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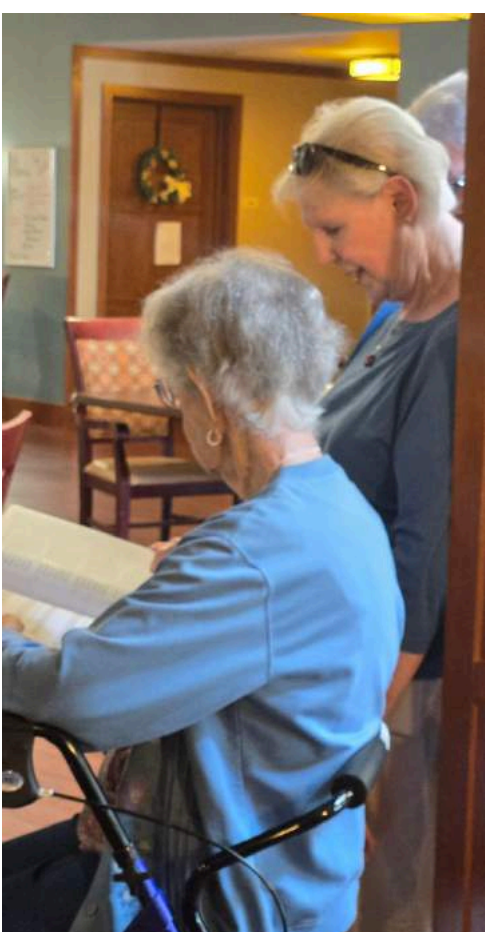
“The Homeplace”

“Do Not cast me off in the time of old age;
do not forsake me when my strength is spent.”

Psalm 71: 9

An important part of the Christian Churches (DOC) of Kentucky is their affiliation with the *Christian Care Communities*. This organization has several Senior Retirement Living Communities in Kentucky including “*The Homeplace*.” which is an important asset to our Midway community. Not only because it has created jobs for our area but has offered Midway residents a place to stay in their community as they need more assistance and care as they age. Unfortunately, the residents don’t always have the opportunity to attend their local churches each Sunday and a televised version is not often available. Graciously our Midway Christian Church understands the importance of this issue and creates a traveling Worship Service every other month or more.

On Sunday, June 30th, Rev. Dr. Heather McColl and several members of the Midway Christian Church spent some very important time with a group of assisted living residents at “*The Homeplace*” here in Midway. Teena Chinn, MCC Music Director, enjoyed bringing live music and hymns to share. Dr. Heather McColl shared a service with scripture, prayer and communion along with several of our church members’ assistance. Time was spent after the service visiting and connecting with our neighbors and friends who are residents. Church members and residents enjoyed both the service and fellowship with each other, creating a wonderful sense of Community for all.



Happy
4th of July

WORSHIP THEMES FOR JULY

Sunday, July 7, 2024

Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

Scripture: Genesis 24: 1 - 67

Title: “The Marriage of Isaac
and Rebekah”

Sunday, July 14, 2024

Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

Scripture: Genesis 25: 19 - 34

Title: “The Birth of Jacob and Esau”

Sunday, July 21, 2024

Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

Scripture: Genesis 28: 10 - 19a

Title: “Jacobs Dream at Bethel”

Sunday, July 28, 2024

Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

Guest Speaker: Bill McDonald

Scripture: To Be Announced

Title:

Keenagers

Our 55+ Group

Will be traveling again to enjoy Lunch and Fellowship
on

Thursday July 18th
our destination this month is

The Trustee's Table Shaker Village of Pleasant Hill

Near Harrodsburg

Sign up Board is at Church Office door or call Office. If you need a ride just
comment on the list. Bring a friend if you wish,

SERVING THIS MONTH

Elders:

Dick Murphy
Etta Manor

Worship Leaders:

7/7: Jeanne Clark
7/14: Karen Murphy
7/21: Carl Rollins
7/28: Janine Damran

Technology:

James Batts, Ray Clark,
Dick Murphy

MCC Grief Group

Something that we all have in common are emotions. Unfortunately Grief is one of them. Whether it be from the loss of a loved one, divorce, loss or change of employment or even accidents, during our lifetime we will experience several episodes of grief. There are times we just need some help understanding or companionship of others to aid us in the process. MCC along with member Cindy Batts has established a time each month for us to gather together and just share our feelings and our steps forward. The company of those who understand can at times be such a blessing. If it's just a shoulder to weep on, hearing how others have dealt with things or a story to make us smile awhile, community makes us stronger.

So, come be a part of this interesting, understanding and loving community here at Midway Christian Church. We invite ALL, members and non-members. Everyone is welcome. The Group meets every 3rd Sunday evening at 6:30pm in the Fellowship hall. For more information contact the church office.

