

What We Believe
THE DOCTRINES of the Salvation Army

WE BELIEVE that the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments were given by Inspiration of God, and that they only constitute the Divine rule of Christian faith and practice.

WE BELIEVE that there is only one God, who is infinitely perfect, the Creator, Preserver, and Governor of all things, and who is the only proper object of religious worship.

WE BELIEVE that there are three persons in the Godhead—the Father, the Son and the Holy Ghost, undivided in essence and co-equal in power and glory.

WE BELIEVE that in the person of Jesus Christ the Divine and human natures are united, so that He is truly and properly God and truly and properly man.

WE BELIEVE that our first parents were created in a state of innocence, but by their disobedience they lost their purity and happiness, and that in consequence of their fall all men have become sinners, totally depraved, and as such are justly exposed to the wrath of God.

WE BELIEVE that the Lord Jesus Christ has by His suffering and death made an atonement for the whole world so that whosoever will may be saved.

WE BELIEVE that repentance towards God, faith in our Lord Jesus Christ, and regeneration by the Holy Spirit, are necessary to salvation.

WE BELIEVE that we are justified by grace through faith in our Lord Jesus Christ and that he that believeth hath the witness in himself.

WE BELIEVE that continuance in a state of salvation depends upon continued obedient faith in Christ.

WE BELIEVE that it is the privilege of all believers to be wholly sanctified, and that their whole spirit and soul and body may be preserved blameless unto the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ.

WE BELIEVE in the immortality of the soul; in the resurrection of the body; in the general judgment at the end of the world; in the eternal happiness of the righteous; and in the endless punishment of the wicked.

We Believe...

**WASHINGTON
WORSHIP & SERVICE CENTER**



OUTPOURING

God's Love. For All People. To All People.

JOIN US FOR OUR WEEKLY WORSHIP CELEBRATION
SUNDAYS AT 9:30AM & SUNDAY SCHOOL AT 11AM

JANUARY, FEBRUARY, MARCH 2024

60 East Maiden St. Washington, PA. 15301 724-225-5740
Pastors & Commanding Officers
Captain Jason & Captain Amber Imhoff

SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC

FEBRUARY 4TH 2024

*** WINTER
SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC ***

**CHILI COOKOFF-Bring a crock
pot of your favorite mixture**

Church will provide:
Salad, Cornbread, fixings
for chili, drinks for all.

*** Invite your friends**

Prizes will be awarded *

**Sunday School
Classes
COMBINED
TODAY**

PLEASE BRING A DESSERT TO SHARE!
PLAN TO JOIN IN ON THE FUN!
WASHINGTON SALVATION ARMY
60 E MAIDEN ST WASHINGTON PA 15301

WEDNESDAYS

We are super excited for WEDNESDAY NIGHTS!!!! We hope that you will be able to join us with your family.

Wednesday nights start at 6:30pm

Each week is about an hour and features sensory friendly interactive time of worship for the entire family. Throughout the year we will also have hands on service opportunities as part of our gathering time together. We are looking for families to join us who are interested in committing to an hour on Wednesdays this year to grow in the Lord and in service through the Salvation Army as an entire family.

Some weeks will feature hands on service opportunities for the whole family.

Not available this Wednesday? Please know you are welcome to join us any Wednesday your family is available for an hour to grow and serve together.

So invite some friends and come join the fun!

Upcoming WOW Wednesday dates:

January 31st

February 7th, 21st, & 28th

March 6th, 13th, & 20th

If joining us on Wednesday please use the front entrance. Our parking lot is located behind our building.

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Childrens & Teen Cooking Classes

Let's get COOKing

The Washington Salvation Army offers free cooking classes each quarter for children in K-12th grade. For more information on registering stop by our office or visit our facebook page at Washington Salvation Army.

Chef JR for K-2nd Graders

Winter Session runs:

March 15th & 22nd

Kids in the Kitchen for 3rd-5th Graders

Winter Session runs

January 26th, February 2nd & February 9th

Youth Cooking for 6th-12th Graders

Winter Session runs

February 19th

FREE Produce Distribution



FREE Produce Distribution!

Open to any household and you may pick up for others.
Each month we distribute a little over 24,000 pounds of produce.
Available 9am-11am or until we run out.
20 pound box per household

February 6th

March 12th

April 9th

May 14th

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WOMENS NIGHTS The Gathering



Calling all Ladies-

Come join us at The Gathering. There will be coffee & refreshments, a craft and a time of digging into God's Word. Teen girls are welcome to come with their moms or grandmas as well. Join us at 6:30pm each night. Please call us at 724-225-5740 to reserve spots so we can have enough supplies on hand.

