

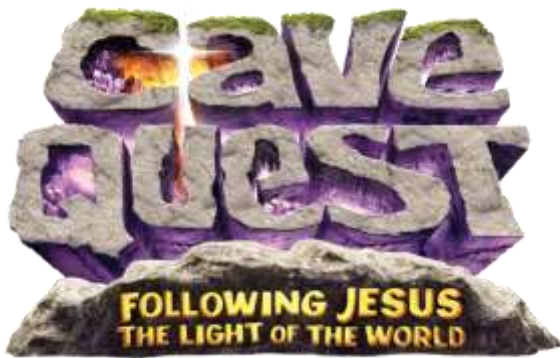
Make a 'Connection' with



# The Connection

Newville  
First Church of God

June, 2016



JULY 10<sup>TH</sup> TO 14<sup>TH</sup> 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.  
Children (ages 3 – 5<sup>th</sup> grade)



It is once again that time of year when the planning for Vacation Bible School is in full swing. This is the biggest outreach event we have for children each year to teach them about Jesus, and we would love for you to be a part of this great adventure!

*We need help in many different areas, so no matter what your talents are, we have a place where you can get plugged in to assist.* Here are a few suggestions for you to pray about:

**Registration Station:** Your task would be to greet families and gather the information to register their children and tally up the attendance for each night.

**Memory Verse Station:** Your task would be to listen to the children as they come to say their **memory verses to you. You would also encourage them in their learning of God's Word.**

**Decorating:** Feeling creative? We have a team who has been so creative and have done a wonderful job decorating for VBS in the past years. They are always looking for a helping hand and new ideas.

**Crew Leaders:** This is one of the busiest tasks of the week, but probably the most rewarding personally. You would be responsible for 5 to 8 children each night. There is nothing you will have to prepare but your heart for many blessings as you make friends with your children during the week. If you love children, you will love being a Crew Leader.

**Snack Station:** Much help is needed to prepare the exciting and delicious snacks the children will enjoy throughout the night. It is a blessing to watch their faces and listen to their conversations as they enjoy the snacks prepared for them.

**Bible Lessons:** The teachers are asked to teach one night. You would teach one lesson to three different groups of children that night. Detailed lesson materials will be provided to assist you in your lesson preparation. Helpers are also needed to assist the teachers each evening.

**Craft Station:** A person is needed to head up the crafts during the week, and many people are needed to assist the children as they do their crafts. Men and women alike are very helpful in the craft area.

**Game Station:** Do you like having fun? Then you would be the person to lead or assist in the game area. The children love to run and play, and the VBS program comes with many fun filled game ideas.

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**Nursery Station:** Can you help VBS volunteers who have nursery age children by serving in the nursery?

**Sound/Video Techs:** Every night we need individuals to operate the sound and video systems during the opening and closing portions of VBS.

**Prayer Warriors:** **Do you feel like you don't have the time or skills to help with the VBS program???** There is one thing that everyone can do. Will you be a Prayer Warrior? Can you pray for the children to grow in their love for Jesus, and for many children to receive Jesus as Lord and Savior? Will you pray for all the families represented, and pray for the many volunteers that help make VBS a great success. The ministry of the VBS program relies on the power of prayer.

*There are many other opportunities to serve during the week. It is a blessing to have extra people signed up to help where needed.*

**CHILDREN! CHILDREN! CHILDREN! CHILDREN! CHILDREN!**

**Of course, we can't have VBS without children!!!** How many children live in your neighborhood that you could bring along to VBS? We need everyone to get the word out and **invite children to attend. Maybe you could be the "driver" to bring several children to be a part of the excitement of learning about Jesus!!!**

**PRE-REGISTRATION OF CHILDREN:** *Parents, if all possible, please pre-register your children and their friends as soon as possible.* This is very helpful in ordering supplies and helping us to be better prepared for the opening night of VBS. There are registration forms available in the Welcome Center. Look for the **Cave Quest VBS** display.

**SO!!! Cave Quest VBS** is for everyone . . . and we trust you will get signed up to be a part of this exciting adventure!

Would you like to know more on how you can get connected to help with VBS? You are invited to attend two special meetings for VBS planning & sharing of ideas on:

Tuesday, May 31<sup>st</sup>, at 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, June 15<sup>th</sup>, at 6:30 p.m.

There will also be a *special information meeting for all volunteers on July 6<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00 p.m.* This meeting is to go over details of what each person is responsible to do during the week of VBS so that we can answer your questions and to have you well prepared to lead the children.

