Dominican Republic 2015 – if interested and 18 years old or older attend a planning meeting August 4, 7 pm in Fellowship Hall. Details/forms in the narthex or online at fumchurch.com. Contact Tina at 766-4611 or adultministry@fumchurch.com

The library is accepting gently used adult and childrens' books, dvds, and cds for our August 16 book sale. You can drop them outside the library any time--please clearly mark them for the sale. Thanks!!

UMW Yard Sale - August 16, 8am - 1pm! Rent two parking spaces just \$10! This is an opportunity to sell your treasures and also a day filled with fun and camaraderie. Call Donna Nichols at 249-9477 to reserve your space.

School Supplies to be given away at the UMW Yard Sale needed: small box of crayons, #2 pencils, blunt scissors, erasers and glue sticks. Other items also accepted. Collection box in narthex. Call Lori, 732-6430 with questions. Thanks!

FUMC Book Club will meet August 12 @ 7pm at the home of Janice Bowen (720 Eppley Road, Mechanicsburg) Join in on the discussion of <u>Bowling Alone</u> by Robert Putnam. Questions? Contact Janice at wecare@fumchurch.com or 766-4611 x112

Contribute a snack for VBS! Place boxes of TastyKakes (no crumb cake or peanut butter), Animal or Goldfish Crackers in the snack baskets along the tower entrance or at the information desk. Thank you so much for blessing the children of VBS!!

August Newsletter deadline is July 15!

CHILDREN'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

Summer Sunday School Teachers/Helpers needed – There are still dates open to sign up for August. Three year olds to 5th graders are learning about the Beatitudes. You can sign up at the Children's Display area, use timetosignup.com/kidscount or contact Dawn Fisher or Sarah Jones.

VBS Registration – **Have you signed up yet?** August 4-8, 9am to noon, 3 years to entering 6th grade, \$5 per child, includes one free music CD per family **if registered by July 15th**. Register via the link on our website or by going to 2014.cokesburyvbs.com/fumchurch.

VBS Help Needed, especially adult classroom shepherds – August 4-8. If you can help in any way, please contact Dawn Fisher or Sarah Jones, sign up at the Children's Display area or online at 2014.cokesburyvbs.com/fumchurch.

Kid's Worship – As of July 6th, Kid's Worship is not being held upstairs until the school year starts again. Please enjoy worship with your family. We still have Wee Worship and Nursery for the younger children.

BLT Event- July 20, 12-2:30pm. Come learn why BLT is so awesome! All upcoming 4th through 6th graders welcome. Lunch at JoJo's then we return to church to decorate bags for school kits for the UMW yard sale. Permission slips available in Children's Department or contact Dawn Fisher or Sarah Jones.

School Kits for UMW Yard Sale- We are collecting items for school kits to be handed out at the UMW yard sale: small box crayons, #2 pencils, blunt scissors, erasers and glue sticks. Place items in box in the Narthex. BLTs will be decorating "school kit" bags at Sunday School July 27.

YOUTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Summer Calendar – There are summer calendars with youth events in the youth form area – grab one

Impact - Informational meeting for all participants TODAY following late service in the fellowship hall – please come to this meeting if you did not attend last week. If you have yet to register and are still interested in coming contact Lisa.

Graduates – Don't forget to leave your senior pictures on the fridge in the youth lounge!

Nail Painting – We will continue our nail painting at Manor Care in Camp Hill on the third Saturday of each month. Meet at Manor Care at 2:00 (2nd floor lounge) and be picked up by 3:30. Sign up in the Sign Up Binder and come help us paint nails!

Periphery is Happening! Join us for a time of fun and small group conversation as we explore the outer edges of the park and the outer edges of scripture. At Pleasant View Park, Wednesdays 7:00-9:00. (Bring a Bible and something to sit on). If we aren't at the park, we are at the church.

Summer Gathering – July 18! Tubing down the Yellow Breeches! Meet at 3pm at the Yellow Breeches at Messiah College (near the red covered bridge). Tube to Upper Allen Park, hang out and have a cookout. Plan to be picked up by 8:00pm at the park. If possible, bring a tube. Permission forms are available in the youth form area.

Summer Sunday School: We will be combined with the adults in the MP room for the months of July and August.

Welcome 6th graders! Join us on August 15 for a pool party at the Herrings from 6-9:00 pm. Come meet other youth and hang out with us! **Parents of 6th graders** – please plan to stay for a mini meeting with Lisa at 6 and be introduced to the happenings of the youth department.

Room 105 is the staging area for Impact items. Please drop off tents and snacks to this location and make sure you have clearly marked your items and checked them off the list.



The Altar flowers are given to the glory of God and in memory of deceased members of the May Fetrow bible class, placed by Elaine O'Hara.

Love & sympathy to the family upon the death of Ann Minnich on June 23, 2014.

Love & sympathy to the family upon the death of Karen McAuliffe's step-sister, Nancy Mann, on June 29, 2014.

Love & sympathy to the family upon the death of Dave Bennetch's father, Fred, on July 8, 2014.

Children's Department Help – There are still opportunities to become Partners in Ministry for our children one Sunday per month: 8:00am 3rd Sunday crib/toddler adult, 9:15am 2nd and 4th Sunday greeter, 9:15am 3rd Sunday crib/toddler adult and 10:30am 5th Sunday crib/toddler adult. Please sign up at the Children's Display area or contact Sarah Jones or Dawn Fisher.

Collegiate Organized "Anchor" Worship – An additional worship service this summer on Sunday evenings at 7:00pm in the Multipurpose room. This is a chance for us to experience and participate in new styles of worship that have been formative in the continual growth of our young adults' faith. All are welcomed!

This Sunday at Summer Sunday School come to find out more about how First Church is working with Cure International to help children and their families worldwide.

Next Sunday at Summer Sunday School come to participate in a fun & educational game of Jeopardy, hosted by our own Jeff Hoffnagle.

New Summer Bible Study - If you missed the first week or two of "Chase the Goose: The Adventure of Living a Spirit-Led Life" please feel free to come on July 23. Meets in room 207 on Wednesdays, 7:15 to 8:30 pm.

Remember New Hope Ministries while you are grocery shopping... the greatest needs are peanut butter, canned tuna fish and condiments. Thanks you so much!

Dress A Girl Around the World continues. The Martha Circle will collect and mail them. There is a box for collection in the Narthex and purple labels/directions in Flossie Ryder's mailbox. Sew one label on the front of each dress. Thank You!