

A Week at a Glance

Sunday, August 6

- 10:00 AM Adult/Children/Youth Sunday School (Church/Ed./Chapel/Lounge)
- 10:00 AM College-Age Small Group (Upper Room)
- 11:30 AM Children's Church I (3-, 4-, & 5-year-olds; C-1)
- 1:00 PM College & Young Adults (Ages 18-27; Warren home)
- 1:00 PM Prayer for the Persecuted Church (The Chapel)
- 7:00 PM Sr. High Youth Group (Y-401, TheLOFT)

Monday, August 7

- 6:00 AM Early Morning Prayer (Conference Room)
- 6:00 AM Sr. High Departs for Joni & Friends Outreach (Parking Lot)
- 8:00 AM Top O' the Hill Day Camp Check-In (Pavilion)
- 9:00 AM Top O' the Hill Day Camp (Campus)
- 1:30 PM Bone Strengthening (The Chapel)
- 7:00 PM *War Room*: Pray for Our Leadership Team (Conference Room)
- 8:00 PM College & Young Adults (Women's Bible Study; Warren home)

Tuesday, August 8

- 9:00 AM Top O' the Hill Day Camp (Campus)
- 9:30 AM Moms' Bible Study with Sandy Lynn (C-5/6)
- 7:00 PM *New Life AD Anonymous* (Alcohol/Drugs; Y-118)
- 7:00 PM Women's Bible Study with Jeannine Galenkamp (The Chapel)
- 7:00 PM Women's Bible Study: *Uninvited* (Vander Pyl home)
- 7:00 PM Legacy Group (The Lounge)
- 8:00 PM College & Young Adults (Men's Bible Study; Warren home)

Wednesday, August 9

- 8:30 AM Jr. & Sr. High to Dorney Park, PA (Meet in Parking Lot)
- 9:00 AM Top O' the Hill Day Camp (Campus)
- 5:00 PM Family Open Swim (HGC Pool; *weather permitting*)
- 7:00 PM PRAYER MEETING** (The Chapel)
- 7:00 PM Life Group: *Battle Your Blues* (Y-301)
- 8:00 PM Sr. High Bible Study (Y-401, TheLOFT)

Thursday, August 10

- 7:00 AM Men's Prayer Meeting (Pastor John's office)
- 9:00 AM Top O' the Hill Day Camp (Campus)
- 9:30 AM Women's Bible Study (Capalbo home; *coffee at 9:15 AM*)
- 3:00 PM Women's Bible Study: *Lord, I Want to Know You* (Miyamoto home)
- 6:30 PM *New Beginnings* (Departs from church parking lot)
- 7:00 PM *Made with Love* Classes (The Chapel)
- 8:00 PM College & Young Adults (Ages 18-27; Warren home)

Friday, August 11

- 9:00 AM Top O' the Hill Day Camp (Campus)
- 7:00 PM *Released* (The Lounge; Lower Chapel) & Childcare (C-5/6)

Saturday, August 12

- 8:00 AM *Desire4Hope* Ministry (Paterson)
- 9:00 AM Leadership Seminar (The Chapel)
- 1:00 PM Picnic for International Students Ministry (Pool/Field/Gym)

Sunday, August 6, 2017

Alan Shlemon

At 8:25, 9:55 & 11:25 AM

**“TACTICS IN
DEFENDING
THE FAITH”**

At 5:00 PM

**“A CLOSER
LOOK
AT ISLAM”**

Welcome **Welcome to Hawthorne Gospel Church!**
We are glad you are here to worship with us.
If you are new or looking to connect, fill out the yellow *Connector/Prayer Request* card located in the back of the pew and hand it to a *Connector* at the Discovery Center for a small gift and some helpful information about our church. Please join us in the Pavilion between the morning services for a time of fellowship and coffee and where you'll be able to obtain information about all of our upcoming events!

Baby Boy! Benjamin Luke, born July 26th to Bill and Melanie (Ciandella) Jensen. **Celebration & Praise!**

Prayer for the **Persecuted Church** will be held **today** from **1:00** to **3:00 PM** in The Chapel. Come when you can and stay as long as you are able.

A Special Time has been set aside to pray for our Leadership Team in the conference room **tomorrow, August 7th, at 7:00 PM.** Join others in lifting up our pastoral staff in prayer!

Next Sunday (August 13th), from **8:00** to **8:20 AM**, a time of **Intercessory Prayer** will be held for our worship services. Come to room C-11/12 (lower level of the church building).

Next Sunday,
Dr. Michael Svigel

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AM: *Once for All Delivered*
PM: *Contend for the Faith*

Dr. Michael Svigel graduated from Philadelphia College of Bible, then completed his ThM and PhD at Dallas Theological Seminary. After spending several years writing for *Insight for Living*, he joined the Dallas Seminary faculty in 2008, where he currently serves as chair of the department of Theological Studies. He is the author of several books, including *Retro-Christianity: Reclaiming the Forgotten Faith*, and *Heroes and Heretics: Solving the Modern Mystery of the Ancient Church*. He is co-editor of the *Exploring Christian Theology* trilogy.

