



# The Circuit Rider

June 2018

You are cordially invited to join us in all of our events and activities each and every week. Activities are open to all, not just members. Come on in, be with us, there's God's work to be done with your help.



## Cadence of a Deep Call: A Call to Remember the Steadfast Love of God

Everything changes. The wind changes its direction each time it blows. The clouds change their shape every second, every minute. The leaves on the tree change every season, every month, every day and every moment. Water flowing from the mountain to the ocean changes when it runs down to the river. Even the rocks change their shape, their components as they are exposed to wind, rain, lightening and fire. Every thing in life changes; there is nothing in life that stands still. Hindu Poet Tagore once said, "We cannot bathe in the same river twice."

Man changes, too! From the moment we are born to the moment when we take our last breath, we all change physically, emotionally, psychologically and spiritually. Sometimes we wonder whether there is anything that does not change at all. We are yearning for constancy. We are looking for solid conviction for the absolute truth. We want to see the unshakable truth, unswerving love and the firm foundation.

Jesus' words will never change! Jesus is the same: yesterday, today and forever. Jesus said, "Do not think I have come to abolish the laws. I have come to fulfill the laws. Heaven and earth will pass away but not one letter, not one stroke of a letter will pass away until all is accomplished." (*Matthew 5:17-18*). God spoke to the prophet Isaiah, "Surely, people are grass. Grass withers and flowers fade when the breath of the Lord blows upon it, but the Word of God stands forever." (*Isaiah 40:7-8*)

We can be comforted with the constant Word of God. The constant Word of God is the steadfast love of God. God will not leave us or forsake us in any situation. His love for us will never change. We may grow old; we may not feel as strong as we used to feel. But, nothing in life separates us from the steadfast love of Christ.

In His name, Preacher Won



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### Sunday Services

8:30 AM Praise & Worship  
9:45 AM Sunday School  
11:00 AM Traditional

***Camp United Methodist Church is a community of faith whose mission is to seek and to serve God by praying, preaching and teaching the Gospel, making disciples and serving others.***

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# UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

The Newsletter Team will now be doing the newsletter. You will notice some changes. If you have ideas for the newsletter or would like to be a part of the team, contact:

Jeanne Frederick (beanjeeby@gmail.com),

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Susan Ballard (susan-ballard@hotmail.com).

We encourage you to consider reporting about activities, projects, meetings, that your group, class, journey group or team may have. Help with our efforts would be appreciated. The deadline for articles is the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month. A mail slot for the newsletter is in the work room.

Thanks to Tamy, Chicky Wallace and Jay Combs for taking pictures and a very special thank you to Robin Farmer who has been a helpful, patient, kind and expert guide for us as we've taken on this project.



## Member SPOTLIGHT: Jean Burdick Miller

Many of you already know long-time Camp member Jean Miller. **BUT**, did you know . . .

Jean was born on August 16, 1929, in the tiny town of Spenser, WV. Shortly thereafter, her family moved to Clay County, WV where her father worked in the oil fields till he retired. Her older brother and sister would often take her to school with them where she was spoiled with treats and affection. When left behind, she would stand at the window screaming at the injustice. After memorizing her "Baby Ray" Primer, her parents relented and sent her to school at age 5 where she flourished.

Jean received a Nursing Degree and worked for St. Francis Hospital in Charleston, WV for over 30 years. She married Jimmy Miller on May 18, 1949, and they lived in St. Albans, WV where Jimmy was an engineer with Union Carbide. In 1983, they moved to NC and settled in Brierwood. Unfortunately, Jimmy was diagnosed with Asbestosis and passed away in March, 1990. Jean had been invited to come to Camp many times by her good friends Don and Charlotte Pringle. She finally came one Sunday, met Pastor George Speake and his wife Myra and knew she had finally found her church home. She has been a member since June 13, 1993.

Always keeping busy, Jean is involved with the Memorial Committee, Altar Guild and Prayer Ministry. She has taken it upon herself to send weekly sermons recorded on CD's to people who cannot attend Sunday service or who have moved away but still have a strong connection to Camp - many of whom do not have access to a computer or the internet.