If you have any questions about how you can help with **Cave Quest VBS**, please contact Pastor Wayne or Elaine. *Thank you in advance for helping shape lives of the children of Newville and surrounding communities.*

**VBS volunteers—don't forget to obtain and submit your clearances!**

# 10th Annual Newville Rural Festival

Saturday, June 4, 2016

9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Rain or Shine

Free Admission & Parking



### Over 50 Craftsmen/Exhibitors

Antique farm tractors and farm equipment, Classic & Antique Cars



### Demonstrations

Hit-n-Miss engines  
Spinning Wheels

### Food

Soup, Sandwiches, French Fries, Homemade Pies, Ice Cream & more!



### Children's Entertainment and

Activities:

Barrel Train Ride  
"Children's Garden"  
Tours & Activities  
and more!



Special Musical Ministry  
all day by:

→  
"Next 2 Nothing"



←  
"Liberty"

"Shippensburg Swing Band"

Tractor Parade at 2:30 p.m.  
featuring our exhibitors!

### Location of Festival:

**Newville First Church of God**  
475 Shippensburg Road, Route 533  
Newville, PA 17241

(717) 776-5223

[secretary@newvillecog.com](mailto:secretary@newvillecog.com)

[www.newvillecog.com](http://www.newvillecog.com)

Interested in exhibiting your craft, equipment, tractor, car, or motorcycle at our event? Please contact the Church Office at (717) 776-5223 or by email at [secretary@newvillecog.com](mailto:secretary@newvillecog.com)

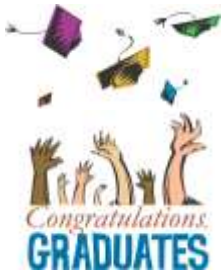


The Father/Son Banquet is Tuesday, June 7th at 6:00 p.m.

Cost is: Adults-\$6.00; 6-12 years - \$3.00; 0-5 years - Free. The meal will be: Baked Ham, Scalloped Potatoes, Baked Beans, Applesauce, Dinner Roll, Drink and Cake for Dessert. Tickets on sale in the Welcome Center.

## ALL NURSERY, CHILDREN, AND YOUTH VOLUNTEERS

Please check your mailbox for the Volunteer Background Check Information (VBCI). By state law, everyone who volunteers to help with our nursery, children, or youth ministries who is over the age of 18, must have PA State and Child Abuse background clearances. If you have not applied for your background clearances, the VBCI packet will provide you with instructions on how to obtain your clearance forms. There are extra packets on the information table in the Welcome Center if you need more. If you already have your clearances, please submit a copy to Pastor Wayne or Casey Jones if you have not already done so. Please obtain your clearances by May 31, 2016. If you would like assistance in completing the background clearance application, please contact Casey Jones at 585-2158, or Bev Orner at 717-713-4524 and they will assist you.



We will honor our graduates on Sunday, June 12th. If you have a family member that has or will be graduating from High School, College, or a Technical School this past winter or spring, please submit their name and graduate information to the church office by Sunday, June 5th.



***On Sunday, June 12<sup>th</sup>, during the Sunday School hour at 9:30, we will have Tony and Heather Book and their family with us to share about their calling on a mission project to minister to the Isaan people of Northeastern Thailand. Less than 1% of the Isaan people know anything about Jesus and as a result, many children are sold as sex slaves or enter into prostitution. The Book family will be entering into a six year mission ministry that will involve building relationships with Thai people as they do evangelism and discipleship training. Come hear how you can be a part of this ministry.***

## Your gift could “change” a life!



We are hosting a baby bottle blast until Father's Day to support the ministry of Capital Area Pregnancy Centers. As you begin filling your baby bottle, consider the following:

When you insert a check or fill a bottle with currency and coins, you are helping to minister to the many men, women and teens in the greater Harrisburg area. From free pregnancy tests and ultrasounds... maternity and baby clothes...furniture and diapers... as well as post-abortion counseling...all of these services are offered through this organization. With your help CAPC can continue these services

throughout the Harrisburg area!

Please note: CAPC will automatically receipt all checks. Please make all checks out to Capital Area Pregnancy Centers. Any questions....please call Capital Area Pregnancy Center at 717-761-4410

THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

Capital Area Pregnancy Centers    Life Choices Clinic    Capc4u.org  
2515 Gettysburg Rd., Camp Hill, PA 17011





The Paw Pack Ministry is currently blessed with serving 32 children. A survey was handed out to the families in May for any feedback on the success of the program. We will be continuing to collect donations throughout the summer to gear up for the start of the school year with expanding into 2 additional **Elementary's**. **Our goal is to serve 60-70 children** at the start of the school year.

