

Announcements for Sunday, August 31, 2014

New Announcements

Our thanks to Rick Lorentz for bringing us today's message in the absence of the pastor. We enjoy having him in the pulpit today. Thank you, Rick!

Liz Duncan would like to sincerely thank all my friends at Faith who helped in any way to raise funds at my garage sale last weekend for local animal shelters. I could not have done it without you all. Thank you.

Attention College Students: Please give Karen your new address and preferred email address.

The Faith Reading Group will meet this Wednesday, September 3rd, to discuss *The Smartest Kids in the World: And How They Got That Way* by Amanda Ripley. Meet in the kitchen at 7:00 p.m. for refreshments. Discussion starts at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome. Please come.

Saturday Matinee Group: This Saturday, September 6th, the movie group will go to see **The Hundred-Foot Journey**. We will meet at the Atlas Cinemas at the Eastgate Shopping Center, for the showtime closest to 5:00 p.m. and have dinner afterwards. Please check the paper on September 6th for the time of the movie. You can call Jill Dugovics at 440-449-7832 if you have any questions about the time or the event. All are welcome.

Women of Faith: Spend a day paddling a canoe down the upper Cuyahoga River. Join the Women's Group for a relaxing trip on Saturday, September 20th. We will meet at church at 9:00 a.m. to car pool to Camp Hi in Hiram. The cost, (10 or more people), will be \$20.00 per person, for a two to four hour trip. We will paddle at a leisurely pace. Please pack a lunch and beverage. We will have a picnic lunch before returning home. Call Leslie Huston at 440-460-4289 or Betty St John at 216-531-5304 for any questions.

Previous Announcements

Hurray for Fall Potluck Breakfast! The first day of the education season will be September 7th, 2014. As is our tradition, we will gather for a potluck breakfast at 9:15 a.m. for food, fellowship, and fun. We are also meeting Dan Parks, our new organist during breakfast. Worship will follow at 10:45 a.m., and there will be no coffee hour after the service. Bring a breakfast item to share and help us kick off our year in style. The breakfast is open to the entire church. You do not need to be in a class or have a child in a class to attend. Please sign up if you are planning to attend.

Bring your backpack and teacher bag to church on Sunday, September 7th. We will bless backpacks, school bags, and teacher bags during children's time. Any student, any age, bring your backpack and school bag. Any teacher, bring your teacher bag.

On Sunday, September 7th, the Faith youth are walking to a local restaurant for lunch, catching up on our summer and sharing our plans for the new year. Friends are welcome – always!

Faith Seniors will be meeting on Tuesday, September 9th, at 1:00 p.m. at the church. Faith Church member Penny Knight will conduct the program entitled "CPR for Your Energy System." All are welcome. Please come.

The 79th Anisfield-Wolf Book Awards will be held at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, September 11th, at Playhouse Square's Ohio Theatre. It will be a gala ceremony, so please plan on attending this special event.

Sunday, September 14th, is the first Sunday with church school at 9:30 a.m. Bring friends and join the celebration!

SAVE THE DATE: Saturday, October 25th, for an Italian themed evening with dinner, music, and silent auction! This will be a fundraising event - more details coming soon! Do you have an unused gift, a craft, homemade baked goods, service, or other item that would be suitable for sale in the silent auction? Contact Gail Yusko if you would like to make a donation.

Faith Seniors Upcoming Event on Tuesday, November 11th, Senior Group Discussion: Consider our group becoming a source of encouragement for our active military so that those who are serving may be in touch with seniors who care. We can be a group which offers God's comfort so they can feel God's love surrounding them. "May you feel His comfort as He surrounds you," protects and serves those who put their own lives in jeopardy for all of us. Faith Seniors, what do you think? Let's talk about it.