Jean has been a Volunteer Coordinator for Odell Williamson Auditorium since 2003 and was a long-time member of the Pilot Club. She has received many awards including, "Outstanding Citizen of the Year" from the Rotary and "Volunteer of the Year" from BCC. Jean has lovingly sacrificed many hours to her community and her church and in 2016, John and Carolyn Jones started a \$25,000 nursing scholarship in her honor. The 3<sup>rd</sup> recipient of this scholarship graduated in May.

When not volunteering, Jean's hobbies include: quilting, reading, and collecting old movies.

Jean has 4 children: Emily (TN), Sandra (WV), Terri (FL) and Mark (GA); 9 Grandchildren and 6 Great Grandchildren.



## MUSICAL NOTES FROM WES & BETSY



### SUMMER CHOIR SCHEDULE

As we move into the summer months, our Adult Choir will be practicing on Sunday mornings around 10:30 AM in the Youth and Family Center. We invite **YOU** to come and join our summer choir as we prepare to help others in worship. What a wonderful time to come and join our great group of singers! If you need a nudge or push, just call Wes or Betsy - and they will give you all the details that you need and also the added push!!

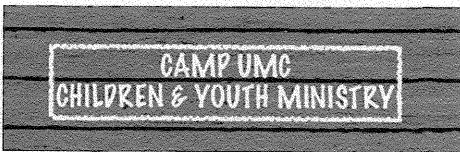
### LAKE JUNALUSKA MUSIC AND WORSHIP ARTS WEEK

The Wards will be attending the Lake Junaluska MUSIC WEEK on June 24<sup>th</sup>. This event is sponsored by The Fellowship of United Methodists in Music and Worship Arts. Wes was a former treasurer of the national Fellowship. Wes and Betsy have been attending the MUSIC WEEK at Lake Junaluska each year since 1974 - and each year they gain valuable information to share with you. They have experienced many outstanding clinicians that they have met through the years! What a thrill to be at beautiful Lake Junaluska with great music!! After the Lake Junaluska conference is over, the Wards will travel to Montreat and participate in their final worship service on Friday night! We just might obtain some good ideas from the Presbyterians!

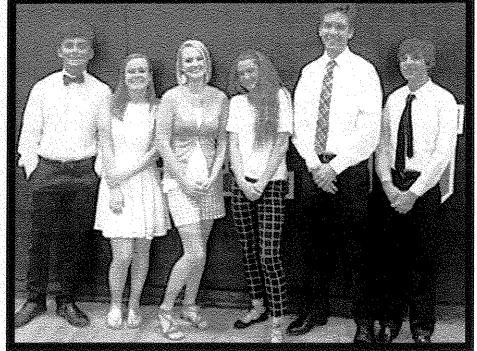
### GREECE TRIP PLANNED FOR 2019



Plan to join the Wards on their 2019 trip to THE GREEK ISLANDS: MYKONOS, SANTORINI, CRETE and ATHENS. The trip is planned for May 19-June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019 and will take in the rich culture and history of Greece's storied islands. Their guide, Ronen Raz, is an outstanding tour director, who has a PhD. from Princeton, speaks 7 languages, is from Israel, lives in Paris, and has common sense! How can you beat these qualities?!! Ronen will meet us at the airport in Athens and will be with us until he puts us back on the airplane for our trip home! If you are interested in joining the Wards on this



Our Children and Youth continue to impress us with their faithfulness and enthusiasm for the Lord. We've been blessed to witness baptisms and new members join our church. The youth were fantastic in leading worship service and serving communion the Sunday after Easter. We are having a wonderful time during children's church as well on Sunday Mornings. It is exciting to see the Lord at work in these young lives.



We are very proud of each member of our youth group and the accomplishments they continue to achieve. They are growing into amazing young adults!



We are selling these newly designed magnets for \$5.00 each. Please show your love for our church by supporting our children and youth ministry when you purchase these from us. Also, t-shirts are still for sale, all you have to do is place an order and we will get it to you!



