CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS – *August 25, 2019*

WELCOME VISITORS

We are so glad that you chose to worship with us today! Join us after worship for light refreshments at coffee hour. Explore the lobby area to get a feel for the mission and ministries of Faith Community and check us out on Facebook. If you would like the monthly newsletter or further contact from the church, please give us your contact information when you fill out the Fellowship Register. Contact information will only be used for church business.

PRAYER REQUESTS

If you have a joy or concern, please fill out a prayer card located in the red fellowship registers at the end of each row. Concerns that are to be **specifically prayed for during** the service will be collated as the children leave for Sunday School, otherwise put them in the collection plate during the offering.

FLOWERS TODAY are presented to the Glory of in loving memory of Muriel King from her entire church family.

THIS WEEK AT FAITH COMMUNITY

SUNDAY August 25

Worship– 10:00AM

4th Sunday Brunch – 11:30AM

MONDAY August 26

Session – 6:30PM

TUESDAY August 27

AA – 7:30PM

SUNDAY September 1

Worship with communion– 10:00AM

Walton Woods – 11:30AM

FAITH in Education:

Rally Sunday – 9/8/19 Join us for a "Ride Rodeo" on Rally Sunday, 9/8/19. Kids - Bring your "ride" (bike, scooter, board, skates, etc.) to the church and enjoy some fun activities after the worship service!

Sunday School Teachers We have an urgent need for fall Sunday School teachers for our K-6 age group. There is a signup sheet in the Narthex. We are seeking regular volunteers to serve one or two Sundays a month, and/or volunteers to teach just on occasion. Please prayerfully consider serving our church, our families and our youngest members in this way. Lesson plans and activities are provided, and materials are available in the Sunday School room/closet. Please contact Kim Richmond for additional information.

BIBLE SUNDAY and SACREMENT ORIENTATION We are planning "Bible Sunday", on Sunday, 9/29, where 3rd grade students receive their own bible. A Sacrament Orientation class will also be offered 9/29 after the church service, for children interested in learning more about Communion. A parent must attend Sacrament Orientation with their child. Please make sure you contact the office at 248-349-2345 or Kim Richmond, if you have student who will participate in Bible Sunday and/or Sacrament Orientation.

Attention parents of 9th graders: Please make sure to contact the church office at 248-349-2345, or Kim Richmond if you have student entering 9th grade or older, who has not yet participated in confirmation class.

FAITH in Worship:

2019 Flower Chart ***Sunday Nov 3, Dec 1 & 29 are still open!*** The flower chart for 2019 is posted by the drinking fountain in the narthex. Flowers can be given in celebration of, in honor of, or in memory of someone or something in your life. Cost is $40. The church office contacts you regarding payment and dedication.

FAITH in Fellowship:

Men's Quarterly Breakfast Sunday, September 7, 2019 at 8:30AM we will meet at Ardiana's Restaurant at 10 mile and Meadowbrook Rd. Signup sheet posted in the narthex. Questions call Mike Everett 248-320-5132.

Women's Group Meeting: Tuesday, September 10 at 12:30 PM
We will welcome guest speakers from Vista Maria, a facility in Dearborn Heights that provides recovery and healing programs for young women and youths who are victims of abuse, trauma, or violence. Topics will include foster care and human trafficking issues. We will then assemble in-take 'Welcome Tote Bags' to send back to Vista Maria. Lunch will be provided. Sign up in the narthex and join us for an afternoon of fellowship, mission work and learning. Men are always welcomed. Questions: Contact Susan Farooq or Betty Nick.

FAITH in Mission:

Animals for Africa The overwhelming generosity of our congregation has provided $625 designated to purchase animals for poor families in Africa to provide food for themselves. Please help the Missions Committee decide what animals to purchase by casting your votes on the poster in the narthex to help make these difficult decisions!

CROP Stop Hunger! The 32nd Annual Novi-Northville CROP Hunger Walk takes place on Sunday, October 6, 2019. This event joins churches in our community to raise money for the hunger relief efforts of Church World Service, the mission arm of the National Council of Churches. The four mile Walk starts and ends at Novi United Methodist Church. Please contact Tom Anan at 248-207-4106 for more information. Please continue to pray for those suffering from hunger in our world and the work of CWS.

SAVE THE DATE Faith Community Blood Drive- Thursday, October 10, 1:00-7:00 PM. Donors can schedule online at RedCrossBlood.org with sponsor code FCPCN. You can also sign up on the bulletin in the narthex with your info and we can schedule you. Flyers are available on the table to invite neighbors, family and friends- especially in the FCPC area. Volunteers are also needed to register donors and serve snacks... Look for the sign up in the narthex. Together we can help save many lives!!
Questions: See Susan Farooq.