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# **VCDC NEWSLETTER**

#### VINEYARD CHURCH DELAWARE COUNTY EVENTS & MINISTRY NEEDS

# **Summer Events Schedule**

Young or old, there's something for everyone! We look forward to these fun and meaningful opportunities to connect with each other and our community. To view our Summer Schedule and event details, check out our website at vcdc.org, or stop by the Info Counter.

# 4<sup>th</sup> of <u>July Freeze-Pop Collection & Parade Details</u>

Collecting Freeze-Pops this weekend thru June 22nd Help us gather 4000+ freeze pops for distribution to our community during the 2025 Sunbury Fourth of July Parade! Please bring your donation to the church and **drop at the table in the** *Lobby through Sunday June 22*<sup>nd</sup>. Also, plan to join us for this family friendly event where we will join together walking while wearing our VCDC apparel, handing out freeze-pops & candy, playing music, and blessing our community! To register for **important Parade details** go to our Church Center app, vcdc.org, or call the church office.

# **Food Pantry & Free Medical Clinic**

Monday, June 16th, 5pm

Our Food Pantry continues to have an URGENT NEED of chunky style soup. A more detailed list of items is on our food pantry sign located next to the food drop off rack in the lobby. If you would like to volunteer, email Jim & Shalon Larmour, foodpantry@vcdc.org. Interested in volunteering for our Medical Clinic? Email Sandie Fisher at vineyardfmc@vcdc.org.

# Vineyard Kids Summer VBS - Sign Up Now!

"Road Trip: On the Go with God"

Monday, June 23rd-Thursday, June 26th, 6:15-8:30pm This unique VBS is based on Joshua 1:9, "The Lord your God is with you wherever you go". Road Trip invites Kids, ages 3 years of age thru 5th grade, to join us on an exciting journey as we discover new places, new friends, and ways that we can learn about God's goodness and presence with us wherever we go. Be sure to sign up by THIS Wednesday, June 18th, before child registration closes. To sign up your kids, please go to our Church Center app, vcdc.org, or call the church.

# **VCDC Apparel Sale**

Sundays, June 22nd & 29th

Get your VCDC apparel to wear this summer and in the Sunbury 4th of July Parade! We will be selling t-shirts and ball caps. Stop by the table in the café during our services on either weekend (we accept cash, check, or credit).

# **World Refugee Day Block Party**

Saturday, June 21st, 11am-2pm at the CRIS office
One of our Beyond the Building partners, Community
Refugee & Immigration Services (CRIS), is holding
their 2nd Annual World Refugee Day Block Party!
Join them for this free party as they celebrate the
refugee community in Columbus with music, food, art,
dance, crafts, and games (water balloons included!).
The event will be held at the CRIS office at 4645
Executive Drive, Columbus, OH 43220. They will also
be providing transportation to and from the party for
people within the refugee community around the city.
If you know of someone who would need transportation,
or if you're interested in volunteering for the event,
please email CRIS staff member, Teresa Gibson,
at tgibson@cris-ohio.org.

# **BWMA CommUNITY Service**

Sunday, July 6th at 10am in the Big Walnut Middle School Auditorium (NO Traditional Weekend Services) VCDC will not be holding our traditional Sunday services over the 4th of July weekend, but instead, we will be connecting with the churches in the Big Walnut Ministerial Association for a joint church service. This service will be held in the Big Walnut Middle School Auditorium, located at 555 S. Old 3C Rd. in Sunbury. Just a heads up that unlike previous years, there will not be a lunch served afterwards. We are super excited to worship with our community, and hope you and your family will join us.

# **Pregnancy Resources of Delaware County**

Thank you for supporting Pregnancy Resources of Delaware County. Please return your baby bottle to the Info Counter in the lobby this weekend.

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#### **Annual Men's Cookout**

Friday, July 11th, 6:30-8:30pm

Hey Men and High School Guys! Come join us for the VCDC Annual Men's Cookout. It is a great opportunity to meet or reconnect with someone you have not seen in a while. This year VCDC member Matt Crain will be grilling burgers, brats & dogs on the grill + sides and desserts! Please sign up by going to our Church Center app, vcdc.org or call the church so we can be sure to have enough grub!

## Lost & Found Table-this Weekend!

Your lost items are missing you! We have several items on the table in the Kid's Wing area. Please stop by the table this weekend to find what belongs to you.

# **Caring for One Another**

If you know of any VCDC attenders that may have an illness or be in the hospital, please let us know. Call the church receptionist, ext.10, so our pastors can be aware.

# Attention Families of Incoming 6th & 9th Graders

Students entering 6th Grade (2025-2026 School Year): We're excited to welcome your student into our Middle School Ministry! Beginning Sunday, August 3rd, your student is invited to join our Middle School Morning Services during the 9AM & 11AM service in the Youth Room. Also, we look forward to having them attend our Ignite Middle School Youth Group on the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Sunday of each month from 6-8PM.

Students entering 9th Grade (2025–2026 School Year): Welcome to our High School Ministry! Beginning Wednesday, August 6th, your student is invited to attend our Ignite High School Youth Group that meets every Wednesday from 7-9PM.

Whether your student is an incoming 6th or 9th grader, we can't wait to connect with your students and help them grow in their faith during this next chapter of their lives.

## Missionary of the Month



Please pray for Bob Lesher who is currently serving in Brazil.

# MINISTRY NEEDS

# **Medical Clinic Volunteer Doctor Needed**

Our Medical Clinic is in need of a volunteer practitioner to help at our Medical Clinic. If you are interested please contact Sandie Fisher at vineyardfmc@vcdc.org.

# **Media Team Volunteer Opportunities**

We have a few opportunities for those who would like to serve on our Media Team! If you're not yet involved in volunteering in the church, this would be a great opportunity to get connected and help support VCDC! We are looking for people to serve once a month in our media booth during our weekend services, specifically with sound, livestream, or projection. We will help equip you to thrive and discover the joy of serving God in these areas of interest. For more info or to volunteer, please reach out to Jonathan at <a href="mailto:jonathancool@vcdc.org">jonathancool@vcdc.org</a>, or call the church.

# **Join Our Ignite Youth Ministry Team**

We are still in need of volunteers to help lead our Ignite Youth Ministry middle school Sunday service at 11am, twice a month. This is an incredible opportunity to make a lasting impact in the lives of our middle school students by helping them know Jesus, grow in their faith, and build meaningful relationships. As a leader, you'll create a safe space and a welcoming small group environment where students feel supported and encouraged in their walk with God by leading a Bible study with a ready-to-use curriculum! We invite you to prayerfully consider stepping into this role and becoming part of a team that's dedicated to shaping the next generation for Christ. If you feel called to invest in the spiritual growth of our youth, we'd love to connect with you! Please email Megan Molter at Meganmolter@vcdc.org or call the church for more information.