



**YOUTH NEWS**

The Youth are making plans for this summer's **Tennessee Synodic Mission Trip to Chicago, July 5 – 11**. The cost for each participant will be \$285. The youth will be participating in various fund-raisers to pay for the trip. See Micah Watson for more information.

**SUMMER CAMP DATES-MARK YOUR CALENDERS**

**Tennessee Synodic Senior High Camp, June 1-6**  
Students who have completed grades 9 – 12  
**\$165 due with registration by May 19**

**Junior High Camp, June 8-13**  
Students entering 7th, 8th and 9th grades  
**\$170 until May 31, \$185 after May 31**

**Junior Camp, June 22-27**  
Students entering 4th, 5th and 6th grades  
**\$170 until May 31, \$185 after May 31**

For more information and registration forms, see Micah Watson. Anyone who has ever attended church camp will tell you it is a great faith-building experience. If you would like to help students from Jenkins attend one of this year's church camps by providing a scholarship, please contact a member of either the Finance or Christian Education committee.

**BRICK PAVER ORDER FORM**

We need everyone to please place your orders during the month of May so we can move forward with the construction of the Prayer Garden. Donations of \$50.00 per paver will assist in the construction and beatification of the prayer garden and surrounding area. Thank You for your help in making this project a success!

Name (of the person placing the order): \_\_\_\_\_  
Contact Phone # (of person placing the order): \_\_\_\_\_

- You can have 3 lines of text on each paver
- Each line can have up to 18 characters per line
- Characters include spaces and punctuation

Information to be printed on brick paver:

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<sup>24</sup> Once the crowd realized that neither Jesus nor his disciples were there, they got into the boats and went to Capernaum in search of Jesus.

**Jesus the Bread of Life**

<sup>25</sup> When they found him on the other side of the lake, they asked him, "Rabbi, when did you get here?"<sup>26</sup> Jesus answered, "Very truly I tell you, you are looking for me, not because you saw the signs I performed but because you ate the loaves and had your fill. <sup>27</sup> Do not work for food that spoils, but for food that endures to eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you. For on him God the Father has placed his seal of approval."<sup>28</sup> Then they asked him, "What must we do to do the works God requires?"

<sup>29</sup> Jesus answered, "The work of God is this: to believe in the one he has sent."

<sup>30</sup> So they asked him, "What sign then will you give that we may see it and believe you? What will you do?"<sup>31</sup> Our ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness; as it is written: 'He gave them bread from heaven to eat.'<sup>32</sup> Jesus said to them, "Very truly I tell you, it is not Moses who has given you the bread from heaven, but it is my Father who gives you the true bread from heaven. <sup>33</sup> For the bread of God is the bread that comes down from heaven and gives life to the world."<sup>34</sup> "Sir," they said, "always give us this bread."<sup>35</sup> Then Jesus declared, "I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never go hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty. <sup>36</sup> But as I told you, you have seen me and still you do not believe. <sup>37</sup> All those the Father gives me will come to me, and whoever comes to me I will never drive away. <sup>38</sup> For I have come down from heaven not to do my will but to do the will of him who sent me. <sup>39</sup> And this is the will of him who sent me, that I shall lose none of all those he has given me, but raise them up at the last day. <sup>40</sup> For my Father's will is that everyone who looks to the Son and believes in him shall have eternal life, and I will raise them up at the last day."<sup>41</sup> At this the Jews there began to grumble about him because he said, "I am the bread that came down from heaven."<sup>42</sup> They said, "Is this not Jesus, the son of Joseph, whose father and mother we know? How can he now say, 'I came down from heaven'?"<sup>43</sup> "Stop grumbling among yourselves," Jesus answered. <sup>44</sup> "No one can come to me unless the Father who sent me draws them, and I will raise them up at the last day."



**Jenkins Weekly Events June 1<sup>st</sup> - June 7<sup>th</sup>**

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| <b><u>TODAY</u></b>       | 9:00am: Sunday School<br>10:15am: Holy Communion Morning Worship Service<br>6:30pm: Youth Meet        |
| <b><u>MONDAY</u></b>      | 5:15pm: Women's Fitness Class   |
| <b><u>TUESDAY</u></b>     | 9:00am: MDO<br>4:00pm: Music City Twirlers<br>6:00pm: Prayer Meeting<br>6:30pm: Choir Practice        |
| <b><u>WEDNESDAY</u></b>   | 1:00pm: Quilting Group<br>6:00pm: Youth Meet<br>7:35pm: Bible Study<br>8:00pm: Band Practice          |
| <b><u>THURSDAY</u></b>    | 7:30am: Men at Prayer<br>9:00am: MDO<br>5:15pm: Women's Fitness Class<br>6:15pm: Weight Watchers Meet |
| <b><u>FRIDAY</u></b>      | 4:30pm: Music City Twirlers   |
| <b><u>SATURDAY</u></b>    | 5:30pm: Talent/Un-Talent Show & Silent Auction  |
| <b><u>NEXT SUNDAY</u></b> | 9:00am: Sunday School<br>10:15am: Morning Worship Service   |



