

Family Life

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4th Annual School Supply Collection Continues

This is the 4th year that Falls Church has collected school supplies to help children at the Bailey's Elementary School for the Arts & Sciences. The collection will end Sunday, Aug. 24, with the supplies delivered the next week. If you prefer, give your donation to Lynda Eubank; checks should be made payable to the Church of Christ, and please designate "school supplies in the memo line.

Please take this list with you when you shop.

- ◆ large glue sticks
- ◆ Elmer's liquid glue
- ◆ Large pink erasers
- ◆ Box of 10 or 12 Black "Papermate" flair finepoint felt tip pens (no ball point)
- ◆ Box of "Crayola" classic markers, 8 ct. washable broad tip
- ◆ Box of "Crayola" classic markers, 8 ct. washable thin tip
- ◆ yellow highlighters
- ◆ Expo dry erase markers
- ◆ "Crayola" crayons, 24 count
- ◆ "Crayola" color pencils, 12 count
- ◆ #2 pencils - **presharpened**
- ◆ Pencil sharpener, hand held
- ◆ Fiskars scissors 5" blunt cut
- ◆ Fiskars scissors 5" pointed tip
- ◆ black and white marble composition book - wide-ruled
- ◆ multi-colored 3x3 Post It notes
- ◆ 3-prong folders -green, red, yellow, blue, purple, orange
- ◆ Pocket folders - solid colors
- ◆ leaf notebook paper - wide-rule
- ◆ 3x5 index cards (100 count)
- ◆ 5x7 index cards, lined
- ◆ set of headphones or ear buds - any type
- ◆ watercolor set - 8 colors
- ◆ Play-Doh, any color/size
- ◆ box of tissue
- ◆ hand sanitizer
- ◆ baby wipes
- ◆ disinfectant wipes
- ◆ box of 20 count heavy duty gallon size Ziploc bags
- ◆ box of 50 count snack size Ziploc bags
- ◆ Reusable water bottle (12 to 16 oz size)



FOND FAREWELL

Today is the last day for our summer interns, **Caleb Dillinger** and **Carolyn Miller**, to be with us. They have been working dilligently (no pun intended, Caleb!) with our young people for the last six weeks.

Caleb and Carolyn joined with youth minister Josh Byrd to provide the Upper Room with Bible study and many summer activities. The Sunday morning class centered on the gospel of Mark, and Wednesday evenings were times for small groups learning about discipleship (Caleb with the young men and Carolyn with the young women). In addition, they spent one-on-one time with many of our teens.

They worked to oversee the End-of-School Lock-in, DC Day, Lego Movie Night, and the Senior Saints Game Day. They also participated in Vacation Bible School this week-end.

Thank you, Caleb and Carolyn, for being a part of our family here at Falls Church. Welcome back any time!



Caleb Dillinger



Carolyn Miller

GRACE + PEACE
Josh Byrd

Ice Cream Social is the 2nd Sunday Fellowship for August, Coming Up Today After Evening Assembly



The **2nd Sunday Fellowship for August** is our annual **Ice Cream Social**, coming up **today** after the evening assembly.

Fellowship Crew #3 is the duty group for this event. That includes **Lisa Swetnam, leader;** and **Genia Deibler, Dorothy Eckert, Jenni Madeley, Wilfredo Reyes, Robert Spiess, Staci & Mark Shannon & Joseph Tucker.**

Please bring homemade ice cream IF POSSIBLE. Make it Sunday afternoon and bring it just before the service, packed so that the contents will remain cold. Please label it clearly, and come back to the fellowship hall to dip it out for others.

But, if homemade isn't your thing, you may bring all the "fixings," such as - but not limited to - strawberries, blueberries, peaches; chocolate, hot fudge, marshmallow, caramel, butterscotch or strawberry syrup; toppings like nuts, sprinkles or chocolate chips; whipped cream.

Last but not least, we need cookies!

Wednesday Night Speakers For 3rd Quarter 2014

- August 13 – Mike Tune – “Jesus and the Penitent”
- August 20 – Clark Richardson – Jesus and race/culture
- August 27 – John Waterston – Jesus as an Enabler
- September 3 – Barry Bryson – Jesus and the Opposite Sex
- September 10 – Josh Ray (Springfield)
- September 17 – Kurt Norton – Jesus and Ministry Interruptions
- September 24 – Clayton Tune – Jesus as a Teacher

Two of our Elders are available after the morning assembly, in room 221 on the main level, to meet with anyone who would like prayer for special concerns.

Trip to the Nationals Faith Day, Sept. 6

The **Washington Nationals'** annual Faith Day is set for Sept. 6, and the team is offering specially discounted tickets for Christians. A **FREE** postgame concert featuring Lincoln Brewster and testimonials by Nationals player Adam LaRoche will be a special highlight.



The game will feature the Phillies against the Nats, and will start at 4:05 pm.

See the flyer on the bulletin board and/or contact **Mary Ann Kincaid** if you'd like to join a group of Falls Church members.



The Food Pantry Needs...Food!

The **Food Pantry** organizers are attempting to provide healthier selections for our clients.

