

# SEPTEMBER CPC NEWS

Community Life Presents:



## MOVIE NIGHT

September 15, 2018 5:30 p.m.

Potluck—bring a dish to share.

(This will be the last movie night for the year. Community Life will start up again in January or February.)



## PAINT NIGHT

Saturday, SEPTEMBER 29, from 4-6 p.m. in the fellowship hall, join instructor, Carole Toy, and all your CPC friends to paint a fall picture! Bring an appetizer and wine to share. Canvas and paints are included. Don't miss this class! There will be a sign up sheet so Community Life can purchase canvases and paint in advance.

Welcome CPC  
Pastor, Rev. Jesse  
B. Larson



## GARDEN NEWS

New directories are ready! If you did not pick up yours, they will be on a table in the hall on Sundays or call the office if you'd like one mailed to you.

For the first time, food from the CanDoCanGrow garden was brought directly from the garden to the Napa Free Food Friday Market at CPC. On August 31 we once again fed many families. Thanks to McLean and Williams (Sherry & Gonzolo Salinas, owners) for graciously donating a professional water analysis to ensure the produce from the garden is organic and safe.

Thanks to the CanDoCanGrow volunteers, the proofs have been approved for the official CPC sign. Thank you to Craig Rode, owner of Sign Dimensions, who is collaborating in the design and fabricating the beautiful sign. A gracious thank you to all of the community partners. Our new sign should be up within the next three to four weeks. We're looking forward to a dedication ceremony in the early fall.

As you can see from current photos the melons are on their way to maturity, the corn is ten feet high (go see it) and the pollinator garden has successfully drawn bees to ensure that food is available to those who are food insecure.



Good little bees  
~Barb

Community Life needs people to sign up for Coffee Hour. Questions or interest, see Jenna Cooledge or ask Norm Groeneweg. If you'd like to help but would rather offer a donation instead of serving, a Community Life member will pick up refreshments and make coffee.

Our CPC Serving Team has standard staples they use to prepare the meal they serve at The Table on the *fourth Friday of each month*. While you are shopping, pick up extra: Ranch Dressing, Canned Corn (not creamed), Jarred Jalapeño Peppers, Canned (Pitted) Olives, Cream of Mushroom Soup, Pasta noodles (Not spaghetti please), Enchilada Sauce & Picante Sauce. Put your gifts in the House that Bob Built, located in the Hall.

### Life Long Learning

The Sunday school room is cleaned up and ready for the cheerful faces of students on September 9!

Welcome Back to the Covenant Choir!

Thank you to all who participated in Summer Music!



Sunrise Montessori is back in session. Please drive carefully!

### Quest for Knowledge

CPC Book Club is back on schedule and we met Monday, 8/27. Six of us had a great time catching up and sharing thoughts about several books we read recently, and then we discussed our book of the night, The Reading Promise, by Alice Ozma.

We all heartily agreed that it was a pleasure to read this true story about a father and daughter who made a pact to spend time every night, no matter what, with Dad reading to Alice. It was a treat to hear all about the wonderful variety of books they shared. The father was a school librarian and his love of literature shone brightly. If you want a "feel-good" about the world of reading, read this book.

The next meeting is October 22. We chose a much more serious historical novel entitled Pachinko, by Min Jin Lee. This book about Koreans living in Japan will open your eyes to the world of these displaced citizens. Grab a copy and join us for a lively discussion!

~Donna

### ANNUAL CHURCH PICNIC

#### & WELCOMING POTLUCK FOR REV. JESSE LARSON

September 23rd following worship. Community Life will provide meat. Bring a picnic-style dish to share. Location will be The Grove or hall depending upon weather.



Deacons meet on the first Thursday of the month at 7:00 pm in the Parlor. Deacon Moderator is Kim Groeneweg. "We're always in need of Sunday greeters! Call me if you'd like to sign up!"

If you do not see your name on the Deacon Care Group list, please let Kim know.

### Bible

The Tuesday Bible Study group will continue to meet at 10:00 am in the parlor each week. "Lunch Bunch" is the second Tuesday of the month. The current curriculum is "Feasting on the Word." Anyone can join.