

## FIVE FORKS BIC CHURCH

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## February 18, 2018

### 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



Thanks for your patience as we have been working to get the Church Picture Directory up and running. It is now available for viewing on our website.

We made a commitment to those who participated that the directory would be password protected and that passwords would only be given out to those connected to the Five Forks Church. Because of this, you will need to follow the following steps.

1. Email the church office ([julie@ffbic.org](mailto:julie@ffbic.org)) requesting your password. Please allow approximately 24 hours to receive your password due to what we expect to be a large number of requests here at the beginning.
2. Once you have received your password, copy it. Then go to our website [www.ffbic.org](http://www.ffbic.org) and hover over the Resources tab at the top of the page, and then click on "Picture Directory" from the drop down options.
3. Follow the instructions – "Click **HERE** to download the picture directory" – and paste your password in the window "Enter Password". We strongly recommend that you copy and paste your password into this window as opposed to typing it in manually.
4. You can either choose "Open" or "Download". We recommend that you download the directory so that you do not have to go through this process every time. Because of the size of the file, it may take a few minutes for it to download onto your computer.

We hope you find these instructions easy and that you will find the directory helpful. We ask that out of respect to the commitment we have made to those participating, that you do not give out your password.

We again want to express our appreciation to Bonnie Branthaver for making this Directory happen. Bonnie will be looking to do some additional picture taking in the Spring so that those who are new and those who were not able to participate this past Fall will be able to do so this time.

## This Week at Five Forks

### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18

-Prayer Hour...6:45am (C2)

-Café 7-11am

### Morning Messages

Aud. (8:00, 9:30 & 11:00) – Pastor Shaun

Scripture: Luke 14:12-14; James 1:17  
John 1:1-18

Chapel (11:00am) – Pastor Bill

Scripture: Esther 6:1-10

### MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19

-Men's Prayer Group...5:45-6:30am  
(Chapel)

-Archery...6pm (LFH)

### TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20

-Men's Prayer Group...6:30-7:30am (Chapel)

-Ladies Exercise Class...1:30-2:30pm (LFH)

-Celebrate Recovery (Chapel)...café (6pm),  
large group meeting (7pm), Open Share  
(8pm)

-Archery...6pm (LFH)

### WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21

-Ladies Bible Study... 9:00-11:30am  
(Chapel)

-Awana...6:45-8:15pm

-Youth...7:00-8:15pm (Aud.)

-Bible Study, Pastor Brian...7pm (Chapel)

### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22

-Ladies Prayer Hour...6:30-7:30am (Chapel)

-Ladies Exercise Class...1:30-2:30pm (LFH)

-Archery...6pm (LFH)

-Bible Study, Pastor Brian...7pm (Chapel)

-Wills Clinic...6:30pm (rooms 108 & 112 -CW)

### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23

-Youth Instructional Archery...6pm (LFH)

### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24

-Children's Basketball...9am (MP)

-Archery...9am (LFH)

### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25

-Prayer Hour...6:45am (C2)

-Café...7-11am

### Morning Messages

Communion in all Services

Aud. (8:00, 9:30 & 11:00) – Pastor Shaun

Scripture: Luke 12:35-38; Philippians 2:6-11

Chapel (11:00am) – Pastor Bill

Scripture: Esther 9:20-23



Friday, March 9<sup>th</sup>... 6:30pm – 7:45pm in the Aud.

A night of worship with our Modern Worship Team and devotions presented by Pastor Shaun. Come out on March 9<sup>th</sup> and be a part of what God is doing!

*Ernie Haase + Signature Sound Coming To  
Five Forks*



Friday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>

VIP Doors Open at 5:00 P.M.  
GA Doors Open at 6:00 P.M.  
Music Starts at 7:00 P.M.

\$20 General Admission  
\$35 VIP (includes early access and Artist Q & A)

Tickets are available now at the church office and Sunday mornings starting February 25<sup>th</sup> in the lower lobby.

About: From its formation in 2003, Ernie Haase has built Signature Sound into one of the most popular and beloved quartets in all of Southern Gospel music. The group has traveled all over the world, offering energy, excitement and encouragement through its powerful brand of gospel music. They continue to gain fans all around the globe with its unique performances and unmistakable four-part harmonies.

