

Serving Team Meeting

June 11, 2014

Eight team members were present for the June meeting of the Serving Team.

Home Maintenance Assistance

The team made plans for a small group to hold a work session on Saturday, June 14, at Mrs. Cooper's home in Lentner to perform some painting and other repair/maintenance work.

Foster Family Swim Party

The team made plans to continue our support of foster families in our community by holding a Swim Party/Barbecue on August 5, 2014, 6:30-8:30 p.m. at Macon Municipal Pool. The Serving Team will do this in conjunction with the Family Ministry Team and will seek donations of food items for the barbecue from the congregation.

2014 Festival of Sharing

The church has received the information booklet on the 2014 Festival of Sharing, which will be held in Sedalia, MO on October 18. This is a statewide, interfaith celebration and gathering of mission resources. A mini festival of sharing is usually held at Macon UMC on the Saturday before to gather and transport donations from our area.

Maria Smith will review the booklet and the team will discuss at the next meeting in what ways we feel called to contribute to the festival this year.

Congregational Care Meals

The team will be coordinating providing welcome meals to Pastor Knapp's family June 25-30. The team also discussed holding a new sign-up for volunteers to provide meals to members of the congregation in times of family illness or other need.

Nicaragua Mission Trip/Fundraising/Shareholders Meal

The mission trip to Leon, Nicaragua is fast approaching: June 29-July 5.

So far, the team has sold 50 shares for a total of \$1,250 raised to cover expenses for the trip and to purchase items to give to the people. The team's goal is to raise \$5,000. Several local businesses have also donated supplies for the team to deliver to Nicaragua.

The team discussed the menu and other planning for the Shareholders dinner which will be held on July 9 at 6:00 p.m.

Loch Haven Garden

The team discussed the need for volunteers to water and perform other light gardening to maintain the flower garden at Loch Haven. Stephanie Prewitt will work on getting several volunteers to water on a rotating basis.

The next Serving Team meeting will be held July 14 at 6:30 in the Cornerstone Room.