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Sedgefield United Methodist Church

2830 Dorchester Place Charlotte, NC 28209

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Rev. Tom Stinson-Wesley, Pastor

### **Missions Awareness**

This Sunday members of our Missions Committee will be leading in worship by serving Communion and by sharing what their involvement in missions has meant to them. The Missions Committee strives to provide meaningful mission opportunities to our entire church family and seeks to encourage everyone to be involved.

### Meet our Missions Committee members:



Jean Brewer



Jean Fostvedt



Mike Grimes



Ellen Lankford



Tom Little



Rob Neill



Mike Rowe Chair



Pastor Tom



Pam Walker

### **Reflections From Pastor Tom**

Dear Friends,

This Sunday is Pentecost Sunday and I will be preaching on the story of Pentecost, Acts 2:1-21. My title will be "Playing With Fire."

At Pentecost, one of the prominent images is fire. Interestingly enough, there was no actual fire present. "Divided tongues, <u>as of fire</u>, appeared among them." Nevertheless, fire is associated with Pentecost - the power of fire and the contagious nature of it. The Holy Spirit moved among the disciples and among the people gathered there like wildfire.

Fire is powerful and dangerous. Fire can be helpful but also can be destructive. We have to take care in working with fire. The same is somewhat true with God's Spirit and the power of faith. We can do much good but also much evil in the name of religion.

Blessings, Pastor Tom

This Sunday in Worship

June 5, 2022 10:30 a.m.

Missions Emphasis

Sermon: Playing With Fire Acts 2:1-21

Holy Communion

### **Disposable Razor Drive**

From now through Father's Day (June 19) we are collecting disposable razors for Charlotte Rescue Mission. Packaged razors can be left in the basket in the narthex.



### **Pop Tab Collection for Ronald McDonald House**





Each four pounds of pop tops covers the cost of a family's food and lodging for one day.

Tabs Collected in April: 5.7 pounds

Drop Off Location: 2830 Sunset Drive

### **Altar Flowers**

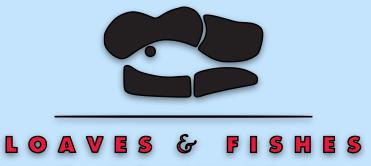
Our altar flowers on Sunday,
June 5 have been given in
celebration of the **57th**anniversary of **Larry & Jan Payne**and in honor of Jan's
upcoming birthday on July 4.



### **Keyboard Update**

We have previously shared with you the need to replace the keyboard in our sanctuary. Currently donations totaling \$1,385 have been received. The estimated cost to replace the keyboard is between \$2,000-\$3,000. If you would like to contribute towards the purchase of a keyboard, mark your donation for "keyboard". And, if you would like to honor someone by naming them when you donate, please contact the <a href="mailto:church office">church office</a>.





**Groceries for Neighbors in Need** 

As a part of our Holy Communion observance, you are asked to bring non-perishable food items this Sunday. Most needed products are:

canned meat
canned fruit (low sugar)
peanut butter
pasta (boxed or canned)
canned vegetables (low sodium)

The collection of non-perishable food items is an ongoing project of our Missions Committee. Collection baskets are in the lobby each Sunday. Donations can also be dropped off anytime the church office is open.



### Sunday June 5 Wear Red

Sedgefield will celebrate Pentecost on Sunday, June 5. You are invited to wear red.

# REGISTER NOW FOR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL



JULY 25-29 9:30 - 12:30

PARTICIPANTS and VOLUNTEERS are asked to register as soon as possible.

TO REGISTER VISIT:

https://vbspro.events/p/events/dcc340

# SEDGEFIELD ONLINE

full Service Replay

WISIT: www.sedgefieldchurch.org/sermons

### Ways to Give Your Offerings to Sedgefield UMC



### Online Through

sedgefieldchurch.org

Make a credit card or electronic contribution.



#### **Bank Draft**

Set up automatic contributions through your bank's Online Bill Pay.



#### **Church**

Mail your check to:

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# CALENDAR

### ► Church Council Meeting ◀

Thursday, June 9, 2022 7:00 p.m. Fellowship Hall

### ▶ Church-Wide & Neighborhood Cookout ◀

Saturday, June 25, 2022 11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Front Lawn





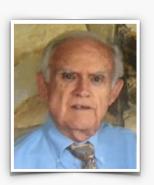
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