



Winfield United Methodist Church

June 2022 Newsletter



Greetings Church,

It is finally my favorite season of the year. Summer! From connecting with colleagues and friends at Annual Conference, to taking my son for trips to the pool, to cookouts, to family getaways, I just love this time of year. As your schedule fills up with Summer fun, I hope that you stay involved with church and take time each day to pray and read the Bible. I also hope that you find opportunities this Summer to connect with family, friends, and neighbors.

This is also a fascinating time in the Church year as well. Jesus promised His disciples that the Holy Spirit would come upon them shortly after He returned to heaven. When Jesus departed, the disciples were filled with uncertainty and fear about the future. Worse yet, Jesus gave them very few orders: Wait for the Spirit! Even after the Holy Spirit came at Pentecost, the disciples were still struggling with plenty of unanswered questions. Yet through it all, the presence and power of the Holy Spirit led them. It is natural to want answers and certainty in a world that provides very little. Instead of answers, Jesus gives them (and us) a promise. The promise is that no matter what the future holds, that He will be with us. Jesus is with us when we gather together in worship, fellowship, and service, Jesus is with us (Matthew 18:19-20). Jesus is with us when we share His love with others (Matthew 28:20). Jesus promises us peace in a world of tribulation and strife (John 14:27). Often in life, we don't need to know all the answers. We don't need someone to swoop in and fix every problem. We simply need to know that we are not alone. Jesus promises us His peace and the presence of the Holy Spirit. In times when our lives and the world seems uncertain and fearful, we can trust that the Holy Spirit is with us. God holds us and holds the future.

The Holy Spirit also works through us. We can be the people who reach out to a friend or a neighbor. We can take it upon ourselves to call someone we haven't seen at church on Sunday. We can do the work of the Holy Spirit by simply letting people know that they are not alone. We can bring the peace of the Spirit by simply connecting and listening. In these busy Summer months, I encourage you to stay connected with your fellow church goers so they know how much you care.

I also encourage you to check out the June calendar and the multitude of ways to have fun and get involved in church life. I'm always around if you would like to chat or pray together, (304)646-9597 or christo.scott@gmail.com

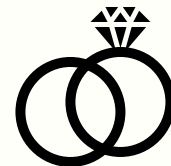
Grace and Peace,
+Pastor Chris

June

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Youth: 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM			1 Bible Study: 6:10 PM	2	3	4
5 Youth: 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM	6 Team Meetings: SPRC, Trustees 7:00 PM	7	8 Block Party: 4:00 PM Kroger Parking Lot	9	10	11 Food Pantry: Winfield Nazarene Church 9:00 AM - Noon
12 Special Offering: Peace with Justice Sunday Youth: 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM	13 United Methodist Women: 6:00 PM	14	15 Bible Study: 6:10 PM	16 Senior Exercise Class: 10:00 AM - 12:30 PM	17 Parents Night Out: 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM	18 Community Breakfast: 8:30 AM - 10:30 AM
19 No Youth	20 Team Meetings: 7:00 PM	21	22 Bible Study: 6:10 PM	23	24	25
26 Youth: 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM	27 Administrative Council: 7:00 PM DaySpring Kids Camp: 8:00 - 3:00	28	29 Bible Study: 6:10 PM	30		



Janetta Burdette	6
Stacy Jarvis	14
Kim Porter	16
Rusty Wilmoth	21
Ruth Webb	25



Dwight & Judy Pauley	8
Curtis & Krista Capehart	21
Bill & Jeannie Davis	23
Joe & Barbara Flanery	25
Danny & Rita Downey	28

Worship with Us

Join Us for Sunday Worship

We have two Worship Services on Sunday, with the same message. There will be many styles of dress at both services. Come as you are!

8:30 AM: Early Service

Small, traditional service with relaxed atmosphere

11:00 AM: Late Service

Larger service but is still relaxed, a blending of traditional and contemporary touches.

Tithes and Offerings

If you are unable to worship with us in person, or want an alternative way to give your tithes and offerings, you may mail your donation to:

Winfield UMC
PO Box 391
Winfield WV 25213

Or give online at:

winfieldumc.net > Online Giving

or <https://www.ezekielgiving.com/App/Giving/winfpo284>

If your faithfulness in tithing was reflected in your credit score, what would be the effect on that number?

Children & Youth Programming

Sunday School

Sunday School
All Grades



Sundays:
10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

YOUTH GROUP

GRADES
6 - 12

SUNDAYS
6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

If you would like to volunteer with our children and youth programs, or have any questions, contact Gayla Van Horn.
gaylaflora@gmail.com / 304.690.1590

Upcoming Events



Community Block Party

Wednesday, June 8

4- 7 pm

Teays Valley Kroger Parking Lot

All are welcome for a Community Health Block Party!

This event will feature food, games, music, and health screenings.

It's free and all are welcome to join in on the fun!

