

BRIDGING THE GAP

Humble yourselves before the Lord, and He will exalt you. James 4:10



A Letter From Pastor Andy

Life is in a constant state of change. The church is no different. While I was conducting research for my prospectus, I came across a study in church history. The church historian explained that the church has survived as long as it has because it is adaptable. That is not to say that the message of the church has changed. If the church ceases to preach Christ crucified, it is no longer a church. Instead, the method of transmitting the message of Christ has changed over time. Things that worked in the past no longer work. Rather than pine for days gone by and how things “used to be” the best thing to do is set our sights forward. Frankly, it is difficult to move forward if we are constantly looking back. If you do not believe that, I challenge you to get in a safe environment and try to move forward in a straight line while looking behind you. I tried to do it in the hallway of the church and it did not go well.

In Genesis, we read the account of what God does to Sodom and Gomorrah. God has decided to destroy the cities because they are tolerating and celebrating sin. God announces this plan to Abraham. Abraham asks if God would relent if He could find some righteous people in the cities. Abraham starts the number of 50 righteous people, but over time whittles that number down to 10. God says that if He can find ten righteous in the towns, He will not destroy them. God clearly did not find the ten because He destroys the cities. However, God does make provision for Lot and his family to be spared. They receive the warning about the coming destruction. Lot calls for his sons in law, but they do not believe him. So Lot, his wife, and daughters leave. They were given express instruction to leave the city and not look back. Sadly, we learn that his wife did not heed the instruction. “But his wife looked back and became a pillar of salt” (Genesis 19:26). What harm had she done? She looked back pining for the past, remembering the good times she had in the city of sinfulness rather than looking forward.

It is great for us to remember the past but at the same time, let’s rejoice that God is moving us into the future! As we get further into the 2000s, let’s get ready for more of those “Wow God!” moments!



Church Calendar

JUNE

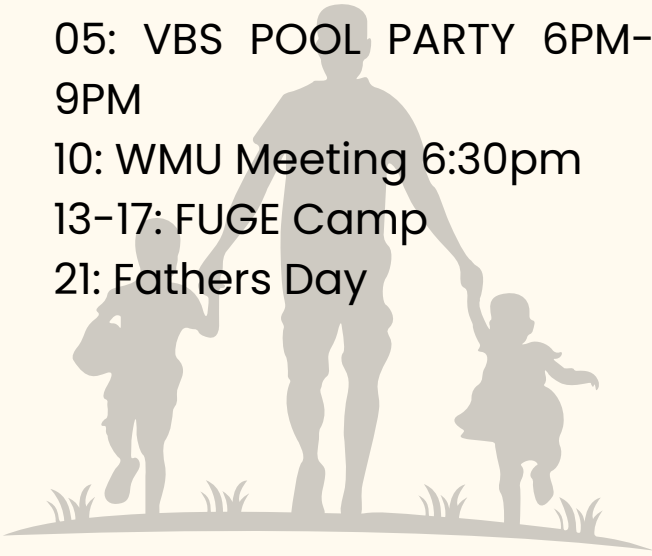
01-04: VBS 6PM-9PM

05: VBS POOL PARTY 6PM-9PM

10: WMU Meeting 6:30pm

13-17: FUGE Camp

21: Fathers Day



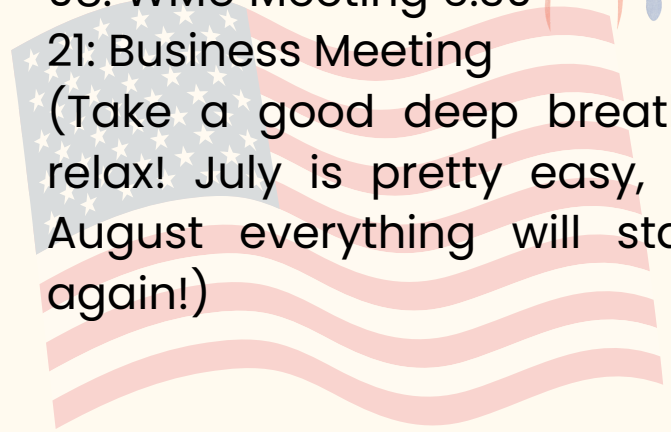
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04: 4th of July

08: WMU Meeting 6:30

21: Business Meeting

(Take a good deep breath and relax! July is pretty easy, but in August everything will start up again!)



Building & Grounds

- We have rust coming from behind the paint on the fellowship hall door. To correct the issue with rust, it's always best to take a needle gun, bust the rust up, cover the spot with a rust stop and then repaint. Hooyah topside preservation!
 - The masonry around the lower level of the church is not an even color of white. Some spots are brighter than others. We need to look at having it all repainted when we get the fellowship hall door corrected.
 - The awning around the upper part of the sanctuary needs to be repainted as well. They were power washed before the end of summer 2025 and time ran out for favorable painting weather.
 - As we move into the future, some things will change and others will stay the same. Our goal is to use the space God has blessed us with for maximum impact in sharing the Gospel.
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Scripture of the Month

*Though a righteous man falls seven times,
he will get up,
but the wicked stumble into ruin.*

-Proverbs 24:16



KID'S CORNER

Babies-6th grade

Upcoming Hangout Events:

June 13-17: FUGE Camp

Aug 2 Pool party 6-9

Grad Sunday

June 7 @11:00

Recognizing our Hangout Youth who have graduated this year:

Jasper - Jake - Gracen - Mary



VBS 2026!

