

Announcements July Birthdays

July 1 st	Christine Beers
July 3 rd	Pauline Williams, Colleen McNeill
July 8 th	Bobbie Henry
July 9 th	Anita Kellerby
July 12 th	Konnie Haman
July 13 th	Luke & Max Leach
July 14 th	Fred Burgin
July 15 th	Brenda McNeill
July 16 th	Patty Statton
July 17 th	Delores Miller, Ray Leach
July 18 th	Bill Holder
July 20 th	Dennis Graham, Pat Montgomery
July 21 st	Vieune Revolinski
July 23 rd	Blake Smith
July 24 th	Sandi Yager
July 26 th	Shirley Murphy
July 29 th	Rosalie Christie, Dan Haman, Kennedy Corr
July 30 th	Judy Bates, Mike Fletcher, Bob Yager

CODY CUPBOARD

July Items needed below:

- Corn Beef Hash
- Sugar
- Syrup
- Ramen Noodles
- Canned Refried Beans
- Canned Soup

Christian Education

Fellowship Activity Table

Each Sunday during fellowship there will be an activity table for children and for those who are kids at heart!



THE CORRAL GATE IS CLOSING!

We are coming to the end of the first step in shaping our future together. On Sunday July 7th at 11:59pm, the window of opportunity to join us on this journey will close. You are probably one of many who have already shared their experiences and perspectives. If you have not, this is your last chance. Although our response rate has been great, if we don't have your input, we are still missing an important piece of the puzzle. PLEASE-share your opinions with us using this highly confidential assessment instrument.

If you need a paper copy, they will be available in the parlor after worship to fill out before you leave today so they can be entered before the assessment closes tonight.

After worship today, we will be in the parlor to assist in completing either the online or paper assessment. We will begin at 10:40 am and end about 11:15. Paper copies and pencils will be provided.

If you have any questions, please contact the Congregational Self Study Committee:

- Bret Reed – 307-899-0835
- Cathy Aardema – 307-578-7170
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A very special thanks to everyone who has participated in this process!

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July 7th, 2024
7th Sunday after Pentecost

*Please fill out attendance form
and pass it along your row*

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Responsive Call to Worship

Return, beloved of God, to the fold.

God welcomes you to this hour of prayer.

God calls us by name and awaits our coming.

God summons us out of hiding.

God is like a shepherd, caring for her flocks.

God is like a gardener, carefully tending his vines.

Surely God has provided richly for us.

Our lives are sustained by God's good gifts.

Worship the one who longs for our coming.

Sing praise to the one who expects our faithfulness.

We call on God, who gives us life.

May God's face shine on us to save us.

Opening Hymn "O Beautiful for Spacious Skies" Hymn #564

Unison Prayer of Confession

O God, after all you have done for us, we have failed to bear fruit for you. We have turned away from your Word and have forgotten to call on your name. People who are weak, lonely, and destitute receive little help from our hands because we are preoccupied with our own concerns. Lift us from the shadows of our own deceptions and let your face shine on us so we may walk once more in your truth. Amen.

Silent Prayers of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Friends, believe the good news of the Gospel!
In Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Amen

Gloria Patri

Offertory

Doxology

Prayer of Dedication

Hymn "Lord, You Give the Great Commission" *Hymn #429*

Sacrament of Baptism

Luca Quiroga & Deacon Bruce

Children's Time

Scripture Reading John 21:15-19 Matthew 18:1-9

Sermon "Feed My Lambs"

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

Order of Communion

Closing Hymn "My Country 'Tis of Thee" *Hymn #561*

Benediction and Blessing

Postlude

Ushers: Julie Wilson & Charisse Childress

Music Director: Wendy Corr

Accompanist: Hayden Thomas

Message: Pat Montgomery

John 21:15-19 (NIV)

Jesus Reinstates Peter

¹⁵When they had finished eating, Jesus said to Simon Peter, "Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?"

"Yes, Lord," he said, "you know that I love you."

Jesus said, "Feed my lambs."

¹⁶Again Jesus said, "Simon son of John, do you love me?"

He answered, "Yes, Lord, you know that I love you."

Jesus said, "Take care of my sheep."

¹⁷The third time he said to him, "Simon son of John, do you love me?"

Peter was hurt because Jesus asked him the third time, "Do you love me?" He said, "Lord, you know all things; you know that I love you."

Jesus said, "Feed my sheep."

¹⁸Very truly I tell you, when you were younger you dressed yourself and went where you wanted; but when you are old you will stretch out your hands, and someone else will dress you and lead you where you do not want to go."

¹⁹Jesus said this to indicate the kind of death by which Peter would glorify God. Then he said to him, "Follow me!"



Matthew 18:1-9 (NIV)

The Greatest in the Kingdom of Heaven

¹At that time the disciples came to Jesus and asked, "Who, then, is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven?"

²He called a little child to him, and placed the child among them.

³And he said: "Truly I tell you, unless you change and become like little children, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven.

⁴Therefore, whoever takes the lowly position of this child is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven.

⁵And whoever welcomes one such child in my name welcomes me.

Causing to Stumble

⁶"If anyone causes one of these little ones—those who believe in me—to stumble, it would be better for them to have a large millstone hung around their neck and to be drowned in the depths of the sea.

⁷Woe to the world because of the things that cause people to stumble! Such things must come, but woe to the person through whom they come!

⁸If your hand or your foot causes you to stumble, cut it off and throw it away. It is better for you to enter life maimed or crippled than to have two hands or two feet and be thrown into eternal fire.

⁹And if your eye causes you to stumble, gouge it out and throw it away. It is better for you to enter life with one eye than to have two eyes and be thrown into the fire of hell.

Sacrament of Baptism

Luca Sergio Quiroga

Child of Steven Alexander Quiroga

& Savannah Jeanette Keyes

Deacon Dwight Bruce

Child of John Matthew Bruce Jr. &

Tiffany Vernice Keyes