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The flowers on the altar in the traditional service today are given to the glory of God and in honor of all the fathers on this Father's Day and in celebration of my birthday today by Megan Quattlebaum.

INFORMATIONAL MEETING WITH DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT, REV. FRAN ELROD

Save the date! June 21 @ 7:15pm in Wesley Hall. Rev. Fran Elrod will meet with us about the Faithful Way Forward process as it related to the Annual Conference that was held June 4-8. Child care will be available.



LUMC IS GOING TO THE BALLPARK!

Join us for another churchwide outing to Segra Park to watch the Fireflies play: Sunday, June 25th, first pitch at 5:05pm. Scan the QR attached or [click here](#) to purchase your tickets. Meet us there or take the bus! Contact Susan Mitton to ride the church bus to the game: swmitton@gmail.com Deadline to buy tickets is midnight on **Friday, June 23rd.**

JULY WORSHIP SERVICES

July 2: 8:30am traditional worship service
11:00am combined worship service in the sanctuary-Holy Communion. No ANew service.
July 9: 8:30am traditional worship service
11:00am ANew contemporary service-Heather Connor preaches!
11:00am traditional worship service-sanctuary
July 16: Only 1- 10:00am service-Wesley Hall No Sunday School. No 8:30am service, No 11:00am service in the sanctuary.
July 23: 8:30am traditional worship service
11:00am combined worship service in the sanctuary. No ANew service.
July 30: 8:30am traditional worship service
11:00am contemporary service-Heather Connor preaches!
11:00am traditional worship service-sanctuary

A PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN FATHERS

Heavenly Father,
You entrusted your son Jesus, the child of Mary, to the care of Joseph, an earthly father.

Bless all fathers as they care for their families. Give them strength and wisdom, tenderness and patience.

Support them in the work they have to do protecting those who look to them, as we look to you for love and salvation, through Jesus Christ our rock and defender.

-Unknown

G.A.L.S.-GOD'S AMAZING LOVE SUSTAINS SUPPORT GROUP

G.A.L.S. will meet on Tuesday, June 20 at 11:30am at Grecian Gardens. Contact Linda Gladden to make your reservation-803-359-6263.

ALPACA SHOEBOX

For the month of **June**, please consider donating the following: drawstring backpacks, small purses/bags, flashlights and extra batteries, caps/hats/visors. The collection cart is in the main hallway (look for the cute Alpacas!) Let's make 2023 another great year for Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes--as we share the Love of Christ with children around the world!!

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE MONDAY, JULY 10 2-7PM ASBURY HALL

The next Red Cross Blood Drive will be on Monday, July 10 from 2-7pm in Asbury Hall. Donors can sign up online at www.redcrossblood.org with Sponsor Code "lexingtonumc," or directly at this link: <https://www.redcrossblood.org/give.html/drive-results?zipSponsor=lexingtonumc>. Please give blood!

FAREWELL PASTOR LAURIE

Let's join together to celebrate Pastor Laurie, and wish her well on her final Sunday at LUMC. On Sunday, June 25, we will gather for a special fellowship coffee time in the Connector, immediately following the 8:30 worship service. We sincerely thank Pastor Laurie for all that she has shared with us during her time at LUMC!!

TUESDAY EVENING SERVICE

Join us June 20 at 6:30pm in the sanctuary for a traditional worship service! Associate Pastor, Rev. Laurie Brandes will preach and lead the service. You are invited to attend especially if you missed Sunday worship! Dress is casual.

CHILDREN'S CORNER

-Please sign up [here](#) to help teach Children's Sunday school. All June dates (18th, and 25th) are still needing teachers.

-Acolytes are needed! Please [Sign up here](#). Is your child interested in acolyting? Let Heather know so we can get them trained: Heather@lexumcsc.com

-Is your child a rising 2nd grader? If so an important milestone in their church life is coming in August! They will receive their very own Bible with their name on it. Please email your child's name as you would like it to appear on their Bible to heather@lexumcsc.com by July 1st.

-Summer Camps sign-ups are open with spots left for our **Creation Care Camp: Mind, Body, Spirit, GO! (rising 4th to 6th graders)(no more t-shirts available)** and our July drop-off event: **Water, Water, Everywhere! (3k-5th grade)** If you'd like to volunteer, please let me know: heather@lexumcsc.com, 4 volunteers needed.