To know HIM and to make HIM known



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# **Service Times**

#### Sunday:

Bible Study......9:45am Worship......10:45am

#### LifeGroups

 Hannigan
 5:30pm

 Denham
 5:30pm

 Reynolds
 6:00pm

 Morris
 5:00pm

#### Wednesday:

Bible Study......7-8:00pm

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Help us save money on paper and postage... request this newsletter to be emailed to you! office@kccofc.org I want to take this time to wish our kids luck in the next few weeks to come as they enter a new year with new teachers, new lessons, new friends and new experiences. This is going to be a whole new year for them, as they pack up and go through those doors. My hope and prayer for them is that they continue in their faith while they go through this time of "new" – that they see there is a stability in

their lives and His name is Jesus.

I also want to take this time to wish our parents luck in the upcoming weeks. You may have children or grandchildren starting to take on a new adventure this year and I pray for you all too. I am not a parent, so I don't necessarily grasp the understanding of sending a child to school, but I do know that it is hard for you to do so. My hope and prayer for you all is that you are able to keep the faith going in the house, so that your kids understand the importance of what it means to have Jesus

Finally, I want to take this time to wish our teachers luck in the upcoming weeks. We have several in the congregation who take on the important role of teacher, and I pray for you all right now. The strength that you provide to show your love through teaching is the ultimate outreach that you can do. I thank you for your ability to teach, your willingness to lead, and your courage to stay strong. I also thank those who teach here at the church and the talents you provide here.

Good Luck! Have Fun! Enjoy this Year!

~Jacob~

everywhere with them.

"Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go."

Joshua 1:9

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# **BACK TO SCHOOL**

Back to school season is here: a time for children to moan and groan, while their parents rejoice. I asked the teens in class the other day if any of them were ready to go back to school, and I got a collective "no" as the answer. I think it is safe to say that we have had a great summer and they don't want to see it go away. But alas, the time has come where the kiddos have to go and learn how to be the next doctors, lawyers, teachers, etc.

# PRIVILEGED TO SERVE

#### MORNING ASSEMBLY

August 19, 2018

Front Greeter: Donna McNeely Doug Hartley Usher: Chris Morris **Worship Leader: Opening Prayer:** Joe Riley Communion Preside: Bill Revnolds Serve East: Matt Barber Ben Barber

Serve West: Richard Wagner Paul Cantrell Scripture Reading: Nick Johnson Closing Praver: Steve Samples Contribution Tally: T & D McNeely Sound Booth: Steve Dale PowerPoint: Pete Williams Nurserv: Donna McNeelv Assistant: Lilly Wilkinson

## WEDNESDAY EVENING

	<u>August 15</u>	August 22
Usher:	Paul Estep	Bill Reynolds
Prayer:	Tom McNeely	Bob Midkiff
Sound Booth:	Tom McNeely	Paul Estep

#### **Communion Preparation & Garments:**

Sue Riley

# Sunday Morning Children's Breakfast Prep:

August: Volunteer Needed

If you cannot serve as scheduled, please contact Tom McNeely at 304-346-5212.

# **ATTENDANCE & CONTRIBUTION**

# **Attendance**

Bible Class	60
Worship	100
Wednesday	40
Contribution	\$13,349.48

# REMEMBER IN PRAYER

- Praises for **Paula Garner**, daughter of Arlene Snyder, she recently found out that she's cancer free! Praise the Lord!
- Elwood & Ruth Ann Brown, John Gibson, Erica Wade, Myrna Parker, Ann Estep, Mary Spence, Renee Madsen, Peggy Bayes, Silvia Soza, Betty Dolin, Glenna Shafer, Vera Taylor, April Stewart, Doug Midkiff, Lanny Markland, Julie Farley, Alan Newhouse

#### **READ THE BIBLE**

If you've fallen behind, no worries... start here and continue together! If you would like to have a printed schedule for the year, there are copies in the foyer. The scriptures to read this week:

Date	Readings	Psalm
8/14	2 Chr 1-4	71
8/15	2 Chr 5-8	72
8/16	2 Chr 9-12	73
8/17	2 Chr 13-17	74
8/18	2 Chr 18-20	75
8/19	2 Chr 21-24	76
8/20	2 Chr 25-27	77
8/21	2 Chr 28-31	78
8/22	2 Chr 32-34	79

# **HVAC PROJECT**

#### THANK YOU TO ALL THAT CONTRIBUTED!

GOAL: \$25,000 **DONATIONS TO DATE:** \$25,205

#### **BACKPACK DRIVE**

Backpack Drive - LAST WEEK for donations! Be a sponsor for \$6/backpack (we are pre-purchasing in bulk to save money), includes the backpack, folders, pencils, and a Bible. You can sponsor as many backpacks as you would like. See Jacob, Stephen, or Amy to make a sponsorship or donation.

