FIVE FORKS BIC CHURCH
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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

Church Auction Coming Soon

Our Annual Church Auction is rapidly approaching! It will be held on Thursday evening, October 13th and it's a great event for our church in many ways.

It provides an opportunity for many in our church family to use their gifts/skills/abilities to make and donate furniture, crafts, pies, etc. and to generously make available their cabins, condominiums, etc. for a vacation get-away.

It also provides an opportunity to come together for a great evening of fellowship…eating a delicious meal prepared by our Hospitality Committee and then mingling in the auction areas throughout the evening, talking with old friends and making new ones.

It helps to reduce the debt we are carrying on our mortgage. All proceeds go towards paying off the 1.3 million dollar loan we took out for the 2010 expansion (a loan we hope to pay off next Spring).

Please make plans to attend! We will be continually updating the Auction List…you can find it on the church website (www.ffbic.org) and there will be paper copies available throughout the church.

Dinner will begin at 4:30pm.

The Silent Auction will be held from 4:30 until 6:30pm and will be set up in the Children's Wing.

The Regular Auction begins at 6:00pm.

THIS WEEK AT FIVE FORKS

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 25
-Prayer Hour…6:45am (C2)
-Café Open…7-11am
-Blood Pressure Screening

Morning Messages

Aud. (8am, 9:30 & 11am) – Pastor Shaun
Scripture: I Corinthians 8-10

Chapel (11:00am) – Pastor Brian
Scripture: I Corinthians 5-7

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 26
-Men's Prayer Group…5:45-6:30am (Chapel)
-Parish Nurse…1-3pm

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27
-Men's Prayer Group…6:30-7:30am (Chapel)
-Ladies Exercise Class…1:30-2:30pm (LFH)
-Celebrate Recovery…7-9pm (Chapel)
-GriefShare…7-8:30pm (C2)

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 28
-Ladies Bible Study…9-11am (Chapel Basement)
-AWANA…6:45 – 8:15pm
-Youth…6:45 – 8:15pm (Chapel)
-Bible Study, Pastor Brian…7pm (Aud.)
-Ladies Bible Study…7-8pm (C2)

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29
-Ladies Prayer Hour…6:30-7:30am (Chapel)
-Ladies Exercise Class…1:30-2:30pm (LFH)

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 2
-Prayer Hour…6:45am (C2)
-Café Open…7-11am

Morning Messages

Communion

Aud. (8am, 9:30 & 11am) – Pastor Adam
Scripture: I Corinthians 11, 14

Chapel (11:00am) – Pastor Shaun
Scripture: I Corinthians 8-10

Calling All Seniors!

On Tuesday, October 11th, we will be traveling to Roxbury Holiness Camp for the Fall Senior Day.

It will be a full day of singing your favorite hymns, lunch, and a concert with the Dubbold Family.

We will leave from the church at 8:15am and return about 3:30pm. We will take the church van and car pool if necessary.

There is no cost for this event and we will have a wonderful day of fellowship and good food!

Sign up sheet is at the information desk in the upper lobby.

Questions, contact Pastor Brian at 762-2991 or brian@ffbic.org or Barb Tengler at 762-3372.

Attention Ladies!!

Our ladies ministry is holding a Paint day fundraiser on Saturday, October 1st. We are raising money to help with special events for our ministry.

Our Ministry is *When The Storms Rage* and we are a support group for ladies that are battling depression, anxiety, and loneliness. Come out and have some fun here at the church.

We will be having two sessions. The first being from 10:00 am til 12:00 pm and the second will be from 1:00 pm til 3:00 pm. There will be two different paintings for the time slots.

Minimum of 10 people per class, with a maximum of 30 per class. Canvas is 11 x 17 and the cost is $35 per session!! Come out and join us and support a great cause!! No previous painting experience needed.