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**TALENT/UN-TALENT SHOW, DINNER & SILENT AUCTION IS ALMOST HERE!**

*Don't miss the fun: **THIS Saturday***-doors open at 5:30 p.m. Bring your camera, and strike a pose with T-RAC, bid on great silent auction items, and register for door prizes! Dinner is at 6:00 with the show, and door prizes following. **Get your seats/table TODAY--See Sonya Haywood to pay, and reserve your seating.** All proceeds go to Outreach programs for those in need. Can't make the show, but want to help? **Make your check out to JENKINS OUTREACH, and put in the offering plate.**  
Thanks for your kind support!

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR OUR FIRST FATHER & SON BANQUET**

This Banquet will be for all the Men of our Church as a celebration in honor of our Fathers. The Celebration will be on **June 14<sup>th</sup> starting at 6:30pm**, so mark your calendars now for this special event. We are asking the women of our church to help in the kitchen and to serve the men. Men, please sign up if you plan on attending so we can have a head count on who coming. Thank You.

**THE LUNCH BUNCH-TUESDAY, JUNE 17th**

We are planning to go to Miller's Grocery – A Country Café -at 7011 Main St. in Christiana, TN. In order to arrive before noon, we will meet at church around 10:45 and leave by 11:00 am. Miller's is said to be an antique-filled country cafe featuring home-style Southern cooking and award winning "from scratch" desserts and a tribute to a by-gone era.

**HARP CONCERT ON JUNE 25, 2014 AT 7:00 P.M.**

Sveta Yatsky, former Minister of Music at Jenkins Church, will present a concert featuring pieces on the harp on Wednesday evening, June 25 at 7 p.m. Sveta's music is beautiful, inspiring and worshipful. Be sure to join us and invite your friends to this special event. Dinner will be available at 6:00 p.m. in the gym.



**HAPPY JUNE BIRTHDAY THIS WEEK TO:**

Joy Wilker & Kerry Mattox Sr. on the 1st;  
Jonathan Day on the 2<sup>nd</sup>; Chris Eckert on the 4th;  
Jackie Fuqua, J.T. Strasser & Don Vincent on the 5th

**HAPPY JUNE ANNIVERSARY THIS WEEK TO:**

Chris & Debra Eckert on the 4th

**DUTY ELDER FOR THE WEEK**

Duty Elder for this week: Jerry Bowers  
Duty Elder for next week: Allan Stout

**SUNDAY NURSERY**

Nursery worker for this Sunday: Teresa Shuler  
Nursery worker for next week: Debra Eckert

**CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR GRADUATES!**

**Travis Eckert**, son of Chris and Debra, received his Bachelor of Science degree in English/Deaf Education from the University of Tennessee Knoxville.

**David Seeman**, son of Jeffrey and Cindy, received his Bachelor of Science degree in Engineering from the University of Tennessee Knoxville.

**Ann Bomar**, daughter of Gary and Julie, received her Bachelor of Fine Arts degree in Graphic Design from the Savannah College of Art and Design.

We praise God for these students' accomplishments, and pray for God's blessings on their future endeavors.

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June 2014

## Camping at Crystal Springs

The arrival of the month of June signifies the beginning of church camp season, and what better place to have a wonderful camp experience than Crystal Springs. It brings back so many memories for me and all of them good. O, I got in trouble a time or two down through the years, but slamming the outside window shutters on the girls' cabins in the middle of the night seemed like such a good idea at the time. We had corn on the cob for lunch the next day and the camp director made sure I personally shucked enough corn for the entire camp. I had a little help from my partners in crime.

I have been attending Crystal Springs church camp as a camper since 4th grade. I attended other camps prior to my 4th grade year, but only because mom was a counselor and she brought me along for the ride. I have worked in dozens of camps since college days, and most of those were at Crystal Springs.

Church camp at Crystal Springs has played a huge role in my spiritual development and I believe I can speak for all three of our children to the same effect. There is something special that happens during the camp experience. A community develops as the week unfolds, partly because of the distractions of outside life that have been removed, but mostly it is the relationships, the movement of the Spirit, and the prayers of so many people that make the camp experience unique.

