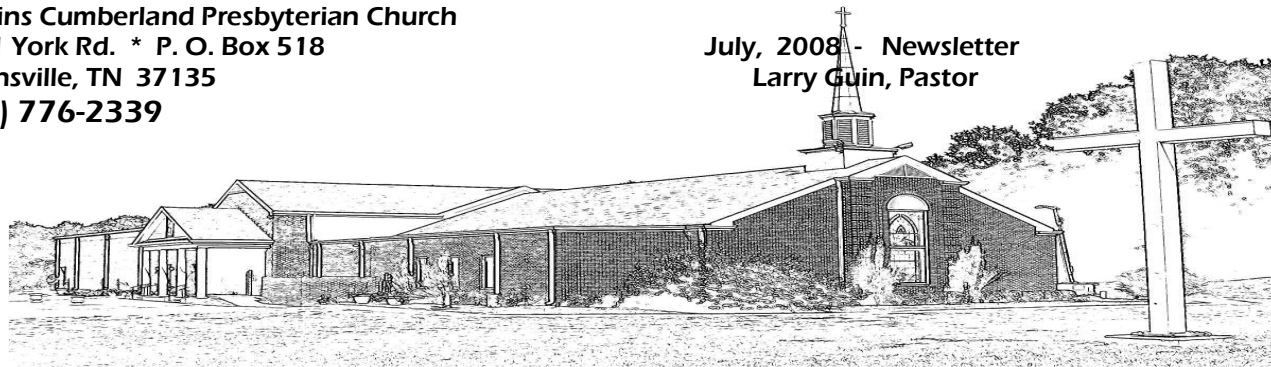




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July, 2008 - Newsletter  
Larry Guin, Pastor



**Committee Meetings at the call of Chairperson:**  
Christian Education, Building & Grounds  
Evangelism & Mission Education Outreach

**Session Meeting:**  
July 13<sup>th</sup> @ 6:00 P.M. A reminder to Chair  
to call all members listed on your committee to  
let them know the date and time of meeting.

**Attendance for June**

	6/01	6/08	6/15	6/22	6/29
Sunday School	67	62	71	73	
8:00 a.m. Worship	57	45	88	63	
10:15 a.m. Worship	81	87	125	97	
Fifth Sunday 9:00					126

**Offerings for June**

	Regular Offering	Special Offerings	Building Fund
6/01	4596.50		180.00
Yatskyy SS-Bldg Other		877.50 46.00	
6/08	6225.65		915.00
Yatskyy SS-Bldg Other		350.00 15.00 496.13	
6/15	2868.50		195.00
Yatskyy SS-Bldg		150.00 17.00	
6/22	2959.00		165.00
Yatskyy SS-Bldg		37.50 38.00	
6/29	1990.36		1156.00
Yatskyy Other-IRS		37.50 976.00	
Budget wk.	4496.00		612.00

Praise God for your faithfulness in attendance and giving.

***From your Pastor***

**TRIP**

Since the last newsletter, Carole and I, along with Morgan Williams and many other Cumberland Presbyterians, have traveled to Tokyo, Japan and back. We were there for the 178<sup>th</sup> meeting of the General Assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church. I was one of two minister commissioners from Columbia Presbytery and Morgan was one of two Youth Advisory Delegates. This was the first time the General Assembly had ever met outside the continental U. S. (It was the first time I had ever been outside the Eastern or Central time zone.)

It was a delightful experience. The people were wonderful. They welcomed us with open arms. Worship experiences were truly heart touching. We had one day to tour Tokyo and visited the gardens of the Imperial Palace among other sights. Some of you have already heard us speak of the food not being to our taste and the length of the flights in cramped conditions (economy), but we survived the travel and found enough food to sustain us until we returned to U.S. soil.

The five year Focus on Evangelism, adopted in 2007, was reaffirmed and emphasized as a necessity for the church. (Note to readers: What part can and will you perform in sharing the good news of Jesus with those who do not know Him and His saving grace. – Think about it and pray diligently about it.)

Thanks for the opportunity to have experience.

**PRAYER**

Many people are hurting. We read or hear about it daily. But there are many hurting people who never make the news. It may be our next door neighbor who does not want to bother us with their pain so they have not said anything about it. It may be the person you sit beside in church or the one sits across the sanctuary from you. And it may be you. And I need your prayers. There are so many situations where I need a special word from God so that I will know the right way to respond. So many need our love, and concern and that special blessing from God.

Will you spend a little extra time in prayer for those around you? And pray for God's direction for our country. And add to your prays for the church that those elected to lead will have God's guidance as they make important decisions.

**THANKS**

The kitchen committee came through again with a wonderful brunch. And the fellowship around the tables was great. Thanks to all of you who made this experience possible.

The Fifth Sunday Brunch following the Fifth Sunday ONE SERVICE OF WORSHIP is designed to get us all together for fellowship and food and worship and getting to know each other and sharing in each other's lives. I hope that you who missed this time will be able to be with us next FIFTH SYNDAY.

Thanks to Nicki Naron for preaching the sermon, Jaclyn Francescon for directing worship, Pam Cammuse who read the scripture and Julie Lucks for that beautiful song.

