



June 14, 2026  
10:00 am

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**Welcome and Greeting** - Pastor Dave York

**Worship** - Creed

**Greeting**

**Worship** - Take My Life and Let It Be

**Scripture** – Philippians 1:21-27a

**Worship** - Live Like That

**Children's Time** - Sandy Wood

**Old Testament Reading** – Ecclesiastes 1:1-11

**Sermon** – If it is All Meaningless, Why Bother?

**Affirmation of Faith** – based on Ecclesiastes 1:1-11

I believe in God, the Creator and Ruler of all things, who is before all things and holds all things together. I acknowledge that life “under the sun” is often marked by weariness, endless cycles, and futility. I confess that human striving, wisdom, and earthly accomplishments cannot satisfy the deepest longings of the soul, nor can they grant enduring legacy on their own. Yet, I affirm that this earthly reality is not the sum of my existence. Though generations rise and pass away, and the world turns in endless circuits, my life is anchored in the eternal and unchanging nature of God. I declare that my hope rests not in the temporal world, which passes away, but in the One who transcends the sun. I place my trust in Jesus Christ, who offers a new and everlasting life that the world cannot give or take away. In the midst of an ever-spinning world, I choose to walk by faith, finding my peace in the presence and promises of God, trusting that my labor and my life hold eternal significance in His kingdom. Amen

**Prayer Time and Lord's Prayer**

**Next Steps and Offering**

**Prayer of Thanksgiving** – Good and gracious God, we are thankful that in the vastness of all creation, you care for us. Generations come and go, yet you remain faithful. We pray that our gifts and resources will be used during our time and in this place so that your goodness will be experienced by others. We give with grateful and humble hearts. Amen.

**Closing Song** – Turn, Turn, Turn

**Benediction**

== FOR ME ==  
to live is  
**CHRIST**  
to die is  
**GAIN**  
PHILIPPIANS 1:21



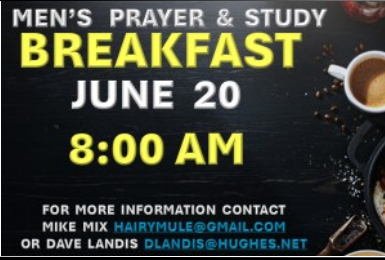
Doug & Alice Hall, Jennifer Bell, Ruth Wepking, Joan Atwell, Norma McCallister, Esther Polson, Doug Harter, Judy Wolfe, Frank & Gini Geib, Richard Hansen, Jimmie Stallings, Dale Roller

Itchin' to Stitch makes beautiful handcrafted items for local charities. They also offer a crochet class at this time. They will meet this Thursday at 1:30 pm. For more info, contact Teresa at [hickt@kc.rr.com](mailto:hickt@kc.rr.com).



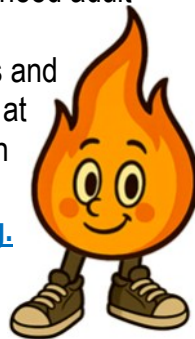
You are invited to lunch on Tuesday, June 16 at noon at First City Soda Café, 427 Delaware. If you need a ride, contact Sandy at 913-682-5374. Everyone is welcome to join us.

Men are invited to a free breakfast on June 20 at 8 am. There will be a short Bible Study. For info, contact Mike at [hairymule@gmail.com](mailto:hairymule@gmail.com) or Dave at [dlandis@hughes.net](mailto:dlandis@hughes.net). It's a great way to make new friends.



## Vacation Bible School is coming! July 20-24, 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Kids, age 3 through 6th grade, are invited to Camp Fire VBS. Invite your friends and neighbors now! We need to borrow artificial Christmas trees, and camping gear. We have an online sign up for supplies at [FUMCLVKS.ORG/Supplies](http://FUMCLVKS.ORG/Supplies). We need adult volunteers to be station leaders, crew leaders and hospitality. Kids and volunteers **please register early** at [FUMCLVKS.ORG/VBS](http://FUMCLVKS.ORG/VBS) or click on the QR code. For info, contact Nancy at [nshade@fumclvks.org](mailto:nshade@fumclvks.org). Please pray for the leaders and the kids coming to VBS.



Heart and Soul will meet June 17 for the Mayberry Bible Study. There is no book to purchase, just join them at 1 pm in Room 101. For more information contact Margaret at [margaretburland@gmail.com](mailto:margaretburland@gmail.com)

**Please pray for the youth this week as they go on Mission in Chicago to work with World Vision & Cradles to Crayons. No youth group tonight.**

*Refuge Youth*



Fifth and sixth grade students will meet June 21 at 11 am for fun activities. For more info, email Nancy at [nshade@fumclvks.org](mailto:nshade@fumclvks.org).

Would you be willing to spend \$5 or \$10 more at the grocery store to help feed families in our community? Stronghold and Trinity are in need of canned fruit, pancake mix, and syrup, but ANY non-perishable item is appreciated.



# WEEKLY Sneak Peek

## Tuesday, June 16

- 12:00 pm Lunch at First City Soda
- 1:00 pm Spouse Grief Share
- 6:30 pm Ecclesiastes Bible Study

## Wednesday, June 17

- 1:00 pm Heart and Soul
- 6:30 pm Choir

## Thursday, June 18

- 12:30 pm Prayer Group
- 1:30 pm Itchin' to Stitch

## Friday, June 19

Church Office Closed for Juneteenth

## Saturday, June 20

- 8:00 am Sweet Exchange
- 8:00 am Men's Prayer Breakfast



## DIGITAL OFFERING

Online giving is available at [fumclvks.org/give](http://fumclvks.org/give) or use the QR code above to go directly to the website. You can use a check or credit card. For help, contact Steven at [sshade@fumclvks.org](mailto:sshade@fumclvks.org).

**Busy Bags** with activities to entertain children are available. Look for the red wagon!



**We love kids!** Kids are dismissed in the service for Kids 1st Worship after the Children's Moment. We have a nursery for kids three and under in the basement. We have "busy bags" to borrow with activities for them in the red wagon in the foyer.