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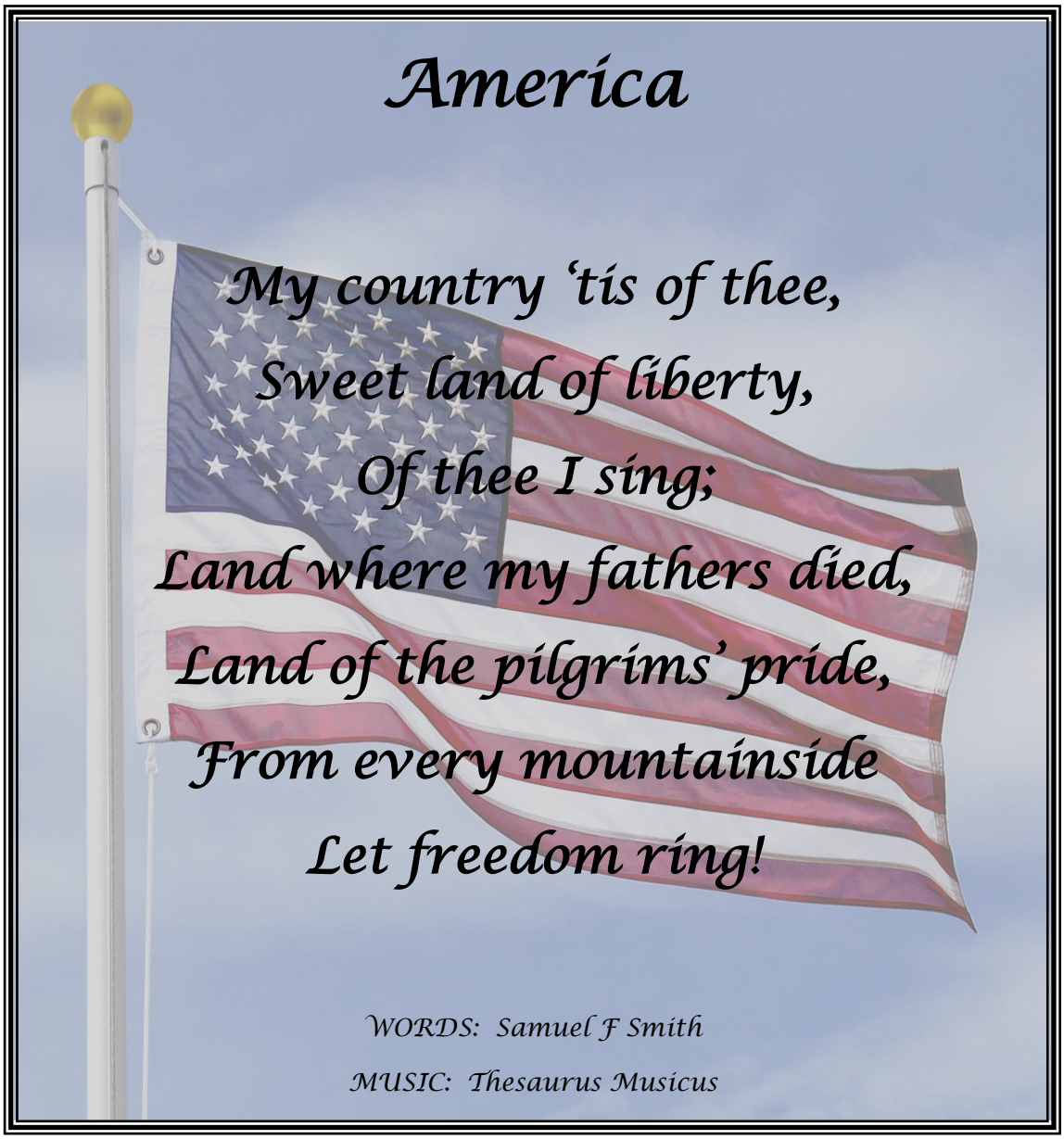
July 2022



America

My country 'tis of thee,
Sweet land of liberty,
Of thee I sing;
Land where my fathers died,
Land of the pilgrims' pride,
From every mountainside
Let freedom ring!