**Larry Guin**

May 30, 2008

To our Church Family:

**It is an honor to serve the Lord as an elder of the church. The responsibility is to act with The Glory of God in mind at all times. We as session members try to do that. During our last session meeting we discussed as we always do, the finances of the church. We are \$10,000.00 dollars behind in our budget as of May 10<sup>th</sup> 2008.**

**I am writing this letter only to inform the congregation of a need to meet budget.**

**As we tithe or give to the Lord, we do so with a gracious heart as it says in 2 Corinthians 9:7, "each man should give what he has decided in his heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver". I ask you to give accordingly to your church. I feel we have been good stewards with the church's money and pray we continue. We have cut corners where we can and several members are doing work we used to pay to have done. But even with their generosity, the need to meet budget still exists. I ask you to give generously as you can to bring this budget back in line.**

**God Bless All,**

**Jim Baker**

**YOUTH NEWS – JULY, 2008**

July 4<sup>th</sup> – Church will be open beginning at 9:30 p.m. to accept mission trip participants. We will board the bus at 1:30 a.m. and leave at 2:00 a.m. for Atlanta.

July 5<sup>th</sup> – Mission Trip – Caguas, Puerto Rico

July 13<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> - **CPYC:** Cumberland Presbyterian Youth Conference @ NaCoMe Conference Center in Pleasantville, TN.  
July 13-18 (for those entering 10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade and recent graduates)

(We will leave the church after Sunday School. All CPYC participants must attend 1<sup>st</sup> service. Pam Cammuse will be driving the group to CPYC).

Sunday -July 20<sup>th</sup> – Youth Gathering – Praise and Share (see Susan for details)

Sunday –July 27<sup>th</sup> – TBD

**CARNIVAL FOR KIDS: SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 20TH - 11:00 A.M. TO 3:00 P.M.**

Join us for a day of laughter and fun as we raise funds for kids and families. Here are just a few of the ways we use money raised to help others:

(1) Project Blessing Box- this is an Outreach Committee program where we send items to those sick or in need to let them know we care and are praying for them. Each box costs about \$30.

(2) Food For Local Families- we help any time of the year we're made aware of a family in crisis. Depending on the size of the family, we usually spend about \$200.

(3) Operation Smile- this group can do an operation to repair a child's disfigured face for \$240.

In other words, you or your Sunday school class, etc., can save a child from a lifetime of ridicule or, in some cases even death, by donating this amount of money. What a small price to pay to change a life!

If God calls you to support the Carnival, here's how you can help: Be a sponsor or donate any amount you wish to help with. Check should be made out to: JENKINS OUTREACH. Also, small prizes are needed for our Treasure Dig, and volunteers to help out on Carnival day as well. For more information on CARNIVAL FOR KIDS please see Sonya Haywood or any Outreach Committee Member.

Thank You!

*"Suppose a brother or sister is without clothes and daily food. If one of you says to him, 'Go, I wish you well; keep warm and well fed,' but does nothing about his physical needs, what good is it? In the same way, faith by itself, if it is not accompanied by action, is dead." James 2:15-17*

**CHURCH LIBRARY NEWS**

**Book Discussion Class:** Beginning on June 8<sup>th</sup>, during the Sunday school hour (9:00 – 10:00), we will begin reading and discussing, *The Shack*, written by William P. Young. This is the story of one man's face-to-face encounter with the Trinity after the tragic death of his daughter. If you are interested in joining our discussion, you will need to purchase your own copy of the book. *The Shack* may be purchased at any area bookstore or online at [www.christianbook.com](http://www.christianbook.com) or [www.amazon.com](http://www.amazon.com). Please contact Karen Tucker if you have any questions about the book or class.

Also, Kati Lapp, a young Amish woman, lives a quiet life in Pennsylvania until a family secret changes her life. Read about Katie in the Heritage of Lancaster County trilogy, *The Shunning, The Confession and The Reckoning*.

**LISTEN TO THE SERVICE ON THE INTERNET**

You can go to [www.jenkinscp.org](http://www.jenkinscp.org) and hear the Sunday Services. On the HOME page, click on Sermon Archives, scroll to the bottom and click on Sermon Archives, then choose the service you wish to hear. The Sunday Bulletins, the Monthly Newsletter and Wednesday Services can also be found on this site.



### July Birthdays

#### HAPPY JULY BIRTHDAY TO:

Gene Crawford and Josh Rosenblatt on the 1st; Ann Bomar and Ruth Bowers on the 2nd; Phyllis Mattox on the 3rd; Debbie Ball and Linda McWilliams on the 4th; John Ball on the 6th; Teresa Shuler and Tommy McArthur on the 7th; Michael Miller and Doug Harris on the 8th; Charlotte Medlen on the 10<sup>th</sup>; Carol Simpson on the 12<sup>th</sup>; Jennifer Lucks on the 13th; Jim Finley on the 16th; Steve Lucks, Yaroslav Yatsky and Sarah Noel on the 18th; Vince Miles on the 22nd; Robin Noel on the 23rd; Braxton Groce, Sarah Strasser and Tracy Helton on the 26th; Randy Tucker on the 29th; Julie Birdsong on the 30th; Sheila Geary on the 31st.