## Attendance

### *ATTENDANCE (February 11)*

Sunday's Worship Total = 672

8:00 Auditorium = 157

9:30 Auditorium = 249

11:00 Auditorium = 204

11:00 Chapel = 42

Bible Connection = 14

Nursery (9:30 & 11:00) = 6

Total Sunday School = 307

Wed. Eve. (Feb. 14) = 261

### Food Pantry "Item of the Month" for February:

Skillet Meals  
(Hamburger/ Tuna/ Chicken  
Helper)

*Place donations in the orange tub  
in the lower lobby.*

### Operation Christmas Child February:

Wash clothes, non-scented bar  
soap (put in plastic baggie),  
collapsible drink cup, travel  
tissues, bandaids (plain, no  
animals)

*Place donations in the designated  
boxes in the lower and upper  
lobbies.*

## Sportsman's Dinner



Five Forks Archery Ministry Presents...

*Team Fitzgerald – America's Father & Son  
Instinctive Bow-Hunting Pioneers*

Saturday, March 17<sup>th</sup>

Doors Open at 3:45 P.M.

Food Served in two segments: 4:00 – 4:50 P.M. & 5:00 – 5:50 P.M.  
*Pulled Pork with all the trimmings by Bentwood BBQ*

Presentation: 6:15 P.M. (No video-taping permitted)

Several Door Prizes to be Given Away

Tickets: Adults / \$12 – Children under 12 / \$6

Tickets can be purchased at the following locations: Five Forks Church Office or Archery Ministry Member; Hunter's Den, Waynesboro; Keystone Outdoors, Ft. Loudon; Stoneham's Motorsports, Waynesboro

## Sidewalk Prophets... "Something Different Tour in 3D!"

April 13<sup>th</sup> at Antrim BIC Church  
24 Kaufman Rd. East  
Chambersburg, PA 17202

7:00 P.M. – 10:00 P.M.

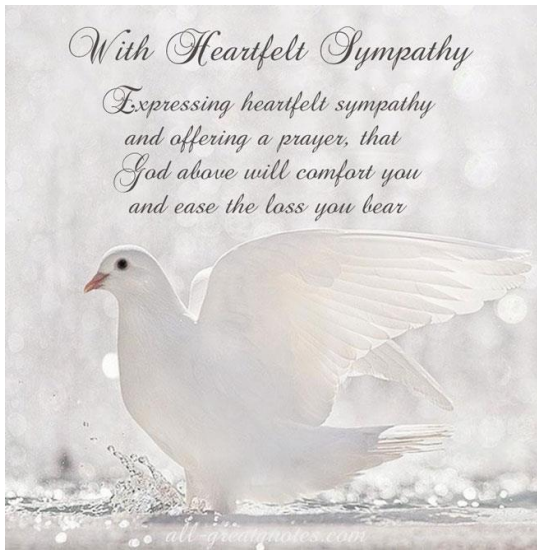
Tickets start at just \$10

To purchase tickets go to:


<https://tinyurl.com/SWP-SD-CHAMBERSBURG-PA>



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*We express our deepest sympathy to Freida Golden with the passing of her sister, Dolores Gladhill on February 9, 2018.*



Penny Bakner  
Dawn Hays  
T.J. Hays  
Barb Tengler  
Joel Wenger

### *From Your Parish Nurse*



AED... Do you know where it is?

Five Forks Church is very fortunate to have an AED – an automated external defibrillator. It is one of those things you hope you never have to use... but so thankful to have one if needed. An AED is a portable device that checks the heart rhythm and can send an electric shock to the heart to try to restore a normal rhythm. AEDs are used to treat sudden cardiac arrest when the heart suddenly and unexpectedly stops beating. Having an AED close by can mean the difference between life and death for a victim of a sudden cardiac arrest... when the heart stops.

It is important that you know where the AED is located. The AED is located on the shelf above the coat rack in the Main Entrance of the first level, in the children's lobby.



Dear Church Family,  
Thank you for your prayers, cards, and phone calls, and the flowers from the church during the period of my recent surgery. I particularly want to thank Pastor Bill for his prayer with us prior to my surgery. It is truly a blessing to have that support in times of stress.  
-Lee Showalter

To My Five Forks Family,  
Many thanks to Pastors Bill and Buck for praying for me before surgery and to Pastor Ray for his visit. The flowers were beautiful. Thanks to all the visits and cards that I received, they are so meaningful. Also many thanks to the four gentlemen who cleaned the ice from the driveway. It was so much appreciated. Thank you.  
Your sister in Christ,  
Jean Reichard



## Wills Seminar/Clinic



On Thursday, February 22 at 6:30 pm in rooms 108 & 112 (children's wing), John Burns from the Brethren in Christ Foundation will lead a Wills Seminar/Clinic at Five Forks BIC Church. Andy Saylor, a Christian attorney with his own law practice, will also be present.