WORDS: Samuel F Smith

MUSIC: Thesaurus Musicus

Financial Snapshot

General Fund Total Income - **May:**	$ 35,609.39
All sources, including Online Giving	
General Fund Online Giving:	$ 5,599.17
General Fund **May** Expenses:	$ 31,630.27
[Paid 100% of May's apportionments]	
Received from the Child Care Center*	$ 2,151.19
Capital Campaign Funds [Building Fund] received in **May:**	$ 6,610.00
Monthly Mortgage Payment:	$ 6,852.57
Building Fund Balance [pays the mortgage payment] as of **5/31/2022**	$ 40,873.83
Noisy Collection:	$ 304.50
Food Pantry Collection (Mission/Outreach Team matched this amount)	$ 1,525.17
Amazon Smile Donations Received to date : [in May $66.23]	$ 687.26
iGive Donation—Our first one for the year: **Our first one**	$ 6.18
Avg. Weekly Attendance in **May** [this includes Live Streaming through Facebook and YouTube]	257

* Child Care Reimbursement included in above figure towards the cost of utilities, copier lease, trash, security monitoring, etc.

Please remember that if you shop using either **smile.amazon.com** or **iGive.com**,
a percentage of your purchase benefits New Leaf UMC.
[The easiest way to donate through iGive is to download the iGive button into your browser]

American Red Cross

Thank you for coordinating the Thursday, June 16, 2022 blood drive. We were very pleased with the drive overall, and the willingness of the donors to share this life saving gift.

The efforts of New Leaf United Methodist Church have always been greatly appreciated and their support of the community blood program will go a long way toward replenishing blood supplies and ultimately saving lives.

In addition, we very much appreciate your efforts during this crucial time. You may be interested to know that 17 donors registered, 3 donors were deferred and 15 units were collected!

Again, thank you for your contribution and ongoing support of this important community program. I look forward to working with you again on an upcoming blood drive.

Editors Thoughts

Summer is here but it's not time for us to just relax and do nothing. There are so many things to get invested in coming up that everyone can find something that interests them. Here is just a few activities to participate in.

- *VBS - July 18-22*
- *Youth Center formation for Conneaut's youth*
- *Ministry Expos - July 17th, 24th & 31st*
- *D-Day - August 18th, 19th & 20th*
- *Aspire - September 24th*
- *Rough Cut Men - November 4th & 5th*

I challenge everyone to find a project that you can attend or help with.

Yours through Christ, Penny, Editor

July Birthdays

1 Richard Simmons
4 Thomas Hale
5 Larry Simpson
7 Bill Kennedy
8 Mason Carter, Dean Thompson
9 Tom Church, Tim Baldwin
10 Laureen Mumma
12 James Herd, Pete Furman
14 Laura Blood, Sylvia Atkinson, Terry Shubitowski
16 Rocco Dubran, Jean Fields
18 Becky Church
20 Beverly Ashman, Pam Simpson
21 Heidi Barnes
23 Judy Shiley, Rex Lillie, Jr.
24 Marion Patton
25 Terri Dixon, Dana Quinn, Albertine Markijohn
28 Jeff Lebzelter
29 Lee Hall

July Anniversaries

1 Don & Jane Barnes
5 Mark & Becky Phillips,
Terry & Sylvia Atkinson
7 Joseph & Deanna Billings
Dan & Cindy Blank
9 Rocco & Emily Dobran
Bernard & Penny Armeni
10 Tim & Becky Church
Joseph & Edith Rodgers
16 Matthew & Jodie Pape
19 Daric & Michelle Wise
Bill & Ann Wiley

Birthdays & Anniversary List:

if you would like your name on our list, please call the church office at 593-2525 between 9am & 3pm.

