



FIRST EVANGELICAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

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"Living out our Faith and Praying for one another is not done by accident...Showing Mercy, Grace, Kindness and Compassion is what repairs the heart"

Sunday, September 11 2022

Pastor Michael Lewis 330-606-2711
Jeff Cunningham, worship leader;
Rob Cowie & Pauline Long, musicians

Opening Praise/Greeting Time

** "Surely the Presence" #219

Announcements/Prayer

Worship

"To God Be The Glory"
"At The Cross"
"How Great Thou Art"

Prayer

Offering/Offertory

Message

Pastor Mike

Closing Video

Those who are physically able, please stand

First Church Events This Week

"Your Word is Truth" (John 17:17)

This Week:

Sunday

Sunday School 9:30 am.
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
Congregational Care, Fellowship Hall,
Lunch provided

Tuesday

Golf 4:20 p.m.

Wednesday

Official Board Meeting 6:00 p.m.

Coming up:

Men's retreat –October 7th-9th
Location: Camp ECCO

9-11-22

Pastor's notes

Dear God,

We see your love for all who need help & your love shows every day. You are close to us! We thank you for all you do and the world needs you too. Your love is needed and we love you forever. You're all there is. Thank you God for You and Jesus.

"You never change, thank God for that".

Love, Jeannine.

Everyone is invited to a Free Pig & Corn Roast. Live entertainment from 5-7 tonight, Cottage Grove EC Church, 3133 Cottage Grove Rd., Akron, OH 44319

Reminder-Please stay after church today for our 1st Congregational Small Group. Lunch is provided.

Akron First Prayer Chain has 2 contacts. It can be accessed by calling Jim Dotson @330-703-4585 or email him @jimdotson7@gmail.com, or Mike Lewis @330-606-2711 or email him @bacrides10@gmail.com

THIS WEEK'S BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

September 11 Denny Long,
September 17 Angie Fragomeni
Avis Walkley

Praises

Jon Lykins & Chrissie Jenkins – Helping with technology needs
Jim Beltz – men's retreat
Camp ECCO – how camp touches lives
Liz Ramsey – moving to rehab
Alma Weakland – Doing great and has her humor back
Joe Beltz – AFIB under control
April – AFIB gone but still nauseous
Summer – doing better but still has restrictions
Lisa Baum and Ken Jones – home recovering and in good spirits
Jim Dotson – leading multiple groups
Rob & Kim Hardy – awesome hearts for others
Diane Thatcher – servant's heart

** Who Asked us to Pray**

Dave Oddo – fell out of bed and injured back
Ben Mercer – back issues (Leroy's son-in-law)
Justin Paonessa – Blood Clots
Deb Zerbe – St. Paul church – passed to be with the Lord
Rob Hardy Jr. - released but not doing well
Katt – released from hospital, dealing with blood clot
Jason Bentley – needs liver transplant
Ken Jones – transportation & use of right arm
Lisa Baum – healing
Holly – (waitress at Tip Top) – Asked for nice, patient people & world peace
Lawrence – healing from back surgery
Donna Baldt – strength for returning home
Traian Boyer – mental stability
Camp ECCO – needs a Property Manager–structural and mechanical
Katrina, Tarrice Garret, Laura Jones, Carol Collins, Peg Goldsmith – cancer
Bob Hunsche – shoulder replacement
Dave Feola – praise for surgery & need healing

Prayer needs

Jim Beltz – men's retreat
Jim Behringer – feet issues
Cindi Gamble – treatments
John McKendrick – strength
Barbie Wilson – knee surgery
Jim Dotson – Congregational Care Group
Susan Boyer – sadness

On-Going

Bob Newhart, Melissa,
Rob & Kim, Sherry, Carrie,
Marilyn, Carol Lewis

“Pray and Seek God's Answer”



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