To that end, it has a few needs, including:

- Canned Fruit - no sugar added**
- Jellies - no sugar added**
- Cereals - no sugar added**
- Vegetables - low sodium**
- Soups - low sodium**
- Vegetable Oil**
- INSTANT Corn Flour** (notice the **instant** part - one brand is Maseca)
- Tortimasa**
- Milk** that can be stored on the shelf; individual units preferred
- Crackers**
- Peanut Butter - SMALL size**
- Canned meats** such as tuna, chicken, vienna sausages

Thank You Notes



**Congregational Prayer Request
for the week of August 10:**

*Pray for a spirit of true fellowship
to permeate this family of believers.*

**Children's Worship is on break
during August, but
will resume September 7.
To learn more about this program
or to volunteer your service,
contact Gayla Keller.**

Newcomer to Area Seeks Room to Rent

An newcomer to this area is seeking a room to rent from a Christian family. He is 30 and a member of the church, and he hopes to find a place that includes at least a microwave and small refrigerator.

If you have or know of any such facility, you may contact the church office.

A variety of greeting cards can be found on the table beneath the members' board, and there also is a list of addresses for those who are ill or bereaved. To send notes of cheer or condolences, just select a card, write the name and address of the person to whom it is intended, and leave it on the table. The church office will handle postage.

Falls Church Retreat Scheduled at Williamsburg Christian Retreat Center September 19-21

The Falls Church Family Retreat is now just 6 weeks away.

Check out the easel in the foyer, where you'll find updates, included a tentative schedule.

Also, if you signed up for any of the challenge activities, please write down which of your family members plan to participate and make sure there is a medical release form for EACH ONE OF THOSE PEOPLE.

If you're a last minute planner or just spontaneous, there are a few rooms still available. You so you have until September 7 to make a final decision. Please remember that final payment is due September 7.

If you need more information or have questions, talk to **Ken or Lesya Yeatman or Brian or Melissa Collins.**

Below are photos taken from the center's website. You will see that these aren't "primitive" accommodations.

However, on the bright side, there are no TVs or phones in the rooms.



The dining room is open for breakfast, lunch & dinner



One of the rooms in the Oakwood complex



Laurel Cottage



(above) At the end of the day, relax on a deck overlooking wooded grounds.

Challenge Activities (at left) are designed to help groups learn to work together as a team. Life issues like trust, communication, leadership and problem solving can be explored.

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.

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

August 10, 2014

Morning

Lisa Swetnam
Meaza Zemech

Evening

Levenie Hughes

August 17, 2014

Morning

Marsha De La Cruz
Susan Wilson

Evening

Levenie Hughes

Children's Worship

August 10, 2014

2/3 CHILDREN'S WORSHIP IS ON
P-K BREAK DURING AUGUST

August 17, 2014

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Worship Today, August 10, 2014

Hymn #881

Mansion over the Hilltop

Hymn #601

My God and I

Hymn #533

I Am a Sheep

Prayer

Rick Schneider

Hymn #643

Sowing the Seed of the Kingdom

Hymn #390

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

Communion/Collection

Matt Benskys

Hymn #464

Because He Lives

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

Bible Reading (*Ephesians 6:10-13*)

Jun Amores

Bible Lesson

Mike Tune

Hymn #943

Do You Know My Jesus?

Announcements

Bill Kincaid

Introduction of Visitors

Joshua McKay

Closing Prayer

Robert Spiess

Song Leader

Jon Hessling

Ushers

Jose Arevalo, Grant Smith



Bill Kincaid will lead singing this evening; Jerry Williams and Geosh Saxton will lead prayers.

August servers: Joe Bohannon, Bill Furr, Calvin Lockhart, Clark Richardson, Mark Shannon, Hal Swetnam

Schedule of Services

Sunday

Bible Classes 9:30 am
Morning Assembly 10:30 am
Evening Assembly 6:00 pm

Tuesday

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

Wednesday

7:15 pm

Office Hours

9:30 am - 4:30 pm

Contact Information

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Elders

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

Deacons

Roberto Alvarez Jose Arevalo
Ben Bohannon Brian Collins
Ignacio Espinoza Perry May
Joshua McKay John Reagan
Saul Reyes Wilfredo Reyes
Hal Swetnam Jonah Shumate
Kevin Thie John Waterston
Ken Yeatman Habtu Zemech

Missionaries

Kevin & Deanna Amores, Concepción, Chile
Gary & Sue Babcock, Kent County, RI
Pedro & Mireya Batres, Nicaragua
Henry & Rosa Gutierrez, Nicaragua
Gene & Janice Luna, WBI/Guatemala
Recardo & Monica Reyes, Cuemavaca, MX
Don & Esther Roarabaugh, Torrington, CT
Mike Tune, Amazing Grace International
Jay & Piera Young, Italy & Ukraine
Habtu Zemech, My Neighbors, Ethiopia

Staff

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

Statistics

Sunday, August 3, 2014

Bible Study 217
Morning Assembly 307
Evening Assembly 133
Contribution \$20,119
YTD Average \$12,492
Budget Goal \$12,709

Wednesday, August 6, 2014

Classes & Online 118

Wednesday, August 13, 2014

Prayer - Habtu Zemech

Song Leader - Clark Richardson