MVPC Happenings....



Please join us for a cookout on the courtyard! June 9 at 11am

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!

The Annual Pentecost Offering will be received on Sunday, June 9. One of four annual offerings of the Presbyterian Church (USA), proceeds of the Pentecost Offering go to programs for children and youth. 40% of MVPC's offering is designated for Stirred Up Ministries, a program for at-risk youth in the East Lake neighborhood of Atlanta. The remaining 60% will go to the General Assembly to support denominational programs for at-risk children and youth and to fund the Young Adult Volunteers (YAV) program which gives recent college graduates the opportunity to spend a year or more working in mission settings around the globe.

Children's Outing at Rise Equestrian: June 8th from 10-1 pm, 1035 Blackwell Road, Marietta, GA 30066. Rising Star Equestrian Foundation is a non-profit organization dedicated to improving lives through equine assisted activities. Join us at the farm with pigs, goats, a mini donkey, and a duck. We will learn how to groom and ride horses. Then we will stay for a picnic lunch. Please RSVP to Carrie Southard at tkscns@bellsouth.net. There are a limited number of spaces available.

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.

Presbyterian Women: The Presbyterian Women's Salad Supper will be on June 11 in Fellowship Hall starting at 6:30pm. All women of the church are invited. Please bring a salad and join us! If you need a ride, please contact Sarah Chalpan at 770-394-8380. Also, if you are unable to bring a salad please join us anyway.

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

Family Promise: This summer the families will be with us for 2 weeks from July 7th to July 20th and this means we have even more opportunities for YOU to be involved! WANT TO KNOW MORE? There will be an informational meeting JUNE 4th in Fellowship Hall at 7.00 pm. Past and present volunteers will be there to answer any questions and tell you all about the program. The signup genius link will be available soon. If you have any questions, please contact Moira at moiralife@gmail.com.

Stephen Ministry is ready for referrals <u>after Commissioning</u>. Your Stephen Ministers, commissioned on July 7, have completed fifty hours of training to help you through difficult times. They want to walk with you so you do not struggle alone.

Sunday: June 2

11:00 Sunday Activities after Congregational Meeting

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

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

Acts 16:16-34 Paul and Silas in Prison

No Children or Youth Activities for the summer

Financial Update

	Week of 5/20-5/26	Year to Date 2019	2019 Budget
Member Giving	\$10,612	\$228,400	\$542,000
Loose Offering	\$131	\$5,208	\$5,000
Total	\$10,743	\$233,608	\$547,000

If you have any <u>announcements</u> that you would like to appear in the *Happenings*, weekly email, or *Good News* please email them to Terri Clayton, terri@mvpchurch.org.