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February 23, 2020

## Men's Monthly Breakfast

The Men's breakfast will be held in Fellowship Hall on Saturday, February 29th from 8-9:30 am. The breakfast is free and all men are welcome. Also bring a friend.

Our speaker will be Stephen Reisinger, Chief of Survey for Susquehanna Civil, Inc.

Please see Dod Kiama or Dan Watkins with any questions. RSVP by circling "**M**" on the Connection Card or calling 717-532-8404.

"As iron sharpens iron, so one man sharpens another." Proverbs 27:17.

## **Missions Focus**

Please keep RGC in your prayers as the staff is preparing for the summer camping season. They still need summer volunteers to help in the kitchen and in other areas. If you can help, contact Austin Masser at <a href="mailto:Austin@rhodesgrove.com">Austin@rhodesgrove.com</a> or call 717-375-4162.

# Winter Weather Updates

Winter weather updates are available on television (WHP21), online (whptv.com), on the radio (WCRH 90.5), and on the church website and Facebook page.

# **Helping Hand**

Helping Hand Ministry provides a meal due to death in the family. During the month of February, please contact Jackie Clever @ 717-860-1474.

# Wild Game Dinner

Our annual Wild Game Dinner will be on Saturday, February 29th beginning at 5:00 pm. We still have a few tickets available. There are sign up sheets to volunteer to help with the dinner on the table in the back of the sanctuary.

# Willing Workers Class

Willing Workers Class will begin a study on "Justice & The Prophets". God Requires Justice, God Promises a Just Kingdom and Called to God's Work of Justice, beginning March 1. meeting in the chapel @ 9:45. Join us!

# "The Cultivation of Christlike Character"

Pick up your copy of "The Cultivation of Christlike Character Study Guide" on the prayer table in the back of the sanctuary.

## **Bethesda Mobile Mission**

We will be putting hygiene bags together for our MARCH 7 trip to Harrisburg. There is a bin under the coat racks in the main hallway for the following donations:

Small size soap, shampoo, body wash, deodorant, toothbrushes, toothpaste, batteries & flashlights.

We also need boxer shorts, socks, hooded sweatshirts, t-shirts, sweat-pants and BLANKETS always.

The dates for the remainder of the year are May 2, July 4, September 5 and November 7. Please contact Annette Mellott at 717-658-9512 if you'd like to go along or to help with sorting donations.

Bless you for caring for the homeless with us!

## **Small Group Training**

Have you ever considered leading (or co-leading) a Small Group Study at Prince Street Church? Last fall we surveyed our congregation and found that there is a desire for additional small group offerings. Some of the suggestions we received included Bible 101, Christian Parenting, Life Application, Mom's Study, Women in the Bible, and Bible Study.

In March we will be offering a workshop with information and training for both new and experienced leaders. If you would like more information about attending this workshop, please circle "S" on your connection card.

## Your Giving in 2019

Your record of giving for the year 2019 is now available on the table in the back. This record can be used for IRS purposes.

# **Prayer Corner**

<u>Prayer Focus</u>: Pray that we take advantage of opportunities to share the love of Christ with others.

<u>Church of the Week:</u> Shippensburg Church of the Nazarene

Missions Focus: Rhodes Grove Camp

<u>Prince Street's Ministry Focus</u>: Men's Ministry

## Health Needs:

Donnie K.	Noah R.
Dennis B.	Linda B.
Bonnie P.	Donna F.
Dakota B.	Carma B.
Boyd M.	Bev M.
Dave L.	Flo H.
Holly W.	Darci T.
Brian H.	Dave B.
Bryson B.	Deb B.
Nick V.	Ron H.
Dirk R.	Wayne H.
Rick H.	Adam H.
Josh S.	Martha L. W.
Vivian C.	Heidi P.
Lee H.	Ray B.
Marlene B.	Hayley D.
Friend diagnosed with cancer	

#### Other Needs:

Zoe Joe Paul Tyler Todd Evan Tasha Steve G. Christian G. Grandson Relationships Unspoken (4) Burrows family Hoch family Wellspan-formerly Summit Health employees