### July Anniversaries



#### HAPPY JULY WEDDING

**ANNIVERSARY TO:** Michael & Angelina Miller on the 3rd; Nicole and Matt Stout on the 10<sup>th</sup>; Steve (Jr.) and Terri Allemore on the 11<sup>th</sup>; Tiffany and Josh Clemons on the 11th; Vince and Karen Miles on the 14th; Donna and Brad Bondanza on the 17th; Diane and Galen Riggs on the 19th; Bill and Cathy Green on the 28th.

#### JENKINS QUILTING CLUB

We have started our quilting club meeting and have had a wonderful turnout each Monday @ 1:00 p.m. Plan on about 2 hours of fun and learning activities. Bring your needle, thimble and thread. Everyone is invited to come join us. The Quilters meet in the Charity SS classroom. This is a learning experience and we learn something new each week.

**WILLIAMSON COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY**  
NOLENSVILLE – 950 OLDHAM DRIVE – 776-5490  
[www.lib.williamson-tn.org](http://www.lib.williamson-tn.org)

Starship Adventure @ Your Library  
Summer Reading Programs  
Wednesday @ 10:30 a.m.  
July 2<sup>nd</sup> – No Program  
July 9<sup>th</sup> – Julie Duke Puppet Show  
July 16<sup>th</sup> – Bruce Amato Magician  
July 23<sup>rd</sup> – Starship Landing

Ice Cream Party  
It's not too late to begin your Summer Reading!  
Read 5 chapter books or listen to 10  
Picture books, then pick a bag from the  
Treasure Box!

#### HELP WANTED

Are you interested in a high impact job with lots of rewarding benefits, a wonderful title along with no salary! Then, please volunteer to be on the Kitchen Committee of Jenkins Cumberland Presbyterian Church. We now have only 4 members and are unable to continue the wonderful job without more interested members. Your help in this will be highly appreciated. Please sign up today with any of our members or see our director, Steve Allemore.  
Thanks!



#### WOMEN'S MINISTRY

The Jenkins Cumberland Presbyterian Women's Ministry is an integral part of the church and we want you to be a part of that! We want to grow in quality and quantity and become something greater than we could ever

imagine! Having a "Girl's Night" once a month that focuses on a deeper relationship with the Lord and helping others is both beneficial to ourselves as well as those who are in need. In our already hectic lives, we need to take a break from the normal day to day routine and enjoy the company of other Christian women and serve the Lord. Join us on the 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of every month at 7:00 p.m. (unless otherwise noted) and be a part of what the CPWM is doing for the church, the community, and the world!

**PURPOSE** - To accept and share the love and joy of Jesus Christ through the ministry of women in the Cumberland Presbyterian Church as we pray, study God's Word, and reach out through mission, service, encouragement and fellowship.

**MISSION STATEMENT** – We are women of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church committed to the ministries of prayer, study, service and fellowship.

**LOGO DESCRIPTION** – The world signifies that we are part of a worldwide church fulfilling the Great Commission "to go into all the world;" the "C" around the world stands for the Cumberland Presbyterian Church as a part of Christianity worldwide and for Christ; the three branches remind us of the Trinity, as well as the Three Tracks of our ministry, [Prayer/Bible Study, Mission/Service/Outreach and Fellowship/Encouragement], but mainly the branches remind us Jesus said, "I am the vine and you are the branches;" the multi-colored leaves stand for our diversity; and the outline of a window indicates that Women's Ministry is a window through which the light of Jesus can shine.

#### MARK YOUR CALENDARS

**RETIREES' OUTING** - Wednesday, July 9<sup>th</sup>. Call Kathleen Waggoner for details. Everyone is always welcome to attend!

**MEN'S FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST** – July 19<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00 a.m.  
All men in the congregation and community are always welcome.

**JENKINS FELLOWSHIP** for everyone:  
July 13<sup>th</sup> – 7:00 p.m. @ Crockett Park. The TAMS will perform for the last concert of the season. To carpool, meet at Jenkins CPC at 5:30 p.m. Bring your own chair, drink and a snack to share. For more information or to find the group at the park, contact Nancy Suddarth @ 870-4890.

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#### RETURN ADDRESS REQUESTED



July, 2008

**EARLY WORSHIP AT 8:00 AM**  
**SUNDAY SCHOOL STARTS AT 9:00 AM**  
**MORNING WORSHIP AT 10:15 AM**  
**COMMUNION 1<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH**  
**HOPE TO SEE YOU HERE!**

**JENKINS CP CHURCH WOMEN'S MINISTRY –**  
**CPWM – JULY 8<sup>TH</sup> – 7 P.M. @ THE CHURCH**  
\*\*\*\*\*Business/Planning Meeting for the next year!\*\*\*\*\*  
Elizabeth Guin, 615-668-5232 or [jenkinscpwm@yahoo.com](mailto:jenkinscpwm@yahoo.com)



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