



FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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Update #65

June 22, 2021 – Church Office Hours M-F 9am – 12:30pm

*“...No one can come to me unless
the Father who sent me draws
them...”*

~ John 6:43-52

*Interested in Ushering at one of our two
services? We can always use your help!
Contact Pastor Ed at ed@fumctr.com*

*Shoprite Cards available after
9am and before 10:30am worship
on 2nd & 4th Sundays*

1. I'm looking forward to worshipping with you this Sunday (June 27th) at 9:00am and 10:30am! *We will also stream both services at <http://www.fumctr.com/onlineworship>
*****SIT WHEREVER YOU'D LIKE!! ☺**
2. There will NOT be an email update next week (6/29) & Communion will be celebrated on July 4th.
3. Our next **Food Pantry is Sunday** is July 11th. Bring your items to worship that day.
4. Our **Adopt-a-Spot Gardening Program** continues growing! We still have some orphaned gardens, so **WE NEED YOU!** Contact Kim (kgeneral83@gmail.com) to claim your spot!
5. Our **College Group** meets on Fridays at 6pm and our **Youth Ministry** meets at 6pm on Sundays (both in Thompson Hall). Questions for Pastor Wes? His email address is wesellis@fumctr.com
6. The **Amazon Smile Program** continues. If you make First United Methodist Church of Toms River your charity, our church receives a percentage of the eligible purchases you make. Questions? See the bulletin available on Sunday mornings (also available at www.fumctr.com) ☺
7. **Pastor Wes' Online Devotional** is **EVERY THURSDAY** at 10am on Facebook. Log on at www.facebook.com/fumctr. You can also see it at www.fumctr.com
8. **Thank you** so very much for your faithful support over these last months. As you might expect in this crisis, our giving is down - but God is making a way for ministry and he is using you! I am so grateful for the faithfulness of God's people!! That being said, we find ourselves on the cusp of July, when sometimes our focus on the busyness of summer distracts us from church ministry. So, please continue regularly to give your offerings, tithes and, if the Lord is leading you, other special gifts to the ministry of your church family. We can make it through these challenging times if we continue to be committed to Jesus and his church!

Electronic Giving Address:

www.fumctr.com/donate

To Mail Your Offering (*thank you for the gift of a stamp!*)

ATTN: Financial Secretary, First UMC
129 Chestnut Street, Toms River, NJ 08753

In Person: Drop off your offering in the offering plates/baskets at the front of each worship location.

For the Most Recent Updates:: www.fumctr.com/calendar

July Birthdays

Harry Aber (1)
Jakyrh O'Malley (2)
Kathleen McNabb (2)
Karen Roselli (2)
Donna Mann (4)
Helen Stark (4)
Marge General (5)
Kaitlyn Bach (5)
George Rose III (6)

June/July Anniversaries

Bob & Barbara Dawson (6/27)
George & Lynn Kostulakos (7/1)

I love you, *Pastor Ed* (cell: 609-617-5182)