

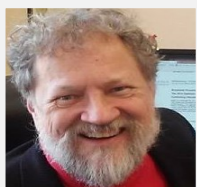
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Caring for Elderly - Stabilizing Lives*

**FERN CREEK/HIGHVIEW
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30th Anniversary 1988-2018



Ron's Ramblings
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I can't believe that the year is half over already. So many wonderful things are happening, yet in one way, this is a bitter-sweet time for me. As many of you already know, I am retiring at the end of this year. As FCHUM celebrates its 30th anniversary, I observe my 22nd anniversary here, my 15th as the Executive Director. So, I am experiencing many "lasts". My last Volunteer Appreciation Brunch, my last Pennies From Heaven GALA, my last St. Bernard Picnic, my last Cans For Kids Summer Food Drive. Yet, this is also a very exciting year.

This year's GALA produced the highest ever results. We raised over \$36,000 with expenses under \$600! We celebrated our 30th anniversary in early June by "Raising an Ebenezer!" I also hope you will mark your calendars for a very special event this autumn—**The Loughry Legacy Retirement Soiree. Friday evening, October 26th**, FCHUM will hold a dinner dance with the Monarchs at Wildwood Country Club. Raising funds to cap off the Legacy Campaign and honoring my years of service, you will find more information about this inside this newsletter. We hope you will be able to join in this festive evening.

I want to say **thank you** to all the supporters who make it possible for Fern Creek/Highview United Ministries to create a positive difference in the lives of the thousands of people we help every year. **30 years of compassion!**



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INDIVIDUAL & FAMILY ASSISTANCE CENTER

Renee Bryant, MSW, CSW—Director

Mon-Fri, 10 – 1:30 , 762-9611

Provides emergency food and financial assistance (including Back to School and Christmas) to those of the 40228 and 40291 zip codes. In addition to food donated from churches, businesses, and groups, IFAC also serves as a Dare To Care Distribution Center. IFAC is currently seeing over 1,000 people per month and distributing over 25,000 pounds of food!

To volunteer or visit please call Renee or e-mail at ifacdir@fchum.org



ADULT DAY HEALTH CENTER

Stephanie Hodge, MSSW—Director

Mon-Fri, 8 – 5, 762-9612

Provides a structured program balancing physical & cognitive activities designed to help frail older adults function at their highest level for as long as possible. As a state licensed health facility, full time nursing services, personal care and medication assistance are provided. Sliding scale fees are available. Medicaid Waiver & V.A. certified. For more information or for volunteer opportunities call or e-mail Stephanie at adcdir@fchum.org

HELP—HEALTH EQUIPMENT LOAN PROGRAM

Providing donated medical equipment to those in need.
For HELP call 762-9608 or e-mail execdir@fchum.org

MEALS ON WHEELS

In cooperation with Louisville Metro Nutrition & KIPDA, FCHUM serves as a base for the distribution of home-delivered meals to the home bound of our community Mon-Fri. Hot meals & a Smile!

YOGA CLASS

Monday evening classes: Yoga Basics 5:00 pm at the Fern Creek Community Center, 6104 Bardstown Rd. Led by volunteer Bev Hurt. For more info contact 762-9608

Fern Creek Highview United Ministries

is a not-for-profit 501(c) 3 organization and all donations are tax deductible. IFAC is funded in part by a grant by Louisville/Jefferson County Metro government. Meals on Wheels is funded in part with Metro Nutrition and KIPDA. The ADC is funded in part under a contract with KIPDA and the Commonwealth of Kentucky Cabinet for Health & Family Services with funds from the U.S. Dept. of Health & Human Services, and with funds from Louisville/Jefferson County Metro Government.



FCHUM Board selects Renee Bryant,

long time program director of the Individual & Family Assistance Center, to succeed Rev. Ron Loughry as Executive Director upon his retirement at the end of 2018. Renee's tenure will begin January 2019. Announced at the June 30th anniversary celebration, Renee's selection ensures a healthy transition and continuity of services and programming. Retiring Executive Director Ron Loughry commented that he was Renee's "biggest advocate and has great confidence in her abilities to lead FCHUM into the future." Renee is excited about the opportunity .

Fern Creek/Highview United Ministries Individual & Family Assistance Center

9300 Beulah Church Road, 762-9611

School Supply List

****We need all school supplies by July 27th**.**

Pencils/Erasers Paper towels Hand Sanitizer

Pens (Black, Red or Blue) Facial tissues Glue Sticks

Crayons (8 or 24 count) Calculators/Backpacks

Scissors (Fiskars preferred) Zip-lock Bags (quart/gallon)

Highlighters Markers Colored Pencils

Writing Tablets Spiral notebooks Steno notebooks

(Grade 1, 2, & 3) Folders (with brads and/or pockets)

Composition Books Notebook Dividers

Wide Rule Notebook paper

Thank you 2018 Pennies From Heaven GALA Sponsors

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**Passport Health Plan,
Forest Park Community Church,
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Beth Breetz & Rev. Ron Loughry, Aetna,
Tommy & Mary Russell, CareSource, ArcWear/E-Hazard,
Ronny Lewis in Memory of Nancy Lewis,
Jencare Neighborhood Medical Centers, AAMCO Dixie/
AAMCO East-John Summers, Trilogy Health Services—
Glen Ridge & Franciscan Campuses**