**With your generous donation a few Sunday's ago, we were able to purchase 100 cases of 24 – pack peas and green beans.** Your donation is very much appreciated and will help feed the children.



We will have information booths set up at the Rural Festival and the Fountain Festival. We are looking at meeting with the Partnering Churches in June. We **are also scheduling a picnic with the Partnering Churches/Business's the end of July** to put a plan in place for the start of next school year.



**There will be another "Paint Day" scheduled for Saturday, July 23<sup>rd</sup>.** There will be 2 sessions. One at 10:00 am and the other at 2:00 pm for a total of 39 people per session. Sign-ups will begin June 5th in the Welcome Center. The cost is \$25 per person and will be collected at the door. The Picture will be displayed the end of May.

**The Next Paw Pack Meeting will be held on Wednesday, June 1<sup>st</sup> at 6:30 pm.**  
May the Lord continue to Bless You as you have Blessed the Ministry.

*Thank-you so very much for the beautiful hot pink flowered prayer blanket that I unexpectedly Received after my surgery on May 2nd! It has been quite a comfort to me during the many hours of Uncomfortable recovery!*

*God Bless you all for this ministry! Suzanne Witter*



*To my Church Family,*

*Thanks for all the prayers, cards, letters, visits, phone calls, and for the prayer blanket. I appreciated all very much.*

*Doris Deihl*

COMMUNION  
SUNDAY, JUNE 26  
DURING BOTH  
WORSHIP  
SERVICES



**THE UNION**  
SINNERS & SAINTS

FEATURING MEMBERS OF PETRA + WHITEHEART  
WITH SPECIAL GUEST NEXT2NOTHING

**SUN** | **SCOTLAND, PA**  
JULY 17 | SCOTLAND CAMPUS AUDITORIUM  
6:00 PM | 3583 Scotland Rd. Scotland, PA

Tickets \$20 Advance \$25 at the Door \$40 VIP Adv Only  
\$60 Adv Only with Meet and Greet and Pizza Party

Tickets Available at  
iTickets.com

### Child Evangelism Fellowship's "Good News Day Camp

**2016"** registration forms are now available on the Welcome Center bulletin board.

Good News Day Camp is for children who have completed 1<sup>st</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> grades. Cost is \$15 per child and covers snacks, juice, crafts, rewards and insurance.

Good News Day Camp will be held here at our church August 8 - 12, 2016.

# CAMP YOLIJWA NEWS

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| <p><b>FISHING DERBY</b></p>  <p>Land the Big One!<br/>             October 16, 2016<br/>             Ages 5-15<br/>             Come enjoy this DGC event and a Sunday afternoon of trout fishing on Lake Henrietta. Adult chaperones for children are required.</p> | <p>Parent/Child Camps for children K-2 and their parent or significant adult.</p>  <p>Father/Son is July 30-31 and Mother/Daughter is August 14-15</p> | <p><b>NEW CABINS</b></p>  <p>2016 Wilderness Camps!<br/>             Wilderness Camp. <b>Live in God's creation!</b> Sleep in <b>NEW</b> cabins, cook over a fire, hike and canoe.<br/>             Week-long camps for Jr. &amp; Sr. High.</p> | <p>Adult Fellowship Camp<br/>             August 22-26<br/>             Are you 55+ and miss your days as a summer camper? Come to Adult Fellowship Camp. Great activities and fellowship!</p>  |  <p>Open House<br/>             June 11<br/>             1-5 pm<br/>             Carnival games, Crafts, Pool, Hayrides, Camp activities.<br/> <b>Camp's famous Chicken BBQ!</b></p> | <p><b>BIKE TREK</b><br/>             Sept. 30 - Oct. 2<br/>             Ages 18 &amp; older<br/>             Enjoy a weekend of biking, camping, Christian fellowship, and discipleship. Location &amp; route to be determined. Brochure coming in August.</p>  |
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## FAITHFUL SERVANTS FOR JUNE

### 8:30 AM Worship Service

**Greeters:** Bernie & Marylyn Allen family  
**Nursery:** Marylyn Allen, Cindy Finkenbinder, Roger Woltz

### 9:30 AM Connection Groups

**Nursery:** June 5: Marylyn Allen, Elaine Good  
 June 12: Elaine Good, Teresa Hockenberry  
 June 19: Marylyn Allen, Emma Shughart  
 June 26: Elaine Good, Teresa Hockenberry

