

# EAST FAIRFIELD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Pastor: Rev. Lisa Courtwright

Organist: Ruth Rowley

Ministers: The Congregation

Pianist: Nancy Setinsek

Choir Director: Randy Hart

**Sunday, July 14, 2024**

**Eighth Sunday After Pentecost**

*\*Please stand in body or spirit as you are able*

*Welcome! You are invited to take this time to prepare for worship. In these moments, quiet your inner voice, become aware of being in community with others, and open your heart & mind to the leading of the Holy Spirit.*

GATHERING Since Jesus Came Into My Heart -Gabriel  
All Hail The Power -Ellor

CHRIST LIGHT ENTERS

MISSIONS AND MINISTRY UPDATES Deann Davis, Liturgist

WORDS OF PREPARATION AND CENTERING

PRELUDE Near The Cross -Doane

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

We come today to worship our Lord!

**We will lift our praise to God!**

God's love surrounds us and holds us up, even in difficult times.

**God's love is deeper than the ocean.**

Jesus walks with us so that we are never alone.

**We can trust in God.**

God will never leave us.

**God's love never ends.**

**\*OPENING PRAYER**

**God, you are our light and our salvation. We come with shouts of joy to worship you today. We come with music and dance, joy and laughter, to celebrate your love. We come with a longing to be in your presence. Be with us now. Speak to our hearts. Shine your light on us today. Amen.**

\*OPENING HYMN

“Tell Me the Stories of Jesus”

UMH #277

OFFERING OURSELVES & OUR GIFTS

INVITATION

OFFERTORY A Holy Blessing -Landon

\*DOXOLOGY

UMH #95

\*DEDICATION OF GIFTS

SHARING OF JOYS & CONCERNS

SILENT PRAYER

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD’S PRAYER

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL PRESENTATION

DAY ONE – God is a friend who’s real... Thanks, God!

DAY TWO – God is a friend who loves... Thanks, God!

DAY THREE – God is a friend we can trust... Thanks, God!

DAY FOUR – God is a forever friend... Thanks, God!

DAY FIVE – God is a friend for everyone... Thanks, God!

\*BLESSING

LIGHT OF CHRIST GOES INTO THE WORLD

*~ Go forth to serve the Lord ~*

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TODAY, JULY 14

Livestream: Hannah Vollnogle

Sound: Bill Rowley

Computer: Vicki Freeman

Greeters:

NEXT SUNDAY, JULY 21

Liturgist: Jon Vollnogle

Greeters: Harvey & Carol Smith

Please keep in mind that the service is live-streamed and recorded for public access. Please keep prayer requests brief and do not use last names or identifying details.

**PRAYER REQUESTS**

**July 14, 2024**

To submit a prayer request call Denise at 330-457-2465 or 330-727-9832

If you desire a home or hospital visit call Pastor Lisa (440-339-6463)

Prayer Blankets: call Joyce Ward (330-692-3346)

**Tom H.** – 6-week motorcycle trip. In Alaska. Starting return.

**Joann** (Joyce’s friend) – Still needs kidney.

**Bob & Kathleen**

**Gerald L.** (Dollie’s husband)

**Larry & Ruby** (Barb Harding’s friends)

**Gary** (David Crook’s co-worker) – Stent failed, heart attack, in a coma.

**Joanne** (Elaine’s neighbor)

**Noah & Nicole** – Nearing her due date.

**Perry** (Anita & Denise’s nephew) – Stage 4 lung cancer.

**Walt** – Under Hospice Care.

**Janet** (Terry’s sister)

**Kathy M.** – Recently diagnosed with cancer. Hysterectomy July 3.

**Shirley** (Anita’s cousin) – Health issues and recently had a stroke.

**Terri** (Marge’s friend) – ALS. Under Hospice Care.

**Bill H.** – Parkinson’s

**HOMEBOUND**

Mary V.

Anita M.

Joanie R. (Whispering Pines)

Thelma A. (Whispering Pines)

Zelda C. (Whispering Pines)

Shirley K. (Grace Woods)

**IN MINISTRY**

Lisa Courtwright

Edie Boles

Jeff Pellin

Tyler Rollinson

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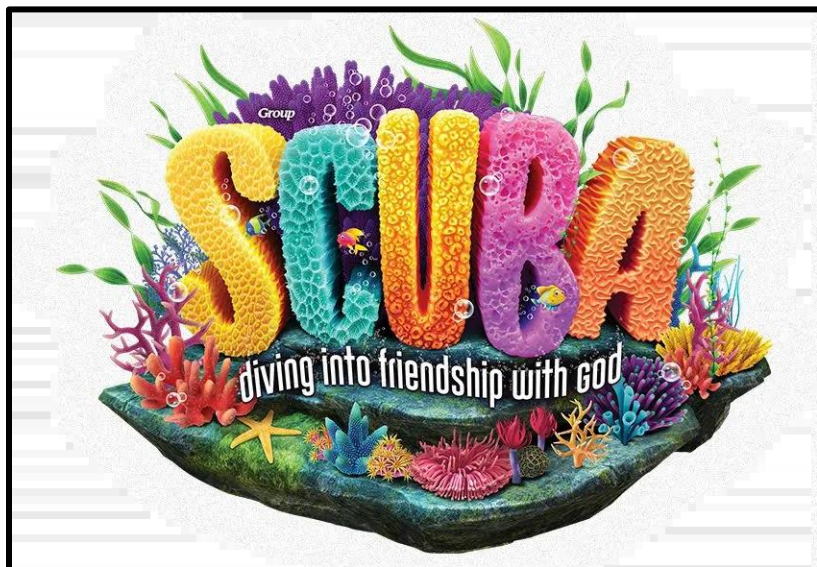
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**East Fairfield  
United Methodist Church  
Sunday, July 14, 2024**

