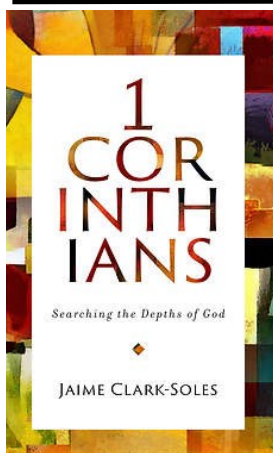
Vacation Bible School starts Monday at 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm, for children PreK- 6th grade. Register at [fumclvks.org/vbs](http://fumclvks.org/vbs).

Our VBS Offering will be for World Vision's Operation Kid to Kid. We will be raising money to buy alpacas for families in Ecuador. An alpaca can live up to 20 years and produce hypoallergenic wool. One alpaca can be purchased for \$50. If you'd like to contribute, you can give at [fumclvks.org/vbs](http://fumclvks.org/vbs).

If you have questions, contact Nancy Shade at [nshade@fumclvks.org](mailto:nshade@fumclvks.org)

## WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

The Women's Bible Study Groups will start in September. We meet either Tuesdays at 10 am or Thursdays at 6:30 pm. This fall we will be doing Psalms from the Epic of Eden series by Sandra Richter. This 8 week study focuses on the Book of Psalms and why it is still important to us today.



You're invited to the New Life Seekers Sunday school class. We are studying "1 Corinthians, Searching the Depths of God" by Jaime Clark-Soules starting today. Many of the issues that Paul addressed in 1 Corinthians are issues we face today. We look forward to lots of different ideas, a variety of view points, and fellowship. We usually have treats!!! Join us upstairs in the Education building, room 203 at 9:45 Sunday morning. For more information, check with Donna Ramsey at 913-727-2275.



Pat Snow  
Victor Cochran

Gene Pepper  
Kristi Edington



All the ladies of the church are invited to go to lunch on August 4 at Metropolitan Steak House. It will be a great time to reconnect and make new friends.



The summer book club is reading "Sensible Shoes" by Sharon Garlough Brown. This book is available digitally or in hard copy and the library. We'll meet Wednesday, August 11, at 1 pm to discuss the book and fellowship.



Itchin to Stitch will meet **July 29**, at 1 pm to work on fleece blankets for the clothes closet at Joy Meadows Foster Community. Visitors are welcome. You do not have to know how to sew to make a fleece blanket.

### Weekly Calendar

#### **Sunday, July 25**

3:00 pm Confirmation Class

#### **Monday, July 26**

NO AIR Ministry

5:30 Vacation Bible School

#### **Tuesday, July 27**

5:30 pm Vacation Bible School

#### **Wednesday, July 28**

5:00pm Grief Share

5:30 pm Vacation Bible School

#### **Thursday, July 29**

8:30am Staff Devotions & Meeting

1 pm Itchin to Stitch

5:30 pm Vacation Bible School

#### **Friday, July 30**

5:30 pm Vacation Bible School