Thank you *so very much for all the cards and gifts when I had my recent knee surgery. You are all such a blessing to me.*

Gayle Lewis

The July UMW meeting will be held on Tuesday, July 19th in the child care center following serving supper at VBS at approximately 6:30 pm.

VBS needs EMPTY 16 oz. plastic water bottles for one of their projects. They can be brought in on Sunday morning or dropped off in the church office.

Prayer Concerns

Ida Lamont, Alonya and her dtr. Sonya, Patty, Trudy, Marianne, Bill, Becky Phillips, David & Marilyn Myers, Sue McKay, Wes Camensky, Don Barnes, Judy Griffith, Ed Taylor, Ginnie Hassett, Becky, Josh, Justin, Cory, Jason, Kim, David, Katie, Crystal, Luke, Traveling mercies for Dave & Kevin, Karen Kennedy's trip to Honduras and safe return.

Prayers of Joy

Pastor Phil Murphy is expected to make a full recovery from his stroke.

Wes Camensky is home from the hospital, did not have an infection after all. Having more tests done on Wed.

Please continue to keep him in your prayers.

Becky Phillips' surgery went well and she's home. Please continue to keep her in your prayers as she recovers.

Twila Dewey is so very thankful that Alonya and her dtr. Sonya, got here safely. Continued prayers for Alonya's husband, Vadim, who is currently safe but still in the Ukraine.

Entered into Glory

Doris Myers, Mark Nine, Lois Burrows

D-Day is looking for people to volunteer as bus narrators, If you enjoy talking with others, would like to promote the Community as well as D-Day, this may be the thing for you! There will be a script provided. This would involve all 3 days. You would start when the buses start running (around 9 am) and end when the Battle ends (around 4 pm) or whenever buses stop taking people down, depending on traffic. If interested, talk to Steve Rzeszutek.

D-Day volunteers meeting on July 23rd at New Leaf UMC at 9:00 am.

Youth Center Meeting

July 14th at 11:00 am

at New Leaf UMC

Anyone interested in helping to form a youth center in Conneaut please attend this important brain storming session. Come with your ideas to help the youth of our town.

Information on other Conneaut VBS opportunities this summer.

- "God's Word," 11 am every Sunday in July at Amboy United Methodist Church, Youth will equip themselves for life by learning all the books of the Bible, the Lord's Prayer, Apostle's Creed and Psalm 23.
- "Glory to God" 10 am to 2:30 pm, Tuesday, July 26th at First Congregational United Church of Christ. Pre-registration is a must as space is limited. Call the church office to register, 440-599-8744. Canned goods will be collected.

Vacation Bible School is coming soon...

July 18th thru 22nd 5:30 to 8 pm

- Pre-Registration is preferred but walk-ins are welcomed.
- Volunteers to assist any or all week always a blessing.
- There is a need for donations in the form of food items needed for dinners and miscellaneous other items —see sign-up at rear of the worship center or contact Dawna Mitchell.
- Any questions contact Cindy Mannier or Dawna Mitchell.

DON'T MISS THE BOAT!!

If my people, which are called by
my name, shall humble themselves,
and pray, and seek my face,
and turn from their wicked ways;
then will I hear from heaven,
and will forgive their sin, and
will heal their land.

2 CHRONICLES 7:14

Be wise now therefore, O ye kings:
be instructed, ye judges of
the earth.
Serve the LORD with fear,
and rejoice with trembling ...
Blessed are all they that
put their trust in him.

PSALM 2:10-12

Blessed is
the nation
whose God is
the LORD. . .

PSALM 33:12

Aspire

Author & Bible Teacher
HEATHER DIXON

Comedy by
KAY DODD

Music by
LINDSAY McCAUL

1 night – 3 hours
Just for Women
An evening full of laughter, learning, stories & music

SATURDAY
SEPT. 24, 2022

NEW LEAF UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
110 GATEWAY AVE.
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6:00PM SHOW
5:30PM GA DOORS OPEN
5:00PM VIP DOORS OPEN

ADVANCE TICKETS
$25 Gen. Admission | $35 VIP
$20 Groups of 10 or more.
Group sales call 480-812-1100

VIP ticket includes early entry for preferred seating and Q-n-A session with all the speakers and artists.