**9:30 AM**



Rev. Lisa Courtwright  
440-339-6463  
45675 State Route 558  
New Waterford, OH 44445

*“Working, playing, and praying together on our  
faith journey, to share Jesus Christ with everyone.”*

## JULY 7 ATTENDANCE

In person: 65

Online: 26

### Update on Mission Giving for 2024

FUND	NAME OF FUND	NEED	RECEIVED	STILL NEED
2	General Mission Fund	6,374	3,135	3,239
33	4C's	125	300	0
32	Cub Scouts	150	115	35
37	Way Station	150	50	100
43	Tobin Center	300	100	200
<b>49</b>	<b>Feed My Sheep (Rogers food pantry)</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>0</b>
22	Flat Rock	175	225	0
64	Farmer to Farmer	300	200	100
13	UMCOR Sunday	Any Donation	20	
21	UMCOR Disasters	Any Donation	20	
14	Blankets+	Any Donation	35	
15	Peace With Justice	Any Donation	0	
16	World Communion	Any Donation	0	
17	Student Day	Any Donation	0	
46	Heroes & Halos	Any Donation	0	

### Fund Balances as of end of May

Fund # 1	Ministry Operating	-8,164
Fund # 2	Mission Fund	-11
Fund # 3	Building Fund	60,692
Fund # 28	Elevator Fund	5,212

**Mission of the Month – Feed My Sheep – Fund #49**

**Feed My Sheep Item – Window cleaner**

**4C's Item – Ramen noodles**

<b>Sun</b>	<b>Mon</b>	<b>Tue</b>	<b>Wed</b>	<b>Thu</b>	<b>Fri</b>	<b>Sat</b>
<b>July 14</b> 9:30 Worship at EF 10:30 Coffee Time 10:45 Sunday School 11:00 Worship at Rogers	<b>July 15</b> <b>7:00 East Fairfield Leadership Board</b>	<b>July 16</b> 8:30 Men's Coffee At Larry's Pavilion	<b>July 17</b>	<b>July 18</b> <b>7:00 Faith United Leadership Board</b>	<b>July 19</b> Pastor's Day Off Office Closed	<b>July 20</b> <b>8:30-10:00 Feed My Sheep Rogers UMC</b>
<b>July 21</b> 9:30 Worship at EF 10:30 Coffee Time 10:45 Sunday School 11:00 Worship at Rogers  <b>2:00-4:00 Concert in the Park with Leanne Binder &amp; Friends</b>	<b>July 22</b>	<b>July 23</b> 8:30 Men's Coffee At Larry's Pavilion  <b>Newsletter Deadline</b>	<b>July 24</b>	<b>July 25</b> <b>9:00 Mailing Com</b>  <b>6:00 4H (Ali Cusick)</b>	<b>July 26</b> Pastor's Day Off Office Closed  <b>Make Ice Cream for Festival and Prep Food</b>	<b>July 27</b> <b>4:30-7:00 ICE CREAM FESTIVAL</b>
<b>July 28</b> 9:30 Worship at EF 10:30 Coffee Time 10:45 Sunday School 11:00 Worship at Rogers	<b>July 29</b> <b>12:00 Joy Circle Women's Picnic</b> Beverages provided. Bring covered dish and table service.	<b>July 30</b> 8:30 Men's Coffee At Larry's Pavilion	<b>July 31</b>	<b>Aug 1</b>	<b>Aug 2</b> Pastor's Day Off Office Closed	<b>Aug 3</b>
<b>Aug 4</b> 9:30 Worship at EF 10:30 Coffee Time 10:45 Sunday School 11:00 Worship at Rogers	<b>Aug 5</b>	<b>Aug 6</b> 8:30 Men's Coffee At Larry's Pavilion	<b>Aug 7</b>	<b>Aug 8</b>	<b>Aug 9</b> Pastor's Day Off Office Closed	<b>Aug 10</b>



# Faith United

A Cooperative Parish of United Methodist Churches

## 07-14-24 Insert of UPCOMING EVENTS

### EAST FAIRFIELD ICE CREAM FESTIVAL

**Saturday, July 27, 4:30-7:00 pm**



East Fairfield invites you to their annual ice cream festival.

Featuring homemade ice cream made with farm fresh milk from Baker's Golden Dairy. Hot turkey sandwiches, sloppy joes, hot dogs, cheesy potatoes, baked beans, pasta salad, pie, cake, beverages.



### WOMEN'S PICNIC

**Monday, July 29, at 12:00 noon**

East Fairfield would like to invite all women of the Faith United Cooperative Parish to a Picnic in the pavilion at East Fairfield on Monday, July 29. Bring a covered-dish and table service.

*In case of inclement weather, this will be held in the fellowship hall.*

### SOCKLESS MONSTER DRIVE



We are collecting new, used, and mismatched socks for Unity Grange **until the end of September.**

To donate, contact a member of the ministerial team to get your donation to Emmanuel for delivery to the Unity Grange.

### MEN'S COFFEE TIME

**Tuesdays at 8:00 am**



Webber Pavilion (45986 Carter Road)

Ladies are invited to join on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month.

### UPCOMING FOOD DISTRIBUTIONS

*Volunteers are always needed and welcome at both!*



**Feed My Sheep  
Rogers UMC**

Saturday, July 20  
8:30 am - 10:00 am

**Caring for God's Lambs  
New Springfield UMC**

Saturday, July 27  
8:30 am – 10:00 am



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*The purpose of Faith United is to grow spiritually,  
learn and love together, and lead others to Christ.*