**SUMMER KICK OFF**  
June 13<sup>th</sup>  
5:00 PM - 7:00 PM



**VBS**  
June 18<sup>th</sup> - June 22<sup>nd</sup>  
5:30 PM - 8:00 PM

As summer approaches, we look forward to some exciting opportunities to spend time together with the children, youth and their parents at Ocean Isle Beach. We look forward to these gatherings of food, fun and fellowship by the ocean!

"We are gearing up for VBS and our youth will be there to assist with crafts each night. So parents, please continue to sign your little ones up and invite your friends to join us. You can also sign up by visiting our VBS website at:

[www.cokesburyvbs.com/campumc](http://www.cokesburyvbs.com/campumc)

Sheena Cartrette, Youth Pastor



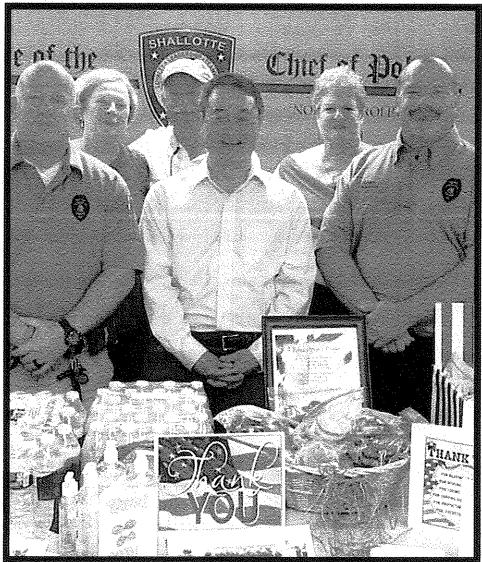
# OUTREACH NEWS

## POLICE APPRECIATION WEEK May 13th - May 19th

On May 14th, thanks to the generosity of our congregation, members of the Outreach Team and Preacher Won were able to deliver cards, cookies, bottled water, hand sanitizers, a framed Police Officer's Prayer and an Infrared Gun Thermometer to the Shallotte Police Department.

On May 22nd, 19 crocheted prayer squares, made by Joyce Baughman and Linda Troutman, were presented to the police department.

The police officers were grateful for the gifts and above all for our prayers and our appreciation.



Captain Gravino, Preacher Won, Chief Branning  
Barbara & Howard Varnum, Barbara Votik

## Hospice Meals of Love

**Next meal needed on June 15th** Meals should be for about 12 people and be ready to serve. Meals should be delivered in disposable containers.

**Breakfast** can be delivered any time after 8:00 AM  
**Lunch** between 11:00 & 12:00  
**Dinner** around 5:00 PM

Contact: [sharonsloane@me.com](mailto:sharonsloane@me.com) or [Amy.leighton@LCGH.org](mailto:Amy.leighton@LCGH.org)

## HAITI MISSION TRIP June 13<sup>th</sup> – July 2<sup>nd</sup>

Martha Worsley will be making her 3<sup>rd</sup> trip to Haiti this month. During the first week, she will be working at the church of her interpreter, teaching sewing to the women and youth. The purpose is to help them get jobs and to be able to make and repair school uniforms. All the schools in Haiti are private and require uniforms.

During the second week, Martha will be working at an orphanage in Duque which was established by a former teaching colleague (Paula Heidrick). Paula will be there as well as Julianne Donoghue.

There is a school on the orphanage grounds and all the village children will be invited to participate in a variety of classes: English, dance, soccer camp and arts and crafts. On Sunday evening, the entire village will be invited to a program with entertainment to be provided by various groups. The children will demonstrate the skills they learned during the week. Afterwards, a meal will be served to the entire village..



## Wonderful Wednesday - May 23<sup>rd</sup>

Martha prepared a typical Haitian meal to raise funds to build a home for her interpreter and his family who currently live in a cave. In the picture above, she is discussing crafts (made by some of the Haitians) which were available for purchase.

## The Salmon Sunday School Class

**Location:** Behind the sanctuary. Turn left go through the double doors. Classroom is on the right.

A member, Betty Wolny, writes of her experience in the class:

"In August 2017, I walked into the Salmon Sunday School Class feeling the presence of God and then we sang, "Surely the Presence of God" which they sing every Sunday! I told them the next Sunday that not only was I so welcomed but also felt loved as a member of the family of God. I realized that the Salmon Class and Camp Church provided me with the spiritual awakening I needed, as I had felt so empty since my husband had died the month before.

