

NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

June 2, 2013

TODAY

Greeters—1st Hour: Kurt Carty, Vernon & Tammy Martzin
 2nd Hour: Scott Shannon, Eric & Matthew Stanton
 Children's Greeters—1st Hour: Betty Gray, Beverly Nuckols, Tammy Martzin
 2nd Hour: Donna Hunigan, Greg Freeman, Sheila Hayden
 Information Center—1st Hour: Linda Bireley
 2nd Hour: Amy Hollifield, Cookie Mabe
 Parking Lot Attendants—1st Hour: Jerry Eberhart
 2nd Hour: Craig Moorhouse
 Ushers—1st Hour: Ross Carmack
 2nd Hour: Eric Stanton
 Offering Counters—Lindsey Renfro, Scott Smith, Eric Stanton, John Babel
 Communion to Shut-Ins—Tim Coffey
 4:00 p.m. VBS Kickoff

MONDAY—THURSDAY

6:15 p.m. VBS

TUESDAY

11:00 a.m. Terrific Tuesday Family Fun Day—Picnic at Pavilion

SATURDAY

3:00 p.m. Team 6 serves Loaves & Fishes

NEXT SUNDAY

Greeters—1st Hour: Kurt Carty, Vernon & Tammy Martzin
 2nd Hour: Scott Shannon, Eric & Matthew Stanton
 Children's Greeters—1st Hour: Debbie Johnson, Laura Smith, Dot Rowe
 2nd Hour: Mary Hilton, Greg & Cindy Freeman
 Information Center—1st Hour: Linda Bireley
 2nd Hour: Amy Hollifield, Cookie Mabe
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 Communion to Shut-Ins—Jackie Denny & Brett Craig

VBS NEWS

* VBS will kickoff with a FREE event today from 4-6. There will be inflatables, games and food for everybody! And did we mention it's FREE?! Then at 6:00 the first session of VBS will take place in the auditorium and it's also for the whole church family! Experience high energy music, a Bible story, a skit and a presentation from this year's mission project: Haitian Christian Mission. It'll be a "Yee-Haw" kind of night and it's for everyone!! Let's pack the house! The regular VBS schedule will begin for the children on Monday evening at 6:15-8:45.



*Parents, please register your children ASAP either on-line (<http://crossroadsgray.wufoo.com/forms/vbs-registration/>), in the lobby of each building or by calling the church office. Early registration will help insure that we have all the necessary supplies and material! Students attending should be age 3 by June 1 through grade 6 (completed).

Yard Sale Fundraiser June 14-15

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CHALLENGER LEAGUE—Everyone is invited to our game on June 8th at 5pm at Daniel Boone Little League Fields. Guest appearance by David Browning, The Mayberry Deputy. Come see what Challenger League is all about.

Appalachian Christian Camp Family, Friends and Fun Day—CampACC is hosting a free day of fun on Saturday, June 22 from 11:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m. The entire camp, including Splash Cove, both Zip Lines, the Gym and Indoor Climbing Wall will be open. There will also be various summer camp games and inflatables in the field. Tour the facilities and go on nature walks. Lunch & snacks will be available for purchase. For more information and directions, visit CampACC.com or call (423) 743-3910.

WOMEN'S

LADIES - A new study entitled "The Law of Love" by Beth Moore will be offered at the following times:



Wednesday morning - 9:30 a.m. (Portia Sams 477-8598) - starts June 12
 Wednesday evening - 6:30 p.m. (Sandy Carty 833-2793) - starts June 12
 Thursday evening - 7:00 p.m. (Cindy Freeman 477-2729) - starts June 13

The study is a 90-minute video lecture each week. No homework. The listening guide is \$10.00— available at LifeWay.

STUDENT MINISTRY NEWS

Upcoming Events

TODAY- \$100 due for CIY MOVE (scholarships available)
TODAY- \$50 due for Middle School Service Trip



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CIY Move is a five-day program for high school students to experience God. This awesome trip includes daily devotional times, nightly worship celebrations, community discipleship and challenging messages. Join us July 29-August 2 in Salisbury, MD on the beach for \$300. More info on the CSM Facebook Event Page.

June 2-6- volunteer @ VBS

June 12-15- Yard Sale Fundraiser

June 18-22- Middle School Service Trip (\$110)

June 26- Dollywood (\$50 + lunch/dinner \$)

July 5-14- Haiti Mission Trip

July 10- Picnic (Potluck & Frisbee)

July 22-26- YiM (youthinministry.org)

July 24- Scavenger Hunt

July 29-August 2- CIY MOVE (\$300)

August 11- Welcome 7th Grade cookout

August 16- Redneck Olympics

August 19-24- Fair Parking Fundraiser



Parents of upcoming 5th, 6th and 7th graders:

We are discussing some big changes to take place in the fall here at Crossroads and we want your input. As parents we truly value your thoughts and we would like to address any concerns you may have. Ultimately we all want what's best for the spiritual growth of your children. There will be two opportunities to join the conversation and we hope that all parents of upcoming 5th, 6th & 7th graders will be able to attend one of the meeting times.

Wednesday, June 5 at 5:00pm in the Lab 56 room.
Sunday, June 9 at 12:00pm in the Lab 56 room.

Please RSVP by calling the church office at [423-477-2229](tel:423-477-2229) or via email christy@crossroadsgray.org.

NEWS

Family Fun Day

We are kicking off our very first **Family Fun Day on Tuesday, June 4th**. We will be gathering here at Crossroads for "**Picnic at the Pavilion**" from 11am-1pm. The event is open to all families with kids up to completed 6th grade. Bring lunch for your family, swim suits for fountain play and towels. We look forward to spending the afternoon together!

Club 56 students will have 2 events during the month of June:

*Wednesday June 12 at 6:30 p.m., students will meet at the church to complete a service project. Please come dressed in work clothes and bring a paint brush! Sign up in Lab 56. Snacks will be served!



*Saturday, June 22—SPLASH COUNTRY in Pigeon Forge. Leave the church at 8:00 a.m. and return at 7:00 p.m. Cost: \$40.00 plus money for lunch for age 12 and up and \$34.00 plus money for lunch for age 11 and under. Guests are welcomed, but must have completed 5th or 6th grade.

In order for this trip to happen:

- we must have parent drivers/chaperones
- have 15 tickets paid for by June 8.

Please sign up in Lab 56 and place your full payment (CHECKS ONLY please made out to Crossroads Christian Church) in the manila envelope attached to the sign up sheet.

*Volunteers are needed throughout the summer to weed, till, and harvest the vegetables. Please sign the list on the bulletin board or call the church office if you're willing to serve in this way.



Y O U N G A T H E A R T O U T I N G
(for adults close to 50 & older)

Go jump in the lake or at least go relax by it!

The Bardes & Grahams will host Lake Day on Sunday, June 23. After 2nd service we will meet to car pool. Lunch provided as well as fun, boat rides and fellowship. FREE but please sign up on the list at the Information Desk if you plan to attend.

Future Outings:

The Penny Loafers & Sacred Harmony (Brian Scott's group) in concert August 17 at Milligan College; A trip to Grandfather Mountain in October — more details coming on these 2 events.