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Newsletter

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DYSFUNCTIONAL

God's solutions to life's common dysfunctions.



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Sundays
9:15 & 11:00 am

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Lead Lines

Have you ever had one of those moments where it feels like everything is breaking all at the same time? You know, like you just noticed a leak in the bathroom, and your car is making a funny noise, and your computer is not running right, and the screen protector on your phone cracked (well, you *HOPE* it's just the screen protector!). You know, you just go through a time when it feels like the whole universe is conspiring against you to ruin your day! Maybe you've had that feeling. I know I have, where you're like, "I just want all my stuff to work!" Have you been there? Well, if it's true about our stuff, how much more is that true about our life?

It's not uncommon for us to learn to simply... tolerate life's minor dysfunctions. It's a little harder when it's physical in nature (I hurt my knee running a few years ago, and it's never yet gotten back to normal). There are some dysfunctions that we just learn to tolerate. But there are other dysfunctions that grieve the heart of God! It is not His will or design for us to be dysfunctional, but rather to be functional! One expression of the wholeness that God intends for us is a certain degree of functionality in our lives, even in a broken world.

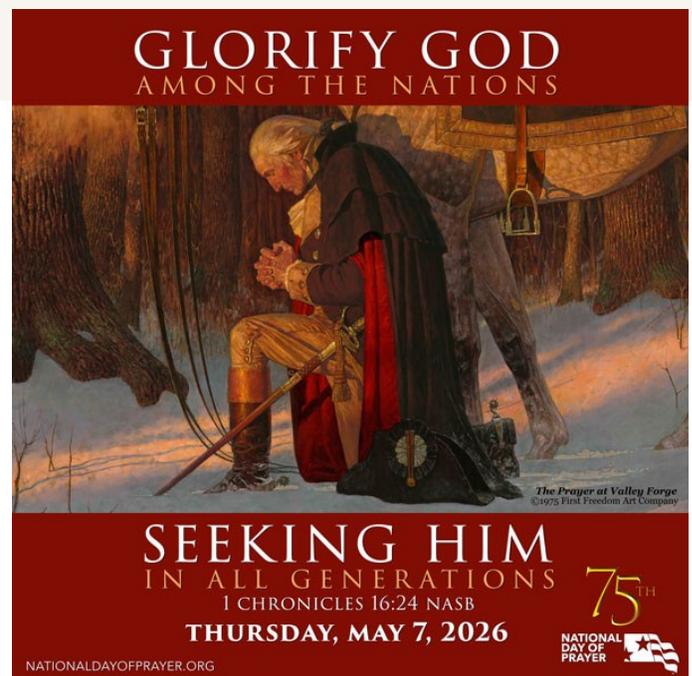
So to that end, I am so excited about our next sermon series: *DysFunctional*. We're going to be exploring Biblical solutions to life's common dysfunctions. We will also have a couple of great guest preachers who are going to join us! We're starting off strong on the Sunday after Easter (April 12) with a message from Dr. James Long on Functional Mental Health. Dr. Long is a professor of psychology and counseling at Indiana Wesleyan University. You are absolutely going to want to invite friends for this! Also, my father, Dr. Mark Scott, is coming back to talk about Functional Aging (insert joke here, LOL!). I'm firmly convinced that when we rightly prioritize what God's Word says about how to live, it will lead to a life of greater wholeness, which equates to better functionality. Jesus probably isn't going to fix your cracked phone screen, but He can mend a broken heart.

Leading as I follow,
Casey



How have you seen your generosity bless someone?

How have you seen someone be blessed by the generosity of Chapel Rock? How have **you** been blessed by the generosity of someone at Chapel Rock? We want to hear your stories! Whether in writing or in a video, whether using your name or keeping your story anonymous, these stories are important! If you have a story you'd like to share, please call the church at 317-247-9739, or email Julie Van Duzer at jvanduzer@chapelrock.org.



Visit the Chapel any time between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m. on Thursday, May 7, for the National Day of Prayer. Prayer guides will be provided as well as prompts on the screens. Pastor Casey will lead a prayer walk on the B & O Trail beginning at 7 p.m. Everyone is welcome to participate.