The various teachers give new and fresh insights into our studies which are passages from the Bible and how they should apply to life. The class shares in discussions. The class has a ministry of giving Christmas gifts to needy children through money lovingly given by the members. At Christmas and in the summer, the class enjoys dinners, shows and a pool party with almost all attending. It is always a time of fun and fellowship.

One of my favorite scriptures is 1 Peter 1:22, "Love one another deeply from the heart." I thank God every day for my new family at Camp which lifts my spirits and gives me joy.

You are warmly invited to come and experience God's love and the studies that we share in the Salmon Sunday School Class.

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### CONGRATULATIONS TO:

**The graduates of both Disciple I classes  
(taught by Ted Troutman & Linda Troutman)**

**The graduates of the Financial Peace classes  
(facilitated by Glen Humbert)**

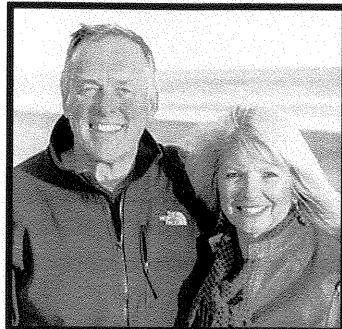
**The graduates who completed the Shepherd  
Ministry training.**

**Those who graduated from high school & college.**

## NEW MEMBERS IN APRIL & MAY



Allen, Rebecca, Kama & Lila  
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Ocean Isle Beach, NC 28469  
828-774-9084



Conselmo, Gary & Denise  
187 Kingsmill Ct.  
Sunset Beach, NC 28468  
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919-417-0392 (Denise Cell)



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& Hattie  
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## NEW MEMBERS IN APRIL & MAY (cont.)

### NEW MEMBERS IN CURRENT DIRECTORY

Bland, Howard Bland  
Walker, Joseph (Joe),  
Geraldine (Geri) & R. C.  
Walker, Teresa & Brody

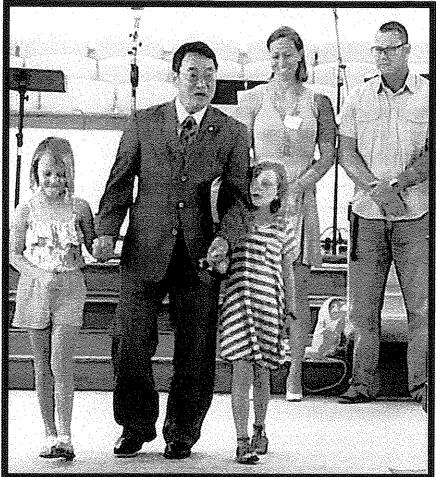
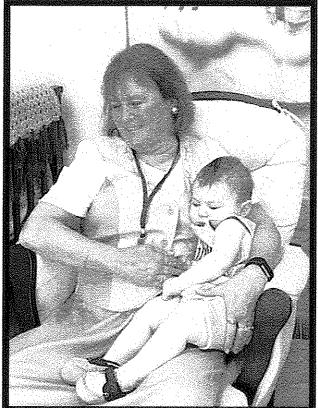
### BAPTIZED

