

To know HIM and to make HIM known



Heart Beat

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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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RUNNING FOR THE ULTIMATE PRIZE

A few years ago, I decided that I wanted to run a 5k. I hadn't been a runner since I was in elementary school, so I didn't necessarily know what it would take to run again. The first day I ran, I felt like crawling for the next week. My legs hurt, I was hot and sweaty, and I didn't want to do it ever again. If it weren't for my friend, I would still be a guy who has never ran a 5k. Because of him, I can now say that I've ran a 5k and that the training took 10 weeks to do.

Whether you're a runner or not, we are all running a race and running for the ultimate prize of heaven. Sometimes you may hurt, sometimes you may feel like you can't put one more foot in front of you, maybe you even think that you don't want to try anymore. Remember that it is the prize of heaven that you are running for and that you can make it. God will give you the strength to continue your journey if you ask for that strength. You don't need to always do it on your own. This is why we grow to become not only a congregation, but a family. Allow others to help you, and to pick you up when you run into those potholes.

When we decide to help others, we in turn help ourselves. If you see someone running the wrong way, encourage them to turn around. Continue to run no matter what. Have a blessed rest of your week church.

"Do you not know that in a race all the runners run, but only one gets the prize? Run in such a way as to get the prize. Everyone who competes in the games goes into strict training. They do it to get a crown that will not last, but we do it to get a crown that will last forever. Therefore I do not run like someone running aimlessly; I do not fight like a boxer beating the air. No, I strike a blow to my body and make it my slave so that after I have preached to others, I myself will not be disqualified for the prize."

1 Corinthians 9:24-27 NIV

~Jacob~



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PRIVILEGED TO SERVE

July 22, 2018

MORNING ASSEMBLY

Front Greeter: Sue Riley
Usher: Doug Hartley
Worship Leader: Tom Hannigan
Opening Prayer: Bob Midkiff
Communion Preside: Chuck Denham
Serve East: Lucas Barber
 Herb Kinder
Serve West: Joe Riley
 Paul Cantrell
Scripture Reading: Carson Henley
Closing Prayer: Duane Scyoc
Contribution Tally: C & S Denham
Sound Booth: Jamison Wilkinson
PowerPoint: Chris Morris
Nursery: Lynn Himelrick
 Assistant: Telina Williams

WEDNESDAY EVENING

	<u>July 18</u>	<u>July 25</u>
Usher:	Bill Reynolds	Tom McNeely
Prayer:	Nick Johnson	Richard Wagner
Sound Booth:	Tom McNeely	Paul Estep

Bible Classes from 7:00-8:00pm

Communion Preparation & Garments:

Linda Hall

Sunday Morning Children's Breakfast Prep:

Donna McNeely

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

ATTENDANCE & CONTRIBUTION

Attendance
 Bible Class.....53
 Worship.....107
 Wednesday.....42
Contribution.....\$3,308.00

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

- **Elwood Brown**, had a massive stroke over the weekend and is in ICU at St. Mary's Hospital. According to Ruth Ann, his condition is improving.
- **Myrna Parker, Ann Estep, Mary Spence, Renee Madsen, Peggy Bayes, Silvia Soza, Betty Dolin, Glenna Shafer, Vera Taylor, Paula Garner, 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	Psalms
7/17	Ezk 40-44	43
7/18	Ezk 45-48	44
7/19	Ezra 1-3	45
7/20	Ezra 4-7	46
7/21	Ezra 8-10	47
7/22	Neh 1-3	48
7/23	Neh 4-6	49
7/24	Neh 7-9	50
7/25	Neh 10-11	51

FOOD DRIVE

The Kanawha City CofC Youth invites you to help us collect items for our food pantry. Our goal for the month of July is to collect 1,000 non-perishable food items. If we **CAN** reach this goal, we may even witness a few people be "Pied" in the face by the teens. Help us make this service project a huge success! There is a shopping cart near the teen room for the donated items.

A list of items needed/suggested is on the KCC Youth bulletin board! Any questions **CAN** be directed to Jacob or Amy. We **CAN** help many people with your support!

TEACHERS NEEDED!!!

Teachers are needed for the children's classes, if you can help, please contact Carson Henley as soon as possible!

DATES TO REMEMBER

July 24 - Book Club Meeting, 6pm at Panera at Southridge. The book to read and discuss is *The Great Alone* by Kristin Hannah. Everyone is welcome!

July 26 - Young At Heart Breakfast, 10am at Cracker Barrel, please RSVP to Joe Riley or sign up on the sheet in the foyer.

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

YOUTH EVENTS

Mark your calendar and invite some friends!

July 15-21 - Surprise Valley Youth Camp, see Jacob or Stephen for details.

July 24 - Food Pantry Work Day, 11am

July 27 - Faith & Family Night @ WV Power Park, 6pm Concert, 7:05 WV Power game.

August 3 - Little Mermaid at the Clay Center

AIR CONDITIONING UPDATE

If you would like to make a donation to help with the cost of replacing and repairing our HVAC units at the church building, please make a note in the memo line of your check. You can drop your donation in the offering plate, in the locked box in the foyer, and you can also make a donation online via CCB. Your Church is grateful to those who have contributed and to those who are considering helping this effort. Please see one of the elders if you have any questions.

GOAL:	\$25,000
DONATIONS TO DATE:	\$18,210
AMOUNT NEEDED:	\$ 6,790

SMILE CORNER

- Q: What do you call a snowman in July?
 A: A puddle!
- Q: Why did the dolphin cross the beach?
 A: To get to the other tide!

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 - 7/15, and 8/12 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!



Pauline Scott	7/3
Sheila Dale	7/5
Donna Sowards	7/8
Richard Wagner	7/9
Chuck Denham	7/10
Charlie Mynes	7/11
Helen Stewart	7/12
Jan Winnell	7/12
Lillian Tackett	7/13
Jean Walton	7/14
Amanda Talkington	7/15
Leah Bush	7/16
Madison Wood	7/19
Herb Kinder	7/21
RuthAnn Brown	7/24
Lucas Barber	7/26
George Breckenridge	7/27
Kayla Morris	7/27
Matthew Boggs	7/29
Linda Bailey	7/30
Phyllis Songer	7/30
Vera Taylor	7/30

Duane & Emily Scyoc	7/2
Carson & Sara Henley	7/28