GOLD

**MainSource Bank, Senior Helpers, Kosair,
Glenn & Dawn Hall—Hall Designs, Bertha & Jerry Wa-
terfill, Park Community FCU, Fr. Jim & Joyce Curry,
Atria Senior Living—Stony Brook**

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**ElderServe, Believers Church, LG & E, Sue Mitchell,
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Highview Business Association**

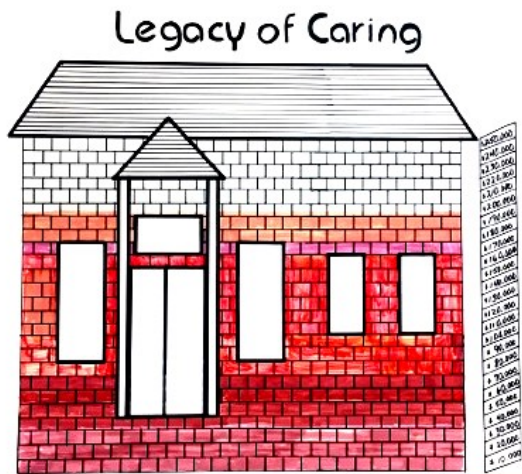
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**Joe & Fran Fox, Jeanne Rectenwald, Rita & Bernie O'Daniels, Ed &
Monica Dries, Jim & Brenda Miller, Martha Krebs, Connie Peake,
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Fern Creek Highview United Ministries INVESTING TO SERVE: LEGACY OF CARING SUSTAINABILITY CAMPAIGN

Investing to Serve: Legacy of Caring

With the development of a **\$250,000** restricted fund FCHUM will be able to **secure and sustain** the operations of our facility in perpetuity. At that level, monthly dividends would pay the costs of operating the facility, paying the utilities, and all those items involved in operating the physical plant. (Dividends are already paying some bills.) That way, in the future, FCHUM will just need to raise funds for operating programs serving our neighbors.

We have raised over \$220,000 already!

Won't you join us in this great act of stewardship? Gifts of all sizes help; the **Legacy Brick** is just one option. Each brick is available for a \$100 donation to the FCHUM **"Investing to Serve: Legacy of Caring"** campaign (a major effort to build a sound financial foundation to sustain the work of ministry in the facility with which FCHUM has been blessed).

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IN MEMORY OF DALE HODGE, JR. LOVE, HODGE FAMILY	IN HONOR OF BOB BEARD FROM FCHUM BOARD	IN HONOR OF MADGE ANN & EDWARD HARDING

Create your own legacy by remembering FCHUM in your will.

Engraved 4" x 8" Engraved Brick Order Form

Donor Information

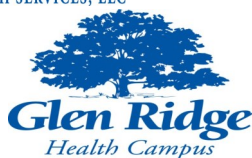
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If mailing order form, send to:

Fern Creek/Highview
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9300 Beulah Church Rd. ,
Louisville, KY 40291

Brick Information:

Maximum 3 lines, 20 characters per line (including spaces and punctuation)



Men's Ministry at Fern Creek Christian Church- known as The Carpenter's Crew

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Fern Creek/Highview United Ministries is blessed with the help of many wonderful businesses, groups, government agencies, and individuals. We encourage everyone to visit these businesses/groups and to say special thanks for their community involvement:

The Roalofs Family-FC & Mt. Wash. Papa John's Pizza, JenCare, LG&E, Passport Health Plan, Fern Creek Woman's Club, Kentucky Harvest, First Financial Bank, Outer Loop Plaza Valu Market, KIPDA, WAGS, Forest Hills Commons, G.E. Foundation, CareSource, Dare to Care Food Bank, Morning Pointe, Pam Atkinson- Kneading Relief Massage, Traditions at Beaumont, Forest Hills Commons, St. Ignatius Eagles Men's Group, Osborn Fund, PriceLess, Kroger, First Choice Coffee Services, Meijer's Simply Give Program, Trilogy's Glen Ridge & Franciscan, Atria Stonybrook, Fern Creek Christian's Men's Group, Louisville Water Co., Louisville Metro Government and the Association of Community Ministries,



MARK YOUR CALENDAR—SAVE THE DATE

The Loughry Legacy Retirement Soiree

**Honoring Rev. Ron Loughry's many years of service to the
Louisville community while celebrating the success of
Fern Creek/Highview United Ministries Legacy Campaign.**

Friday October 26th, 6:30 p.m.—10:00 p.m.

Dinner/Dance with THE MONARCHS

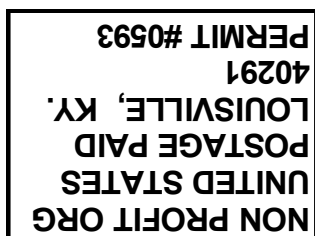
Wildwood Country Club, 5000 Bardstown Rd. 40291

\$50 ticket covers dinner and dance, advance tickets only.

Table sponsorships also available.

Contact 762-9608 or adm@fchum.org for information.

Return Service Requested



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