

# Hillcrest Calling



## September 2021

### Who is this baby?



**Last month's picture...that cute baby...**

**No one guessed...it was Jo Lynne**

Email your guesses to [hillcrestchurch@gmail.com](mailto:hillcrestchurch@gmail.com) or call them in. We will honor you next newsletter and have a new picture for new guesses. Make sure you guess...this month we had no guesses. Your chances are great if you try it.

### September

#### Birthdays

Leonard Throne, 1st  
Cathy Miller, 4th  
Jossie Hutchins, 6th  
Ethan Hartman, 7th  
Denise Lofton, 9th  
Kayla Miller, 11th  
Elizabeth Sigourney, 13th  
Krista Westfall, 15th  
Karen Tureaud, 16th  
Everly Miller, 18th  
Jack Cormack, 19th  
Cooper Cummins, 20th  
Patricia Ducan, 22nd  
Cheryl Clay, 24th  
Jason Hill, 24th

### September

#### Anniversaries

Denise Lofton, 14th



## Panty Drive for Safe-to-Sleep

Ladies, imagine that you, for some reason, are living on the streets. How frightening is that? Someone tells you about a safe place you can sleep, where you can take a shower. That place is

the Safe-to-Sleep program through Council of Churches. After you take the shower, wouldn't it be nice to have a clean pair of panties to put on? Safe-to-Sleep will provide those for you, if they have your size. Hillcrest and Gibson are sponsoring a panty drive so no woman has to go without. Panties of all sizes are appreciated, but they run out of the smaller sizes on a regular basis. We will be collecting new panties through the month of September. You'll know where to deposit them when you walk through the door. Thank you in advance from your Outreach Team!

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## Recognition of Regina Ice

After many, many years of serving as a Sunday school teacher for our Pre-school class, Regina Ice is stepping down. Regina has embraced teaching our little ones with love, joy, and enthusiasm. She has given our children so many wonderful memories. No matter how old her former students are, they still have special hugs and smiles for Miss Regina. There really aren't enough words to express our gratitude to Miss Regina. Thank you so much and God bless.

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## Sunday School News

In person Sunday school classes will resume on September 19th at 9am. The teachers are: Sammy Miller—adults, Amanda Sigourney—Youth, Dianne Hutchins—primary, and Stephanie Baker—pre-school. Please join us as we grow in our faith.

Elizabeth Sigourney will be promoted to the Primary class on September 19th.

## July Financials

Beginning Balance	\$ 9,570.88
Decrease	746.44
Ending Balance	\$ 8,824.44
Building Load Balance	
7/04/21	\$277,028.65
Building Fund Balance	
	\$ 23,890.88

The electronic giving terminal is located in the Narthex.

Just know that God blesses a cheerful and generous giver.



**Thursday, September 9th, the Shooting Fellowship will be meeting at 5:30pm**

**Monday, September 13th Session will be meeting at 6pm.**

**Monday, September 20th, the Book Club will be meeting at Noon. This month's book is "The Last Letter from Your Lover" by Jo-Jo Moyes.**

**The new Springfield city regulations state that masks are optional.**

Reminder: Our church premises is weapon free, carrying firearms is prohibited.



## **Worship at the Lake**

We will be having a combined service with Hillcrest and Gibson Chapel at the Lake on September 12th starting at 10am.

We will be having a potluck dinner afterwards. The meat and drinks will be provided. Please bring a dish to share and a chair to sit in.

It should be a wonderful time! Be sure not to miss it.

# September

Sunday Services:

Sunday School 9am  
 Worship Service 10am  
 Hillcrest  
 Worship Service 11:30am  
 Gibson Chapel

🌿 birthdays  
 🌿 anniversaries

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 🌿 Leonard Throne Praise Team 7pm	2	3	4 🌿 Cathy Miller
5	6 🌿 Jossie Hutchins	7 🌿 Ethan Hartman	8 Praise Team 7pm	9 🌿 Denise Lofton Shooting Fellowship 5:30pm	10	11 🌿 Kayla Miller
12 Worship at the Lake 10am	13 🌿 Elizabeth Sigourney Session 6pm	14 🌿 Denise Lofton	15 🌿 Krista Westfall Praise Team 7pm	16 🌿 Karen Tureaud	17	18 🌿 Everly Miller
19 Sunday School starts 🌿 Jack Cormack	20 Book Club noon 🌿 Cooper Cummins	21	22 🌿 Patricia Ducan Praise Team 7pm Virtual Seminar "How to have difficult con- versations" hosted	23 by the Presbytery 7pm	24 🌿 Cheryl Clay 🌿 Jason Hill	25
26	27	28	29 Praise Team 7pm	30		