# **DATES TO REMEMBER**

August 21 - Book Club, 6pm at Panera Bread at Southridge. The book to read and discuss is A Northern Light by Jennifer Donnelly. Everyone is welcome.

August 23 - Young At Heart Breakfast, 10am at Cracker Barrel. Please RSVP to Joe Rilev or sign up on the sheet in the foyer.

#### **August 26 - Family Blessing Sunday**

Join us for a special service honoring our families and youth! This will be a special time for the church to rally around all of our children and bless them. The service will include special songs for the kids, a lesson focused towards the kids, and a time for the elders to pray over all the children and their families. Plan to stay after services for a fellowship dinner.

~The singing class will not meet this summer, but will resume after Labor Day.

#### YOUTH EVENTS

8/15 - SkyZone Faith Night @5:30pm (6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grades) Join us for a faith-filled flying adventure! We will meet at 5:30pm in the party room and will have pizza and drinks along with a devotional where parents are as welcome as the kids are. Bring friends and your sky socks. Jumping is at a discounted rate of \$15 per jumper for 90 minutes of high-flying flips. If you don't already have sky socks, they are \$2.50. See you there!

8/18 - Walk for Hope @9am-noon (6th-12th Grades) We will be walking laps around the capitol to raise awareness and funds for the opioid addiction in WV. Sponsors are being lined up for our teens so make sure they are up and ready for their 9-lap walk. We won't be there the whole time. My goal is to get there around 9am and do our 9 laps together and then go back to the church to set up for our community outreach day.

Community Outreach - 1-3pm After our Walk for Hope, join us and be ready to help us with our outreach day. We will be passing out our sponsored backpacks, having cookout food, and loving on our community as we show them who we are. Join our teens and help them spread the love of Christ throughout Charleston.

Sponsor a teen in the Walk for Hope - Our youth group will participating in the Walk for Hope, which is a walk to raise money and awareness for opioid addiction in WV. Shane and Amanda Fox organize this event at the Capitol. If you would like to sponsor one of our teens for this event, please see Jacob.

## LIFEGROUP INFORMATION

#### Chuck and Shirley Denham

5:30-6:30pm Sunday at the building. Studying the Andy Stanley series, Ask It. Also serving communion each Sunday evening.

#### Tom and Brenda Hannigan

Hannigan Life Group will meet once per month this summer - next meeting 9/9 from 5:30-7:30pm. Studying *The Bible Project*.

#### Chris and Renee Morris

5:00-7:00pm, See Chris for location. Studying *The Bible Project*.

#### Bill and Darlena Reynolds

6:00-8:00pm Sunday in their home. Studying The Bible Project.

Join a LifeGroup! They are open to everyone, feel free to try them all!



Janice Richardson	8/1
Renee Morris	8/4
Jamison Wilkinson	8/4
Jacob Glaspell	8/5
Linda Hall	8/8
Wylie Wilkinson	8/8
Duane Scyoc	8/11
Avery Walker	8/19
Rose Kinder	8/26
Mersad Terzic	8/27
Micah Stephenson	8/28
Joe Riley ·	8/29
Brenda Čantrell	8/30
Dena Holstine	8/31
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Chuck & Shirley Denham	8/2
Matthew & Bethany Boggs	8/5
Stephen & Erika Walker	8/8
Paul & Brenda Cantrell	8/14
Doug & Danene Hartley	8/15
Chris & Renee Morris	8/24
Mersad & Courtney Terzic	8/24
Pete & Bianca Williams	8/26
Alex & Ali Ross	8/27

Did I miss a special day? Contact office@kccofc.org