I grew up in a small church that could not afford to have a youth pastor. I was one of three youth in my age group, the other two being girls with boyfriends who did not attend our church. They were so involved in relationships I could never talk them into going to church camp with me. So most of the time I was on my own.

Church camp was where I experienced Christian community for what felt like was the first time. I believe church camp is where I first realized I could be a Christian and have fun being a part of something so real. The only complaint I ever had about church camp was that it always came to an end too soon. My only frustration with camp was that I could never keep those fires of excitement and spiritual fervor burning at the same level once I returned home.

Years later, when God began to deal with me about my call to the ministry I began to see how many lessons God had taught me through all those years of camp. I cannot say enough good things about the value of sending your children to church camp. I know many young people, both male and female, who came to faith in Christ, or experienced the call to the ministry at church camp. I also have seen God's call realized by adult staff through years of service.

The board of Christian Education for Columbia Presbytery is always looking for people who are willing to give a week of their summer to work with our children and youth at church camp. I hope you never get the idea you are too old to give your time at church camp. It is a sacrifice, but you will receive a blessing you will never forget, and you may just experience a call from God.

Some of you may never be able to attend church camp but you can help others attend by providing financial scholarships for those who would not be able to attend camp any other way. You can find out how to help by speaking with someone from our Christian Ed. committee. May God keep each one safe this summer and bless our campers!

Jonathan

## Talent/Un-Talent Show, Dinner, & Silent Auction

**Saturday, June 7, 5:30 p.m.**

Got your seat yet? Seats are pre-paid and reserved. Don't miss this night of fun with proceeds going to Outreach programs for kids, and families in need. Seats are \$10 for adults, \$5 children 12 years and under. Come meet **Tennessee Titans mascot T-Rac**, enjoy a good meal, cheer for people in the show, and bid on great auction items! Maybe you'll win one of our door, or cash prizes. Donated auction items can be dropped off in the church gym- be sure to label them. Want to help, but can't attend? Make your check out to: **JENKINS OUTREACH** and bring it by the church, or mail it. Call Sonya Haywood at 371-3202 if you want a seat, or need more information. Thanks!

## Father & Son Banquet

**Saturday, June 14, 6:30 p.m.**

This banquet will be for all the men of our church as a celebration in honor of our fathers. We are asking the women of our church to help in the kitchen and to serve the men. Men, please sign up or let the church office know if you plan to attend so we can have a head count. Sign-up sheets can be found in the narthex or church office.

## Harp Concert

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## Friend Day and Fifth Sunday

**June 29**

Be sure to invite your family and friends to join us at Jenkins for our Fifth Sunday Celebration. This is a great way to introduce someone to our congregation. Start with a joint Sunday School activity at 9:00, then worship at 10:15, followed by a fellowship meal. The kitchen committee will provide bread and drinks; church members are asked to bring some of their delicious main dishes, sides, and/or desserts to be served potluck.

## Congratulations

We rejoice with Brenda Levin on the birth of her second grandson, Warren "Rhett" Jackson born April 8, weighing 7 lbs 11 oz and 21" long. Congratulations to parents Heather & Eddie Jackson and big brother Tripp. Our best wishes for God's continued blessings.

## Congratulations to our graduates!

- Travis Eckert, son of Chris and Debra, received his Bachelor of Science degree in English/Deaf Education from the University of Tennessee Knoxville.
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### HARP CONCERT

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FATHER & SON BANQUET  
Saturday, June 14, 6:30 p.m.

SESSION MEETING  
June 8, 6:00 p.m.

LUNCH BUNCH  
Tuesday, June 17  
Leaving Jenkins at 11 a.m.  
Miller's Grocery

MEN'S BREAKFAST  
Saturday, June 21, 7:00 a.m.

LADIES' NIGHT OUT  
Saturday, June 21, 6 p.m.  
Location TBA

### JUNE BIRTHDAYS:

- 06/01 Joy Wilker  
Kerry Mattox Sr.
- 06/02 Jonathan Day
- 06/04 Chris Eckert
- 06/05 Jackie Fuqua  
J.T. Strasser  
Don Vincent
- 06/10 Jonathan Watson
- 06/11 Katherine Wilker  
Elizabeth Wilker  
Lauren Wilker
- 06/12 Julie Bomar
- 06/14 Karen Miles
- 06/20 Jessica Haywood Bailey  
Debra Eckert
- 05/21 Tyler Hardy
- 06/24 Jeanni Watson
- 06/27 Bobbye Vaughan
- 06/28 Teresa Justis
- 06/29 Ryan Day
- 06/30 Debbie Day

### JUNE ANNIVERSARIES:

- 06/04 Chris & Debra Eckert
- 06/14 Bill & Mary Beth Roland
- 06/22 Eric & Kate Oaks
- 06/25 Pete & Teresa Francescon
- 06/29 Hank & Peggy Shelton

## **Sunday School Promotion and Graduation Recognition**

We will promote Sunday School students and recognize our Spring 2014 graduates during the worship service on Sunday, June 1.

