

## Welcome to Community of Faith Presbyterian Church

Our purpose is to be a **community of faith** serving in the likeness of Christ. We aspire to *servanthood* in order to be faithful to our calling as Christians. We work both as individuals and in community to live faithful lives in response to that calling. We believe that we are saved by faith in order to speak the gospel of Jesus Christ our Lord and do God's work in the world

**Sunday Mornings** Sunday School begins at 9:40am. Fellowship & refreshments are available at 10:30. Adults as well as children are invited to **worship together at 11:00am**. Clipboards and crayons for young worshipers are available near the Sanctuary doors. Everyone is welcome! Information about our ministry, mission and activities is available in the communication center near the front doors. Visitors are invited to sign the guest register.

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Pastor	Rev. Sharon D. Carter
Music Director	Joanna Bailey
Musicians	Roy Miller—Bass
Administration & Property	
Christian Education	
Clerk of Session	Dawn Ramsey Farwick
Commissioner to Presbytery	William Lindsay
Congregational Care	Jean Jennings
Mission	William Lindsay
Nominating Committee	Becky Lindsay
Co-Treasurers	Matt Hastings & Kim Suer
Worship	

### Elders

<b>Class of 2017</b>	<b>Class of 2018</b>	<b>Class of 2019</b>
Christian Addison	Dawn Farwick	Erika Berry
John (Jack) Kleier	Jean Jennings	Jim Berry
Joanna Bailey	Bill Lindsay	Jo Shade

Trustees Class of 2019: Harry Eagan, Bill Lindsay

### Deacons

<b>Class of 2017</b>	<b>Class of 2018</b>	<b>Class of 2019</b>
Lynda Jaeger	Freda Carlin	Dan Farwick
Sharon Carlin	Jeff Carter	Angie Hurt
Janet Stadtmiller	Carol Schomaker	

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**Rev. Sharon can be reached by phone or e-mail.**

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### Sunday Schedule:

Sunday School 9:40 am; Fellowship 10:30am; Service 11:00am

**Choir Rehearsal each Wednesday at 7:00pm**

www.COFNKY.org (859) 331-3238

# Sunday, February 26, 2017

## The lessons for Sunday,

### March 5, 2017

Gen. 2:15-17; 3:1-7;

Psalm 32;

Rom. 5:12-19;

Matt. 4:1-11

## Upcoming Events

Feb. 26—Deacon meeting after service

March 1—Ash Wednesday

March 5—1st Sunday in Lent

March 14—Session Meeting 6:45pm

March 20-21—Cornerstone Project

March 23—Mission Meeting 7:30



**Please pray for:** Nancy Ziegler, Betty Murphy, Shirley Weigel, Ruth and Jack Roeber, The McDermott family, Howard Story, Donna Kreicker, Johanna Willis, Nita Kleier, Inky Hall, David Weitzel, Joanna Bailey, Jean Jennings' family, Mary Lee Harrison, Emille Walden, Deborah Grover, Kelly Montana, Margaret Meyer, Paula Reinhart, Kittie Dupps and please pray for our Nicaragua Delegation.

**Today** following the service, there will be a **Deacon Meeting** in the parlor.

**Lent begins March 1<sup>st</sup>** and we will once again be having the Lenten Evenings Bible Study, on Wednesdays at 5:30 with a light supper and study. Watch this space for more information!

**Volunteers** We need liturgists for 2017! The liturgist assists Rev. Sharon in the worship service each Sunday. You don't have to be an Elder to be a liturgist. If you are interested in helping, please sign the list in the narthex, call the church office or talk with Rev. Sharon.

### **Cornerstone Project Monday March 20th and Tuesday March 21st.**

As we begin our mission year of 2017, we have re-committed ourselves to working at the Cornerstone Ministry, with food service, every other month. As usual, Cheryl Massey and the Cornerstone mission team need some help from COF members. No long-term commitment is required. Monday March 20th food preparation will be done, beginning about 3:30 p.m. in COF's kitchen. On Tuesday, March 21st, at 5:30 p.m. we will leave from COF to go to Cornerstone, at 10<sup>th</sup> and Madison, to serve the food. Please contact Cheryl (229-942-2478; cmassey@gmail.com) or Bill Lindsay (859-331-0817; drlindsay@fuse.net), Mission Team member, if you have any questions. Otherwise, just show up, for a fun time together!

**Mission Team Meeting** Thursday, March 23rd at 7:30pm in the parlor. Everyone is welcome!

## 2017 Nicaragua Water Announcement

Again in 2017, the Session has authorized a special offering to be taken for the 2017 Nicaragua Water project. The specific recipients will be the water committee for the village of Empalme de la Cruz Verde (Junction of the Green Cross)

Here, in their own words (translated), is what their problem and proposed solution is: **In our community we have a population of 1,000 people and 240 families, of which 220 houses are being served. The problem we face is that we do not have small water meters to regulate consumption of users since there are many who are inconsiderate and spend water without limits, or without thinking to not stop the flow. We must raise awareness of other brothers' needs. We as the Committee for potable water and sanitation (CAPS) do not have the economic capacity to purchase the meters ... For this reason we placed our attention on you [the Nicaragua partners – ed.], asking for your support in the framework of its possibilities. What we need to solve the problem is to obtain 220 small water meters at an average cost of C\$ 850 cordobas each (\$30 U.S.) which in total would be C\$ 187,000 cordobas = \$6,600 U.S.**

Our Kentucky Ductape Nicaragua partners, of which Dawn and Dan Farwick and Bill Lindsay are representatives from COF, have set a goal to fund the purchase of these meters. We are getting close to the \$6,600 goal. COF's donations can put us "over the top." Any additional funds raised [by the partner churches] over-and above the total need, would be applied to new water projects that might arise in 2018. The offering will be taken at COF on each of the Sundays in February. Make out your checks to COF Presbyterian or place cash in a pew envelope and mark the envelope and/or the check to "Nicaragua Water Project." The Ductape team will leave on Tuesday, February 28.

