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**Sunday, October 24, 2021
8:30am**

Prelude – Logan Hamilton

Introit - Reflections on Kelvingrove arr. Krug - Wesley Ringers

Welcome and Greeting – Pastor Dave York

Call to Worship (Lamentation 3:22-23; Micah, 7:18; Joel 2:13)

L: Because of God's love, we are not consumed, for his compassions never fail.

P: They are new every morning; great is your faithfulness, O God.

L: Who is a God like you, who pardons sin and forgives the transgressions of the remnant of his inheritance?

P: You do not stay angry forever but delight to show mercy.

L: Rend your hearts and not your garments. Return to the Lord your God

P: for he is gracious and compassionate, slow to anger and abounding in love

Opening Hymn – Come Thou Fountain of Every Blessing UMH 400

Prayer of Illumination – Gracious God, as we turn to your Word for us, may the Spirit of God rest upon us. Help us to be steadfast in our hearing, in our speaking, in our believing and in our living. Amen.

Sanctuary Choir – Grace Alone by Rhodes

New Testament Reading – 1 Timothy 1:12-17

Middle Hymn – As the Deer

Gospel Reading – Luke 7:36-50

Sermon – Why Do We Give Generously to God and Others? Pastor Dave York

Prayers and Lord's Prayer

Next Steps

Offering – All Creatures Of Our God and King arr. Behnke- Wesley Ringers

Doxology

Closing Hymn – Take My Life UMH 399

WE'RE
PRAYING
FOR:



Isaac Ruble	Pat Snow	Cynthia Walley
Rachel Lawhorn	Victor Cochran	Wilvina Aardema
Jim Gebhardt	Gene Pepper	Steve Kempf
Alice Hall	Sam Banker	

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday
WEEKLY
Sneak Peek

Sunday, Oct. 24

4:00 pm Wesley Ringers Rehearsal
6:00 pm REFUGE Youth Group

Monday, Oct. 25

1:00 pm AIR Ministry

Tuesday, Oct. 26

10:00 am Women's Bible Study - Ed. Building
1:00 pm Book Club
6:00 pm Church Conference

Wednesday, Oct. 27

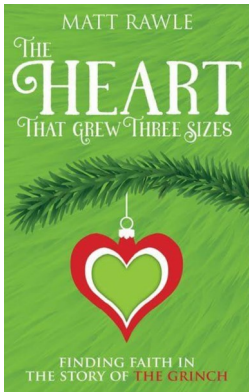
1:00 pm Heart and Soul Bible Study
3:45 pm Wonderful Wednesday - All kids welcome
5:30 pm The Gathering Potluck
6:30 pm Choir Practice

Thursday, Oct. 28

8:30am Staff Meeting
6:30 pm Disciple Bible Study - Wesley Hall
6:30 pm Women's Bible Study - Ed. Building

Saturday, Oct. 30

10:00 am Fall Festival



The Women's Bible Study will start a new study called "The Heart that Grew 3 Sizes." This study explores faith themes in by Dr. Seuss', "How the Grinch Stole Christmas." We'll look at the story along with scripture to find new meaning in our Christmas celebrations. The study starts Nov. 9, at 10 am or Nov. 11, at 6:30 pm.

FALL FESTIVAL 

Saturday, October 30, from 10am-2pm
We will be hosting a Fall Festival Trunk or Treat Event. This is the same time as the downtown event, so we are hoping to have lots of kids. We need volunteers to host a trunk. This involves decorating the trunk of your car and handing out candy. We also need volunteers to help with children's activities. We hope this will be an outdoor event. You can also donate candy if you are not able to volunteer. For more information, see Nancy Shade, nshade@fumclvks.org.



One of the things we have missed during the pandemic is sitting around a table sharing a meal with friends, so we are going to start meeting on Wednesday nights at 5:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Everyone is invited to bring a main dish and side or dessert to share. We will be done in time for choir at 6:30 pm and Christmas choir at 7 pm. For more info, see Sandy, swood@fumclvks.org.



AIR ministry will be packing Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes as one of their service projects. We would appreciate donations to fill the shoe boxes or you can fill a whole one yourself. There are fliers in the foyer with suggestions. All shoe boxes must be at the church by Sunday, Nov. 14. For info, go to samaritanspurse.org.

We will be honoring loved ones we have lost in the last year on November 7. Please submit any names you would like recognized on All Saints Day to the church office or swood@fumclvks.org.



Join us Tuesday, October 26th at 6pm for a special Church Council meeting. We will be discussing the Charge Conference business items.



Trinity House is in need of children's and men's winter clothing and toys in good condition. You can drop off donations at 10th & Marion from 10 am to 1 pm on Tues, Wed, and Thurs. See Marsha Gaffin for more information.