

First Pres News Flash

May 9, 2019



TOWER TIDINGS – June/July issue will be combined. All articles are due to the office by May 20th.

RUMMAGE SALE - is Friday, May 10th from 9:00 AM to 6:00 PM. Set up is on Wednesday the 8th with pricing on the 9th. Sign-up sheets are now posted on the board in the Gathering Area – please consider participating in this Women’s Fellowship event to raise funds to support church youth programming and scholarships, community outreach, missions, and building improvements.

BAKE SALE - We will be holding a bake sale on Friday, May 10th for donations towards a mission trip next year. All items must be prepacked in baggies and dropped off to the church by Thursday, May 9th. We will set up a table and place items on the table for a donation. We need volunteers on the 10th to sit at the table. Do not price your items. Please consider baking a few yummy items to help this special mission! Our youth and families appreciate it!

GENTLE YOGA: Friday, May 10, 2019 - 9:15am - Class to be held upstairs in the Bible Town room. The cost of the class is \$10.00. Suzanné (Sangita) Chapman, RYT, CBYT, APP Suzanné has been involved in the Alternative Healing field since 1990. She is a Certified Personal Trainer and received her diploma in Polarity Therapy from the Columbus Institute of Polarity in 2003. She has practiced and taught Yoga for over 17 years. She is a Registered Yoga Teacher, licensed since 2006 by the Yoga Alliance. She is also a Certified Brahmishi Yoga Teacher, receiving her certification in Kent, Ohio in this lineage in 2007. She owned the Center for Body Mind Harmony/ One Spirit Yoga in Tallmadge, Ohio for over six years. Her style of teaching incorporates her extensive background in the Eastern Arts. Suzanné’s style of yoga is for all ages and all levels of yoga experience. She incorporates a therapeutic Hatha style of yoga with added benefits of Polarity therapy, and aspects of Chinese martial arts, to provide a holistic benefit to her classes. Suzanné’s teachings of yoga focus on unifying the breath and the movement of the body. Her classes focus on allowing all students to receive the benefits of the practice. She modifies the poses with the use of props and providing alternative options. Her knowledge in breathing techniques, stretching, nutrition and meditation are the foundation of her personal life. In her own words: “Yoga is a guidance system that can assist anyone in the pathway of life. If you can breathe, you can experience the benefits of a yoga practice.”

CATHOLIC CHARITIES: The Resilient Family Project is serving families in Ashland, Holmes and Wayne Counties through Parent Café Experiences and Triple P Discussion Groups. Open to all caregivers of children ages three to eighteen. Four Fridays in May **beginning May 3rd** at 1:00 p.m. in Classroom 3 and Youth Center at FPC. For more information contact Barbara Kudravi, Program Coordinator at bxkudravi@ccdoleorg.

SUNDAY SCHOOL – May 12, 2019: Godly Play: The Good Shepherd and The Lord’s Supper; **Bible Town:** Love in a Big World-Alleluia!; **Jr. High:** Presbyterian History; **Sr. High:** Assembling dental kits for camo. **Adult Ed Class in the Parlor** will continue their four-week series. Master Teacher and theologian Walter Brueggemann will be featured on a video each week, and David Rice, a former pupil of Brueggemann, will lead the discussion. **Adult Ed Class in Classroom 1** continues their study on our faith journey and how we get there.

The Wayne County Choral Union will present its spring concert, "Livin' the Dream!" on Sunday, May 19th, at 3:00 P.M. in the Gault Recital Hall, Scheide Music Center, The College of Wooster. The music ranges from "Beautiful Dreamer" to "A Million Dreams" from "The Greatest Showman". WoW (Women of Wayne), who are members of the Wayne County Choral Union, will make its first concert appearance. Members of First Presbyterian Church who sing in the Choral Union are Don Beane, Sue Froelich, Roy Haynes and Pat Miles.

Jacob Gooch and his parents invite all church members to his graduation celebration on Saturday, June 8th between 11am-1pm in Bruch Hall. Jacob, Mark and Cheryl have truly appreciated all that The First Presbyterian Family, has done to help him develop into the young person he is. Jacob will be going to Otterbein University in the fall to study technical theater, hoping to become a light designer. Jacob hopes that everyone will stop in for a bite of lunch to celebrate with him, and so he can thank you for all you've done for him.

Chris Chavez needs a room/house to rent or house sit for a few months of summer. He is going to be teaching at Akron University/Orrville. He has been part of Tuesday morning Bible Study at FPC. If you might have something, call Linda Bush at 330-464-3769 for more information.

2019 PHOC MAPLE SYRUP - The Pleasant Hill Outdoor Camp maple syrup program to support the youth programs was very successful again this year with good weather and great volunteers! Quality is excellent and we will have plenty of pints, quarts, half-gallons, and gallons for sale in the welcome center between and after services this Sunday.

The tending of the First Presbyterian gardens has now begun. There is one garden that needs a new caretaker. It's the one on the former Mocha House property (now Encompass/Encourage). If interested, please contact Roy Haynes at haynes@wooster.edu or at 330-264-8484.

PEOPLE TO PEOPLE MINISTRY DONATION FOR MAY IS: cereals, ready to serve soup, toothpaste and deodorant. Please place your donation in the boat outside the church office. Our contributions can and will make a difference! Thank you for your support!

Central Christian School is now accepting registrations for summer athletic and fine arts camps! This is an excellent opportunity for athletes and musicians to build on fundamental skills, meet new friends, and have fun trying something new! These camps are open to students from all area school districts. Please visit <http://www.ccscomets.org/news/summer-camps-2019> or call **330.857.7311** for more information.

LIFE LINE SCREENING will be at FPC on Saturday, June 15, 2019 for preventive screening. Pre-registration is required. See the flyers on the counter in the Gathering Area for more details.

CALENDAR

Thursday, May 9		Rummage Sale Prep
	6:30 p.m.	WACPAC
	7:00 p.m.	Choir Practice
Friday, May 10	9:00 a.m.	Rummage Sale
	9:15 a.m.	Gentle Yoga
	12:00 p.m.	Friday Fellowship - Parlor
	1:00 p.m.	Catholic Charities – Youth Center and Classroom 3

Saturday, May 11	9:00 a.m.	Al-Anon
	8:30 a.m.	Confirmation Retreat
	6:00 p.m.	AA
	6:30 p.m.	WACPAC (upstairs)
Sunday, May 12	8:30 a.m.	Worship/Chapel
	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:45 a.m.	Worship/Sanctuary
	6:00 p.m.	Narcotics Anon. (NA)
Monday, May 13	12:00 p.m.	Rotary
	1:00 p.m.	Pastoral Meeting
	1:30 p.m.	Admin. Staff Meeting
	6:30 p.m.	WACPAC (Upstairs)
	7:00 p.m.	Good Book Club
Tuesday, May 14	8:30 a.m.	Bible Study
	10:00 a.m.	Library Committee Meeting
	12:00 p.m.	Kiwanis
	4:00 p.m.	Social Justice
	6:00 p.m.	People to People Dinner
	6:00 p.m.	Wee Care Staff
	7:00 p.m.	Boy Scouts
Wednesday, May 15	5:15 p.m.	Personnel
	7:00 p.m.	Faith & Structure
Thursday, May 16	6:30 p.m.	WACPAC