

# MVPC Happenings....



**June Communion Offering:** is for the Food Pantry at the Community Assistance Center. All non-perishable foods and canned goods are needed, especially canned meats (chicken, tuna, etc.), canned fruits and vegetables, canned pastas such as Spaghetti-O's, cereal, jello/pudding mixes, mac and cheese, peanut butter, jelly, rice, instant potatoes, snacks (crackers, cookies), and spaghetti sauce. Please place your donations in the outreach bin near the church office any time during the month of June. Thank you for your generosity!

**Children's Outing at the Dunwoody Nature Center:** June 29 from 10-1pm 5343 Roberts Dr., Dunwoody, GA 30338. Connect with God's creation by taking a hike through the woods and then learning how to paint a nature picture with MVPC artist, Donna Martin! Afterward, stay for a picnic lunch and fun on the playground and rock hopping in the creek. Please RSVP to Carrie Southard at [tkscns@bellsouth.net](mailto:tkscns@bellsouth.net).

**Fellowship of the Carpenter:** Men of Mount Vernon are encouraged to sign up in the narthex for the upcoming men's breakfast at 8:30 a.m. on Sunday, June 30 in the fellowship hall.

**Family Promise:** We are excited to invite you to our next session of Family Promise. As you know, we join together to provide shelter, nourishment, and, fellowship for homeless children and their families. The dates of this next session are July 7, 2019 through July 21, 2019. It will be housed in the MVPC Fellowship Hall. Family Promise SIGN UP IS LIVE! Go to <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a044baea62ca6ff2-july> to sign up.

We had a good evening for our informational evening. Our Director, Andrea spoke about the history of Family Promise and we had several of our existing volunteers speak about different opportunities to become involved. The attendees included several other Coordinators from other congregations in our group and several interested new volunteers. If anyone missed the training but would still like to know how they can be part of the summers volunteer force please contact Moira Speirs or Barbara Bruce.

**The Church Directory for 2019-2020** will be coming out August 25th. If you have any changes to your address, email address, or phone number(s), please email your updates to Jill at [jill@mvpchurch.org](mailto:jill@mvpchurch.org) or indicate the changes in the worship attendance books on Sundays. Deadline is August 19. Thank you!

**Do you feel a need for prayer?** Have our Prayer Vine pray for you! Email your requests to [prayerrequests@mvpchurch.org](mailto:prayerrequests@mvpchurch.org) or call the church office at 404-255-2211.

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**Presbyterian Women:** We really enjoyed our Salad Supper this past Tuesday. The tables looked beautiful and there were so many good salads. Also, congratulations to Anne Baynham for being selected for the Honorary Lifetime Membership award! After the supper we installed the new officers for next year and wished everyone a wonderful summer.

**PW Summer Newsletter** is available in the Narthex or on our website.

**Your Stephen Ministry** celebrates the end of fifty hours of initial training (listening and questioning strategies, information about depression, suicide prevention, loss, and grief, innovative prayer techniques, revisiting scripture, confidentiality, and endless role plays). They celebrated with cake and with a group commitment worship service. Join them for their Commissioning in Worship on July 7. They have committed to ongoing, continuing education and supervision twice a month to provide the best care for congregants. Referrals to the ministry will be accepted after July 7 and can be started by requesting a Stephen Minister through the pastor.

Copies of **The Upper Room** devotionals for July-August and **These Days Daily Devotionals** for July-September are available in the info centers or the church office. Pick one up and one to share with a friend!

**Sunday: June 16**

**11:00 Sunday Activities**

**Childcare:** (Sanctuary Building, Room 120, Infants-K)

**Adult:** *Feasting on the Word* (Chapel-Pat Davis)

**No Children or Youth Activities for the summer**

**Financial Update**

	<b>Week of 6/3-6/9</b>	<b>Year to Date 2019</b>	<b>2019 Budget</b>
Member Giving	\$6,495	\$246,255	\$542,000
Loose Offering	\$97	\$5,621	\$5,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$6,592</b>	<b>\$251,876</b>	<b>\$547,000</b>



If you have any announcements that you would like to appear in the *Happenings*, weekly email, or *Good News* please email them to Terri Clayton, [terri@mvpchurch.org](mailto:terri@mvpchurch.org).