

HAPPY 4TH OF JULY

"SO IF THE SON SETS YOU FREE, YOU WILL BE FREE INDEED" JOHN 8:36



July 2018

Summer WEDNESDAY NIGHTS

Back again this year is Summer Nights! What is Summer Nights? Glad you asked.... We take every Wednesday night in August and we meet outback. We usually grill each week.

Dinner is served from 6:15pm till 6:50pm. Following that we have our mid-week service outside in the backyard. This is a great time to fellowship with your church family, get a meal and have a great time talking about Gods word.

We have invited back many of our guest speakers this year.

Kyle Hinson from Spring Valley Church of God, Kip Pinrod from LifeHouse Church, and Robert Hinson from Reading, PA are some of the guest we will have in this year. I can promise you that you will not want to miss out on Summer Nights 2018. This was for sure one of the highlights of our summer church activities last year and promises to be that again.

Each week please use your RSVP card to confirm your attendance so we know how many people to cook for each week. Now, here is the great news.... the cost has stayed the same. It's \$5 per person. There are not many places that you can eat dinner for that price. We encourage you to listen for more information and make your plans to be there every Wednesday night in the month of August.

Coming for the summer of 2018. Recently I have re-read a book by a dear friend of mine and friend of this church, Bill Isaacs. Many years ago he wrote a book called, "Embracing Destiny." This book has affected my life more than once. Recently I began to study the life of Joseph again as we were looking to do a study in our small groups here at FLC. The more I studied it, the more that I realized this was not just for Wednesday nights, but that we really needed to take some time and walk through this together. Joseph was such an incredible Old Testament character. I do not believe there was any other person that went through as much as Joseph. I also do not believe that I've ever read of someone who, having gone through so much adversity, conquered so much. In fact for over 13 years he went through many, many obstacles. Yet he remained true and God did see him though in royal fashion.

Joseph had determined that he would devote himself to what he knew and believed in. He purposed in his heart that he would not stop. He would not slow down. He kept his face toward the truth. It is because of this his life now stands for us to read and grow by. It was because of this determination that his life stands as a testimony of the greatness of our God to bring you though any adversity, no matter how long and no matter how hard. God has got this!

Maybe you are someone just like that. You feel as though you have been through more than your share of problems, tough times, and trouble. I believe that would most likely hit all of us at one time or the other. (Some more than others.) STOP! Be encouraged. God has not forgotten you. You are not alone. I encourage you to not miss a Sunday. Take good notes each week. Allow God to speak to you intimately. Here is a quote from the book I mentioned by Bro. Isaacs, "If there is one thing the life of Joseph teaches us, it is this: Your circumstances do not have the power to define you."

A graphic featuring a large, dark blue triangle pointing upwards, set against a background of colorful, low-poly geometric shapes in shades of yellow, orange, red, and purple. The word "JOSEPH" is written in large, bold, multi-colored letters across the middle of the triangle. Below it, in smaller white text, is the phrase "GOD'S SOVEREIGN HAND IN OUR LIVES".

JOSEPH
GOD'S SOVEREIGN HAND IN OUR LIVES

Please use the RSVP cards to sign up for any events or to communicate any interest in things going on. Please drop it in the offering plate as it is passed.

WELCOME

Whether this is your first time here or you have been here many times, let us extend to you a big welcome. We are thankful that you have taken the time to be with us at Family Life.

If you have not already, we would appreciate you filling out a "Connection Card." Its simply so we can stay in touch with you. You can give this to one of our ushers or you may place it in the offering. We want you to know that God loves you and has a clear and intentional purpose for your life. We are here to walk with you through this process. If there is anything you need while your here, please let us know. Again, we are honored that you are here and our special guest!

Up Coming Events

July

June -July 4 - PS State Teen Camp
1 - Johnathan Rehmat - Guest Speaker
7 - First Saturday Prayer 6:00pm
4-7 Junior Camp
15 - Kids hiking

August

Summer Nights every Weds (7:00pm)
4 - First Saturday Prayer (6:00pm)
5 - Teaching Team Luncheon (12:30pm)
12 - Back to School Special Speaker Chad Fickett
19 - next STEPS Luncheon (12:30pm)

September

1 - 1st Sat prayer
16 - National Back to School Sunday (both services)
22 - Kids to DYE For (2-5pm)
29 - Kids Coats, Hats, and Gloves Give-Away (10-11:30am)
30 - Pastor Appreciation Sunday (both services)

NEXT STEPS?

If you feel God is dealing with you about a specific ministry, set up a time to speak with the pastor about it. We believe that when we were made, that God placed an exact assignment of ministry in each one of us. His specifics show up in our interests, talents, and anointing. What is He calling you to today? Step into it, for there is where you will be fulfilled. What have you been holding back on doing?
Trust Him.



We look forward to celebrating this great day with you. We will have our Baptism following the 11am service on July 8th. We encourage you to invite your family and friends to witness this great moment of your spiritual journey. For more information or if you would like to be Baptized, please do one of the following: 1). Call 717-800-1575, 2) Email at Familylifewoxford@gmail.com 3) Use your RSVP and mark that you would like info on Baptism.



All Ladies! Come join us!

If you haven't decided to join us yet on Friday mornings, you are missing out on a great time! We have just started our book club. It's not too late to start! We read 1 chapter during the week and talk together as we enjoy coffee and a sweet. We gather at 9:30am at the coffee shop on New Oxford square, share 1 hour together. Come on by...



Boom! It's Fireworks Time Again!

Here we are in July already...hard to believe! On July 12th, you are invited to bring a chair and

Snack for we will be watching the Fireman's Firework display from the back parking lot! Last year the view was awesome! Join in the fun! Bring your chair and a snack and meet us "outback" around 9. Fireworks start at dark.



The Spotlight is shining on...

Faye Shank.

You will see her teaching the teen class and also working on the next holiday decorations! Did you know that she used to do makeup for lead stars in the movies? She's so crafty! We thank her for always being willing to help wherever we need her. She is a great addition to Family Life Church. When you see her, remember to tell her you appreciate what she does!

Service Times

Sunday AM

8:30am and 11:00am

Sunday School Small Groups 10:00am

Wednesday Nights

All Groups - 7pm

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GIVING

3 Ways To Give



1. Check or Cash in the offering plate.
Please use an envelope so we may give you proper credit.

2. Give through our online portal
Please use the web site www.flcog.churchcenter.com



3. Give through text to give.
Text your amount to 84321