A valid will and powers of attorney are vital to ensure that your wishes are carried out, and the best time to address these issues is now. No one wants the state to determine, through its pre-arranged formulas, how your children will be cared for and your estate will be distributed. Unfortunately, however, this is what could happen without these documents in place.

In the wills seminar, they will share with you the reasons for needing a will, living will and medical and financial powers of attorney, as well as what may happen if you do not have these documents.

You will learn what needs to be included in your will, and how to best benefit those persons and charities you wish to remember. You may find it advantageous to be present even if you already have a will, living will and power of attorney.

There will be an opportunity for questions during the seminar and if desired, scheduling of personal consultations on March 10<sup>th</sup>, to discuss the drawing up of these documents, with Attorney Saylor.

Note: There is no cost for the seminar or for the personal consultation with Andy Saylor. This is one way these men have chosen to serve the Church with their gifts. If you then choose to have Andy's Firm draw up the documents for you, these can be done at typical rates – but there is no obligation to have Andy's firm draw up your documents.

To register for the Seminar, please contact Pastor Ray. [ray@ffbic.org](mailto:ray@ffbic.org) or call the church office (717-762-2991).

## Financial Update – January 2018

### GENERAL FUND

#### SUMMARY FOR THE MONTH

Balance January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018 = \$44,489.22

January Contributions = \$82,358.37

Weekly goal = \$21, 501

January 7 = \$22,178

January 14 = \$27,688

January 21 = \$15,001

January 28 = \$17,491

January Expenses = \$98,653.85

Balance January 31, 2018 = \$28,193.74

#### SUMMARY FOR THE YEAR (2018 Spending Plan)

Year To Date Goal = \$86,008

Year To Date Actual = \$82,358

Over/Under YTD Goal = -\$3,650

#### SPECIAL ACTIVITES FUND

Balance January 1, 2018 = \$287,991.83

January Income = \$6,220.44

January Expenses = \$14,497.00

Balance January 31, 2018 = \$279,714.57

#### CONTINGENCY FUND

Balance January 31, 2018 = \$159,079

#### SPECIAL BENEVOLENT FUND

Balance January 1, 2018 = \$287,856

2018 Gains = \$0



## *Church Board Report to the Congregation – February 2018*

The Church Board's monthly meeting took place on Thursday evening, February 1<sup>st</sup>. Here is a summary report from the February Board meeting:

### GENERAL ITEMS

Pastor Bill reported that our average Sunday morning attendance for January was 675 which was well below last January. The sub-zero temperatures early in the month had a significant impact on our attendance figure. Contributions were up slightly over last January however. It was also reported that the Growing Tree Pre-School Program would begin offering afternoon classes starting in the fall.

### ACTIONS ITEMS

- Pastor Shaun brought a request from Steve Kulla, head of the Waynesboro Children's Theatre Troupe. They requested to use the church facilities for an adult community production that will be performed in May. We believe this is one way of helping us meet our goal of establishing and maintaining a strong relationship with our local community. This request was approved.
- The Board voted to put together a committee that will be given the task of developing a formal security policy for our church. A number of names for this committee were suggested and contact will be made with these individuals. Once the committee is in place, the Board will be looking for an initial report from them by the April Church Board meeting.
- The Board voted to continue to have Bill serve in the role of Administrative Pastor for 2018.
- It was decided that Harvey Payne would begin serving as a consultant to the staff, meeting with the staff every other Thursday morning starting February 22<sup>nd</sup>.

### DISCUSSION ITEM

- Bill led a discussion on positive changes and goals that were met in 2017 as well as identifying areas and goals that were not accomplished this past year.
- The staff was excused at the end of the meeting so that the Board could discuss staff compensation in lieu of feedback received at (and after) Annual Council.

Your Church Board (starting in March) will consist of...

*Staff: Voting members: Bill Shank, Shaun Kipe. Non-voting members: Ray Kipe, Brian Black, Jim Recard, Josh Roach, Kenton Hock*

*Congregational Representatives (elected at Annual Council): Peggy Dawson, Sandy Gray, Matt Nolt, Harvey Payne, Angie Petersheim, Todd Smith, Joel Wenger, Lin Yoder*

*Deacon Representative: Mike Garland*

*Church Treasurer: Gene Gorman*

The role of recording secretary (non-voting member) is yet to be filled.