### **Kroger Fundraiser for Youth Group**

The youth group has already raised \$272 through the Kroger gift card fundraiser! Be sure to load your gift card each time you shop for groceries or gas at Kroger, and the youth will receive a percentage of your purchase amount. If you don't have a Kroger gift card, or have any questions, see Micah Watson.

## **Summer Church Camps**

- Junior High Camp, June 8-13  
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## **Wilderness Escape VBS**

**Monday, July 21 - Friday, July 25**

9 a.m. – 12 noon

Ages 3 – 5th grade

It's just around the corner! Look for volunteer sign-up sheets, wish-lists, and registration forms beginning June 8. If you would like to help in any way, contact Julie Bomar or Debbie Day.

## **The Lunch Bunch**

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## **Men's Breakfast**

**Saturday, June 21**

Men of the church and community are invited to join us for fellowship and food on Saturday, June 21, at 7:00 a.m. There will be a work day following breakfast.

## **Sunday School Spotlight Genesis Class**

This is the first in a series of articles highlighting our Sunday School classes. Jenkins' newest Sunday School class is featured for the month of June. David Day, assisted by Debbie Day, leads this class which meets in the youth room upstairs above the church offices. The Genesis class welcomes all ages from middle school through retirement. They have just begun a new study, "Just Walk Across the Room: Four Sessions on Simple Steps Pointing People to Faith." If you are interested in this or any other class at Jenkins, feel free to contact any teacher, Christian Education committee member, or Pastor Jonathan.

## **Giving Challenge**

The challenge from a member of the congregation to match any funds received above our monthly budget for the month of May has been met. We received \$3,047.20 over the \$17,002.40 needed. (\$4,250.60 per week x 4 weeks in May.) Congratulations Jenkins Congregation! Thank you to all for your generous giving.

## **Thank You**

Dear Jenkins CP family & friends,  
Thank you for the cards and condolences given to me following my brother Dale Wachter's passing in April. Even though he had suffered for so long with his illness and is now in his healed body, the separation was, and still is, difficult. Thank you for all the years of prayer and concern for Dale and our family. Please continue to pray for his wife, Jody.

In Christ,  
Melanie Staudt

## **Highlights from Columbia Presbytery Meeting**

Jonathan Watson was Vice Moderator of Columbia Presbytery Meeting on April 27<sup>th</sup>. Jerry Bowers will serve as Alternate Elder Delegate to 2014 General Assembly in Chattanooga, June 16-20 if Elder Commissioner cannot attend. The Commission to ordain Licentiate Paul Tucker to the gospel ministry on August 17, 2014 at 3:00 pm at Jenkins was elected as follows – Ministers: Rev. Larry Guin, Rev. Steve Nave and Rev. Bill Rolman – Elders: George Ladd, Jerry Bowers and John Koelz.

## **Jenkins Sleigh Bells Bazaar**

**Saturday, November 1, 8 – 4 p.m**

We are now accepting applications from vendors for our annual bazaar. For an application or more information, contact Sherry Windrow, 776-2081.

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**Join Us at Jenkins Church for Worship and Bible Study**

Sunday: Sunday school 9:00 a.m. - Worship service 10:15 a.m. - Youth group 6:30 p.m.  
Communion 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of each month  
Wednesday: Youth 6:00 p.m. - Adult Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

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**Your Session Members**

Class of 2014: Sheila Geary, Allan Stout, Kathy Duncan  
Class of 2015: Gary Bomar, Jerry Bowers, Kerry Mattox  
Class of 2016: Steve Allemore, Debra Eckert, Harold Shafer

|                      | <b>Attendance and Offerings</b> |         |         |         |
|----------------------|---------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|
|                      | 5/04                            | 5/11    | 5/18    | 5/25    |
| <b>Sunday School</b> | 25                              | 36      | 33      | 19      |
| <b>Worship</b>       | 85                              | 104     | 84      | 70      |
| <b>Offering</b>      | 3390.20                         | 6388.00 | 5047.00 | 5224.40 |