
Subject: Pastor's Weekly Email

From: News from FCCV (lists@firstchurchofvernon.org)

To:

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Family and Friends of FCCV,

I love this church! Have I said that lately? Well...I really do! It is wonderful to see the many people who volunteer to keep our church looking her best, whether it is making sure our yard looks nice to making sure our fellowship hall looks inviting. We are proud of our church...and it shows!



Speaking of how our church looks...have you seen our library lately? The Library Committee has been working very hard to update our library. There is fresh paint, new carpet, new furniture and some new books on the shelves. It's had a makeover and it looks awesome! Please feel free to visit on Sunday, or whenever you are at the church. You may even check out books and DVDs! It's a real library! Check it out! (Get it?)

Sunday, our text is from Luke 6. Jesus visits the synagogues and is watched closely by the legal experts and Pharisees and is then challenged about breaking the Sabbath law. Jesus' response to them leaves them furious, and they begin talking to one another about what to do with Jesus! During this time, Jesus chose 12 of his disciples and made them apostles. Why were the Pharisees so upset with Jesus? Was Jesus wrong in the things he was doing? How does this lesson relate to all of us?

Come experience God with us as we interact with God's word! God is still speaking!

Grace be to y'all,
Robin

Prelude to the Preludes



This week's concluding preludes remind us of two reasons we go to church: prayer and praise. The familiar "Sweet Hour of Prayer" is followed by John Rasley's original "In This Sweet Hour." Next, "Come, Let Us Join With Faithful Souls" is Lani Smith's arrangement of a tune called "Brotherhood," not the tune I'm familiar with which is "Azmon." Finally we'll hear a Fantasia on "Praise Him! Praise Him!" by Janelle Clark, a fitting doxology or "glory-giving."

--James

REMINDER.....**ANNUAL FISCAL MEETING****Sunday**

in Fellowship Hall immediately following the Worship Service

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