



- 4- Marlene VanHorn
- 5- Rawley Crews  
Jim Kissner
- 8- Ginger McGraw
- 9- Lin Alexander  
Kara Clark
- 10- Lori Blalock  
Janice Kueker  
Lisa Merchant
- 12- Alan Branson
- 13- Ruth Marsh
- 14- Danny Hoffelmeyer  
Cole James
- 17- Vince Lutterbie  
Everette Dryer
- 18- Ginny Farr

- 19- Blaine Thornton
- 20- Jason Dehn  
Scott Arnett  
Tom McRoberts
- 21- Jane Hartley  
Jack Goulet
- 22- Debbie Arnett
- 27- Blane Dryer
- 28- Mia Shannon
- 31- Dane Branson
  
- 5- Joe & Nicki Coslet
- 11- Jim & Lisa Merchant
- 16- Brad & Hope Richards
- 26- Jack & Carrie Goulet
- 31- Mike & Ramona Green



I am truly humbled by the grace and compassion this congregation has shown my daughter after the loss of her home. Your prayers and tangible support have been a light in a very dark time. I am beyond grateful for this church family and the way you have surrounded us with God's love.

Hope Richards

**Join the Chat-N-Chew (formerly the Ladies Lunch Group) on May 7th at 11:00 a.m. at the Marshall Bowling Alley. Everyone is welcome!**

**The CWF will meet May 19th for a salad luncheon at the home of Karolyn Caldwell at 10:00 am.**

## More from the Outreach Committee...

**Community Food Bank:** If you would like to keep track of the types of items FCC is asked to collect each week, there are cards with the rotation dates on the offering/bulletin tables near the entrances to the sanctuary

**Pentecost Offering:** Disciples of Christ churches around the world collect special offerings six times each year for projects that are way too big for a single

church to tackle. Pooling donations from all churches enables the DOC to make a big difference for these projects. On May 17 and 24, our congregation will join other DOC churches to collect the special Pentecost offering. This special offering is dedicated to supporting new church development. Special Offering envelopes are available on the

communion/bulletin tables for those who would like to contribute.

**Outreach Committee:** If you would like to join the Outreach Committee in planning and executing our efforts to reach out to our neighbors in need, please let an Outreach member know. We'd LOVE to have you join the team!



The General Board will be May 13 at 6:00 PM. All are invited to attend.



**“Reaching Out”**

*a message from the Outreach Committee*

**Baby Grace Diaper Shower:**

Thank you to our generous FCC congregation for your overwhelming response to the “Donuts & Diapers” shower for Baby Grace! You donated 2,935 diapers, \$575, and almost 4,000 wipes. The items and money were presented to the Baby Grace organization, and they were so thankful and amazed at the showering of grace you provided for babies in our community. There will be a lot of happy baby bottoms thanks to your generosity! A special thank you goes out to the Outreach Committee for the decorations and to the CWF for the refreshments that provided a nice opportunity for fellowship before and after the service.

**Blood Drive:** The date for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Community Blood Drive that our congregation sponsors with St. Peter Catholic Church changed. It will be on Monday, June 29 from 1:00 – 5:00 pm at the Knights of Columbus building. If you would like to sign up to donate, go to <https://donate.savealifenow.org/donor/>

[schedules/zip](#) or contact Ginger at 660-620-2480. If you would like to volunteer to help offer drinks and snacks to the donors, please let Ginger know.

**Little Food Pantry:** In the Fall of 2025, we started a new program we call “Pantry Pastors” to ensure that the Little Food Pantry on our east parking lot is well-stocked, clean, and organized. We asked for monetary donations at that time to help us buy food. We have used those funds and are asking for your help again to keep the Little Food Pantry stocked for our neighbors in need. Please designate on the envelope or the memo line of your check that the donation is for this purpose. Special thanks to the volunteers Amy Heuman, Kathy Monnig, Brenda Coffman, and Ginger McGraw who rotate in serving as Pantry Pastors.



**Join us  
May  
24th**

for the first Drive-Up service of the year! The service time will be 8:30 am. There will be a sign-up sheet in the Church Parlor for those who are willing to help.