Purchase tickets at **480-812-1100**
or online at:
ASPIREWOMENSEVENTS.com

Abingdon Women — Your Life. Your Faith.
Compassion
EFP Extreme Faith Productions

Rough Cut Men "Movie Experience"

Featuring - David Dusek

Men's 2-day Event - November 4th & 5th 2022

Rough Cut Men "Movie Experience" has been presented at the US military service academies (like West Point and the US Naval Academy), US Army installations worldwide, NASCAR Sprint Cup teams, Teen Challenge Men's Centers, Iron Sharpens Iron Men's Conferences and just about any Christian denomination you can name.

Topics will include:

- Battle Ready Brotherhood – It's All About the Fireteam

- What's Your Story – Overcoming Soul Wounds

- Authentic Friendship

- Legacy – Living A Life Worth Repeating

https://roughcutmen.org/

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	Lynn's Moms Group: *Will meet July 7th and July 14th*				1 ***Silver Sneakers*** *8:30 am* ***Fit for Christ*** *9 am*	**2** ***Yarns of Love*** *10 am*
3	**4** ***Office Closed Independence Day***	**5** **WORSHIP/**	**6** ***VBS Meeting*** *6pm in child care* **EVENT**	**7** **CLOSED**	**8** **FOR**	**9** **CLEANING**
10 ***Communion*** ***Youth*** *6 pm*	**11** ***Fit for Christ*** *9 am* ***Tai Chi*** *10 am* ***Praise Team*** *6:30 pm*	**12** ***Good Grief*** *3:30 pm* ***Silver Sneakers*** *4 pm*	**13** ***Silver Sneakers*** *8:30 am* ***Fit for Christ*** *9 am* ***Event Ctr. Bd.*** *6 pm* ***Choir*** *7 pm*	14 ***Tai Chi*** *10 am* ***Youth Center Mtg.*** *11:30 am* ***Silver Sneakers*** *4 pm*	**15** ***Silver Sneakers*** *8:30 am* ***Fit for Christ*** *9 am*	**16** ***Yarns of Love*** *10 am*
17 ***Ministry Expo*** *10 am* ***VBS set up*** *1 pm* ***Youth*** *6 pm*	**18** ***Fit for Christ*** *9 am* ***Tai Chi*** *10 am* ***VBS*** *5:30-8pm*	**19** ***Silver Sneakers*** *4 pm* ***VBS*** *5:30-8pm* ***UMW*** *6:30 in child care*	**20** ***Silver Sneakers*** *8:30 am* ***Fit for Christ*** *9 am* ***VBS*** *5:30-8pm*	21 ***Tai Chi*** *10 am* ***Silver Sneakers*** *4 pm* ***VBS*** *5:30-8pm*	**22** ***Silver Sneakers*** *8:30 am* ***Fit for Christ*** *9 am* ***VBS*** *5:30-8pm*	**23** ***D-Day Volunteer Meeting*** *9 am*
24 ***Ministry Expo*** *10 am* ***Youth*** *6 pm*	**25** ***Fit for Christ*** *9 am* ***Tai Chi*** *10 am* ***Praise Team*** *6:30 pm* ***Ch. Bd. Of Directors*** *6:30 pm ~ in child care* ***Worship Team*** *7:30 pm*	**26** ***Silver Sneakers*** *4 pm*	**27** ***Silver Sneakers*** *8:30 am* ***Fit for Christ*** *9 am* ***Choir*** *7 pm*	**28** ***Tai Chi*** *10 am* ***Silver Sneakers*** *4 pm*	**29** ***Silver Sneakers*** *8:30 am* ***Fit for Christ*** *9 am*	**30** ***Event Center in Use*** *1-4 pm*
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