We can't wait to see all that God will do...WOW God!



June 1-4

6:00-9:00pm

Grades PreK-6th grade

June 5: VBS pool party

6pm-9pm

Wednesday Night Kid's Club
is on a Summer Break!!

Children's Church & Nursery Volunteer Schedule

Date	Children's Church	Nursery	Pre-K
June 7	9am-Ann 11am-Ann	9am-Terri 10am-Terri	9am-Kelli 10am-Kelli
June 14	9am-Wanda 11am-Wanda	9am-Ann 10am-Ann	9am-Cindy 10am- Cindy
June 21	9am-Alana 11am-Alana	9am-Melissa 10am-Melissa	9am-Kelli 10am-Kelli
June 28	9am-Terri 11am-Terri	9am-Vickie 10am-Vickie	9am-Cindy 10am-Cindy



ALWAYS ON MISSION

FBC FOOD BANK

Anytime there are donations of canned food, they can be left in the fellowship hall. Please mark donations "Food Bank." There are also Donation boxes in the coffee room.

Our Food Bank loves canned veggies, pasta, peanut butter, and canned meats!

When can you volunteer?

The Food Bank is open on the 1st/3rd Tuesday's 9-11:00.



The truck deliveries usually come the first Tuesday of each month at 7:30am



JUNE MISSIONARIES

Please keep these missionaries in your prayers as they reach the lost all over the world

Saleem and Rahisha Wright
-Montgomeryville, PA

Mark and Michelle Spansel
-Santa Clarita, CA

Joshua and Madeline Herrera Lopez
-Aguadilla, PR

Rod and Dona Tala
-Beaumont, AB, Canada

WMU: WOMEN ON MISSION

FBC women meet monthly in the 1st Wed of the month at 5:30. We have a time of prayer, a devotion, and discuss mission opportunities in the area. Please consider joining us!

JUNE OCC DONATIONS:



WASH CLOTHS,
CHILDRENS SOCKS,
S, M, L CHILDRENS
T-SHIRTS, SMALL
TOYS FOR BOYS AND
GIRLS, SMALL
STUFFED ANIMALS

YOU CAN LEAVE DONATIONS IN THE RED OCC BOXES IN THE COFFEE ROOM OR VESTIBULE.

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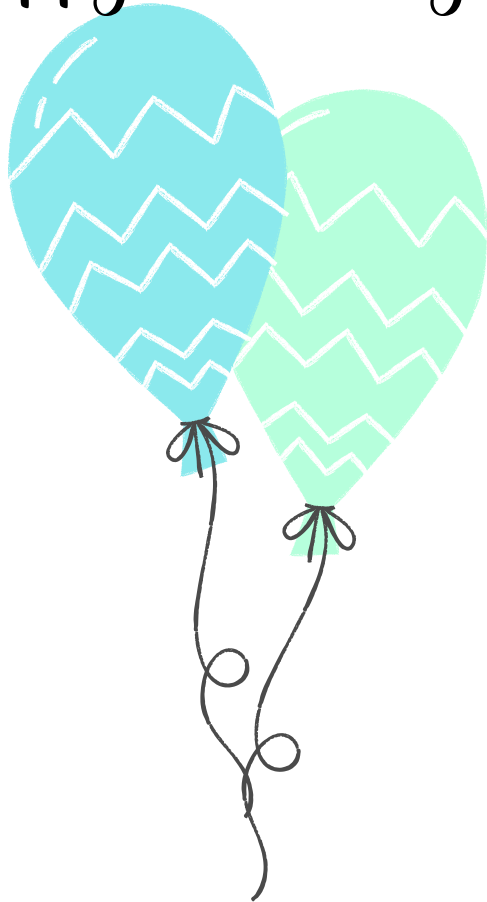
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OUR GOAL THIS YEAR WAS 1500.00 WE ARE PLEASED TO SAY WE HAVE REACHED THIS GOAL AND EXCEEDED IT!! PRAISE GOD!! THANK YOU ALL FOR YOUR FAITHFUL GIVING!!



"Therefore, go and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit."

Happy Birthday!!



JUNE

- 06-Maddie Hurst
- 10-Butch Kiser
- 13-Kathy Stewart
- 15-Ben Fields
- 16-Charity Dingus
- 18-Rebecca Varney
- 19-Kelli Helton
- 19-Yvonne Yorke
- 19-Alana Broyles
- 20-Teresa Hughes
- 26-Charlie Willis
- 27-Andy Wood
- 27-Connie Milton
- 29-Craig Christian



FBC Weekly Opportunities:

Sunday 5:00: Choir practice

Sunday 5:00 Youth "Hangout" 6th-12th grade

Monday 1:00 Yoga with Glenna -Fellowship Hall

Tuesday 9:00 Food bank (1st & 3rd Tue of the month)

Wednesday 6:30 Bible Study & Bible Club K-5th grade(Aug-May)

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