Those fighting addictions

Friend going through difficult issues

#### Spiritual Needs:

Unsaved family & friends

# **Answered Prayers:**

Dakota B.-back to work after major health issues Physical healing

Daughter got her license



**Sunday School** Sunday Morning 9:45 - 10:45 am

> Wednesday Night Kindle—6:30 pm

# **Deepening Your Prayer Life**

Are you wanting to take your relationship with God to a whole new level? How can prayer do that? In Creating a Life with God, Daniel Wolpert will introduce us to 12 prayer practices that invite you to seek solitude and silence with God, use your mind, imagination, body, creativity, and have a connection with God in your community and nature. This 12-week small group will meet in the NEXT classroom on the upper level starting March 8, 2020 at 9:45am and led by Amanda Clever . This group is open to anyone wanting to explain their relationship with God in a whole new way through prayer. These prayer practices will deepen your prayer life and the connection with others among your church family. If interested, please sign up on the sheet located in the back of the sanctuary. If you have questions, please see or contact Amanda Clever at 717-530-0314.

If you are considering taking this class with Amanda or joining Doris's class on Wednesdays, please see below from a former class participant.

Hello Amanda,

Thank you for leading our class about prayer practices. Although quite a few were foreign to me, they helped me learn and understand different ways to worship God through prayer.

Our open discussions with class members strengthened my faith and showed me how they used the practices in their every day living. The conversations helped me open my mind to other ways to practice to be quiet and "listen" to God.

. Linda



# **VBS**

The Rockway Railway Decorating Express is underway! Join us in the VBS room (in children's hallway) Thursday Feb 27th 6:30-8pm, Thursday March 12th 6:30-8pm, Thursday March 19th 6:30-8pm, and Saturday March 28th 10am-12pm. LETS MAKE TRACKS TOGETH-ER! Contact Melody Shubert 717-729-0870 for more information.

## **Church Christmas Tree**

We have purchased a new church Christmas tree! If anyone has any need, or knows of a need for a 9 ft. Christmas tree, please contact Devon Highlands.

## Ash Wednesday Service

We will be having an Ash Wednesday service on February 26th at 6:00 pm.

#### Lenten Breakfast on March 7th

Shippensburg United Methodist Churches in years past, have celebrated the annual season of Lent with a breakfast for 6 weeks. They are trying to get other churches involved this year. Our congregation has been involved the last few years. Our congregation is participating on Saturday, March 7th. We will meet in the Fellowship Hall at 8 am for a devotional time and light breakfast. Come and join our hearts together in the season of Lent and fellowship with one another.

# **Nursery Volunteers Needed**

We currently have openings on our nursery staff for the 11:00 service. If you are willing to be part of this important ministry, contact Jessica Minor at 717-830-3918, or you can note it on the back of your Connection Card. Thank you for prayerfully considering this opportunity.

#### Christlike Character Class

Pastor Mike will be teaching a Wednesday evening 6 week class on cultivating Christlike character using the "Cultivation of Christlike Character Study Guide" booklet. The class begins Wednesday March 4th and finishes Wednesday, April 8th. The class will take place in the Life Classroom, from 6:30 - 8:00 pm. There is a sign-up sheet on the table in the back of the sanctuary. In addition, anyone taking all 6 classes will be eligible to become a member of Prince Street Church.

# Changes to the Box Tops for Education Program

The Willing Workers Class will no longer be collecting "Box Tops for Education" beginning March 15th, 2020.

"Traditional Box Tops clips are being phased out of production, but may continue to be found on many products throughout the store. Eventually the Box Tops program will become digital-only. Participating brands are starting to change their packaging from a traditional Box Tops clip to the new Box Top label. When you see the new label, use the new Box Tops app to scan your receipt. The app will find participating products purchased at any store and instantly add cash to your school's earnings online."

Our Class would like to thank you very much for your support over the years. With your help, we were able to donate about \$200 to our local schools through this program. If you come across any Box Tops after March 15th, please give them to a school student to hand in. Thank you.

