

# Family Life

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## Tune's Notes

In Psalm 131 David writes:  
*My heart is not proud, O LORD, my eyes are not haughty; I do not concern myself with great matters or things too wonderful for me. But I have stilled and quieted my soul; like a weaned child with its mother, like a*

*weaned child is my soul within me. O Israel, put your hope in the LORD both now and forevermore.*

The psalm is the hymn of a restless heart that is restless no more.

The restless heart seeks answers. The restless heart seeks resolution. The restless heart seeks fulfillment.

And the restless heart seeks it all . . . now.

But in Psalm 131, the restless heart is stilled. David speaks of being like a weaned child with its mother – which seems a bit odd. Is not the restless child stilled by being at his mother's breast rather than weaned from it?

Yes, if the child is still a child. But as the child grows up, he is no longer restless as he was before, and the comfort of the breast no longer holds an attraction for him. He no longer insists on the comfort of its immediacy. He has moved beyond it and it is comforting just to be with mother.

So it should be with all who have grown in faith. Our hearts lose their restlessness. They are no longer demanding of God nor whining to God nor impatient with God. Our experience with and knowledge of God leads us into the calm that comes from knowing He is always there and always cares. He is present. He will make everything ok, and we need be restless no longer.

Life is no longer about us – as it was when we were infants. Everything is about the Lord. On Him we hope and depend. There is no longer an expected immediacy to our needs. It is enough to be with the Lord, know He cares, and know He will, in the time best for us, provide all we need.

Love you all.

Mike



Next Sunday Evening will be our Senior Sunday (June 9, 2013).

Every year, as a church family, we honor our graduating high school seniors. By finishing high school, our teens begin the final stages of transitioning from being a child at home to an adult. As a community it is important for us to recognize this transition and bless our graduates at this time.

Our Seniors this year are.

This year we are doing something new as we honor our graduating seniors. On Sunday June 9, during our evening assembly time and in connection with our Fellowship Dinner, we will celebrate a Senior Sunday.

Last Sunday night was the Upper Room Teen Ministry's Pizza Party and Sweet Frog! We had a great turn out and a lot of fun! Here we are at Sweet Frog at the end of our evening.

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Upper Room on Sunday, May 26, during excursion to Sweet Frog

## Camp WaMaVa Special Collection Postponed Until June 9; Personnel Still Needed for 2013 Camp Season, Camp Workday Set for June 8



Located in the Blue Ridge Mountains of Virginia  
Camp Wamava is a Christian Camp  
for Boys and Girls from the  
Washington, Maryland and Virginia Areas

The Special Collection for Camp WaMaVa has been postponed until next Sunday, June 9. This allows us to focus our attention today on the installation of new deacons.

The special collection will be taken next Sunday after the regular collection which is part of the worship service. **Members are requested to make out checks to “Camp WaMaVa” NOT to Falls Church.**

Each year close to 500 youths in grades 3 through 12 are served by this camp experience. In addition to the Bible study and the worship, the camp offers youth Christian fellowship amidst the beauty of God’s world.

The annual collection and other aspects of giving, such as the Work Day or bringing in supplies, are critical in making the camping opportunity available. While campers pay just \$225/week, the actual cost is closer to \$400 per camper.

Just as the donations are critical, so are the volunteers, and it’s not too late for interested people to get involved. Another “Camp Work Day” is planned for next Saturday,

June 8. This is the time to get the facilities and grounds ready for the campers.

In addition, there still are staff vacancies, including:

- Week 2 - 1 teacher and 1 kitchen volunteer
- Week 3 - 3 teachers AND 1 kitchen volunteer
- Week 4 - 1 nurse
- Week 5 - 4 kitchen volunteers

Please email Lisa Bosley [lisa@fxcc.org] for further details about the work day or if you can volunteer or if you know of someone who might be contacted.