Please RSVP as soon as possible classes may fill up fast!! Light refreshments will be served. Contact Jodi Martin for more details 717-352-3105 or email the4martins4@hotmail.com or you can check out our Facebook page *When The Storms Rage*.

ATTENDANCE

ATTENDANCE (September 18)

Sunday's Worship Total = 677
8:00 Auditorium = 147
9:30 Auditorium = 291
11:00 Auditorium = 165
11:00 Chapel = 51
Bible Connection = 16
Nursery (9:30 & 11:00) = 7

Total Sunday School = 256

Adult Education Attendance = 94
Berean = 14
Golden Link = 28
Through the Bible = 16
The Christian Family Life Class = 26
8:00AM Café Class = 10
Alpha Omega Discussion = 0

Wednesday Eve. (Sept. 21) = 327

Our Church's Financial Health

GIVING (September 18)...

Offering = $18,768.00
Weekly Goal = $22,040.00
Total Giving 2016 = $793,328.00
Above/Behind 2016 Goal = ($44,192.00)
Building Fund = $706.22

Food Pantry "Item of the Month" for OCTOBER:

Soup

Place donations in the orange tub in the lower lobby.

Buck Newcomer

Dear Five Forks Church Family,
Thank you so very much for all your prayers, well wishes, and flowers during my recent surgery.
-Cherie Carl

Paul & Cindy Shannon are pleased to announce the birth of their 2nd grandchild, Wesley Robert Cradduck born on September 11, 2016. He weighed 7 lbs. 9 oz. and was 19 inches long. Proud parents are Justin & Dusty Jo Cradduck.

Betty Bingaman completed reading through her bible again this year on September 10th. Blessing to you Betty!

From Your Parish Nurse…

A supply of "Serevent" oral inhalers, 50 mcg. is available. If there is anyone in the congregation who presently uses this kind of inhaler and could use these, please contact Barb Tengler at 762-3372.

Guilford Station Concert

Tuesday, September 27th at 7pm in the Chapel.

This event is hosted by Celebrate Recovery.

Everyone is welcome to attend!!

Light refreshments will be served.

Café Crisis?

On the one hand, the Café that operates every Sunday morning appears to be in fine shape.

- The café bustles with activity between services. It truly serves as a weekly gathering place for many in our church family.
- A self-funded ministry, the necessary funds are coming in that allow us to offer a wide variety of options besides coffee and donuts.

So, what is the problem?

The same problem facing many ministries in many churches…***volunteers***. The café has been in operation for the past 6 years under the leadership of Dave & Julie Tiedemann. They have needed and used volunteers on two levels:

- A few volunteers to assume leadership responsibility for one Sunday a month.
- Many volunteers to serve a single 30/45-minute shift one Sunday a month.

As with many ministries, volunteers will serve for a while - perhaps for years – before something else comes along that moves them in another direction.

We find ourselves at a point where it is becoming very difficult to "replenish" our volunteer roster (on both levels). We have approached numerous individuals personally to see if they are willing to help, but **are putting this need out there in case you are willing and able to serve but have not been asked.**

An inability to find the necessary volunteers could lead to scaling back and offering the "Express Café" (coffee & donuts only, requiring less volunteers) on a regular basis, as opposed to the "Full Service Café" which again offers a wide variety of food and beverages.

Can you help? We need a few individuals who will assume leadership for one Sunday morning per month. We need many volunteers who will take one 30/45-minute shift on a Sunday morning each month. If you can help or have questions, please email Julie Tiedemar

Operation Christmas Child

Soon, the holidays will be upon us. And that also means it's time to start thinking about filling shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child.

So everyone, let's get shopping, wrapping, and filling those boxes. I encourage you to include your children explaining to them the reason for filling a shoebox. Make it a fun family activity!

If you have any question, please contact Penny Bakner at 717-352-8695.

Happy shopping, wrapping, and filling those shoeboxes!!!

We will need the shoeboxes here at the church by November 6th. There will be a designated drop-off box located in the lower lobby soon.

