

August 23, 2015

This Morning Pastor Charlie continues his sermon series “Believe”- Be Careful What You Believe. “Forgiving Means Forgetting.”

MINISTRIES

Young Adults Ministry @ the Barn

- ❖ This morning in The Barn, at 10:30, Pastor Dan will continue his sermon series through the Gospel of John. “Come and See: The Power of an Invitation.” Today’s message, “Lost and Found,” comes from John 1:43-51. This sermon will challenge listeners to accept Jesus’ invitation to “come and see” and extend that invitation to others.
- ❖ #DeuceTalks begin this Wednesday in the Corner House at 6:30. Each week young adults will gather to discuss topics about which the church is not traditionally talking and allow for a judgment-free zone where people can bring their questions, thoughts, and even frustrations. Join us for a one-hour discussion, where people will discover the church is talking. Rather than allow the world to serve as the only source for answers to the questions young adults have, it is time for the church to speak up as a prophetic voice within our society.

ET Youth Ministry

- ❖ Every Sunday morning, Bible study and small groups meet at 9am in the Farm House.
- ❖ Every Wednesday the youth have service in The Barn from 6:30-8:00pm. Wednesday will be the final week of our "Moodswingers" series as students are taught how to appropriately express and handle their emotions.
- ❖ The greatest back-to-school bash, Burgerpalooza, is happening Wednesday, September 2. The party is at the Barn from 6-8pm. There will be prizes, inflatables, burgers, and more burgers. This event is free, so come on out and celebrate the beginning of the school year!

ET Kids Ministry

- ❖ **JBQ (Junior Bible Quiz) and TBQ (Teen Bible Quiz)** begins on Aug 30! Join us TODAY after church in the fellowship hall upstairs for an information meeting to have all of your questions answered about these fabulous ministries.
- ❖ **Sunday School Promotion** September 6 is the official “move up” date for children who are being promoted to the next class.
- ❖ **Family Sunday** Next week is the last Sunday of the month, which means families have the privileged opportunity to worship together at 10:30am in the sanctuary.
- ❖ **Serving Opportunity** – We are praying for two loving adults to step up and serve in our nursery and preschool ministries every other week. If that is you, talk to Amy Sutton, Amanda Drake, or Pastor Melia about how you can make a difference!

Mid-week Bible Study

Please join us for our mid-week Bible study. This group meets on Wednesdays at 6:30 pm in room 203. Isaiah Jesch will be leading the study on the book of Colossians.

Wednesday Evening- Fellowship Meal

Serving Time: 5:15—6:15 pm E.T. Fellowship Hall/\$4 (Adults); \$2 (Children); \$12 (Family)

Dinner: Stroganoff, Green Beans, Rolls, Salad Dessert: Lemon Lush

Expressions of Sympathy to Linda Downing, family and friends on the passing of her husband Jerry, 69 years, who passed away on Tuesday, August 18, 2015.

God’s Blessings to David and Amanda Wright, and family, David will be relocating to serve as a Chaplain at Fort Lewis, located in Washington. The Wright family will be honored this Wednesday night at dinner; a card basket will be available. David will speak at the Bible study. David and his family have been a tremendous blessing to “ET” serving in various capacities and will be greatly missed.

Running Group Are you interested in running, walking and training for the upcoming 5K? Join us Tuesday’s at 5:30pm at The Barn. This is a great way to connect relationally and spiritually.

Join Alpha This Fall For most people, life is simply a series of events from life to death, but those who follow Jesus know that there is more to life than this. Don't just invite your friends-bring your friends-to Alpha this fall and introduce them to this man named Jesus. Come to our Welcome Dinner August 30 at 6pm in The Barn. Please see the sign-up sheet at the Welcome Center.

Next Sunday Evening 6:00pm – The Messiah Project team will present their Revelation Concert. This team of 31 musicians and travelers recently toured through Greece and Turkey, bringing hope and encouragement through an artistic presentation of the book of Revelation. The concert presents an eclectic mix of classical, jazz, contemporary and gospel selections. Featured performers include classical pianist Jonathan Story, Dr. Linda Ligate, soloist Kara Story and ballerina Kate Riegler. Our own Sharon Wilkins is the director.

Evangel Temple Launches Spanish Services In response to the growing Hispanic population in our area, we have begun a Spanish service that will meet Sunday mornings at 10:00am in the Corner House and Wednesday evenings at 6:30 in room 203 of the Battlefield Sanctuary Building. This ministry is also looking for musicians to serve as part of the worship team for Sunday services. For more information, please call 417.860.0080 (Ana) or 417.209.4475 (Pastor Augusto). Please invite Spanish-speaking friends, students loving Spanish etc.

Missionaries of the Week Jim Powers (Latin American Caribbean Library Service)

General Fund Update

Budgeted weekly income	\$ 21,934
Last week’s giving	\$ 17,110
Budgeted Year to Date	\$ 723,822
Giving Received	\$ 687,995

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