

CHURCH OFFICERS

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Class of 2022

Vicki Born

Class of 2023

Leslie Gilreath

Marlene Smith

Class of 2024

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Deacons

Class of 2022

J. Michael Hall

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Mary Bartels

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MISSION STATEMENT

We, the members of Fairplain Presbyterian Church, rejoice in God's grace and redeeming love through Jesus Christ. We believe we have been called as God's children to create an open and welcoming community, to worship and praise God, and to nurture and support each other. We are called to develop our God-given gifts and to equip ourselves to reach out to the world in love and compassion. Thus prepared, we will share our faith, preach the gospel, feed the hungry, and be peacemakers according to God's will.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

May 22 - 29

TODAY:

9:30 am – Worship (In-Person & Live Stream

Refreshments

Deacon's Meeting

5:00 pm – Recitals & Refreshments

THURSDAY:

1:30 pm – Food Pantry

YouthWorks Leaders arrive

SUNDAY:

9:30 am – Worship (In Person & Live Streaming)

Refreshments

May 22

Liturgist: Kristen Schell

Director of Music: Vladimir Slavujevic

Pianist: Muyu Zou

Sound Technician: J. Michael Hall

Video Technician: Bill Cundiff

Nursery: Jody Pauley

May 29

Liturgist: Kim Edinger

Director of Music: Vladimir Slavujevic

Pianist: Muyu Zou

Sound Technician: J. Michael Hall

Video Technician: Bill Cundiff

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Prayer Requests & Joys: If you have prayer requests that you would like to leave as a voicemail to be played on Sunday morning, you can text or call 269-332-1118 to leave a message, and we will play it on Sunday morning.

Prayers (5/15/22): Audrey Yates, Rosemary Holloway's sister (having difficulty breathing due to Covid and doing dialysis; families of the victims of the Buffalo, NY white supremacist terrorist attack.

Prayers (5/8/22): Rob Barker had successful eye surgery; Sally Barker may still need surgery; Sheppard doing better but still at Lakeland Hospital; Vicki Born requests prayers for the women of our country Roe vs. Wade.

Prayers (5/1/22): Leslie Gilreath thanks everyone for continued prayers, kind words and food; Marlene Smith's niece, Melanie (has preeclampsia, and baby will be born early 5/2/22); Pat Smith, Whitcomb.

Prayers (4/17/22): Mark Junk, neighbor of the Wendels, possible liver transplant.

Prayers (4/10/22): Pat Smith – cards may be mailed to Pat c/o Kim Edinger, 518 Howard Ave., St. Joseph MI 49085; friend of Mary Bartels.

Prayers (4/3/22): Family of Michael Hall and his sister Michelle, passing of their father, John "Mike" Hall.

Phyllis Myers' cousin, recent passing; Augie Meyer, moved to the Whitcomb; Leslie Gilreath, chemotherapy began March 31.

Prayers for Ukraine

ANNOUNCEMENTS

JUNE NEWSLETTER: The deadline for articles for the June newsletter is no later than Monday, May 23. Thank you – Linda Cogswell.

RECITAL: Vladimir's students will be having a recital at our church today beginning at 5:00 pm in the Sanctuary. The music will include piano, voice, guitar and ukulele. Refreshments will be served following the recitals.

REFRESHMENTS: There is a May sign-up sheet for making refreshments on Sunday morning. If you would like to sign up, please do so on the sheet on table where refreshments are served. Thanks – Linda.

NEW DEVOTIONALS: The Deacons have ordered 10 copies of the 2022 annual Guidepost large-print devotional. There are 5 devotionals left if you would like a copy, please contact Linda in the church office and she'll put your name on a copy and you can pick up by the name tags. Thank you.

PICTORIAL DIRECTORY: Our church is putting together a new Pictorial Directory. You should have received an email to get your permission to use your photo in the directory. There is a permission form that needs to be completed that was sent in the email and extras are provided on the easel in the Courtyard for your use. For those persons who do not have email Linda will be calling you soon. The deadline to submit your form is no later than June 30 via email or the church office.

Where He Leads me



1. I can hear my Sa - vior cal - ling, I can
2. I'll go with him through the gar - den, I'll go
3. I'll go with him through the judg - ment, I'll go
4. He will give me grace and glo - ry, He will



hear my Sa - vior cal ling, I can hear my Sa - vior
with him through the gar den, I'll go with him through the
with him through the judg ment, I'll go with him through the
give me grace and glo - ry, He will give me grace and



cal ling, "Take thy cross and fol - low, fol - low me."
gar den, I'll go with him, with him all the way.
judg ment, I'll go with him, with him all the way.
glo - ry, and go with me, with me all the way.

Refrain



Where he leads me I will fol low, where he leads me I will



fol - low, where he leads me I will



fol low, I'll go with him, with him all the way.