Brought to you by The Ezekiel Project, Winfield United Methodist Church and St John United Methodist Church.
To learn more, contact Rev. Chris Scott at (304)646-9597 or by email at christo.scott@gmail.com

Upcoming Events

COMMUNITY BREAKFAST

**3rd Saturday of
the Month**

8:30 AM - 10:30 AM

All are welcome!



PARENTS NIGHT OUT

**JUNE 17
5:00 PM - 8:00 PM**

Summer Camp Info

DaySpring Mobile Camp

Grades k-5: June 27th - 30th

8:00 AM - 3:00 PM Daily

Held at St. John UMC:

4536 Teays Valley Road, Scott Depot, WV 25560

Register at www.springheights.org

Volunteers Needed

Spring Heights

All Summer Long

All Grades

Held at Springs Heights Camp and Retreat Center:

2067 Barrcut Road, Spencer, WV 25276

Register at www.springheights.org

Asbury Woods

Grades k-5: July 5th-9th

Grades 6-12: July 10th-15th

Held at Asbury Woods Camp and Retreat Center:

5348 Route 10, Salt Rock, WV

Register at www.asburywoodswv.org

Volunteers Needed

For more information, or to volunteer, contact Gayla Van Horn
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**Winfield United Methodist Church
Administrative Council Minutes May 23, 2022**

Members present – Al Ruebush, Chris Scott, Steve Burdette, Bill Davis, Denny Sansom, Gayla Van Horn, Jonni Winter, Marcia Pauley, Phyllis Stinnette

The Winfield United Methodist Church Administrative Council meeting was called to order by Al Ruebush on May 23, 2022, at 7:00 PM.

Opening prayer by Pastor Chris Scott

Educational Session- Update/discussion on where the United Methodist Church is.

Minutes from the April 25, 2022, meeting were read. Motion to accept minutes as presented made by Steve Burdette. Motion voted on and approved.

<u>TREASURER'S REPORT-</u>	Beginning Balance	49,293.78
	April Income	21,096.78
	April Expense	21,141.31
	Ending Balance	49,249.25

COMMITTEES

BOARD OF TRUSTEES- No report

STAFF/PARISH RELATIONS COMMITTEE- Kim Porter has moved, so a new member of SPRC must be found. Lucy has resigned as custodian. A discussion on a replacement was had. Reva Capehart has offered to continue cleaning the church for \$300/month. Motion was made to hire Reva as the new custodian. Motion was voted on and approved. Pastor Chris' evaluation to be done by the end of the month. Congregation is submitting feedback on Chris' performance.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY TEAM- Gayla Van Horn has submitted her resignation. Her last day as Christian Educator will be June 30, 2022. Children's Ministry will be providing a game for the Day of Service Block Party. Parents Night Out is June 17 from 5-8. Volunteers needed. Dayspring Mobile day camp will be at St John's UMC June 27-30, from 8:30-4. Looking for volunteers for all 4 days.

FINANCE COMMITTEE- No report, meeting May 31.

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN- Had the goodbye and great blessings send off for Kim Porter on Saturday May 7 at 3 PM. There will be a planning meeting on June 13.

MISSIONS TEAM- No report.

MEN'S GROUP- No meeting.

TECHNOLOGY TEAM- Looking into the possibility of adding another camera on the other side of the sanctuary.

MARKETING TEAM- No report

PASTORS REPORT- Block Party at the old Kroger parking lot set for Wednesday June 8 from 4-7. There will be health screenings, food, games, and informational tables. June 12 is Annual Conference. Aaron Carr will be filling in for Chris on that Sunday. Coffee guys meeting once a month. Burgers and Bibles is at McDonald's again. Moved the Bellaire services to once a month. Have trained around 20 churches for Naloxone usage. Monthly breakfast has been a blessing.

OLD BUSINESS- Adopt a Highway scheduled for June 4 at 9 am.

NEW BUSINESS- Discussion on what to do with all that Gayla Van Horn does. Steve Burdette will take care of website for the summer. Reva Capehart will be asked to handle the newsletter. Finance team will be meeting to discuss if/how much the church can afford a replacement for Gayla. After Finance has met, SPRC will take their suggestion under advisement and decide what will be done and when. Possibility of making it a contract position instead of salaried. Steve Burdette will be starting an eSports club at Buffalo high School. He is looking for church sponsorships for gaming computer purchase for the club. Will need 8 in total (at minimum) for the school. May see about each church having a gaming computer inside the church as well for a community outreach. Steve will address the church about the need.

Being no further business, a motion was made by Marcia Pauley to adjourn the meeting. Meeting was adjourned.

Submitted,
Reva M Capehart, Church Secretary

The Winfield United Methodist Church Newsletter is published monthly. If you would like to contribute to the April issue, please send your article to Reva Capehart or Gayla Van Horn by Tuesday, June 28th.

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