

FINANCIAL UPDATE – MAY 2018

GENERAL FUND

SUMMARY FOR THE MONTH

Balance May 1, 2018 = \$34,908.36

May Contributions = \$76,874.69

Weekly goal = \$21, 501

May 6 = \$20,429; May 13 = \$19,740; May 20 = \$19,708; May 27 = \$16,998

May Expenses = \$86,824.37

Balance May 31, 2018 = \$24,958.68

SUMMARY FOR THE YEAR (2018 Spending Plan)

Year-To-Date Goal = \$451,542

Year-To-Date Actual = \$423,145

Over/Under YTD Goal = -\$28,397

BUILDING FUND

Balance May 1, 2018 = \$154,661.13

May Contributions = \$8,813.31

Balance May 31, 2018 = \$163,474.44

SPECIAL ACTIVITIES FUND

Balance May 1, 2018 = \$249,817.79

May Income = \$5,429.27

May Expenses = \$11,317.91

Balance May 31, 2018 = \$243,929.15

CONTINGENCY FUND

Balance May 1, 2018 = \$159,079

2018 Gains = \$240.00

Balance May 31, 2018 = \$159,319

SPECIAL BENEVOLENT FUND

Balance March 1, 2018 = \$287,856

2018 Loss = \$1,621

Balance May 1, 2018 = \$286,235

TWO QUESTIONS

What Is "Laying Bricks for Jesus"?

Ten years ago – in preparation for breaking ground for the new addition (Auditorium/Children's Wing), we held a contest asking those in our congregation to submit suggested names for the upcoming building project. The one that was selected was "Laying Bricks for Jesus." This phrase began being used leading up to and throughout the building project.

It continues to be used because the building expansion is a two-phase project. Phase I was the Auditorium and Children's Wing. Phase II will be completed at some point down the road. When Phase I was built, it was constructed in such a way that Phase II could be added on to the back side (the grass area that we refer to as our courtyard or backyard).

What are the LBFJ envelopes about?

Every month we set aside money from our Spending Plan to either a) pay off debt (if there is an outstanding loan from a building project) or b) increase money in our Building Fund in order to pay for the next expansion. Because there is no debt, every month we take \$5,424 from the General Fund and place it into the Building Fund. This equates to \$65,000 over the course of a year.

In addition to this, we place *Laying Bricks for Jesus* envelopes in all church mailboxes every month so that our congregation has an opportunity to contribute funds to Phase II - above and beyond what is set aside in our Spending Plan. So far this year we have averaged \$2,500 per month in contributions from the LBFJ envelopes.

Our current Building Fund Balance (for Phase II) stands at a little over \$160,000.

Thanks to those of you who take advantage of the LBFJ envelopes to help increase our Building Fund. For those of you who were not aware of what these envelopes were about, perhaps you would consider making monthly contributions to this fund as well! The more we are able to save, the less we will need to borrow when the time comes to break ground. For those that are wondering, current plans for Phase II include a Youth Center (ground floor) and Community Room (Auditorium level).

THIS WEEK AT FIVE FORKS

Sunday, June 10	Prayer Hour...6:45am (C2) Café...7:00am – 11:00am Blood Pressure Screening (9:00am-9:20am & 10:30am-10:50am) (C13) Morning Messages: Communion in all services Aud. (8:00, 9:30 & 11:00m) – Pastor Ray – Scripture: <i>Matthew 11:16-17; 18:1-6, 10; 19:13-15</i> Chapel (11:00am) – Pastor Shaun – Scripture: <i>Matthew 19:13-14; Mark 3:14</i> VBS...6:30 – 8:00pm
Monday, June 11	Men's Prayer Group...5:45am (Chapel) Ladies Quilting Class...9am – 12:00pm (Chapel Wing) VBS...6:30 – 8:00pm
Tuesday, June 12	Men's Prayer Group...6:30am (Chapel) VBS...6:30 – 8:00pm
Wednesday, June 13	VBS...6:30 – 8:00pm
Thursday, June 14	Ladies Prayer Hour...6:30-7:30am (Chapel) VBS...6:30-8:00pm
Friday, June 15	Widow/Widowers Luncheon...12:00 noon (MP Room)
Sunday, June 17	Prayer Hour...6:45am (C2) Café...7:00am – 11:00am Morning Messages: Aud. (8:00, 9:30 & 11:00m) – Pastor Ray – Scripture: <i>Psalms 5:3; 121; 139</i> Chapel (11:00am) – Pastor Shaun – Scripture: <i>Luke 22:24-26; Luke 14:12-14; James 1:17; John 1:1-14; Matthew 8</i>

JASON CRABB CONCERT

Friday, July 27th... 7:00pm in the Aud.

