#### The Parish Caller \* June 12th, 2020

# First Congregational Church

Thank You for your Thoughtfulness A note from Sarah Andrews

### Hello to everyone at FCC/UCC!

Recently, after graduating from NAU, I received a generous graduation gift from the Prescott FCC Women's Fellowship. I am so grateful for this gift, and am reminded of the scholarship I was awarded a couple of years ago by them as well. Thanks in part to this scholarship, I had the support I needed to succeed in school and persist through difficult courses and semesters like this last one. The generous spirit of FCC is one of the many reasons I call it home, even when I am far away. I miss being with all of you and can't wait until we can all be together again! Be well and stay safe and connected! Love, Sarah Andrews

# JUNE MISSION NEWS

*Our June Mission Emphasis will help support two projects.* 



- 1. The Yavapai Food Bank----they are providing food boxes for approximately 400 families/week. Additionally, through their "Start Right" program, they will be providing school supplies for students K-12.
- 2. Our denomination's "Strengthen the Church" offering. Donations support new church development, creative ministries directed to youth, to spiritual development, and to projects engaging today's challenging issues.

On-going ministries: We are grateful for the volunteers of our church family who

regularly help pack food boxes for the Prescott Community Cupboard. Angela Imbierowicz is our captain. So too, are we thankful for those who monthly help to provide an evening meal for women and children being sheltered at PASS. Patty Gard is our captain.

As always, thank you for remembering that we are blessed to be a blessing. (Genesis 12: 2) Questions or comments can be directed to; Becky or Bill Bryant, Helaine Berman, Linda Moore, Patty Gard, Staci Robbins, or Gary Gard, chairperson.

## PASTOR JAY'S SABBATICAL

A TIME TO SLOW DOWN FOR REFLECTION



Pastor Jay will continue with his planned 2020 sabbatical over the summer months. The sabbatical committee has prepared a brochure to share information about his sabbatical. It will also be helpful in answering your questions about how church will operate in his absence.

A digital copy of the brochure is available on the Church website, in the Resources area, <u>http://www.fccprescott.org/sabatical</u>.

Paper copies of the brochure will be available; please call the church office to get a copy mailed to you. Peace, Staci

Here is a look at the summer ahead:

- Sabbatical Schedule of Sundays Guest
  Preachers
- Ralph first 2 Sundays in June
- Gary last 2 Sundays of June
- Lloyd first 2 Sundays of July
- Bill last 2 Sundays of July
- Harry first Sunday of August
- Jane second and third Sundays of August
- Michael Friday (Ralph's professor friend from New Jersey via recording) - fourth

# SUPPORT YOUR CHURCH DURING CORONAVIRUS!

- Online go to our website: <u>www.fccprescott.</u> <u>ora</u> and look for the tab on the front page
- You can set up regular, ongoing giving or one-time giving.
- Use your credit card and get some points!
- Your bank may have free online bill pay. You find the tab on your online account, fill in the details of the check as you would a regular check, and the bank mail will mail it for you! You can set up a onetime check or recurring scheduled check amount.
- Mail a check out to the church and mail it to 216 East Gurley Street, Prescott, AZ 86301

The church office is closed going forward, however, someone will pick up the mail on a daily basis to place checks into the safe.

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