Pastoral Leadership Team

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Made with Love Summer School



If you don't know how to knit or crochet, but would like to learn, why not come to *Made with Love's* class at **7:00 PM** this **Thursday, August 10th**, in The Chapel. They can teach 7 people how to knit and 7 people how to crochet. Questions, or to register for the class, go to hgc.madewithlove@gmail.com.

Pray for the Sick **Home:** Pastor Dave Andersen; Craig Arnoldi; Louise Ballentine; Evalee Batistich; Ellie (Schuit) Bauer; Karen Beller; Breana Christian; Esther Christensen; Mike Crisalli; Kari Ann (Pickhardt) Dale; Ken De Block; Ellen Forstrom; Glenn Garside; Dearh Goller; Aida Guarton; George Kriss; Jack Locicero; Lisa Lovell; Kevin Lucas; Michael Martin; Karen Meima; Jessica Mikola; Kris Miller; Len Mulé; Dianne Nowak; Joan Nydam; Noel Nye; Ermetta Olson (*recovering from eye surgery*); Carolyn Opderbeck; Mary Pascual; Luz Pring; Alice Rascio; Bob Rogers; Jacinta Ruiz; Kristie Sanint; Eve Schuit; Brigitte Shahin; Joan Buchanan-Smith; Elaine Tirrito; Norman Trass; Ilse Troper; Pablo Valentin; Dave Woods; Don Zbieg

Hospitals & Rehabs: Mark Allen (*recovering from surgery*); Rod Bolten (*recovering from knee surgery*); Vince Carnevale; Raymond De Rouville; Kathryn Mummiani (*knee infection*); Phil Paolucci; Martha Stein; Jolene Warner (*preemie*)

HGC Library Hours

Sunday: 9:30 to 10:00 AM and 11:00 AM to 12:30 PM

Monday: Closed

Tuesday through Saturday: 12:00 to 3:30 PM

New books (*fiction and non-fiction*) are in just in time for our

Bingo Reading Challenge!

Located on the upper level of The Chapel
Phone: 973-427-6960, extension 130

Missionaries of the Week



PLEASE PRAY
FOR OUR MISSIONARIES
SERVING IN THE U.S.

Monthly Financial Report June 30, 2017 ~ Year-to-Date

	General Fund	Missionary Fund
Received	\$ 1,724,079	\$ 302,497
Needed	\$ 1,733,953	\$ 348,146
Balance	\$ -9,874	\$ -45,649

In need of spiritual encouragement or prayer?
The Board member on call this week is Robert
Vander Pyl.

**Board
Member
on Call**

Campus-Wide Needed Work



We are thankful for the Lord's provision of a large campus and the buildings that we have to use for His ministry here. At times, there is unexpected repair and replacement work that is needed, and that time is now!

These items include: *Education Building Fan Coil, Pavilion Bathroom Toilets, Missionary Home Carpet/Flooring and Driveway Paving, Church Sanctuary Drainage, Youth Ministries Center Water Heaters, Boiler Room Pipe, and Dead Tree Removal.*

The total estimated cost is \$60,000, and our General Fund, which is currently in a deficit as of June 30th, would take an even bigger hit due to these needed repairs. If you would like to give a special offering toward these expenses, please mark your pew envelope **REPAIRS**. For more information, call Chad De Boer at 973-427-6960, extension 116. Thank you for giving to the Lord here at HGC!

Family Swim Night



This Wednesday, August 9th, is the last opportunity for the congregation to enjoy the HGC pool from 5:00 to 7:00 PM (*of course, weather permitting*). Please . . . one-piece bathing suits for women—and men, no speedos! Thank you.

UPCOMING SERMON SCHEDULE

Wednesday Prayer Meeting, August 9th, 2017 at 7:00 PM in The Chapel
Pastor David Schuit

Guest Speaker Dr. Michael Svigel	
August 13 th , 2017 AM Services "Once for All Delivered"	August 13 th , 2017 PM Service "Contend for the Faith"

Wednesday Prayer Meeting, August 16th, 2017 at 7:00 PM in The Chapel
Pastor John W. Minnema

Guest Speaker Greg Koukl	
August 20 th , 2017 AM Services "The Story of Reality"	August 20 th , 2017 PM Service "Contend Earnestly for the Faith"

Wednesday Prayer Meeting, August 23rd, 2017 at 7:00 PM in The Chapel
Pastor Dave Andersen

Guest Speaker Dr. Kenneth Boa	
August 27 th , 2017 AM Services "How Intimacy with God Empowers Activity—Part 1"	August 27 th , 2017 PM Service "How Intimacy with God Empowers Activity—Part 2"

Wednesday Prayer Meeting, August 30th, 2017 at 7:00 PM in The Chapel
Pastor Howard Van Dyk, Jr.



Hawthorne Christian Academy

is committed to **inspire** and challenge our students toward spiritual maturity, to **achieve** academic excellence and to **impact** the world for Christ.

"Train up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not turn from it."

Proverbs 22:6

Hawthorne Christian Academy partners with parents and churches to create the three strand cord to ensure our students' future in Christ is strong!

For details or to arrange a tour, call Victoria Gracian at 973-423-3331, extension 206.