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To be the head, heart and hands of Jesus Christ, driven by God's love for our church and the world beyond.

NEWS & NOTES

June 21, 2019

NOTES FROM NANCY



THIS LITTLE GUY is my 10-week-old Cavalier King Charles Spaniel who will be with me both at home and at church. No, he won't be roaming around the church building, but he will be in his crate when he isn't outside playing with someone. When he gets a little older, I will take him to training classes in the hope

that he will end up being a sort of therapy dog to the congregation, like my last Cavalier.

Since I live alone and spend so much time at church, I suspect that I will be a better pastor with this sweet boy bringing me and others such joy. *If you don't like dogs or you are allergic, just let me know and we can always have meetings or counseling in another room of the church.*

THANK YOU, MIKE STEVENS, for using your skill and artistry to create the lovely, handmade, wooden racks for our name tags! This greatly improves the look of the Narthex.

BUNGIRE OPOTHI will be sworn in as a citizen of the United States of America on Thursday, June 27, at 12:30 p.m. The ceremony will be at the Federal building at 200 West Second Street in downtown Dayton, Ninth Floor, Courtroom 1. He joins his father Ojulu Abela and his sister Rachael Opothi as US citizens.

A NOTE FROM THE INVITATION TEAM

Join us at the Americana Festival, July 4

Southminster will have a booth at the street fair to share with the community our vision statement... to be the head, heart and hands...

How can you help?

Sign up to volunteer for a 1-2 hour shift. There will be a volunteer sign-up sheet in the Narthex.

Uncomfortable about sharing your faith?

Don't worry about that... We are just looking for volunteers that like to meet new people, interact with kids, just be a welcoming, friendly face.

There will be displays from the Mission and Christian Education teams that tell the exciting story of what's happening at Southminster. We plan on having a few giveaways for adults and kids.

Come out and have some fun!

The Invitation Team

EVENTS IN THE COMING WEEK

ED DETTENMAYER MEMORIAL SERVICE

Date: Saturday, June 22, 2019

Time: 11:00 a.m.

Location: Sanctuary/Narthex

There will be no prior calling hours, but a reception will be held in the Narthex after the service. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Southminster's New Mission Projects fund or to the Appalachian Trail Conservancy.

BIBLE STUDY INFORMATIONAL MEETING

Date: Sunday, June 23, 2019

Time: 11:15 am

Location: Hospitality Room

Would you be interested in participating in a basic adult bible study? If so, please join the Adult Education Committee for a brief informational meeting. If you cannot attend, please call or email Steve Davis at (937) 885-0574, Steve.Davis@ThompsonHine.com, to let us know of your interest.

DEPRESSION AND ANXIETY SUPPORT GROUP

Date: Wednesday, June 26

Time: 6:30 pm

Location: Adult Lounge

Join us the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month for group support. Questions? Contact Facilitator Ryan Battelle at 436-0561.

For additional upcoming events, be sure to visit our [website](#)

GROWTH GROUPS

GROUNDING IN CREED

Facilitated by Steve Davis

Day: Sunday mornings through July 14

Time: 8:45-9:45am

Location: Adult Lounge

There will be no class on Sunday, June 30, 2019. Go to our [website](#) for more information.

CHILDREN AND YOUTH

We have 84 children coming next week for VBS and we are in desperate need of a few more volunteers.

Are you able to help? Let's give these children and their families an awesome experience with Southminster Presbyterian Church.

Contact Kim at kim@sminster.com or call the church at 937-433-1810.

Visit our website for information about Southminster's [Children's ministry](#) or [Youth ministry](#)

TORNADO RELIEF

WAYS YOU CAN HELP WITH TORNADO RELIEF

The Mission team has put together a three-pronged response to the damaging tornadoes that hit the Dayton area on Memorial Day.

1) Collections

Collected items will be dropped off at St. Margaret's Episcopal Church. See the table below for our weekly item requests.

Collection Date/item(s)

23-Jun toiletries

30-Jun baby items

7-Jul toys

14-Jul School supplies...binders/notebooks*

21-Jul School supplies...binders/notebooks*

28-Jul School supplies...binders/notebooks*

*not just crayons and coloring books

Backpack Assembly date TBD

2) Meals for displaced individuals/families

Over 6 weeks we will be assembling, delivering and serving meals to the College Hill Presbyterian Church, St. Margaret's Episcopal and Corinthian Baptist Church in the Trotwood area, which was hit hard by the tornadoes.

3) Clean-up

A third arm of our relief efforts is continued clean-up efforts.

Join us each Saturday morning in the church parking lot (near the pavilion) at 9AM. We will meet and then head to the affected areas for continued clean-up efforts. What to bring: work shoes, work gloves, 5-gallon buckets and a rake. To contact us for

any of these programs, please reach out to us at
Mission@sminster.com

Thank you for your continued support in our relief efforts!

CONTRIBUTIONS

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