The 2013 schedule is:

Week 1 - June 23 - June 29	Gr. 3, 4, 5
Week 2 - June 30 - July 6	Gr. 4, 5, 6
Week 3 - July 7 - July 13	Gr. 6 & 7
Week 4 - July 14 - July 20	Gr. 7, 8, 9
Week 5 - July 21 - July 27	Gr. 8 & 9
Week 6 - July 28 - August 3	Gr. 10, 11, 12 & 2013 graduates

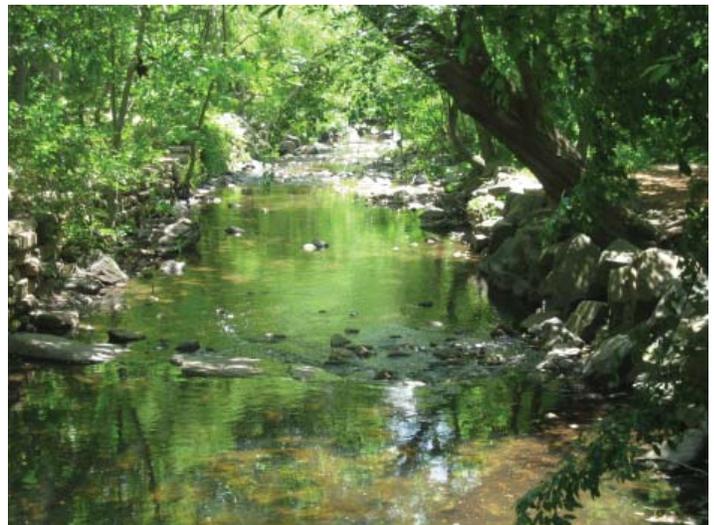
Each session begins Sunday and ends Saturday.

### Annual Picnic Set for July 4 at Bluemont Park

Picture yourself in this tranquil spot, located just minutes from the church building, in the heart of Arlington, VA.

Then imagine the aroma of grilling hamburgers or chicken, think of the feast of potato salads and watermelon and all the accoutrements associated with a cookout!

And before this wonderful scene departs from your mind, mark your calendar for the annual church picnic coming up July 4 at Bluemont Park. Coordinators are John & Linda Reagan.



Next 2nd Sunday Fellowship Set for  
June 9;  
High School Graduates Will be Honored



Our next **2nd Sunday Fellowship Event** will be a Finger Food Dinner next Sunday, June 9, following the evening assembly. Agape Groups 3 and 6 will be the “duty” groups for this dinner.

This will also be our “**Senior Sunday and Graduate Banquet**” honoring our graduating high school seniors, including

**Senior Sunday** will begin during the evening service, following a brief devotional with prayer and singing. The seniors will be introduced at that time, plus there will be a video slideshow of photos followed by parental blessings.

The presentation of gifts and the congregational blessing will conclude the program, after which the audience will move to the fellowship hall.

Since this will be a finger food event, each family is asked to bring the following:

- ❖ A tray of sandwiches  
**AND**
- ❖ A tray of *hors d'oeuvres*/fruit or veggie tray with or without dip/chips and dip  
**OR**
- ❖ A bite-sized dessert. Keep in mind that there will be a cake for the graduates.

Please note that the emphasis is on “bite-sized.” The idea is that this meal won’t require utensils!

Agape Group 3 is Westfield Woods under Richard & Rachel Bowles, with coordinators Ann Ford, John & Linda Reagan and Amanda & Beni Venkatesan, while Group 6 is Potomac Acres under Vickie Witt with coordinators Jose & Jackie Arevalo.

If you do not know your group, consult the recently updated list on the Members’ Board in the lobby.

**Teachers Needed for Summer Quarter**

The **Children’s Bible Study** classes need several volunteers to help teach Summer quarter classes that begin today, June 2.

If you can volunteer, please contact **Scott Mills** immediately at Scott says that “Teachers are supported with published curriculum and in-class craft ideas. It is a spiritually enriching experience for both the teachers and the students, and you will be a hero to kids who will look up to you for the rest of their lives.”



Available opportunities are: **Sunday AM** - 4 & 5 year olds (one additional teacher is needed) and 1st & 2nd grade (two teachers needed); **Sunday PM**: 2 & 3 year olds (two teachers needed), 4 & 5 year olds (two teachers needed)

Unfortunately, these classes will be canceled if volunteers do not come forward.

**Also Coming Up in June...**

The **Missions Committee** will meet on Sunday, June 9, following the fellowship dinner.



The next **Senior Saints/Youth Ministry Game Day** is set for Thursday, June 27, from 1 to 3 pm, according to Jim Shoenhard, Seniors Ministry leader, and Josh Byrd, Youth Minister. Further details are forthcoming.



