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A Growing Community of Disciple Makers
*~ **Worshipping** God Wholeheartedly As A Way Of Life ~ **Sharing** The Good News Of Jesus Everywhere ~ Being **Transformed** Through the Word of God ~ **Caring** Compassionately For The Needs Of Others ~*

SUNDAY MORNING SERVICES
Traditional Service: 8:00 AM *(Auditorium)* & 11:00 AM *(Chapel)*
Contemporary Service: 9:30 AM &11:00 AM *(Auditorium)*
Café: 7:00 AM – 11:00 AM
Sunday School for Children & Adults – 9:30 AM
WEDNESDAY EVENING SERVICES (September – April)
Bible Study 7:00 – 8:00 PM; Children & Youth 6:45 – 8:15 PM

5th Annual "Family Night"

For the past few years, one of the highlights of our summer has been Family Night. They are always well attended, so we are doing it again!

Join us on Wednesday, August 10th from 6-8pm here on the church campus.

Our intention is to simply provide a way for us to get together as a congregation over the summer.

We Supply:
- Hot Dogs, Drink and Paper Products
- Ice Cream
- Moon-Bounce and Barrel Rides
- Hayride for all ages

You Supply:
- One Hot or Cold Dish to Share

As you can see, there will be activities for children, and an opportunity for adults to mingle and connect or reconnect with one another.

Tables will be set-up in the gym for the "pot-luck" portion and the eating of course.

Please mark this date on your calendar and join us on the evening of August 10th!

THIS WEEK AT FIVE FORKS

SUNDAY, JULY 24
-Prayer Hour…6:45am (C2)
-Café Open…7-11am

Morning Messages

Aud. (8, 9:30 & 11am)
Bishop Rob Patterson

No Chapel Service

MONDAY, JULY 25
-Men's Prayer Group…5:45-6:30am (Chapel)
-Parish Nurse…1-3pm

TUESDAY, JULY 26
-Men's Prayer Group…6:30-7:30am (Chapel)
-Celebrate Recovery…7-9pm (Chapel)

WEDNESDAY, JULY 27
-Summer Break

THURSDAY, JULY 28
-Ladies Prayer Hour…6:30-7:30am (Chapel)

SUNDAY, JULY 31
-Prayer Hour…6:45am (C2)
-Café Open…7-11am

Morning Messages

Aud. (8, 9:30 & 11am) – Pastor Bill
Scripture: Daniel 7

Chapel (11:00am) – Pastor Ray
Scripture: Daniel 6

Big Daddy Weave Concert At Five Forks

Sunday, August 7th…6:00pm (Doors open at 5:00pm) in the Auditorium

Cost:

- $20 General Admission (Doors open at 5pm)
- $35 Gold Circle, includes ticket and up-front seating (Doors open at 4:30pm)
- $45 VIP, includes ticket/Q&A with Artists/Poster/Tour Laminate & Gold Circle seating (Doors open at 4pm)

Tickets are available now at Lifeway Bookstore in Chambersburg or online at www.eventbrite.com.

Tickets also now available through the church office.

Rhodes Grove Ladies Quilting Retreat

September 8th – 11th

Have you been waiting and waiting to start your new quilting project? Do you have a project that is in desperate need of wrapping up? Join us at Rhodes Grove for our annual quilting retreat and embrace a time for projects and fellowship!

For details, call Carrie at 717-375-4162 or email carrie@rhodesgrove.com or register online www.rhodesgrove.com

ATTENDANCE

ATTENDANCE (July 17)

Sunday's Worship Total = 739
8:00 Auditorium = 178
9:30 Auditorium = 300
11:00 Auditorium = 201
11:00 Chapel = 35
Bible Connection = 13
Nursery (9:30 & 11:00) = 12

Total Sunday School = 285

Adult Education Attendance = 104
Berean = 10
Golden Link = 32
Through the Bible = 21
The Christian Family Life Class = 28
8:00AM Café Class = 8
Alpha Omega Discussion = 5
Men's Resolution Class = 0

Our Church's Financial Health

GIVING (July 17)…

Offering = $25,283.00
Weekly Goal = $22,040.00
Total Giving 2016 = $610,235.00
Above/Behind 2016 Goal = ($28,925.00)
Building Fund = $10,945.00

Food Pantry "Item of the Month" for JULY:

Skillet Meals (Hamburger/Tuna/Chicken Helper)

Place donations in the orange tub in the lower lobby.

More than 40 years ago, *The Late Great Planet Earth*, a book by Hal Lindsey and Carole C. Carlson, was released. It rapidly became a best-selling book. Americans were looking at the days in which they were living and were seriously wondering how much longer the world could go on. Lindsey and Carlson's book was timely.

Since the 1970s, the pace of cultural and global change has only quickened. The current rapid spread of information, misinformation, and disinformation has combined with, and likely even fueled, many acts of violence and all manner of unease. Today, many of us are led to wonder, as did a generation before us: How much longer can this go on?

