# COMMUNITY OF FAITH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH JUNE 21, 2020

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## Scriptures for Sunday, June 28

Genesis 22:1–14 Psalm 13 Romans 6:12–23 Matthew 10:40–42

## In Our Thoughts & Prayers

Nancy Ziegler
Betty Murphy
Shirley Weigel
Ruth Roeber
The McDermott family
Johanna Willis
Nita Kleier
Joanna Bailey
Jean Jennings' family
Emille Walden
Kelly Montana
Margaret Meyer
Lynda Jaeger
Sandi Brown
Kittie Dupps

#### **Upcoming Worship Services**

We're planning to hold drive-in worship services at least through June. You may bring lawn chairs and sit in front of your car if you want. <u>Guidelines for attending include:</u>

- 1. Cars in every other space—to be marked by tape to indicate which spaces to park in. (Volunteers to help with this would be welcome.)
- 2. People can sit in lawn chairs in front of their cars.
- Social distancing of 6 feet must be maintained, including kids
- 4. For Communion, people may bring their own elements and we will have extra kits in case someone forgets.
- 5. A greeter or greeters will meet cars in the circle, direct them where to park, check to see if they need communion supplies or kid's bulletins (volunteers would be welcome—you will need to wear a mask).

### A "Trifecta" of Giving Opportunities

In this unprecedented time of the Coronavirus pandemic, requests for donations come at us from every side. Your Mission team suggests that we concentrate our giving on a "Trifecta" of known causes and non-profit organizations, with which we have had strong ties for many years. We invite you to contribute to one, two, or all three of this Trifecta of causes.

#### The opportunities for giving include:

- Pentecost offering (one of the 4 "special" annual offerings to the PCUSA), with 40% staying with COF for local causes for at-risk children, such as CLASP)
- BeConcerned, a food bank, serving Covington and Kenton County
- Nicaragua, helping our mission partner, CEPAD, to survive in order to serve rural communities struggling to cope with the COVID crisis.

Donate by sending your checks, with the selected cause(s) on the memo line to the church at 1400 Highland Pike, Covington, KY 41011. Or, give online by Control-clicking on the GIVE NOW button, on the COF web page. Choose the "Other" giving category, online, and indicate which of the cause(s) you've selected, or all three, in a note.

#### **Outdoor Plants**

The session would like to invite you to have any of the outdoor plants that you would like, provided that you are willing and able to dig them up and take them away. In front of the glass hallway are many daffodil bulbs, some lambs ear, a yucca plant, some red calla lilies, and more items just waiting for a new home. Near the labyrinth there are iris bulbs, and outside of the fellowship hall are other plants that you might want. We'd hate to see them dug up and thrown away when the building is torn down, so please come and take what you want. First come, first served! The deadline is July 31.