

# Camp Springs News

Delivering News to the Camp Springs Community



Camp Springs Initiative

June-July-August 2022

## Summer Fun In Camp Springs

If you are looking for summer fun, there's some right in your backyard.

**St. Joseph Parish** in historic Camp Springs will hold its 90<sup>th</sup> annual Summer Festival on Saturday, June 11<sup>th</sup> from 4:00 p.m. to midnight. Enjoy the many food items, homemade desserts and weather-protected beer garden. Activities include booths and raffles, ducky downs races, children's games, poker, pull-tabs, a \$1,500 total raffle, and live entertainment.

**Simon Gosney Post** 219 of the American Legion will conduct an outdoor military service on Sunday, June 12<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 p.m. at the Alexandria VFW grounds. The public is invited. The formal service will feature the proper directives to retire all worn, discolored, and unserviceable American flags. Unusable flags to be retired may be dropped off prior to the event at the Camp Springs Fire House or the Alexandria VFW. *For more information call 859-866-2494.*

**St. John Lutheran will hold its Vacation Bible School** at St. Luke Lutheran (4800 Alexandria Pk, Cold Spring) from June 12-16 from 5:30-7:30. (dinner included). This year's theme is "Food." All are welcome! *Contact the church office at 635-5013 for more information.*

**Oakland United Methodist's Vacation Bible School** for ages 3-12 will be held from July 19-21 from 6:15-9:30. The theme is HayDay. The church is located at 7867 Stonehouse Road in Camp Springs. *For more information, please contact the church office at [info@oaklandumcky.com](mailto:info@oaklandumcky.com)*

This year's **Backroads Farm Tour** will be held on July 16<sup>th</sup> from 9- 3, rain or shine. It is sponsored by the Campbell County Conservation District.



## St. John Lutheran Welcomes New Pastor

In July 2021, St. John Lutheran on Lower Tug Fork Road found itself without a pastor. After many months of worship led by supply pastors and lay leaders, the congregation has entered into a Shared Ministry relationship with St. Luke Lutheran in Cold Spring for a six-month trial period. Since May 1, 2022, St. John members are blessed with the leadership of the Rev. Liesebet Gravley, who presides at worship, provides pastoral care and engages the youth in both congregations. Pastor Liesebet grew up in northeastern Oklahoma and graduated not only from the Lutheran School of Theology in Chicago, but also received a master's degree in engineering physics from Wright State. She has taught in Slovakia through the ELCA's (Evangelical Lutheran Church in America) Global Mission program and has served as an intern in rural North Dakota. She also has training and experience as a hospital chaplain and serves in that capacity at Cincinnati Children's Hospital.

The members of St. John Lutheran are eager for a new chapter in their life and ministry to begin. Working with St. Luke Lutheran is sure to open up new opportunities for spiritual growth and service.



## Adopt-A-Highway Update

Camp Springs Initiative (CSI) has a contract with the highway department to pick up trash along a 2-mile stretch of Four Mile Pike twice a year. The last road clean-up was held on April 23<sup>rd</sup>. Seven dedicated community members collected fourteen trash bags full of refuse that day. If you are interested in helping, there will be another Adopt-A-Highway date in the fall which will be announced in the *Camp Springs News*.

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## CSI Update CSI Board Members

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## Upcoming Events

### June

**June 11** — Summer Festival, St. Joseph Catholic Church, 4:00-midnight

**June 12** — Flag Ceremony, Alexandria VFW, 5 p.m.

**June 12-16**— Vacation Bible School, St. Luke Lutheran Church, Cold Spring, 5:30-7:30 (dinner included)

### July

**July 16** — Campbell County Backroads Farm Tour, 9-3

**July 19-21** — Vacation Bible School, Oakland United Methodist, 6:15-9:30

### **Camp Springs News Deadline**

Calendar submissions for the next issue of the *Camp Springs News* are due to the editor at 635-2925 by August 15, 2022

**Have a great  
summer!**

## Did You Know?

**The Camp Springs News has completed  
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