January 28th
February 4th
March 24th

YOUR INVITED

**GET TO KNOW US AND YOU'LL FIND
THAT WE ARE A GROUP OF
IMPERFECT PEOPLE WHO HAVE
FOUND REDEMPTION, WHOLENESS,
AND HOPE IN JESUS.**

We gather every Sunday for Worship and to dig into the Bible together.

Worship is at 9:30am

After Worship we enjoy coffee/juice break and then head to Sunday School Classes. We currently have three Sunday School Classes.

Children and Adults Sunday school

at 11am

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HISPinS Archery



All Equipment provided and will be cleaned between each set of students.

This an indoor target shooting class. All students need to wear closed toed shoes and long sleeves are preferred. Classes take place in our heated gym. Ages 6-16 years

Winter Session will run

February 26th

March 4th, 11th, 18th, & 25th

Cost is \$10 per child

Registration Required

Troops



The Washington Salvation Army has it's own version of Scouts.

For Winter Quarter please note our older kid troops will be meeting on a different day of the week than our younger kids troops:

Please see the Registration link for dates & time for each age group. Winter Session start times for each age group

Rangers (6th-12th Grade Boys) Registration Link:

<https://forms.gle/2WTkm56HsApmMLZH7>

Girl Guards (6th-12th Grade Girls) Registration Lnk:

<https://forms.gle/2EBdGUVWjZ7msAeA9>

Sunbeams (1st-5th Grade Girls)

Registration Lnk:

<https://forms.gle/PUjnk2AaZCBHaFd7>

Moonbeams (Preschool & Kindergarten Girls & Boys)

Registration Lnk:

<https://forms.gle/AJspFDaz8t5wU1jK8>

Explorers (1st-5th Grade Boys) Registration Lnk:

<https://forms.gle/WtmYRuieS4RY6mWR8>



SAVE THE DATE

March 8th

4:30pm-7:30pm

The Gym of

The Washington Salvation Army

Drop in for some

FREE FUN!

Be on the lookout Family Reading Picnics return in April!



We are bringing back Ladies Night Archery!

We haven't offered this since 2020!!!!

Details? We are offering five one hour classes this Winter!

These are stand alone classes with no experience needed.

All equipment provided.

No children are permitted to attend

Choose one or more to attend! Must be 16 or older to attend our Ladies Night Out Archery.

Cost is \$5 per class per person.

Registration required.

Each night we will have devotions, Target shooting and a Candy Bar Challenge!

Register here:

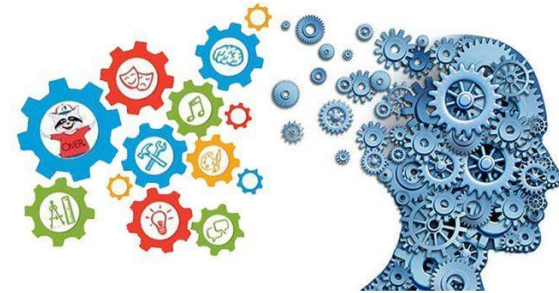
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Adult Bible Study in the conference room at 6:30pm
January 30th
February 6th, 20th, 27th



March 29th at 10am
Good Friday Nature Experience
North Franklin Fitness Trail Park
Behind The Washington Wild Things Stadium



Be in prayer for our six Odyssey of the Mind Teams this year! They will be practicing in the coming weeks some teams on Tuesdays and some on Wednesdays. They head to regional competition on March 2nd to show their creativity in problem solving at Keystone Oaks.

The worldwide community often proves its ability to work together to help those suffering from a major disaster. While this generosity is important, too often those suffering in our neighborhoods get overlooked. Whether it's an elderly woman needing help carrying her groceries, or a family struggling to pay their bills, someone needs help right in our backyards. Unfortunately, they may not receive any without the benefit of the world stage.

The Odyssey Angels program wants to challenge you to use your unique creative problem-solving abilities to help some aspect of your community that would otherwise be overlooked. In the month of March OM Team members will be invited to join together with friends to use their problem solving skills for our community at large in real hands on problem solving service project.

