

## The Steeple



**JUNE 2025** 

### SERVING AT THE TABLE

## Elders & Deacons: \*Stephanie Perry, Ken Cooley

**Deacons:** Cher Loose, Deb Bridges, Hannah Champion, Harriet Clark

### **Communion Steward:** Mary Belk



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#### Minister's Report from May 14, 2025, Board Meeting

In the month of April, I attended the official board meeting, the online District 3 minister's meeting, and a meeting with another Cadiz minister to discuss help for those who are passing through needing fuel, lodging, or food. During April I assisted one traveler with fuel and a local person with groceries. The hope is that our local churches can work together a bit more closely to meet the needs of people who are outside our congregations.

Holy Week and Easter were wonderful and busy. Because I was in Cadiz a few more days in April than I normally would be (due to Maundy Thursday, etc.), I was able to slack a bit in early May and leave on Sunday afternoon for a short trip to the coast and then for Mother's Day, rather than staying in Cadiz until Monday afternoon or Tuesday. This week I will have a couple of extra days in the office to play catch up.

I had 7 pastoral visits (including in person and on the phone) in the month of April. After Easter, I began a series of 4 sermons on "Being the Church" which will conclude this Sunday.

Grace and Peace, Ron Buck

Cadiz Christian Church Board met on May 14, 2025

#### **HOSPITAL VISITATIONS**

If you or someone you know is in the hospital or having surgery, and would like an elder to visit or add you to the prayer list, please let us know.

Elders: Mike and Judy Davis, Dan Grigson, Carey and Sheri Lancaster, Craig and Stephanie Perry, Ken Cooley, Ronnie Cook, and Chappell Wilson



#### **CWF April 2025 Meeting**

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Linda Perry, Judy King, Mary Belk, Joanna Mulas, Laura Grigson, Carol Larson, Gayle VanBuren, Cher Loose, Betty Lancaster

**DEVOTIONAL:** The devotion was given by Linda Perry. "Who was Nicodemus" Nicodemus, which means "conqueror of the people" was a Pharisee, a ruler of the Jews, and a teacher of Israel. His secret visit to our Lord, led to significant discourse recorded only by St John. Nicodemus showed noble candor and simple love of truth despite his hesitation and fear of man. Ultimately, he became a follower of Christ and together with Joseph of Arimathea, took down and embalmed the body of Jesus.

**MEETING CALLED TO ORDER**: The President, Linda Perry called the meeting to order with leading the members in the CWF Prayer.

**MINUTES:** The minutes were distributed for March 2025 meeting. Motion was made by Laura Grigson and seconded by Mary Belk to accept minutes as presented. Motion carried.

**TREASURER'S REPORT:** The treasurer's report was presented with a balance of \$2,425.46 as of March 31, 2025. Cher Loose made a notion to accept the treasurer's report and Judy King seconded the motion. Motion carried. A check was written to Mary Belk for purchasing towels for baptizing ceremonies.

**CHURCH UPDATES:** New windows have been installed in Jefferson House.

**OLD BUSINESS:** Budget for this is as follows: \$200.00 Disciples Women Ministries (outreach), \$200.00 Benevolent Fund, \$300.00 Cadiz Rotary, \$200.00 Helping Hands, \$300.00 Angel Tree Beta Nu, \$500.0 to Seven Friends Scholarship Fund for a total budget of \$1,700.00.

**NEW BUSINESS-** CMF Meeting Dinner will be May 15<sup>th</sup>. Members have signed up to work and provide dishes for the meal. Rummage and Bake sale was discussed and a date will be set later. It was noted that Mary and Bob Belk purchased curtain rods for the Jefferson House and Carol and Tom Martin also donated to window treatment.

**DATE OF EVENTS IN LIFE OF THE CHURCH:** Nothing to report.

**HOSTESS FOR MEETING-** Betty Mae Lancaster, Hostess for June meeting: Mary Belk & Judy King.

There being no further business, the meeting was closed with the CWF Benediction Prayer.

#### **Church News**

- The CMF hosted the May 15th fellowship meeting. The CWF provided the meal and there were approximately 50 participants
- No Elder's Meeting in June, July or August. Next meeting is scheduled for Sunday, September 7<sup>th</sup> after worship service in the Jefferson House
- June 5<sup>th</sup> World Environment Day
- June 7<sup>th</sup> National Trails Day get out and walk, bike or kayak if you can
- June 11<sup>th</sup> Board Meeting 6:30 PM
- June 16<sup>th</sup> CWF Meeting 12:00 PM
- June 19<sup>th</sup> CMF Meeting 6:30 PM
- Make your plans to go BEYOND with Disciples from across the United States and Canada July 12-15th in Memphis
  at the 2025 General Assembly
- It's time to plan summer mission trips. Week of Compassion can help! Long-term recovery sites are ready for your group. Find more info at weekofcompassion.org/volunteer
- July 8<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> Vacation Bible School



# June 2025

Sun	Mon }	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Seventh Sunday of Easter	2 CEA-HOW SPM No Elder's meeting this month	3 AA 6 PN	4 Choir SPM Board Meeting 6:30 PM	5 World Environment Day	6	7 National Trail Day
8 Day of Pentecost World Oceans Day	9 CEA-HOW SPM	10 AA 6 PM	11 Chair SPM	12	13	
15 First Sunday after Pentecost Father's Day	16 CEA-HOW SPN CWF 12PN	17 AA 6 PM	18 Choir SPM	19 Juneteenth CMF MTC 6PM K1m 8-1PM	20	21
22 Second Sunday after Pentecost	23 CEA-HOW SPM	24 AA 6 PM	25 Choir SPM	26	27	28
29 Third Sunday after Pentecost	30 CEA-HOW SPM		E	APPY Ather	S	

#### JUNE BIRTHDAYS:

- 04 Chappell Wilson
- 11 Wanda Meadows
- 13 Dakota Walker
- 14 Diane Vlach,
- 14 Melissa French-Tremmel
- 16 Betty Mae Lancaster
- 23 Mike Davis 24 Harriet Clark
- 30 Ken Cooley



#### JUNE ANNIVERSARIES:

- 06 Charlene & Dan Sheehan
- 10 Collin & Hannah Champion
- 12 Tom & Carol Martin
- 20 Danny & Vicky Jones
- 25 Stan & Deb Bridges

