

# *First Press Weekly Update*

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June 30, 2024



## **Prayer List**

**CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY** - The Congregation extends Christian Sympathy to the family of **Carl M. Stothart** (brother of Gray Stothart) upon his death on June 25, 2024, in Temple, GA.

**PRAYER FAMILIES OF THE WEEK** – Ashley Cooper; Bill and Jane Richardson; Scott and Lorrie Cooper; and Tommy and Cheryl Rice.

**MISSIONARIES** – Eliane Menezes, Guatemala.

## **Holiday Schedule**

The church office will be closed **Thursday, July 4** for the Independence Day holiday.

## **Birthdays This Week**

**July 1:** Phoebe Newell

**July 2:** Larry Long, Koleta Tilson, Jeff Quillen, Jane Richardson

**July 3:** Kim Alvis, MaryGail Py

**July 4:** Kevin Heindselman

**July 5:** Troy Aguilar-Smith

**July 6:** Charles Beggerow, Kathy Ruffel

**July 7:** Jane Scott

## **Knuckleheads Men's Bible Study**

The Knuckleheads meet Tuesdays from 12:15-1:15 p.m. in the History Room.

## **Ice Cream Social ~ July 14**

Please come and join us on **Sunday, July 14**, for an Ice Cream Social after the second service in the Fellowship Center. We will serve ice cream and a variety of toppings, so don't miss this special treat!

## **Looking Ahead**

**July 21**

Space for Grace

**August 11**

Sunday School Kickoff & BLT Luncheon

**September 29**

All-Church Picnic

## **Pictorial Directory Update**

It has been almost 6 months since we released the 2024 Pictorial Directory. There have been several changes to addresses and other information in the directory and we have received some new members into the FPC family. If you did not get your picture into the first directory or you would like to update the photo that is currently in the publication, you can submit a digital photo to Vickie at [vgreen@firstpreskiingsport.org](mailto:vgreen@firstpreskiingsport.org) by **June 30, 2024**. If you are unable to get a digital photo and would like to have one taken for the directory, please call Don Thompson at 423-967-1766. The updated version will be available sometime in July in the Members Only section of the website and printed copies can be requested.

## **Clothes Closet Needs**

The Clothes Closet has a need for:

- Men and women's t-shirts
- Shorts
- Athletic socks
- Athletic shoes

## **Waverly Road Food Pantry**

For July, please bring a jar of **peanut butter** for the Waverly Road Pantry. Baskets are located near the Chapel door and in front of the stained glass near the Sanctuary on Sunday mornings. Thanks for your donations!

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