I can pray...a scavenger hunt

Matthew 7 v 7

**"Ask, and God will give to you. Search, and you will find.
Knock, and the door will open for you."**

The Bible tell us that we should be searchers – seeking to know God better and draw closer to Him. Why not practice searching by looking for these items in your garden or on a daily walk and using them to inspire your prayers.



Outdoor prayer hunt

Go on a search in your garden or on your daily walk and try to find each of these items. Here is a prayer you can say for each item as you find them.

A stone

Dear God, thank you that you are our firm foundation. Help us to trust in you and build our lives on your word.

A flower

Dear God, thank you that each one of us is beautiful and precious to you. Thank you that you know each of us by name.

Do you know the name of the type of flower you have found?

A twig/branch

Dear God, thank you that just like every twig comes from a tree each of us is a small part of your big plan. Help me to live for you every day and share your love with others.

A berry or fruit

Dear God, help us to share your love with others, may we demonstrate the fruits of your Spirit.

You can read about the fruits of the Spirit in Galatians 5 v 22-23.

A leaf

Dear God, just as a leaf is blown about by winds we cannot see; help me trust in your Holy Spirit to guide me in my life.

A piece of rubbish

Make sure you put the rubbish in a bin when you finish.

Dear God, thank you that you forgive us for our mistakes. I am sorry for the times when I have not lived right for you. Help me to clear up the mess from my own life.

Plant Collage

You will need: Card/Paper, Glue, plants/ grass/ flowers

Why not create your own collage using the plants, grass and flowers from your garden or daily walk?

Remember not to pick any flowers or leaves from plants in other people's gardens without permission.



God's Wonderful Creation

What a wonderful world God has created for us to explore. Here are some verses that King David wrote about how beautiful the world is, why not write your own poem or song about some of the beautiful things you see in the world.

Psalm 104 v 19-25

You made the moon to mark the seasons, and the sun always knows when to set. You make it dark, and it becomes night.

Then all the wild animals creep around. The lions roar as they attack. They look to God for food. When the sun rises, they leave and go back to their dens to lie down. Then people go to work and work until evening. LORD, you have made many things; with your wisdom you made them all. The earth is full of your riches.

Look at the sea, so big and wide, with creatures large and small that cannot be counted.



Join us for Breakfast in the gym at 9:30am
Worship at 10:15am

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Following Easter Worship this year everyone is invited outside to enjoy some Bubble Blessings!

Resurrection Rolls

TELL THE STORY OF EASTER



- 1 (8 ounce) package refrigerated crescent rolls
 - 1/4 cup sugar
- 1 tablespoon ground cinnamon
 - 1/4 cup butter, melted
 - 8 large marshmallows

Read aloud the Easter storyline (**bold**) and follow the italicized directions to make the rolls.

1. *Preheat oven according to the directions on the crescent roll packaging.* **Read about Christ's crucifixion in John 19** while the oven warms up.
2. **This pure white marshmallow represents Jesus Christ, the son of God. Even though He never did anything wrong, He died for our sins because He loved us. After He was crucified, His body was prepared to be buried.**
3. **His friends used embalming oils and spices on His body.** *Roll the marshmallow in the melted butter, which symbolizes the embalming oils. Then, roll the marshmallow in the cinnamon & sugar, which represents the burial spices.*
4. **They wrapped Jesus in a clean cloth.** *Unroll the crescent roll dough and separate the sections. Then wrap the marshmallow inside one section of the crescent roll dough. Pinch sides closed. Repeat with each marshmallow.*
5. **Then, Jesus' body was placed in a tomb.** *Put the rolls in the oven (represents the tomb) and bake as directed on the crescent roll package.*
6. As the rolls bake, **read John 20:1-18 about Christ's resurrection.**
7. **On the third day, Jesus was resurrected and the tomb was empty.** *After the rolls are baked and cooled, cut them open and see that the marshmallow is gone!*

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We provide transportation from The Washington Salvation Army to Camp at the beginning of the week and back at the end of the week.

Sessions Available from our Location:

July 8 - 12
STEM CAMP
Ages 6 - 12

(Science, Robotics, Engineering and Technology based activities)

July 15 - 20
MUSIC CAMP
Ages 6 - 13

(Brass, dance, drama, praise team & timbrels)

July 29 - August 2
PROGRAM CAMP
Ages 6 - 13

(Badges offered may include Backpacking, Wilderness Survival, Outdoor Living, Swimming, 3-D Art, Multimedia Video & Film, Photography)



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ELLWOOD CITY, PA
OVERNIGHT WEEK
LONG CAMP SESSION



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