

Announcements & Upcoming Events

Family Fun Day – 08/05 - THIS SATURDAY!

Every year we go into the community at the Kmart in Teays Valley to provide a family fun day for the community! We will have free food, games, inflatables, face painting and fun! We need donations of individual size chips, canned pop & coolers with ice, and canopies. Most importantly, we need YOU to be there to set up, mingle with the people, serve food, tear down, or provide security. It is a big annual event that the community looks forward to and we need everyone's help. Please make your blue card with how you can help this year.

Family Fun Day School Supplies – Cash Donations Requested

As part of our Family Fun Day event we will again be giving pencil pouches filled with school supplies. We are asking for cash donations so that we may purchase the supplies in bulk. We can cover each child for about \$10 per pack. Please place your donation in the offering and mark it "School Supplies." Thank you!

Ladies' Prayer Retreat - Sponsored by the CWC – 08/18

Join TVCOG ladies on August 18th and 19th at Rippling Waters for a prayer treat. This is a free event open to all ladies. Some of our ladies go early on Friday and have lunch together on the way and enjoy the afternoon at Rippling Waters. The first activity is dinner at 6:00 p.m. and the retreat lasts through Saturday at noon. Breakfast is provided on Saturday morning as well. Mark your blue card if you can attend! This retreat will serve as the August monthly meeting.

CBH (Christians Broadcasting Hope) Retreat at Billy Graham's "Cove" Retreat Center – 10/15 – 10/18

Join Pastors Thom and Melissa for a three-day retreat getaway starting Sunday night, Oct 15 through Wednesday, Oct 18 at noon. The retreat center is in beautiful Asheville, NC. Jim Lyon, General Director of the Church of God will be the host, and award-winning singer, Larnelle Harris, will be the guest worship leader. Pastor Melissa will be leading one of the sessions! The costs (for meals and lodging) are as follows: Single: \$527 / Double: \$392 / Triple: \$368 / Quad: \$350 This price is for TVCOG members only. The Pratts can help you register.

Financial Secretary Position

We are pleased to announce that Ralph Jones is joining our team as our Financial Secretary. Ralph has a wealth of experience in corporate accounting/finance/administration. He and his wife, Debbie, are members of TVCOG. Welcome aboard, Ralph!

"Come Together" Capital Campaign Update
Last Week's Campaign Giving: \$2,508
Given to date: \$368,408

Pray for our Missionaries

Brian & Jennifer Richardson – International – Jesus Films

Terence & Christy Van Dam – Japan

Tim & Kim Wardell – South Dakota Missionaries to the Lakota Indians

P.J. Elkins – Pro-Life Ministry to Latvia

Angie Williams / Heartbeat of the Valley – Local single mom's ministry

Sheila Martin / The Rock – Local Men's Addiction Recovery Ministry

Mom's Fat Patty's Lunch – 08/01

Join us for lunch at Fat Patty's for any mom with kids still at home that can come socialize and have lunch together. We meet at 11:30AM. Children are welcome.

Young Adults Are Going Boating! – 08/06

Club 23 is planning an outing to Beech Fork State Park in Barboursville on Sunday afternoon, August 6th for a few hours of relaxation and fun. They have reasonable rental rates for kayaks (1 person/\$13 hr), canoes (2 person/\$13 hr), peddle boats (4 person/\$8 hr) and paddle boards (1 person/\$13 hr). We will meet for lunch after church and then head to the lake. Feel free to invite friends! Mark your blue card if you are interested or see Pastor Brenda with questions.

Club 23 Treating College Students to Lunch!

Club 23 is treating college students to lunch at Buffalo Wild Wings after church on Sunday, August 13th. Are you heading back to college? Come join us!

NEW Guardrails Study – 08/06

Those in their 20's and 30's are invited to join Club 23 on Sunday mornings in the church office "family room" at 9:30am as we begin a new 6-week series next week called, *Guardrails...Avoiding Regrets in Your Life* by Andy Stanley. Learn to avoid regret by establishing biblical guardrails.

Manly Meal – 08/15

All men are invited for a fellowship lunch at Applebee's in Teays Valley at 12PM on Tuesday, July 18th. This men's group meets for a monthly lunch and time of fellowship at various restaurants from Charleston to Barboursville.

Young at Heart – 08/20

Those 55 and over are invited to join us on the 3rd Monday of each month at 12PM in the Student Center for a carry-in lunch. Bring a generous dish to share and enjoy a time of fellowship. Our next gathering will be August 20th. Pastor Jed and Maggie Kelly will be the speakers.

ACT Math Review – 09/02

If you have a student or are a student preparing to take the ACT exam on September 9th you should consider taking advantage of this FREE ACT Math Review led by collegiate level math educator, Joy McCutcheon. Please sign up on your blue card to register.

Canaan Valley Men's Golf Trip – Weekend of September the 16th

All men are welcome to join us for this year's annual golf trip to Canaan Valley. This year we have a 2-night, 3-night or 4-night package. **The 2-night package** is Thursday (9/14) and Friday night (9/15) with golf on Friday & Saturday. \$230.00 includes room both nights and 2 rounds of golf with cart. **The 3 night package** is \$330 and includes lodging Thursday (9/14), Friday (9/15), and Saturday night (9/16) and includes golf with cart for Friday, Saturday and Sunday. **The 4-night package** is \$430.00. Includes lodging Wednesday (9/13) through Saturday night (9/16) with golf/with cart on Thursday, Friday, Saturday, & Sunday. Replays are available at an additional \$9.00 per 9 holes. Rooms are limited to the first 24 to sign up. Register by calling Gary Lacy at 304-541-3796 and mailing check made payable to Gary Lacy to 12 Meadow Ridge Drive, Hurricane, WV 25526 no later than August 18.

