



# First Presbyterian

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## The Lighted Spire July, 2015 NEWS & CALENDAR

### Upcoming Events and Announcements

**Vacation Bible School**  
**July 13-16 6:30-8:30**  
**There will be no dinner**  
**A light snack will be**  
**served each night**



**Adult and teen helpers are needed!**  
**Registration forms for kids available!**

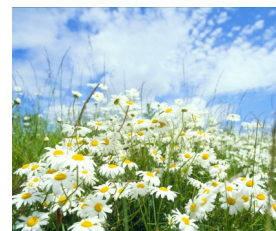
Again, we are partnering with the First Christian Church to provide Vacation Bible School **for all kids ages 3 to 12**. VBS will be held July 13-16 from 6:30-8:30pm at the First Christian Church. To kick-off the week of VBS, there will be a pool party on Sunday, July 12 from 7:30-9:30pm at the Meridian Street Aquatic Center. Everyone is welcome.

Pool party information and volunteer sign up forms are included with this *Lighted Spire*. Adult and teen helpers are needed. Registration forms for the kids are available on the registers at the back of the worship center or from the church office. You can also register by calling First Christian Church at 317-398-4407 or online at [fccshelby.org](http://fccshelby.org).

**There is a need for pop-up tents and rugs to use for the marketplace. If you have these we can borrow, please contact the church office.**

### SHARE YOUR FLOWERS

The D deacons provide fresh flowers for worship on Sunday mornings twice each month. On the other Sundays, we have beautiful artificial arrangements prepared by Mary Ann Wethington. The deacons would like to give you the opportunity to share the flowers you have in your yard. If you would like to share, there is a sign-up chart and instructions on the bulletin board across from the Noah's Ark Room. Simply pick a Sunday and sign up. If you would like to place the flowers in honor of someone or in memory of someone, please let Jane know by Wednesday of the week you are providing flowers so she can include the information in the bulletin.



### WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

We welcome Katie Brammer, Hailley Fulker-son, Brianna Hall, and Ethan Tillison who completed their Confirmation Class and joined the church on May 17, 2015. Check out the bulletin board across from the choir room to see pictures of them with their mentors and take a few minutes to read their Faith Statements. We are pleased to have these young people as members of our congregation.

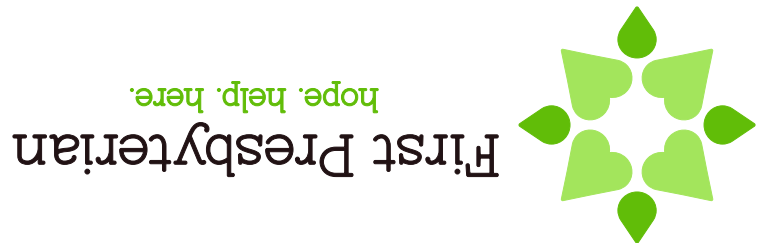
FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT [FPCSHELBYVILLE.ORG](http://FPCSHELBYVILLE.ORG)

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# July 2015

**The Friendship Club and the Youth Group are on a break for the summer. They will resume meeting in August.**



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## Prayer Requests

Betty Alexander	Phil & Linda Howell
Bob Ardery	Ashley Johnson
Shelby Bowers	Daniell Johnson
Clay Browning	Lois Mitchell
Ann Bruner	Bill & Shirley Oeffinger
Vickie Butler	Jamie Orem
Naomi Catt	Sharon Orem
Randi Catt	Marilyn Phares
Charles Craft	Bill Runshe
Sharon Davis	Betty Schnaiter
Bill English	Ron Sethman
John Ervin	Patty Shuler
Bonnie Harris	Bill & Jonita Smith
Marian Hobbs	

## CHURCH FAMILY & FRIENDS

Vicki Alexander, Anthony Ayers, Peg & Paul Binder, Steven Binder, Elizabeth Bir, Wyatt Cameron, Alva Catt Jr., Amanda Catt, Betty Craft, Joe Craft, Bill Collins, John Davison, Cory, Teri, Amber, Britney & Justin Douglass, Esther Gahimer, Julie Harris, Deloris Hassebroek, Ashley Hedges, David Hunton, Jaxon, Jeremy Klakamp, Margaret Newkirk, Betty Nichols, Patricia Overmeyer, Mary Kay Pitts, Janet Roberts, Jon Ross, Natalie Sargent, Nigel Schonfeld, John Scudder, Chera Shaub, Brody Stephens, Peggy Trittipio, Sally Willis, Susan Woolledge

We have t-shirts with our new logo on them which are available for purchase for \$8. The shirts are green with a white logo and right now we have small and large (we can get them in other sizes-see



instructions in this announcement or on the counter in Jane's office). The shirts are in Jane's office. Take the size you need and put your payment in the locked box in the southeast corner of the office. If you write a check, please mark "t-shirt" in the memo section. If we don't have the size you need, there is an order sheet on the counter with a place for your name and the size and number of shirts you need. Be sure to indicate if the size is for a child. We will get more sizes.

## HUMAN SERVICES IN NEED

We received word from Human Services' food pantry. They are still in need of canned fruit, especially pineapple. The Friendship Club noted that our recent canned fruit challenge collected **103 cans of peaches**. We now have a new challenge to try to collect at least that many cans of pineapple! With kids out of school for the summer, there is also a need for one-can meals (like Spaghettios, etc).

## Women of the Cloth (Knitters)

### Fourth Monday of each month

The Women of the Cloth will meet on Monday, July 27 at 1:00pm at the home of Betty Alexander, 1507 Counselor Row. All women are invited to attend. If you like to knit, we are glad to accept your donations of prayer shawls. Call Betty (398-6940) if you have any questions or if you know of someone who needs a prayer shawl.

## CCC 55+

### Lunch on the 4th Tuesday of each month

If there are 55 or more candles on your birthday cake you are invited to join this fun group. Their next gathering will be Tuesday, July 28 at 11:30am at Cagney's Restaurant in Shelbyville.. Please call Judy Mitchell (392-3038) if you have any questions or need a ride.

## SESSION NOTICE

The Elders are reminded that there is no regular Session meeting for the month of July. If any business comes up, we will call a special meeting.

# Vacation Bible School Pool Party Kick-off!



Sunday, July 12  
7:30-9:30pm  
Meridian St Aquatic Center  
Everyone Welcome!

Tear here and return bottom half to church

## VBS VOLUNTEER SIGN UP

Vacation Bible School hosted by First Presbyterian & First Christian Church  
Activities to be held at First Christian, 118 W Washington St

*I want to help!*

My interests are (please circle)

Preparation of Crafts

Games

Greeters & Registration

Set-up

Refreshments

Music

Drama

Crafts

Decorations

Group Leader (orientation date TBA)

Teen helper

Please fill out and place in  
the offering plate, mail to  
the church or leave on  
Jane's desk. Thank you!!



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_