Allen, Kama  
Allen, Lila  
Dycus, Emilia Leigh  
Green, Hattie  
Inman, Zach

### CONFIRMANDS

Bryan, Vivian  
Nelson, Lauren  
Steve, Margie

"Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these."  
Matt. 19:14



### FINANCIALS THROUGH MAY 20, 2018

#### \$ Received

\$307,155

#### Budget # Needed

\$254.480

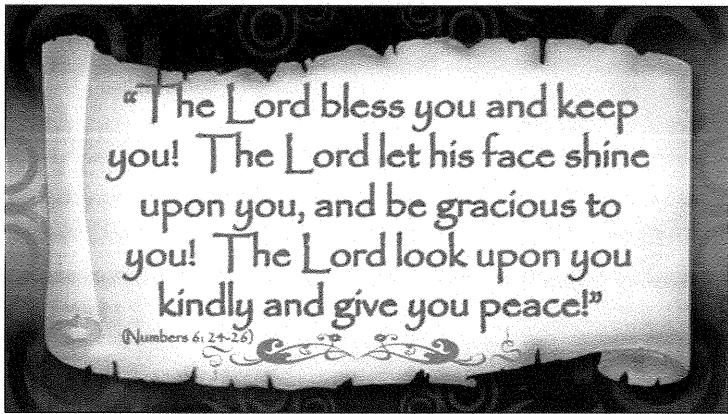
#### Ahead/Behind

+\$52.675

Current Church Mortgage Debt \$1,080,748

## BIRTHDAYS

|                  |    |                  |    |
|------------------|----|------------------|----|
| Sidney Jones     | 1  | Mike DiMaio      | 18 |
| Penny Radziewski | 1  | Mary Wisneski    | 21 |
| Doug Barr        | 3  | Hal Mills        | 21 |
| Jay Combs        | 3  | Sara Nelson      | 21 |
| Pat Parker       | 4  | Pat Brown        | 22 |
| John Radziewski  | 4  | Cole Formalarie  | 22 |
| Jill Ellringer   | 6  | Gary Pope        | 23 |
| Martha Pope      | 6  | Won Namkoong     | 23 |
| Jillian Milazzo  | 7  | Lou Salter       | 25 |
| Thom Arnold      | 9  | Evelyn Madison   | 26 |
| Ajia Steve       | 9  | Betty Williamson | 26 |
| Eddy Jones       | 11 | Marlene Hall     | 27 |
| Katie Steve      | 11 | Julie Harrelson  | 27 |
| Anita Langin     | 12 | Michael Smith    | 27 |
| Hadley McGougan  | 13 | Lora White       | 27 |
| Alan Russ        | 16 | Bobby Kirby      | 29 |
| Mary Lee Nance   | 16 | Shirley Williams | 30 |
| Debbie Baker     | 16 |                  |    |
| Debbie Patterson | 17 |                  |    |
| Derrick Thompson | 17 |                  |    |



## ANNIVERSARIES

|                           |         |
|---------------------------|---------|
| Doug & Pat Brown          | 2 (61)  |
| Rod & Pam Femrite         | 3 (52)  |
| Bill & Mary Wisneski      | 4 (35)  |
| Rick & Amy Nelson         | 4 (30)  |
| Bill & Diana Oliver       | 5 (47)  |
| Don & Chris Ballou        | 5 (47)  |
| Won & Mee Young Namkoong  | 6 (31)  |
| Randy & Wendy Milazzo     | 6 (31)  |
| Don & Barbara Bartholomew | 8 (50)  |
| Art & Elizabeth Jordan    | 8 (33)  |
| Len & Joan Henderson      | 8 (55)  |
| Ken & Jill Greene         | 9 (6)   |
| Jeff & Suzy Ritz          | 11 (18) |
| Robert & Sally Makay      | 13 (48) |
| Tom & Jane Evans          | 14 (49) |
| Joey & Kim Galloway       | 17 (40) |
| Bill & Candy Minor        | 17      |
| Frank & Gayle Williamson  | 19 (42) |
| David & Cindy Williams    | 20 (53) |
| Chris & Tammy Lane        | 21 (32) |
| Tom & Janice Jessee       | 22 (18) |
| Scott & Gina Deans        | 24 (29) |
| Jack & Kathy Kyzer        | 24 (12) |
| Larry & Liz Boyer         | 28 (22) |
| Al & Ramona Parker        | 28 (37) |
| Eric & Laura Freeman      | 29 (5)  |
| Jimmy & Brenda Register   | 29 (45) |
| Phil & Eunice Inman       | 30 (50) |
| Douglas & Beth Hunter     | 30 (28) |