MCC LEADERSHIP

There will be No Leadership
Meetings during
the month of July



Midway Christian Church
takes the month of July
for Sabbath.

No regularly scheduled
Meetings will happen.
See you on Sunday's

Enjoy your Sabbath rest!

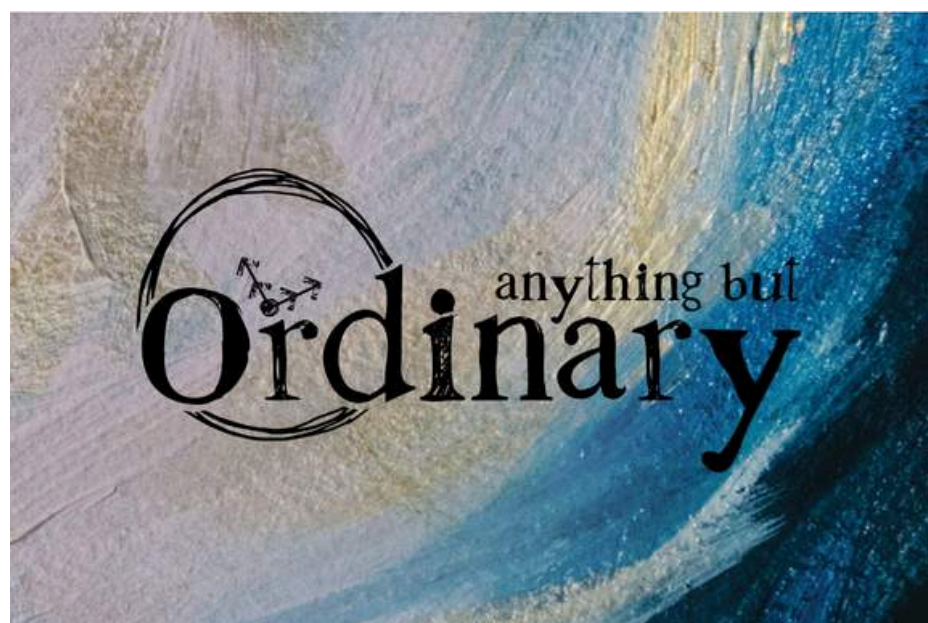
Budget Update

Budgeted to Date: \$ 164,000.00
Received to Date: \$ 173,141.78

Summer Worship Series: “Anything But Ordinary”

The summer is considered a season of Ordinary Time in the life of the Church—a season in between the mystifying resurrection of Jesus at Easter, and Jesus’ birth, visited anew, at Advent. The lectionary texts for these weeks follow the family narratives of Abraham, which are stories that make the title “ordinary” seem laughable.

Ordinary time is punctuated by a God who keeps showing up—persistently, creatively, and lovingly—in ways that are surprising, transformative, joyful, reconciling, and unifying. The movement of the Spirit is anything but ordinary.



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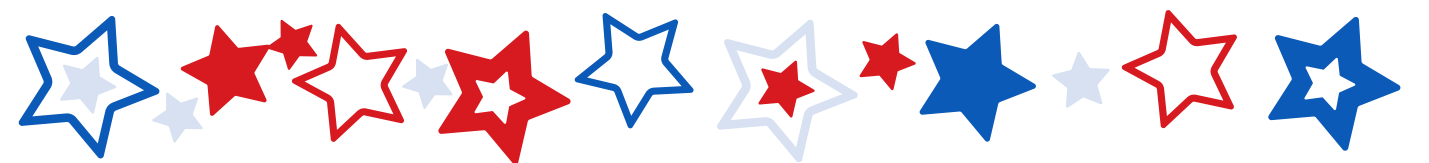
More July Events

Wednesday, July, 10, 17, 24, 31
Choir Practice 7:00 pm

Thursday, July 18th
Keenagers
meet at church 10:30 am

Sunday, July 21st
Grief Group
6:30 pm in Fellowship Hall

No Community Dinner in July



Woodford County Food Pantry

Midway Christian Church has been asked to provide these items for the Food Pantry:

- Toilet Paper
 - Shampoo
 - Shaving Cream
 - Soap/Body Wash
 - Feminine Hygiene
 - Foot Powder
 - Deodorant
 - Toothpaste/Brushes
- Canned potatoes, canned pastas, heat & eat meals are always needed.

Please add these items to your shopping list, and drop them in the box in the narthex, or take them to:
20 Field of Dreams, Versailles

Midway Christian Church
123 East Bruen Street #4548
Midway, KY 40347-4548

Return Service Requested



Sunday Worship
10:55 a.m.
In-person and Virtual



Church Staff

Rev. Dr. Heather W. McColl - Minister
Susan McClees - Communications Coordinator
Teena Chinn - Music Director
Jestine Johnson - Custodian
James Batts - Audio Visual Technician
Karen Murphy - Book Keeper



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