### 10:30 AM Worship Service

**Greeters:** Linda Martin, Cleo Hosler, Chip Shughart, Steve Mixell, Jerry & Phyllis Hershey  
**Acolyte:** Erica Diep  
**Toddler Church Helpers:** June 5: Angie Anderson, Katlyn Hoskins  
 June 12: Stacie Nickel, Rebekah Nickel  
 June 19: Angie Anderson, Heather Wolf, Katlyn Hoskins  
 June 26: Stacie Nickel, Rebekah Nickel

**Nursery:** June 5: Kathy Biscuit, Kacey Biscuit  
 June 12: Ashley Snyder, Emma Shughart, Betsy Shughart  
 June 19: Norma Barrick, Ruth Clark  
 June 26: Kristina Kephart, Abby Stitt, Lynn Finkenbinder

**Junior Church Teachers:** June 5: Jr. Church Children begin in the sanctuary; Brian & Julie Lay  
 June 12: Brian & Julie Lay  
 June 19: Brian & Julie Lay  
 June 26: Brian & Julie Lay



**Child Dedication Service on Father's Day, Sunday, June 19<sup>th</sup>** during both worship services. If you would like to dedicate your child(ren) to the Lord, or have questions about child dedication, please contact Pastor Wayne before Wednesday, June 15<sup>th</sup>.



*Doug Kennedy is serving in France on a mission project for one year doing street evangelism and planting churches. His parents, Kevin and Mary Miller, and his grandmother, Frances Kennedy, attend our church. Below is a recent update from him. (next month we will include more stories from Doug.)*

Dear Newville First Church of God,

I have now been in Paris, France for four months since I first arrived on the 21<sup>st</sup> of January. I thank God for your prayers and support every day, since it is by your help that I have been able to come to this nation and work for the advancement of the kingdom among the nations that are all gathered here in the City of Lights. Again, thank you.

I would like to share three stories with you to illustrate the work that has been done here, and also to help share with you the vision of this mission.

## Story #1

I arrived the night of January 21<sup>st</sup> to a house in Nogent sur Marne with Billy Campbell (pastor, missionary, and my mentor) and his wife. This house was now home. The kingdom had invaded another household in France. We were greeted by a short Iranian woman who has been living in France for 30 years now. Her father was assassinated during the Iranian Revolution and she made her way to Paris. She married, had two children, but later divorced. She has lived a hard life. During my first month living with this woman and another tenant, I had several conversations with her about the gospel, prayed with her, and studied the Scripture with her. Eventually she started coming to our house church in Champigny sur Marne, which is right across the river from Nogent sur Marne. She also started to have dreams from the Lord.

One Saturday night, I invited her to our service on Sunday, but she said that the gardener was coming early Sunday morning and she would not be able to make it. I left the house early the next morning. On my way to the Campbells' house, I received a text from her asking if I had left for the Campbells'. To my surprise, she said she was coming as soon as possible. When she arrived at the house she told us that that night she had a dream. In her dream, there were several people, including me, who were praying and worshipping. She could tell that these people were very happy and she wanted to join them. When she woke up she immediately knew that she was to go to the Campbell's house to pray and worship with everyone. She canceled her appointment with the gardener and immediately came to join us for worship.

Since then Billy's wife and I have started studying the Scripture with her every week. She continues to have dreams from the Lord, and it is my privilege and honor to see the Lord radically pursuing this woman out of his immense love for her. Four months ago she had never heard the gospel and never picked up a Bible, but now she has done both. Please pray for her salvation.

## Story #2

The peoples of the nations are gathered in Paris, and we know from the Scriptures that God has a heart for the nations. In fact, the nations are the inheritance of the Son, Jesus Christ (Psalm 2). As I arrived at my first French class at the Alliance Française on February 1<sup>st</sup>, God's heart for the nations that are gathered in Paris became real to me as I sat in a classroom full of people from Iran, Hong Kong, China, Italy, Germany, Ecuador, Argentina, Australia, and many other nations. I made it my goal to share the gospel with every person in the class. A few highlights:

-An Italian lady in my class could not possibly understand why I wanted to be involved with any sort of church, which was oppressive and intolerant.

-A British man who had recently left the banking industry asked me what my ideal view of the world would be, and I had the opportunity to share the gospel of the kingdom of God with him. I'll be meeting with him next week to catch up with him. God is working. Please pray for his salvation.