## DATES TO REMEMBER IN JUNE

**Whole month:** Can-paign for the food pantry. Bring a can (or more) every Sunday.

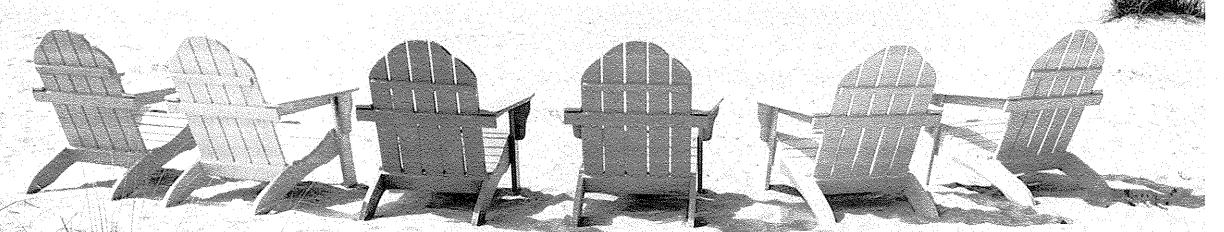
**June 3rd-9th:** VBS set up

**June 9th:** Bethel United Methodist Chicken Supper 4:00 PM—6:30 PM  
for information contact Beverly Burrows (910-575-3426)

**June 14th-16th** Annual Conference

**June 17th-22nd** Vacation Bible School 5:30 PM-8 PM

**June 27th** Korean dinner @6:00 PM to raise money for debt reduction



**JUNE  
2018**

**Regular Scheduled Events**

| <b>Sun</b>  | <b>Mon</b> | <b>Tue</b>   | <b>Wed</b>           | <b>Thu</b>         | <b>Fri</b> | <b>Sat</b>                                      |
|---|------------|--|----------------------|--------------------|------------|---|
| 8:30 Praise+Worship<br>9:45 Sunday School<br>10:30 Choir<br>11:00 Traditional Worship<br>3:00 Jail Ministry |            | <b>Bulletin Deadline</b><br>9:30 Prayer Shawl/FH (exception - 2nd Tues)<br>2:00 Baskets/FH/K | 8:30 Prayer Team /LB | 5:00 Praise Band/S |            | 10:00 Food Pantry /FH/BA<br>10:00 Praise Band/S |

**Additional Events Listed Below**

| <b>Sun</b>   | <b>Mon</b>   | <b>Tue</b>  | <b>Wed</b>  | <b>Thu</b>  | <b>Fri</b>   | <b>Sat</b>  |
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| <b>3</b><br><br>Communion<br>Graduation Sunday                             | <b>4</b><br><br>6:30 Witness/YFC   | <b>5</b><br><br>6:00 Trustees/BR  | <b>6</b><br><br>6:00 Safety meeting/SC            | <b>7</b><br><br>4:00 Stephen Ministry Training/FH   | <b>8</b><br><br>LAST DAY OF SCHOOL                 | <b>9</b>  |
| <b>10</b>  | <b>11</b><br><br>6:30 Joy Circle /Inlet View                               | <b>12</b><br><br>11:30 Susannah Wesley Cir. UMW /Inlet View<br>6:30 Outreach /Varnam Home | <b>13</b><br><br>10:00 Amazing Grace Journey /SC  | <b>14</b>   | <b>15</b><br><br>ANNUAL CONFERENCE                 | <b>16</b>   |
| <b>17</b><br><br>FATHER'S DAY  | <b>18</b><br><br>6:30 Finance + Budget/YFC                                 | <b>19</b><br><br>5:30-8:00 BIBLE SCHOOL - CUMC  | <b>20</b> Newsletter Deadline<br><br>6:00 SPPR/SC | <b>21</b><br><br>9:30 Stephen Ministry/SC   | <b>22</b><br><br>4:00 Stephen Ministry Training/FH | <b>23</b><br><br>9:00 Stephen Ministry Retreat/SC |
| <b>24</b><br><br>1:30 Shepherding Ministry/YFC<br>9:45 Membership Class/ S | <b>25</b><br><br>4:00 Stephen Min. Training/YFC<br>6:00 Holy Land Info./FH | <b>26</b><br><br>YOUTH BREAKAWAY  | <b>27</b><br><br>6:30 Safety Team/SC              | <b>28</b><br><br>6:00 Korean Meal Fundraiser for Journey to Freedom Debt Reduction FH/JTF | <b>29</b><br><br>6:30 Church Council /FH           | <b>30</b>   |