

Edgcumbe Presbyterian Church

Midweek Update August 8, 2018

THE POWER OF COMMUNITY

The Apostle Paul writes in Ephesians 4:

“Be kind, tenderhearted, and forgiving to each other.”

Fred Rogers said:

“There are three ways to ultimate success:

The first way is to be kind.

The second way is to be kind.

The third way is to be kind.”

Sometimes the Gospel is a very challenging, very simple thing.

SCHOOL TOOLS

Collections are being taken for School Tools through August 26.

CENTERING PRAYER ON TUESDAYS (& EVERY DAY!)

We have been practicing Centering Prayer in worship for several months now. Have you tried it at home yet? Is five minutes too much: try it for two minutes, one minute. Is five minutes way too little: bump up to ten, twenty. You don't need anything but yourself and a moment's willingness to connect to God. Want some help? Anyone is welcome to join the Tuesday group at 3pm in the EPC sanctuary.

UPDATE FROM PASTOR JULIE FROM UTAH

Hello dear ones —from Utah! My conference was absolutely rich and supportive for deepening my connection with God. I look forward to sharing the experience with you! I have been given a last minute opportunity and scholarship for their next workshop beginning August 8 (today)—HeartSong Voice Liberation. I have sensed that the voice and heart are connected, so this opportunity truly seems like an amazing gift of the Spirit. I look forward to sharing the insights from the second workshop as well! I hold you all in my heart and prayers and will miss being in worship with you this Sunday! Much joy to you all! --*Pastor Julie*

PRAYERS

1. For everybody, everywhere.

NOTE: Effective immediately, Julie and I are switching our email addresses to Gmail accounts. So please change our addresses to the following

Phil = pastorphilgg@gmail.com

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It is a season of phenomenal growth in Minnesota: zucchini, grass, flowers, weeds, children. Thank God for growth! Peace to you all, today and every day, Pastor Phil