"Are We Living In The Last Days?" That is the question we will explore together during the upcoming Word On Wednesday (WOW) Bible study series. Circle the date: Wednesday, August 17th. We are starting earlier this year for a reason that will be shared on the very first night, starting at 7:00. Please make plans now to join us for this significant study!

To Our Church Church Family,
We want to thank you so much for all the phone calls, cards, flowers, visits, food that was supplied for the whole family on Friday, and most of all, your prayers! We thank Pastor Bill for coming to the memorial service and all our friends. We feel so blessed to have such a caring church family. Ruth Ann will be missed greatly by all who knew her! We know she is rejoicing with her Lord!

-Tony & Heather Martin & Austin and Sonny & Rachel Showalter

Thank you to all for your prayers, cards, and calls during my recent unplanned stay at the Waynesboro Hospital. Thanks Five Forks for the flowers, and thanks to Pastors Brian and Bill for their visit/call and prayers. I am home now and in somewhat "house arrest", but improving slow but sure. Praise and thanks to our God!

-Kathy Freese

Dorothy Boswell
Miranda Seibert
Nadene Welsh
Jane Yoder

School Supplies Needed

As school children are enjoying their summer, we are looking ahead to school starting in August! We have had the opportunity to help low income families for the past 15+ years, but we could not have done it without the help of our friends in the community. Churches, businesses, volunteers all work together to make this happen. Our goal is to provide the school supplies listed for each child's grade as well as a new school outfit including socks and underwear. Many families struggle to make ends meet without the added expenses of required school supplies.

Will you join us in this project by donating school supplies, clothing, underwear, and socks or monetary donations so that we may purchase these items? We would like to have donations by August 1st so that we can distribute them the week of August 8-12.

Please place donations in the designated box in the mailroom. Thanks so much for supporting our children in need.

Supplies Needed:

- Pencil Boxes
- Zippered pencil pouches
- 24-count #2 pencils
- 36-count #2 pencils
- 48-count #2 pencils
- 24-count crayons
- Highlighters – single and 4-count
- 4-count dry erase markers
- Large pink erasers
- Block erasers
- Pencil top erasers
- Large Glue sticks
- Pocket folders with clasps
- Pocket folders without clasps
- Backpacks
- Lanyards
- Red pens
- 1-inch 3-ring binders
- 2-inch 3-ring binders
- Composition Notebooks
- Wide-ruled notebook paper
- Colored pencils
- One-subject spiral notebooks
- Earbuds
- Underwear
- Socks

Please Note:

- No Permanent markers
- Lanyards are needed by all middle and high-schoolers
- All elementary schools ask for earbuds for all grades
- Dry erase markers tend to run out mid-distribution
- All students need backpacks

YOUTH Activities

Below is a list of events and activities that the youth are assisting with, participating in or will be invited to be part of:
"You can find more information about our events, including permission slips, on the church website or join us on Facebook; our group name is; Five Forks BIC Youth Group, or see Pastor Shaun."

****Please be aware that there is extra financial assistance available to any youth that may need it. Do not let money be the reason that you do not participate! (See Pastor Shaun)***

Graduation Picnic - From the Five Forks youth group, we want to say congratulations to all those in the 2016 graduating class. We would like to invite you to a graduation celebration in your honor on **Sunday, July 31st at 5:00pm at the Mont Alto Park Pavilion (NOT the State park pavilion)**. Dress casual as we'll be playing volleyball, frisbee, lawn games and sharing a meal catered by Chipotle. It has been our privilege to get to know each of you and to watch you grow into the young men and women that you are today. And so, one final time, we would like to spend some time with you to share memories from our many adventures together, to learn about your future plans and to pray with you as you get set to embark on a new and wonderful journey ahead. Do what you need to do, take off work, rearrange your schedule and we hope you will plan to join us as we celebrate you. (And...no permission slip necessary for this event:) *Please RSVP to Pastor Shaun by Sunday, July 24th!*

Below is the list of seniors graduating from Five Forks, if there is anyone not listed please let Pastor Shaun know ASAP. Thanks.

2016 Graduates - Kierstin Baker, Zach Bingaman, Monica Byers, Erika Cauffman, Alexis Coyne, Liz Drew, Barrett Eshbaugh, Chase Foglesonger, Cameron Geis, Colleen Golden, Jessica Grove, Sarah Hade, Sadie Harshman, Daniel Hummer, Nate Koontz, Nolan McEntire, Tyra Oberholzer, Kalee Oravec, Dakota Rhyne, Luke Robertson, Brad Rock, Katie Shank, Lynsey Shank, Alexis Shockey, Kendra Sprenkle, Hailey Stum, KaLara Thomas, William Thomas, Connor Tiedemann, Avery Toomey, Hannah Vinson, Skyler Waters, Keely Welsh, Taylor Welty, Jake Wertz, Cole Yoder, Ryan Yoder