Chapel Rockets Seniors Ministry Events

- ◆ Thursday, April 2, Rockets Pitch-in Luncheon at 11:30 a.m. Glory Way is one of the most dynamic and exciting Christian singing groups around. They will sing at 12:45 p.m. A Love Offering will be collected for them at the door. Please enter door #3. Bring a side dish or two, and a friend!
- ◆ If you are signed up for Beef & Boards, the payment is due Thursday, April 2.
- ◆ Monday, April 6, Women's Bible Study in WC113 at 1 p.m. This study will meet every Monday in April (6, 13, 20, 27). Susan Hoeing is the facilitator.
- ◆ Tuesday, April 14, Movie Day in Family Room at 1 p.m. Please bring a movie snack to share and enter door #3.
- ◆ Thursday, April 16, Lunch Bunch to P.F. Chang's. Meet at the church at 10:30 a.m. Reservations are required. Please call Ann at 317-238-0127.
- ◆ Wednesday, April 22, Rockets complimentary breakfast & UNO at 9:30 a.m. in Family Room. Reservations are required. Call Ann at 317-238-0127.
- ◆ Wednesday, April 29, Lunchtime Care & Share in the Chapel at noon. Please bring your own lunch and beverage. Enter door #16.

FOOD pantry

Chapel Rock's Food Pantry operates on the first and third Thursdays of each month. Both monetary and food donations are appreciated. Please write "Food Pantry" on the memo line of checks. Non-perishable food donations may be put in the DropZone bin in the Foyer. Contact Cindy West at 215-570-8578 if you would like to volunteer with the Food Pantry.

A Note from Judy Heuss ...



Operation Christmas Child

April is the kickoff for the 2026 Operation Christmas Child season! We want to thank everyone who donated their time to the packing party; who individually packed shoe boxes; donated money toward shipping our shoe boxes; or helped during National Collection Season. This year we encourage you to prayerfully consider taking on a role on one of our teams. Could you be a prayer coordinator? Would you like to help with National Collection Week November 16-23? God bless our congregation this year. Questions or want to do more? Call Judy at 317-702-0508.

Chapel Rock Sojourners

This fall, the Sojourners will travel to Niagara Falls and Toronto, Canada! The trip will be from Monday, September 14, to Friday, September 18. The cost, based on double occupancy, is \$760 per person. The cost includes motorcoach transportation, four nights lodging, four breakfasts, four dinners, and guided tours to Niagara Falls and the Toronto area. Information sheets are available at the Welcome Desk. Save your spot by calling Debbie McLoed at 317-858-1244 or Pam Mann at 317-442-7420.

Family Ministry Summer Events

CIY MIX (grades 6-8) June 22 to June 26

 MIX is a four-day summer camp event specifically designed for incoming 6th, 7th, and 8th grade students. At MIX, students will experience high-energy worship, age-intentional Bible teaching, community with their friends and adult leaders, and a practical call to Kingdom Work, all centered around the fun and excitement that is middle school ministry.

CIY MOVE (high school) June 15 to June 20

 MOVE is a five-day summer event designed for high school students to know Jesus better, deepen their relationships, and to be sent out to do Kingdom work. This year Chapel Rock is heading to Hope College in Holland, MI.

 **Student Ministry Mexico Mission Trip** (high school) July 10 through July 18
Location: Piedras Negras, Mexico

 **Senior Trip 2026 (high school graduates)** We'll visit three national parks, including Badlands National Park, Yellowstone National Park. July 30 to August 10

 **Camp Allendale for Elementary Kids** June 14 - 19
Space fills up quickly, please register ASAP.

Men's April Breakfast and Devotion

The men's monthly breakfast and devotion will be Saturday, April 4. Coffee and fellowship begin at 7 a.m. with the breakfast being served at 7:30 a.m. in Fellowship Hall. Please enter at door #3.



Christ caring for people through people

**STEPHEN
MINISTRY**

Chapel Rock will be starting a new ministry in September called Stephen Ministry. Stephen Ministry is a nation-wide program that offers a proven and effective way to organize, equip, and supervise a team of congregation members—called *Stephen Ministers*—to provide high-quality, one-to-one, Christ-centered care to people in the congregation and the community experiencing life difficulties. Training is one hour per week for 12 weeks. If you are interested in being part of this ministry, contact Care Pastor, John Noel, at jnoel@chapelrock.org or call the church on a Monday or Tuesday at 317-247-9739.

Homeless Ministry Needs

The Homeless Ministry needed items are: baby wipes, socks, t-shirts, deodorant, tooth paste and tooth brushes, shampoo, and body wash. New items may be placed in the DropZone bin in the Foyer.

By the Numbers ...

	2/22	3/1	3/8	3/15	2026 Average Attendance.....650
Worship Services – campus	400	482	431	440	(includes live streaming)
Worship Online – live streaming	233	203	224	217	Baptisms for 20262
In-person & Virtual Small Groups	123	156	133	144	Transfers for 20263
Children/Middle School/High School	58	132	137	130	

Financial Report ending February 2026

☞ General Fund Offerings – YTD\$290,282

☞ Missions Funding.....\$29,912

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