-A woman from Hong Kong had a sore throat one day in class. I felt a burning from the Lord inside of me to pray for her. As I prayed the Lord healed her throat and after several conversations with her about the gospel she told me, "I think God is really calling me this time." I still meet with her regularly. She will be joining a French practice/Bible study group I am starting with another person on our team here in Paris next week. Please pray for her.

-An Iranian couple joined us for lunch after worship at Liberté (our church plant). We had four Iranians at church. Throughout the house that Sunday we had French, English, Farsi, and Albanian being spoken. Before the couple returned to Iran, I had the opportunity to share the gospel and pray with them. Please continue to pray for them.

Wherever we are, whether it is in language class, at the local flea market, on the streets, or in apartment buildings, we are to be equipped and ready to share the gospel with everyone that we meet. Please pray for us as we continue to evangelize and sow the seed of the gospel in our communities.

|                                  | <u>Apr 16</u>    | <u>Jan - Apr 16</u> | <u>Annual Budget</u> | <u>% Budget</u> |
|----------------------------------|------------------|---------------------|----------------------|-----------------|
| <b>Ordinary Income/Expense</b>   |                  |                     |                      |                 |
| <b>Income</b>                    |                  |                     |                      |                 |
| <b>General Fund Income</b>       |                  |                     |                      |                 |
| Birthday Gift for Jesus Income   | 0.00             | 977.00              |                      |                 |
| Building Rental Income           | 0.00             | 105.00              |                      |                 |
| Envelopes Income                 | 12,972.00        | 54,175.00           |                      |                 |
| Interest on Account              | 6.05             | 19.29               |                      |                 |
| Loose Offering Income            | 5,873.77         | 27,246.98           |                      |                 |
| Miscellaneous Income             | 165.93           | 1,204.03            |                      |                 |
| Missions Income                  | 587.00           | 2,457.00            |                      |                 |
| Online giving                    | 759.35           | 3,070.75            |                      |                 |
| Stamp & Tape Fund Income         | 0.00             | 25.58               |                      |                 |
| Sunday School Income             | 467.01           | 2,245.90            |                      |                 |
| <b>Total General Fund Income</b> | <u>20,831.11</u> | <u>91,526.53</u>    |                      |                 |
| <b>Money Market Income</b>       |                  |                     |                      |                 |
| Building Fund Income             | 5,220.42         | 41,068.31           |                      |                 |
| Money Market Interest Account    | 0.00             | 120.49              |                      |                 |
| <b>Total Money Market Income</b> | <u>5,220.42</u>  | <u>41,188.80</u>    |                      |                 |
| <b>Total Income</b>              | 26,051.53        | 132,715.33          |                      |                 |
| <b>Expense</b>                   |                  |                     |                      |                 |
| Total Administration - Other     | 1,772.02         | 6,123.47            | 13,300.00            | 46.04%          |
| Total Administration - Staffing  | 9,356.51         | 39,609.46           | 128,232.70           | 30.89%          |
| Total Benevolences               | 3,928.10         | 17,464.09           | 58,710.00            | 29.75%          |
| Total Christian Education        | 1,494.62         | 2,420.34            | 18,950.00            | 12.77%          |
| Total Church Life Activities     | 483.00           | 845.82              | 1,900.00             | 44.52%          |
| Total Property Management        | 1,547.07         | 8,776.71            | 36,150.00            | 24.28%          |
| Total Stewardship & Finance      | 130.00           | 833.00              | 1,350.00             | 61.70%          |
| Total Worship & Evangelism       | 401.60           | 725.81              | 4,170.00             | 17.41%          |
| <b>Total Expense</b>             | <u>19,112.92</u> | <u>76,798.70</u>    | <u>262,762.70</u>    | <u>29.23%</u>   |

The Church Council will meet on Monday, June 13th at 7:00 pm.

Community Events & Senior Center News is on the Welcome Center bulletin board.

**Council Minutes & detailed Financial Report copies are in the Welcome Center.**



**Don't forget your Big Spring Area Food Bank** Donations. Collection Box is in the Welcome Center. Especially needed are peas and other non-perishable food items.

Donate your used printer ink cartridges to benefit Pregnancy Ministries Inc. Please **place them in the basket marked "PMI Ink Cartridges" in the Welcome Center.**

G.I.G.G.L.C.S. Ladies' Lunch Ministry will meet on Tuesday, June 28th at Magapple—Fiddler's Restaurant at 12 Noon. We will carpool from the church parking lot at 11:15 am.



