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**Welcome and Opening Prayer – Lord, we thank you for all those who have brought us this far by faith. May our worship inspire more love for you and greater devotion in our community. Holy Spirit, fill us with your presence so we might be one in heart and mind. Amen.**

**VBS Video**

**Greeting**

**Gospel Reading – Luke 12:13-21**

**Worship – How Great is Our God/How Great Thou Art**

**Baptism – Cash Melloh, son of Eric and Dyanna Melloh**

**Children’s Time – VBS songs – Ancient Words**

**Children ages 3 - 12 will go to Kids First Worship in the Fellowship Hall. They will come back at the end of the service.**

**New Testament Reading – Acts 4:32-37**

**Sermon – Everyone Needs a Barnabas**

**Telling My Story – Nancy Shade and Susanna Banker**

**Prayer Time and Lord’s Prayer**

**Next Steps**

**Prayer of Thanksgiving – Holy God, thank you for your goodness and mercy to every generation. We especially thank you for the good news of the resurrection of Jesus Christ. May the generosity of our offerings and our very lives become a witness to all people of the grace you bring into the world. Amen.**

**Closing Song - Build Your Kingdom Here**

**Benediction**



Maurice Wheeler, Doug & Alice Hall, Mary Stephenson, Jennifer Bell, Richard Hansen, June Baker, Doug Wakely, Margary Scheele, Norma McCallister, Esther Polson

Invite your friends to join us after the service today. We'll be celebrating VBS and getting ready to kick-off the new school year. Everything is provided, so come and enjoy!

**First  
Family  
Fellowship**



Prayer is our priority. As summer winds down and we begin to think about going back to school, we want to cover our teachers, administrators, students, and parents in prayer. We will be hosting a Community Day of Prayer for Our Schools starting August 1 at 6 am and going until 6 am August 2. The church will be open the whole 24 hours for our community to come here and pray. At 6 pm August 1, we will have a time of Community Praise and Prayer here at the church.

Students going into 7th through 12th grade are invited to a lock-in on August 9th at 6 pm. RSVP to Kristen at [khowell@fumclvks.org](mailto:khowell@fumclvks.org). Students going into 5th & 6th grade will have a pool party at Wollman Pool, 1300 Shawnee. RSVP to Nancy at [nshade@fumclvks.org](mailto:nshade@fumclvks.org).

*Refuge Youth*



We will return to two services on August 4. Traditional service will be at 8:30 am. Sunday School will be at 9:45 am and the contemporary service will be at 11 am.

Wingtips is a support group for widows. Any woman who has lost their spouse is invited to dinner on August 9 at 5:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Please RSVP to the office at 682-5374.



Community of Hope is hiring a day shelter supervisor and a night shift intake coordinator. They also need volunteers. For information about either, go to [lvcommunityofhope.org](http://lvcommunityofhope.org).

Do you have a prayer request? We'd love to pray for you. There's a form in the pews that can be placed in the basket in the foyer. We pray at 9 am on Tuesday if you'd like to join us.



Trinity House is a food pantry and clothing closet at 2101 10th Ave. They could use children's clothing that is gently used as kids get ready to go back to school. They also accept all types of food donations. Drop off times are Tues-Thurs from 10 am to 1 pm. Call (913)682-7474 for details.

Stronghold is a food pantry for soldiers at Ft. Leavenworth. They're in need of breakfast items such as cereal, granola bars, and Pop-Tarts. We have a plastic tote for donations in the foyer.



Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday  
**WEEKLY**  
*Sneak Peek*

**Tuesday, July 30**

9:00 am Prayer Group

**Wednesday, July 31**

6:30 pm Choir Rehearsal

**Thursday, August 1**

6:00 am 24 Hour Prayer for Our Schools

6:00 pm Praise and Prayer for Our Schools

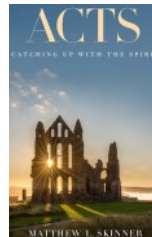
**Saturday, August 3**

9:00 am Samaritan's Buffet - Sister of Charity



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The New Life Seekers Sunday school class will be starting a new 6-week study this Sunday, July 28. We love to have new people join us. We're studying Acts: Catching Up With the Spirit by Matthew L. Skinner. For info email Donna Ramsey at [dcramsey15@outlook.com](mailto:dcramsey15@outlook.com).

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**JAZZ**

BY THE RIVER

**AUGUST 10, 2024**

PIANIST: Rhonda York  
SINGERS: Alayna Parvin & Sandy Wood  
Music by: KC Jazz Academy Students

Silent Auction  
(cash & credit cards accepted)

University of Saint Mary

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