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Shoprite cards are available to purchase after 9am and before 10:30 worship on the 2nd & 4th Sundays. A percentage of all cards purchased is given to First Church



Total given for the ministry of our church on July 11th was:
\$10,245.00

And the current Family Life Center balance for this month is
\$503,047.31



Second Quarter Giving

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Announcements

July 18, 2021

First United Methodist Church of Toms River

129 Chestnut Street
At Old Freehold Road
Toms River, NJ 08753



Christ Centered- Spirit Led

Our Mission

Belonging to the Family

Believing the Good News

Becoming like Jesus

Our website
www.fumctr.com



**(October 1 & 2)
Rummage Sale Donations ...
start collecting...**

Clothing, kitchen items, electrical items, holiday items, housewares, small appliances, linens, bedding, glassware, picture frames, toys, games, books, CD's, movies, knick- knacks and jewelry. The last day to receive donations will be Thursday, September 30th.

All books, CD's, movies and jewelry donations will be sold at the Holly Berry Bazaar.

**This is your opportunity to clean house and get rid of unwanted items. We will not accept large pieces of furniture, worn or torn items, TVs, or damaged goods.
No exceptions!**

Thank you all for your donations!

July

SUNDAY, 7.18

9:00 Family Life Center Worship
10:30 Sanctuary Worship

MONDAY, 7.19

9-12 Crafters, TH

TUESDAY, 7.20

6:30 Trustees, TH
7:15 Praise Team, FLC

THURSDAY, 7.22

10:00 Facebook Online devotional with Pastor Wes
also on www.fumctr.com

FRIDAY, 7.23

6:00 College Group, TH

FLC: Family Life Center, **TH:** Thompson Hall, **R4:** Room 4,
R5-6: Room 5 & 6, **S:** Sanctuary, **CR:** Choir Room
WR: Whilden Room, **RR:** Reeve's Room



Devotions



Online Weekly with
Pastor Wes
On Facebook or www.fumctr.com/devotional
Thursday 10:00am

Flowers on the Communion
table in the Sanctuary are
given to the glory of God



Holly Berry Bazaar
November 6, 2021



The **TRUSTEES** would like to know if
any church members are
periodically cleaning up/cutting the
grass at the Old Methodist
Cemetery in downtown Toms River.
If you know (or if it's you!!) contact
Tom Newsome (Trustee Chair)
through the church office.



"God Almighty first planted a garden. And indeed, it is the purest of human pleasures." - Francis Bacon

If you've walked our church grounds lately, you know that they are in need of some tender loving care. So, the Trustees and the Stewardship Committee are launching an **"Adopt-A-Spot"** program at First Church.

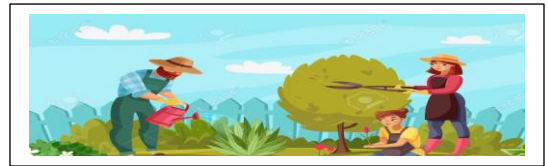
Everyone is welcome to participate! Individuals, couples, families, friends and groups can choose their spot. {See Kim @kgeneral83@gmail.com}

We are asking for a "spring cleaning" of each area to be completed by June 1. (A huge "thank you" to Cub Scout Pack 57 for getting us started on the Memorial Garden and the Bell Island!).

After that, we are asking that volunteers check in on their spot once or twice a month from now until October to keep it looking fresh.

We are hoping that this project will be fun for you and will keep our church grounds looking great!

Adopt-A-Spot is also a *great* way to serve the Lord.
Please join us!



William Bowen, 25

Joseph Latshaw, 27

Continued prayers for:
Liz Mitchell, Daniel Capuano,
George & Adrienne Melnyk,
Evelyn Paulsen, Barbara Dawson,
Randy, Paula & Joshua Smith

Happy Anniversary

Walt & Megan Bodie, 22
Frank & Linda Snuffin, 25