## ANNIVERSARIES

|                               |      |
|-------------------------------|------|
| Edward & Rhonda Hall          | 6/4  |
| Ken & Ann Hollinger           | 6/8  |
| Doug & Cathy Long             | 6/9  |
| Garry & Stephanie Wall        | 6/13 |
| Michael & Janet Frantz        | 6/13 |
| Jason & Kristina Kephart      | 6/16 |
| Lloyd & Lisa Newswanger       | 6/17 |
| Ed & Deb Wakefield            | 6/18 |
| Roger & Jen Thrush            | 6/19 |
| Will & Janelle Lloyd          | 6/22 |
| Michael & Brooke Bobb         | 6/23 |
| David & Laura Fleagle         | 6/23 |
| Michael & Janelle Hippensteel | 6/24 |
| Jay & Sandy Rausher           | 6/24 |
| Andy & Alison Brown           | 6/24 |
| Roy & Reba Butler             | 6/26 |
| Richard & Rebecca Mentzer     | 6/26 |
| David & Carissa Roberts       | 6/27 |
| Marlin & Barb Hoover          | 6/27 |
| Jeff & Amy Myers, Sr.         | 6/27 |
| Mike & Julie Connor           | 6/27 |
| Rob & Erin Malick             | 6/30 |



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| Cody & Katie Ocker      | 7/1  |
| Bob & Mary Lou Woltz    | 7/3  |
| Sam & Louise Hoover     | 7/8  |
| Alan & Heidi Guyer      | 7/9  |
| Sam & Danna Howell      | 7/12 |
| Jason & Cherie Darhower | 7/17 |
| Mark & Sarah Long       | 7/18 |
| Larry & Pat Wilhide     | 7/19 |
| Bud & Sharon Bitner     | 7/20 |
| Brian & Sharon Fisher   | 7/28 |
| Gary & Pat Martin       | 7/28 |
| Steven & Anna Lehman    | 7/29 |
| Richard & Jane Shriner  | 7/30 |



*Congratulations to Andrea Muzzy and Zachery Dubbs  
who were joined in marriage on May 14, 2016.*

## BIRTHDAYS

|                    |      |                    |      |
|--------------------|------|--------------------|------|
| Austin Halac       | 6/4  | Lee Deihl          | 7/1  |
| Esther Reed        | 6/4  | Kris Hall          | 7/1  |
| Gilbert Schoonover | 6/5  | Brian Fisher       | 7/1  |
| Jackie Russell     | 6/6  | Wayne Witmer       | 7/6  |
| Ronald Rinehart    | 6/7  | William Boldosser  | 7/7  |
| Aiden Bishop       | 6/9  | Jen Thrush         | 7/9  |
| Brooke Gaus        | 6/10 | Josiah Hippensteel | 7/10 |
| Brian Hershey      | 6/10 | Courtney Snyder    | 7/12 |
| Sheila Koser       | 6/10 | Kacey Biscuit      | 7/13 |
| Hailey Yarnal      | 6/10 | Eileen Parthemore  | 7/14 |
| Donald Heishman    | 6/11 | Alura Hall         | 7/14 |
| Sandy Rausher      | 6/11 | Hailey Hall        | 7/15 |
| Rylan Good         | 6/11 | Karen Henderson    | 7/16 |
| Tom Bailey         | 6/12 | Micah Ramsey       | 7/18 |
| Brandon Ocker      | 6/12 | Abby Stitt         | 7/19 |
| Nicholas Walter    | 6/12 | Laurell Killian    | 7/23 |
| Doug Bixler        | 6/12 | Hayleigh Wall      | 7/25 |
| Sharon Fisher      | 6/12 | Levi Guyer         | 7/26 |
| Elaine Good        | 6/13 | Colby Negley       | 7/26 |
| David Forney       | 6/13 | John Bailey        | 7/26 |
| Bradley Meals      | 6/14 | Angie Anderson     | 7/27 |
| Tim Johnson        | 6/15 | Marlin Hoover      | 7/27 |
| Megan Negley       | 6/16 | Brantley Darr      | 7/27 |
| Sheri Deihl        | 6/17 | Connie Drawbaugh   | 7/28 |
| Shirley McDonald   | 6/18 | Jeff Myers, Jr.    | 7/29 |
| Sydney Hutchinson  | 6/19 | Cameron Lay        | 7/30 |
| Cameron Rhinehart  | 6/20 | Chris Weaver       | 7/30 |
| Karla Armolt       | 6/20 | Owen Hutchinson    | 7/30 |
| Brian Negley       | 6/21 |                    |      |
| Curtis Rauch       | 6/21 |                    |      |
| Nicole Coy         | 6/23 |                    |      |
| Julie Lay          | 6/23 |                    |      |
| Amy Forney         | 6/24 |                    |      |
| April Reed         | 6/24 |                    |      |
| Shirley Bishop     | 6/25 |                    |      |
| James McDermond    | 6/26 |                    |      |
| Tobey Lay          | 6/26 |                    |      |
| Kelsey Carbaugh    | 6/26 |                    |      |
| Trent Hoover       | 6/27 |                    |      |
| Evelyn Hippensteel | 6/29 |                    |      |
| David Godwin       | 6/29 |                    |      |
| Anthony Walker     | 6/29 |                    |      |