# youth group

SCHEDULE

*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 Kenton.*

*\*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 Kenton Hock, youth director)*



"You are invited to join us this January for an exciting adventure through The Life of Christ. We have been working through some of The Great Adventures in the Bible and we have come to the greatest of all. We are going to be diving into the life of Jesus Christ from His birth through His death and Resurrection. We are going to learn about how His life can impact our own lives! We look forward to seeing you there!"

Jr. High Snow Tubing – All Jr. High teens the rescheduled date is Sunday, February 18<sup>th</sup> as we take Sunday school on the road for our annual trip to Ski Liberty for snow tubing! That's right nothing more thrilling than peering over the edge of an icy ledge and then jumping with nothing but an inner tube to catch your fall as you go tearing down the mountain! We'll meet at the church at 8:45am, fill up on those delicious donuts from the cafe and then we'll load the bus and head to Boulder Ridge. Before the exhilaration of the mountain we'll all gather together for a devotional, talk about where God may show up on that mountain and then we'll tube from 10am - Noon. You must have a permission slip and a Ski Liberty Parent Release form completed in order to participate. Permission slips are due on January 31<sup>st</sup> and the cost for this event is \$20. Once we've had enough, we'll load the bus and be back to the church by 12:45pm for pick up!



[Planet Wisdom \(6th - 8th Grade teens\)](#) - All 6-8th Grade Youth are invited to attend Planet Wisdom's 2018 Youth Conference at Hylton Memorial Chapel in Woodbridge, VA on Friday, March 2 thru Saturday, March 3. Planet Wisdom is a two-day conference designed to challenge middle school and high school students to dig deeper into the Bible and see their world from God's perspective. Part of the unique experience of Planet Wisdom is the opportunity for our teens to worship



alongside several thousand other followers of Christ and to hear from some nationally known youth speakers. This weekend is focused on energizing our teens in their own faith journey. The theme at this year's conference is Supernatural (The Holy Spirit – who he is, what he does and his powerful role in the lives of his followers. We will challenge students to know him better and to tap into the power of God that lives inside of his children.) The cost for Jr. High students at Five Forks is \$50. You will need additional money to purchase two meals. There may also be resources and merchandise available to purchase at the conference. Youth Group will cover the cost of late night snacks, transportation and hotel accommodations at a nearby Quality Inn. You will need to pack a change of clothes and toiletries for an overnight stay. Meet at church on Friday at 3:45pm. We will return on Saturday around 7:00pm. Youth Group has reserved tickets and hotel accommodations for the first 20 Jr. High teens who turn in permission slip and payment. Additional tickets and hotel accommodations may be available, but not guaranteed. Please respond ASAP to ensure your spot. Contact Kenton Hock if you have any questions. You can also visit the following website for more details about the conference:

<https://youthspecialties.com/planetwisdom/washington-dc/>

[Planet Wisdom \(9th - 12th Grade teens\)](#) - All 9th - 12th Grade Youth are invited to attend Planet Wisdom's 2018 Youth Conference at Hylton Memorial Chapel in Woodbridge, VA on Friday, March 2 thru Sunday, March 4. Planet Wisdom is a two-day conference designed to challenge middle school and high school students to dig deeper into the Bible and see their world from God's perspective. Part of the unique experience of Planet Wisdom is the opportunity for our teens to worship alongside several thousand other followers of Christ and to hear from some nationally known youth speakers. This weekend is focused on energizing our teens in their own faith journey. The theme at this year's conference is Supernatural (The Holy Spirit – who he is, what he does and his powerful role in the lives of his followers. We will challenge students to know him better and to tap into the power of God that lives inside of his children.) The cost for Sr. High students is \$65. You will need additional money to purchase three meals. There may also be resources and merchandise available to purchase at the conference. Youth Group will cover the cost of late night snacks, a Saturday evening activity, transportation and hotel accommodations at a nearby Quality Inn. You will need to pack a change of clothes and toiletries for two overnight stays. Meet at church on Friday at 3:45pm. We will return on Sunday morning around 10:30am. Youth Group has reserved tickets and hotel accommodations for the first 20 Sr. High teens who turn in permission slip and payment. Additional tickets and hotel accommodations may be available, but not guaranteed. Please respond ASAP to ensure your spot. Contact Kenton Hock if you have any questions. You can also visit the following website for more details about the conference:

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