The next **CARE Ministry Meeting** is scheduled for Sunday June 30, about noon. Luncheon will be served., and the meeting will take place in the Elders Conference Room.

**Wayne Doran**, Ministry Leader, urges all members to attend, adding, “The rest of the year is quite active for us.”



## General Information

### For Children:

- ❖ An attended nursery and a nursing mother's room - located adjacent to the Assembly Center - are available during our assembly.
- ❖ For ages 2 through Pre-Kindergarten, Children's Worship is conducted in rooms 223 & 221. Children are dismissed following communion.

### Recordings:

Recordings of sermons at Falls Church are available for no charge on our website after about four days. Recordings also are available in CD format for \$5 and may be ordered by completing a CD order envelope located in the foyer.

### Assistive Listening System:

Personal sound receivers are available for hearing enhancement in our Assembly Center. Our ushers will be happy to supply one of these aids for your convenience upon request.

## Nursery Attendants

June 2, 2013

**Morning** Evening  
Lynda Eubank Levenie Hughes  
Amy Saxton

June 9, 2013

**Morning** **Evening**  
Wendy Ward Levenie Hughes  
Meaza Zemech

## Children's Worship

June 2, 2013

2/3 Gayla Keller, Anna Souza  
P-K Wendy Ward, Meaza Zemech

June 9, 2013

2/3 Heather Musser, Gayla Keller  
P-K Jessi Arevalo, Mandy Scandlen

## Worship Today, June 2, 2013

Hymn #715

*The Church's One Foundation*

Installation of Deacons

*Mike Tune, Jim Lane*

Hymn #478

*Nearer, Still Nearer*

Prayer

Jose Arevalo

Hymn #318

*O Sacred Head*

Communion/Collection

Oliver McDaniel

Hymn #139

*In Heavenly Love Abiding*

*(Children ages 2 through Pre-K dismissed to Children's Worship)*

Bible Reading (*Proverbs 24:17-18*)

Joshua McKay

Bible Lesson

Mike Tune

Hymn #822

*Sweet Will of God*

Announcements

Jim Lane

Introduction of Visitors/Prayer

Ben Bohannon



Song Leader

Bill Kincaid

Ushers

Scott Mills, Kevin Thie

Robert Spiess will lead singing this evening;

Beni Venkatesan and Daniel Williams will lead the prayers.

June servers: Jim Bates, Sam Gregory, Richard Gunselman,  
Joe Kobs, Andrew McDaniel, Jonah Shumate

## Schedule of Services

### Sunday

Bible Classes 9:30 am  
Morning Assembly 10:30 am  
Evening Assembly 6 pm

### Tuesday

Ladies Bible Class 10:15 am  
(*October through April*)

### Wednesday

7:15 pm

### Office Hours

9:30 am to 4:30 pm

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## Elders

Steve Dasher Wayne Doran  
Bill Kincaid Jim Lane  
Oliver McDaniel Joseph Tucker

## Deacons

Roberto Alvarez Jose Arevalo  
Matt Bennis Ben Bohannon  
Ignacio Espinoza Perry May  
Joshua McKay Scott Mills  
Saul Reyes Kevin Thie  
John Waterston Ken Yeatman  
Habt Zemech

## Missionaries

Gary & Sue Babcock, Kent County, RI  
Pedro & Mireya Batres, Nicaragua  
Henry & Rosa Gutierrez, Nicaragua  
Gene & Janice Luna, WBI/Guatemala  
Deanna Meredith, Concepcion, Chile  
Omar & Tana Palafox, Leon, MX  
Recardo & Monica Reyes, Cuernavaca, MX  
Don & Esther Roarabaugh, Torrington, CT

## Staff

Mike Tune, *Pulpit Minister*  
Josh Byrd, *Youth Minister*  
Mary Ann Kincaid, *Secretary*

## Statistics

### Sunday, May 26, 2013

Bible Study 226  
Morning Assembly 349  
Evening Assembly 118 (SWA)  
Contribution \$11,419  
YTD Average \$12,360  
Budget Goal \$12,597

### Wednesday, May 22, 2013

Classes & Online 91

**Wednesday, June 5, 2013**

**Prayer - Hal Swetnam**  
**Song Leader - Clark**  
**Richardson**