1. Pray for those who are losing their vision, that a cure will be found, or that they will adjust without a loss of their faith.
2. Pray for those hurting emotionally, that God's peace will filter into their hearts and they'll be able to look forward to the rest of their life and let go of the past.
3. Pray for Pastor Wayne, Elaine and their family as they lead and join in our congregation. Praise God for such down to earth people and what they mean to each of us. Please lift up the other Pastors in our church and their families, too.
4. Praise God for the opportunity He has given our church to have outreach with the Rural Festival. Pray that unchurched people coming in will see that being a Christian can be fun and want to come back to learn more.
5. Pray for the Gathering and it's continued outreach. The building where the meetings have been held has been sold. Please pray that an alternative place will become open at an affordable price and it will be clearly a gift from God to this group.
6. Praise God for the courage He gives you to speak to others about Jesus, and to live your life by His will. YOU are the only Bible some people will ever see. It is hard to believe, but seriously, there are people in this country that have never heard the name of Jesus except as a curse word.
7. Pray for the leaders of our country, that they would get back to being Godly men/women and seek His will in the decisions to be made. Likewise, that the best possible person will become the next president. It does not look too promising, but God is still definitely in control.
8. Praise God that we can get food easily. So many around the world die of hunger/thirst. Here, it is everywhere we turn. We question what to make for dinner. Many have no meal at all, for days.
9. Pray for the teens of our church, that they will have the courage to stand for their beliefs, and the respect for their parents and others who help them on their way to adulthood. May their faith stay strong.
10. Praise God that He allows us to experience joy, happiness and love in our lives.
11. Praise God for Camp Yolijwa and what it means to all who go there. And it is right in our back yard. We can actually go there pretty much any time we want.
12. Praise God for the gardens growing and the excitement of watching the crops coming on.
13. Pray for our church council and the wisdom they use in discussion and decisions on important matters, to expand our church's outreach and growth. Pray that all decisions will be clear.
14. Pray for those on the ladies bus trip to Cape May this week, that they stay safe while fellowshiping together and come back refreshed.
15. Praise God that no matter how many times we mess up, if we ask earnestly, He will welcome us back to Him with open arms.
16. Pray for all the men of our church, that they will grow closer to Jesus and love their families as Christ loves the Church.
17. Pray for children who are being raised by single or divorced parents, that they will know they are loved and not be torn apart by competing adults.
18. As there are so many more people in Newville for the Fountain Festival, pray that everyone will be safe, and the area churches will be able to use outreach activities to show God's love to others, that the community will come across as warm and welcoming.
19. Praise God for the father and other male role models He has given you. They helped to make you into the person you are.
20. Praise God for summer nights with fireflies blinking in the darkness, reflecting the light of the twinkling stars. God has a magnificent imagination.
21. Pray for those who deal with severe pain every day from diseases or medical treatments. Pray they will be able to get relief and rest to help their bodies heal.
22. Pray for people who only feel good about themselves when they are putting others down. Pray they'll come to understand that God loves each of us the same, and we are basically saying He is wrong when we say nasty things about His loved ones.
23. Pray for all the women of our church, that they will show respect to their families, as Christ commands.
24. Praise God just because He made YOU. You don't have to be perfect. Except for the Trinity, no one else in the Bible was. Yet God used them in mighty ways. If He could use them, He can certainly use you and the gifts He made specifically in you.
25. Pray for our troops, wherever they are, that they will be totally safe in all facets of their lives and can soon be home with their loved ones. Pray for their families too, while they are away.
26. Pray for all those going on mission trips. Safety and encouragement for those going and softened hearts and receptive ears for those who will be in the host area. Blessings the whole way around for everyone involved.
27. Praise God that we have the chance to help some of our young people go to church camp. So many of the kids receive Christ as their Lord there. It's another way to do mission work.
28. Pray for all those who feel unloved or unwanted, that they will find the One who made them and loves them beyond sacrifice. Perhaps God can use each one of us to touch another life with a word of kindness. You never know what battle someone may be fighting.
29. Pray for all the babies and children, that they will grow up with respect for others and learn more about how Jesus wants us to treat others.
30. Praise God that we live in a mostly peaceful setting. Violence does happen and we are shocked when it does. But many people live in war zones where bombs and shooting are an ongoing occurrence. Can you imagine what that must be like? Pray for those innocent ones who are there, with no choice.