Cost: \$19 (General Admission); \$25 (Gold Circle); \$35 (VIP: front row plus meet and greet at 5:45pm)

Tickets available now at the church office or online at www.itickets.com or call 800-965-9324.

LEGO CAMP

July 9th – 13th

Registration will open on Sunday, June 17th.

We will be opening the camp to 48 students who have completed grades 1-5. There will be 24 students selected for the AM class (9:00am – 12:00pm) and 24 students for the PM class (1:00 – 4:00pm). If a student attended last year's camp, they would not be eligible for this year's camp.

Our daily objective for each small group of students is that they will build and program a moving WeDo Lego Model. In order to do these objectives, students will be required to use reading, math, computer, and engineer/design skills. Students will work with a partner and learn basic skills about technology and engineering that will prepare them for a future transition into other STEM activities. Lego Camp is being offered to students who will commit to attending the program every day from July 9-13. Parents or guardians are responsible for providing transportation to and from Five Forks Church.

CRAFT CAMP

July 30 – Aug. 3... 9:15am – 12:30pm

Children who have completed grades 1-5

Registration will open Sunday, June 17th

We are in need of youth and adult volunteers. If you would like to help or have questions, please contact Jacki Hord at kjmhord@gmail.com or stop by the Children's Information Desk on Sunday, June 3rd and 10th.

ELO TURKEY SHOOT

Saturday, June 9th & 16th... 5:00 P.M.
10748 Wayne Hwy. Waynesboro, PA

Ages 10 and up

*15 years old and under must be accompanied by an adult

- Free Admission & Food
- Prizes for each round
- No Worked Guns/No .640 Choke or Larger

Must Pre-Register at www.eloutdoors.com

ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT GROUP MEETING

The next Alzheimer's Education and Support Group meeting will be held this Wednesday, June 13th in the Colestock Center at Quincy Village. Sign in begins at 1:30pm and the meeting begins at 2:00pm in the Bryson Room. Tammy Zeigler from Providence Place will present feelings of guilt and shame associated with getting diagnosed and living with Alzheimer's and other related dementias.

If you have any questions, please contact Barb Tengler at 717-762-3372.

HEALING PRAYERS FOR YOU

(Those who have been hospitalized or underwent surgery/procedures this week)

Bob Baer
Kirk Besecker
Mary Junkins
Bonnie Showalter
Ken Walker
Forrest Oney

NOTES OF THANKS

Thank you for your thoughtfulness in sending a flower when my sister, Dorothy Moser, went to be with the Lord.
-Janet Norris

Dear Five Forks Family,

How can we ever express our sincere gratitude and thankfulness for each of you that walked by our side during Karen's journey. You have definitely shown us the hands and feet of Jesus as you came to clean our house, bring delicious meals, transport Karen to and from appointments, visit with her, send her beautiful cards and flowers to cheer her up and especially all your heartfelt prayers for us. Your love for us during this difficult time has been overwhelming and we appreciate each and every one of you. A special thank you to Pastor Bill and Fawn Stitely for carrying out Karen's wishes at her service. The delicious meal served afterwards was very much appreciated, as was the beautiful planter sent to our home. May God richly bless each of you for your servanthood to our family.

Sincerely,

Dave Oberholzer & Family

Dear Five Forks Family,

It seems like it was only yesterday but it has been very close to three years since that day when Dorothy fell and broke her back. It has also been a long time since the first of many hospitalizations for me and it is embarrassing that thank you's have not been sent in these matters. At one time, my son-in-law came to my room and informed me that they had just admitted Dorothy, same floor only each at the far end of the halls though every time one would get well and come home the other would go to the hospital. At the time I would say to myself I will do it tomorrow and it would be put off; hence tomorrow would never come. Now is the time to try to thank so many people for their roles that they performed in the well-being of both Dorothy and me. November 30, 2016, Pastor Ray Kipe had high hopes of getting his deer first day, (a big Buck). On that day Bob Boswell also had images of the same high hopes. Their lives would be summoned to more important issues than deer hunting at the time. I received a call from Dorothy on my cell phone and she said she had fallen and couldn't move her legs. I ended my hunting that day and started home. I met my daughter Wendy at her house and she followed me home. When we arrived, I immediately did some preliminary checking to Dorothy and decided that we would take her to the hospital for further checking. After X-rays, we were told that Dorothy had a Compression - Type Fracture of L1 Vertebrae and it was bad. Wendy texted Pastor Ray and he met us at the hospital, stayed with us for a while, had prayer with us and set in motion so many wheels of motion at FIVE FORKS that one would wonder where all the help was coming from. From the top down, Our Ministers, The Prayer Warriors, Ladies and Men's prayer groups, the three Secretaries in the office who work so tirelessly doing their jobs, The Wood Working Crews, the phone calls, cards, eventually her phone calls, and visits. Flowers and flowers and flowers. The people who gave generously of their talents and time to prepare delicious meals. Most recently the Building Crew who came out and built a ramp for the electric wheelchair that the Church has lent us until we can get on our feet. And most of all, people like YOU, reading this, who have been touched by God to think of Dorothy and pray for her. When you have done this you have been touched by the Master Healer Himself.

Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy, Aqua Therapy, Wellness Therapy Visits, Nurses, our Parish Nurse, trips to many doctors, hospitals, labs, pharmacies. Within this giant Merry-go-round we never lost our faith in our Lord and Savior Jesus. We did not hesitate to thank him for keeping her from further harm and that he would provide us with the help to further her treatments in her healing process. We are ever so mindful of the severity of her injuries, as I overheard a doctor comment that she would not walk again; I had to inform him that he did not know the power of our God, nor did he understand the determination of Dorothy. Also I would be remiss if I did not mention the continuous pain medications that she has gone through, and is still undergoing. IV therapy for pain, pain patches, pain pills, many pain ointments, even Horse Liniment, Amish pain medicines, Acupuncture all of

which have had some results. Our Care Givers working 24/7 have been a tremendous help to me as it frees up some time for me to get some other work done that I would not have been able to do. A lot of this work has come from other Churches that have been touched by our problem, also. The many men who came to our aid in helping to mow our grass after my neck surgeries and even now for their help in trying to combat the paralysis in both hands as a result of nerve damage from the surgeries. I know there are many more people including the Gardner Crew that have been a big help also, and I pray that I have not missed anyone in this notice. Please forgive me if I have. The List just goes on and on. I have found that it doesn't get smaller as I wait to do it tomorrow. Thank you to all for such a wonderful and caring family, for all of your help in any way, and may you be richly blessed for your endeavors.

In His Name, Bob and Dorothy Boswell

FOOD PANTRY JUNE "ITEM OF THE MONTH"

Peanut Butter

(Place donations in the orange container in the lower lobby.)

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD JUNE "ITEM OF THE MONTH"

Toothbrushes, hair clips, headbands, combs, bracelets, hair ties, barrettes

(Place donations in the designated boxes in the lower and upper lobbies.)

ATTENDANCE

Sunday, June 3	Sunday's Worship Total = 668 8:00 Auditorium = 145 9:30 Auditorium = 248 11:00 Auditorium = 205 11:00 Chapel = 60 Bible Connection = 0 Nursery (9:30 & 11:00) = 10
	Total Sunday School = 274
	Church Picnic = 480
	Wednesday Evening (June 6) = 34 youth

STUDENT MINISTRY HAPPENINGS – Kenton Hock, Director (kenton@ffbic.org)

Pool Parties

Throughout the month of June, we will be having pool parties at the Bumbaugh's house! This is a great time to fellowship together! Talk to Kenton or Chris for his address and come ready to swim and hang out at fires and eat ice cream!

Chambersburg Project

Do like to serve those around you? If so, Chambersburg Project is July 8th-13th! We will be serving those in Franklin County that are living in need! If you would like to sign up to go, pick up a packet at the Youth Booth! Parents, if you want to serve, let Kenton Hock know and we will get you an adult volunteer form.

Operation: Secret Serve

All Middle school students, 6-8th grade, are invited to join us on our mission to serve those in the area! On July 21st, our secret service agents will be meeting at Mary Fleagle's house at 9am to have breakfast and their briefing. We will then embark to serve those around us stopping only for lunch (which should be packed). Then we will end at the Bumbaugh's house to swim and also debrief after the intense mission. Permission slips are required and can be picked up at church or any of the pool parties. Please return permission slips by July 8th.

Orioles Game

This summer we will be going to an Orioles game! Grab a permission slip and come on out! We will be meeting at church at 2:00pm on July 27th! We will take the bus down to Baltimore and watch the game as well as a great Fireworks Show! We will return around 12:30am. The cost for this event is \$10 and don't forget some money for food.