Greencastle-Antrim Women's Fellowship

September 2016 – January 2017 programs. They will provide you with inspiration, information, and insights, via theme – God's Guidance for ALL Times."

Newcomers welcome!

Place: *Evangelical Lutheran Church Memorial Fellowship Hall, 130 N. Washington St. Greencastle.*

When: *4th Tuesday, 9:30-11:00am*

For more information, call 597-2703

Childcare is not provided.

Five Forks Church Fall FUN Day!

Craft /Yard/Bake Sale

Join us on **Saturday, November 5th…8:00am – 3:00pm** for a day of fun, fellowship, food and some great bargains!

Cost to reserve a table for displaying your items is $10 for the first table and $5 for each additional table.

If you would like to reserve a table(s), please fill out the registration form that was placed in your mailbox and return it ***with payment (note: table cannot be held without payment)*** to the following people:

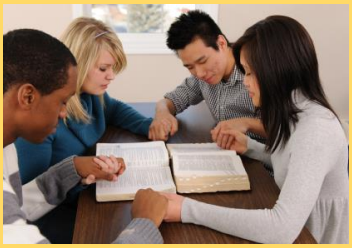
- Yard Sale – Linda Gift
- Craft Sale – Joan Jones

Good News Club

Good News Club is starting Thursday, October 13th here at Five Forks church, and it will run from 2:10 – 3:10pm every Thursday through the school year. The hour-long program of Bible stories and songs is designed to be an outreach to Mowrey Elementary, but any homeschooled child in 1st or 2nd grade is welcome to attend. Parents, grandparents, or volunteers are invited too.

If you have any questions or want further information, please contact Dr. Dan Russell of CEF at 717-404-2790 or drdancef@comcast.net.

Upcoming Worship Evening Event



"Refuge: Praying for Home, Healing, and Hope for those seeking refuge"

October 9th… 7pm in the MP Room

Eveyone welcome!

Life Chain

Please join us at Waynesboro Center Square on October 2nd from 2-3pm for the Franklin County Life Chain. This is a peaceful and prayerful public witness of pro-life individuals standing for 60-minutes praying for our nation and for an end to abortion.

It is a visual statement of solidarity by the Chrisitan community that abortion kills children and that the church supports the sanctity of human life from the moment of conception until natural death.

This event runs rain or shine.

2016/2017 Bonus Books

If you have a 2016 Bonus Book, please remember to use it before December 1, 2016.

Five Forks Church will once again be selling them and we have the 2016-2017 Bonus Books. The new books are effective immediately unless the coupon says otherwise.

There are some new businesses added so you may want to look them over. Thank you for supporting this fundraiser to help pay down our mortgage and if you purchase a book, please show it to your friends and coworkers so they can save money too. (or just ask around at work or family gatherings.)

Great way to save money while having fun and eating out!

Price is still $32/each.

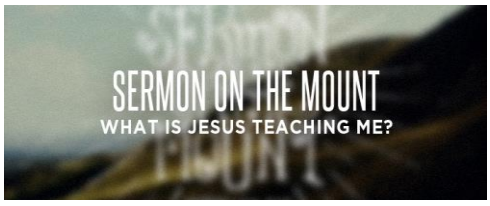
If you would like to purchase a bonus book, please contact the church office 762-2991 or Rhetta Martin at 597-8675.

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)***



<u>The Sermon on the Mount: "Knowing Jesus, so we can live like Jesus"</u> - All Wednesday's this fall

We want to invite ALL TEENS (7th-12th grade) to join us starting this September as we kick off youth group with a series called "THE SERMON ON THE MOUNT". More than any other person, Jesus is the central figure of our faith. How we choose to live our lives all comes down to what we do with and believe about Jesus. So we invite you to join us each Wednesday night, in the chapel, from 7pm - 8:15pm this fall for a time of worship, games, small group discussions and challenging messages. We want to know Jesus, so that we can live like Jesus.