

# VCDC NEWSLETTER

VINEYARD CHURCH DELAWARE COUNTY EVENTS & MINISTRY NEEDS

## **Baptism Interest Meeting**

Sunday, April 19th after each service

If you are a follower of Jesus and have never been baptized (and are 10 years or older), we encourage you to do so! Stop by the Hub off the Welcome Center for a brief meeting this weekend. If you can not attend, please email us at [info@vcdc.org](mailto:info@vcdc.org) or contact the church office. Baptisms will take place on Sunday, April 26th.

## **Hope and Healing**

Thursdays, April 16th, 6:30-8:30pm

It's not too late to join! Hope and Healing is a confidential support group for women who have experienced betrayal. Come renew your mind, restore stability and walk confidently in God's purpose. We will be reading and discussing *10 Lifesaving Principals for Women in Difficult Marriages* by Karla Downing during this 10-week session. Meetings are held every Thursday from 6:30-8:30pm. You may join at any time. Contact Hilarie Barry [hilbarry@hotmail.com](mailto:hilbarry@hotmail.com), text 740.316.1846 or Karen Morrow 614.795.1833 for more information and confidential registration.

## **Food Pantry & Free Medical Clinic**

April 20th, Food Pantry at 5pm & Medical Clinic at 6pm  
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](mailto:foodpantry@vcdc.org). Interested in volunteering at our Free Medical Clinic? Email the Medical Clinic at [vineyardfmc@vcdc.org](mailto:vineyardfmc@vcdc.org).

## **New Beyond the Building-Design Outreach**

4/25, 5/2 at Exact Machine Shop in Sunbury  
Design Outreach is a Christian humanitarian organization that seeks to alleviate global poverty by designing products to meet basic needs in the areas of water, sanitation, hygiene, and essential health services. They desire to share and show God's love by providing technologies that empower people to break the cycle of poverty. Join Design Outreach for a rod cleaning service opportunity where you'll be able to play a role in helping people receive clean water and meet others who are engaged in the mission and vision of Design Outreach. There are multiple upcoming dates and times available. Please go to our church center app or call the church.

## **Oasis Worship Night**

Saturday, April 25th, 7-8:30pm

This quarterly event offers an extended time for worship and opportunity for prayer. We especially invite those who long to be refreshed through worship in God's presence, or would like to receive prayer. Although childcare is not offered, families are welcome and table top craft activities will be available for kids to enjoy. Invite a friend and join us on Saturday, April 25th! No registration is necessary and all are welcome.

## **The Fruit of the Spirit is Love**

### **Hope Filled Strategies for Difficult Conversations-Part 2**

Saturday, May 2nd, 9-11am

Boundaries, conflict, and tough conversations are a natural part of every relationship. Whether in work settings or within family dynamics, there are practical strategies that can bring greater hope, clarity and peace. This class will be taught by Christian counselor, Toni King. There is no cost to attend and having attended Part One is not required. Sign up on our Church Center app, [vcdc.org](http://vcdc.org), or call the church.

## **Child Dedication**

Sunday, May 3rd at each service

At VCDC, we believe the Bible encourages parents and guardians to dedicate their children to the Lord. If you are interested or want to learn more about having your baby or young child dedicated, go to our Church Center app, [vcdc.org](http://vcdc.org), or call the church.

## **Baby Bottle Collection**

Sunday, May 10th-Sunday, June 21st

VCDC partners with Pregnancy Resources of Delaware County by holding a baby bottle drive each year. This is a life-affirming organization that provides support and services to help strengthen families in our community that are facing unplanned pregnancies. Starting on Sunday, May 10th, we invite you to pick-up a baby bottle at the table in the lobby and fill it with loose change, bills or even a check made out to Pregnancy Resources of Delaware County to help support the wonderful work they are doing. We ask that you return your bottle or mail us a check by Sunday, June 21st.

**Legacy Campaign Pledges**

We're continuing to receive pledges for the Legacy Campaign—supporting the new youth addition. It's not too late to prayerfully consider how God might be inviting you to participate! You can drop your pledge card in the box at the Info Counter, or complete one online at [vcdc.org](http://vcdc.org). If you've already submitted your pledge, don't forget to also set up your one-time or reoccurring donations. To give online, visit the "Giving" page on our website, and select "Legacy Campaign" from the dropdown. You can also give by cash or check, and note "Legacy Campaign" on the memo line.

**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.

**VCDC Apparel Online Store**

As we enter into the spring season, just a reminder that VCDC t-shirts and ball caps are available to order online for home delivery! To browse and place your order, go to [vcdc.org](http://vcdc.org) and click "SHOP" in the navigation. Be sure to check out our display items on the Merch Rack this Sunday, and stop by the Info Counter to request a sample size to ensure the best fit before ordering.

**Missionaries of the Month**

Please pray for Tim & Betsy Kubacki who are currently serving in Angola.

## MINISTRY NEEDS

**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 Jamie McKinley at [jamiemckinley@vcdc.org](mailto:jamiemckinley@vcdc.org) or call the church.

**Medical Clinic Volunteer Doctor Needed**

Our Medical Clinic is in need of a volunteer practitioner to help at our clinic. If you are interested please email the Free Medical Clinic at [vineyardfmc@vcdc.org](mailto:vineyardfmc@vcdc.org).

**Medical Clinic Prayer Need**

Our Medical Clinic is in need of people to pray for the patients who come to the clinic on the 1st & 3rd Monday from 6-7:30pm. If interested, the Free Medical Clinic at [vineyardfmc@vcdc.org](mailto:vineyardfmc@vcdc.org).