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**May 29, 2026**

### **From the Pastor**

I hope everyone rested up after last Sunday's Pentecost festivities. We received the Spirit once again, celebrated Pentecost, wore flame colors & headbands and participated in the ordination and installation of officers! It was a joyous Sunday of spirited worship, of meeting new friends and of delicious refreshments. And, our cup of blessing continues to overflow as we prepared for another day of celebration.

This Sunday is Graduate Recognition Sunday, and I'm so excited to share the transitions of some of our very own UPC family members and the transitions of some of UPC family members' loved ones. As I say each week, one of the privileges of being part of a faith family is sharing the journey of life and faith together and finding our joys multiplied. It WILL be a joy-filled Sunday complete with refreshments.

If that isn't enough excitement, it is Trinity Sunday when we explore what it means that in God's divine economy  $1+1+1=1$ . We'll stretch our minds which will stretch our hearts and spirits to hopefully more fully grasp the Triune God.

In preparation for worship, I encourage you to read and to think and pray about Romans 8:12-17. This is the text on which I will preach. However, Beginning reading at verse 1 gives greater context to the text. Imagine you were one of the first hearers of these words. How would you feel? What might you have learned about the nature of God?

Then, think and pray about how the Spirit might be using this text to teach us more about God's nature today. What might this text also teach us about God's relationship to creation? About our calling as individual disciples and as a faith family? Click [here](#) for the worship bulletin. Worship is streamed on the [UPC website](#) and [YouTube](#) channel.

**Peace, Pastor Lisa**

### **PS**

Want to soak up some of this beautiful weather and serve the Lord? You can do both by sharing your time and talent beautifying our facility and assisting this year's gardeners by pulling weeds in unused plots and in the spaces between the plots. We have fewer gardeners than in past years, and the unused plots are out of control. Pull weeds and toss them in the dumpster. Come whenever you can for however long you can.

## Called Congregational Meeting & Info Session after Worship Sunday, May 31st

The purpose of the called congregational meeting is to fill Erin Kieffer's unexpired term on Session. Erin resigned from her position in order to more fully focus on family needs. Laura Pears is the nominee for the Class of 2027. Following the brief meeting is an update on UPC's financial challenges and time for questions and answers.



### NKY Pride Sunday, June 7th Noon - 5pm

UPC is not marching in the parade in order to focus on our festival booth. We'll be making new friends, sharing swag and temporary tattoos and offering glitter blessings from 12pm – 5pm. Sign up in the narthex or on the [website](#) to join the fun.

### Union Presbyterian Church Quarter Auction

Thursday, June 11th  
doors open at 6pm  
bidding starts at 7pm

Florence Lion's Club  
29 Lacreata Drive  
Florence, KY 41042

Bring your quarters & cash and win awesome prizes including gift baskets, gift certificates and more!

FREE admission!  
Paddles are \$2 each or 3/\$5  
Raffles! Dollar Boards! Split the Pot! Vendors!



Concessions available for purchase. Please, no outside food or drink.

### Quarter Auction Thursday, June 11th

Join us at the Florence Lions Club as we raise money for UPC. Bring your friends to enjoy an evening of Quarter Auction fun. Never been to a Quarter Auction? Imagine auction meets raffle meets game of chance plus concessions, vendors, split-the-pot, door prizes, raffle and lots of laughter. Doors open at 6pm. Auction begins at 7pm. Admission is free. Paddles are \$2 or 3/\$5. Bring your quarters and cash to win awesome prizes including gift baskets, gift certificates and more.

### Opportunities to Serve

As the Body of Christ, we all have gifts, talents and abilities to share. Lending a hand to help lead Sunday worship or caring for our facility is one simple but important way to serve Christ and each other. Brochures with more info are available in the sanctuary. You may sign up on [the SignUp Genius website](#).



### Mark your calendars now for Vacation Bible School July 6th – 9th 6:30pm – 8pm

Plans are underway for an amazing time of learning and fellowship for our K-5th graders and their families. Contact [Bethany Brewer Ball](#) or [Heather Dern](#) if you would like to be involved.

### Schedule for This Week

#### **Trinity Sunday**

**Sunday, May 31st**

10am Worship & Graduate  
Recognition

After worship, called  
congregational meeting and  
information session

#### Monday, June 1st

9:30am Chair Yoga

6:30pm Called Session Mtg

7pm Boy Scouts 805

#### Tuesday, June 2nd

6pm Combined Welcoming  
Ministry & Deacons

#### Wednesday, June 3rd

9:30am Chair Yoga

8pm AA

#### Friday, June 5th

9:30am Chair Yoga

#### **2nd Sunday after Pentecost**

**Sunday, June 7th**

10am Worship w/ communion

NKY Pride Festival  
in Covington  
12pm - 5pm



### BIRTHDAYS

5/31 - Brennen Ball  
6/4 - Devon Golden  
6/5 - Kevin Ball  
6/10 - Donna Shupe  
6/11 - Phil Ruwe  
6/15 - Sarah Huddleston  
6/16 - Asher Pears  
6/19 - Hamilton Clouse  
6/22 - Mark Highland  
6/24 - Neva Martin  
6/27 - Bethany Brewer-  
Ball  
6/29 - Hannah Fry



### ANNIVERSARIES

5/29 - Romanus & Yani  
Wirasakti  
6/3 - Gwen Coleman &  
Mark Highland  
Bob & Jacque Sherwood  
6/9 - Ed & Sue  
Dobrzykowski  
6/12 - Vince & Laura  
Buckley  
6/18 - Kevin & Holly  
Hillman  
Bill & Kathy Martin  
6/27 - Dave & Ginny  
Claar



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one time gift or set up a  
recurring gift. You may make  
a memorial or honorary gift  
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credit card or debit card and  
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will be asked if you wish to  
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