| Sun  | Mon   | Tue  | Wed  | Thu                         | Fri  | Sat  |
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| 5 Family Sunday<br>8:30 am Worship Service<br>9:30 am Connection Groups<br>10:30 am Worship Service  | 6 6:00 pm Karate School<br>6:00 pm Trustee Meeting                                      | 7 6:00 pm Father and<br>Son Banquet                    | 8 6:00 pm The Gathering<br>7:00 pm PAW Packs Meeting     | 9 6:00 pm Karate<br>School  | 10 6:00 pm<br>The Gathering<br>Dinner and<br>Dance Party | 11 8:00 am Men's Prayer<br>1:00 pm Camp YoliJwa Open House<br>and Carnival |
| 12 Recognition of Graduates<br>8:30 am Worship Service<br><b>9:30 am Children's Connection</b><br>Groups & Book Family Mission<br>Speakers<br>10:30 am Worship Service | 13 6:00 pm Karate School<br>6:00 pm Elders Meeting<br>7:00 pm Church Council<br>Meeting | 14 Flag Day  | 15 6:00 pm The Gathering<br>6:30 pm VBS Planning Meeting | 16 6:00 pm<br>Karate School | 17   | 18 8:00 am Men's Prayer  |
| 19 <b>Father's Day Child Dedication</b><br>8:30 am Worship Service<br>9:30 am Connection Groups<br>10:30 am Worship Service  | 20 12 Noon Happy Helpers<br>6:00 pm Karate School                                       | 21   | 22 6:00 pm The Gathering                                 | 23 6:00 pm<br>Karate School | 24   | 25 8:00 am Men's Prayer  |
| 26 Communion<br>8:30 am Worship Service<br>9:30 am Connection Groups<br>10:30 am Worship Service   | 27 6:00 pm Karate School  | 28 12 Noon GIGGLES<br><b>Ladies' Lunch</b><br>Ministry | 29 6:00 pm The Gathering                                 | 30 6:00 pm<br>Karate School |  |  |
| Family Bible Camp at Camp YoliJwa June 26—July 2, 2016   |   |  |  |                             |  |  |



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### UPCOMING EVENT

- 6/1 The Gathering meets each Wednesday night at 6:00 pm; PAW Packs Program Meeting
- 6/2 Karate School meets each Monday and Thursday at 6:00 pm
- 6/3 Newville Rural Festival Set-Up; Camp YoliJwa Staff Workshop
- 6/4 Men's Prayer meets each Saturday at 8:00 am; 10th Annual Newville Rural Festival; Camp YoliJwa Staff Workshop**
- 6/5 Family Sunday; Camp HOPE begins at YoliJwa
- 6/6 Trustee Meeting
- 6/7 Father and Son Banquet
- 6/10 The Gathering Dinner and Dance Party
- 6/11 Camp YoliJwa Open House, Carnival & Chicken BBQ
- 6/12 Recognition of Graduates; Guest Mission Speakers - Tony & Heather Book Family at 9:30 am; Youth Camp begins at YoliJwa
- 6/13 Elders Meeting; Church Council Meeting
- 6/14 Flag Day; Ladies Bus Trip to Cape May, New Jersey until 6/16
- 6/15 VBS Planning Meeting
- 6/17 - 18 Newville Fountain Festival
- 6/19 Father's Day; Child Dedication; Junior High #1 Camp begins at YoliJwa**
- 6/20 Happy Helpers Picnic
- 6/26 Communion; Family Bible Camp begins at YoliJwa
- 6/28 GIGGLES Ladies' Lunch Ministry**



### **Worship Service**

**8:30 am**

**Nursery Care**

Ages under 2

### **Connection Groups**

**9:30 am**

**Adult Electives**

lecture or discussion

**Children's Classes**

**Nursery thru High School**

**Post High School Classes**

### **Worship Service**

**10:30 am**

**Junior Church**

1st - 5th grade

**Children's Church**

Ages 2 - Kindergarten

**Nursery Care**

Ages under 2