COME TOGETHER!

Teays Valley Church of God

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MOVIES

July 30, 2017

SERMON NOTES

Rev. Dr. Melissa Pratt

The Pursuit of Happiness

Scripture of the Month - John 8:31-32
Jesus said, "If you hold to my teaching,
You are really my disciples. Then you will
know the truth, and the truth will set you free."

The Garage Student Ministries

Youth Volunteers Needed for Family Fun Day! 08/05

We need youth volunteers to help run the games booth at Family Fun Day this upcoming Saturday. Please see Pastor Jed if interested.

BBQ Just for You Incoming 6th Graders! – 08/06

We will be welcoming all incoming 6th graders and their families into our student ministry next Sunday, August 6th with a BBQ directly following church at the Worline's home. If you plan on attending please RSVP on your blue card.

Life Group Leader Meeting – 08/09

There will be a Life Group Leaders meeting this upcoming Wednesday following youth in the Student Center. This will be a short meeting where we will go over all of the upcoming plans and events for our student ministry.

Back to School Bash – 08/09

Join us 6:30PM – 8:00PM for games, prizes, inflatables and food! Be sure to invite all your friends!

Help Us Out With Schedules!

If your student will be participating in any fall sports/band/choir, etc., please give a schedule to Pastor Jed so we can come and support your student.

Revved Up Kidz

Your Child's Safety is Our Priority!

In our Revved Up Kidz ministry one of the most important things we strive to do for our children is to keep them safe. Our check-in process helps us accomplish that task. At check-in, each child is given a nametag with a number on it, and each parent is given a slip with a corresponding number. It is imperative that all children are checked in and parents present their slip when they pick up their child because this ensures that the right child is connected with the correct parent or guardian. If you have any questions please contact Pastor Megan at megan@tvcog.org.

Revved Up Kidz Open House – 08/06

On Sunday, August 6th at 6:00PM we will have an Open House for all Preschool and Elementary kids. This is an opportunity for upcoming children and parents to meet their child's small group leaders and the many helpers that are involved in the children's ministry. More information to come! Please fill out your blue card if you are interested in attending.

Back to School Bash – 08/09

On Wednesday, August 9th the Revved Up Kids will be partnering with the Garage Student Ministry to kick off the school year with a Back to School Bash. We will have an outdoor movie, games, and inflatables!

Volunteer Appreciation Lunch – 08/19

Calling ALL Revved Up Volunteers! Sunday, August 19th at 12:30PM we are having an appreciation lunch just for you! Please allow us this opportunity to say thank you! For more information please contact Pastor Megan @ megan@tvcog.org.

Please Deposit Your "Blue Card" in the Drop Boxes Located in the Rear of the Sanctuary Beside the Doors as You Exit. Thank You.

PRAYER NEEDS

Susan Allen – Healing
 Aaron Barker
 Jack Miller – Cancer
 David & Beverly Neff – Health & sale of home
 Skip Lacy – Depression and back pain
 Roberta McConnell
 Karen Beane, Griff Hammar, Kenneth Lucas
 Jessica Jeffries, John Hall, Danny Woods
 Cohen Bramlee – 5 yr old needs healing
 Eva Smoulder – Healing / pain
 Geraldine Maag – Pain
 James Russell – Endurance and strength
 Kelly Ferguson – Healing
 Linda Nibert – Brain tumor
 Barb Saunders – Cancer
 Cameran Smith – Genetic disorder
 Patrick Coles – Deployed
 John Tolarchyk
 Kait Snyder – Addiction
 Caleb Fridley – Addiction
 Ashley Bush – Brain cancer
 Chris & Rachel Bowman – Loss of baby
 Adkins family
 Tim Midkiff – Addiction
 Royer family – Unsaved children
 Gary Grinstead – Healing
 Geyer Family – Unsaved family
 Barger family – Unsaved family
 Marilynn Jaquay – Shoulder pain
 Betty Lacy – Strength & healing
 Sandy Thompson – Health
 Haylie Blankenship – Pregnancy
 Vicky Martin – Job stability
 Warren's Thursday night men's group
 Salvation for Andrew & Timothy Johnson
 Salvation for James Shreves & Jordon Mullins
 Kryceia Gunn - Healing,
 Salvation for Michael Payne
 Pam Kinn –Breast cancer
 Patti Roberts – Healing
 Cody – Healing from stabbing
 Sarah Hall & baby born with infection
 Jim Lee – Brain cancer / Salvation
 Katie Lee –Strength / Guidance
 Jesse Kraft – Needs a job

Please continue to remember those with ongoing prayer needs.

Ruby Walters	Michael Joseph Hammett
Rhea Duke	Charles & Fay Turley
Ron White	Charles & Kay Surface
John Duffield	Nancy Green
Denise Taylor	Karen McCallister
Ruth Perdue	Ronnie McLaugherty
Sarah Pickron	Tim & Sally Stewart
Hunter Hess	Alisha Duffield
Dan Fizer	Frank Curry
Carolyn Pauley	Katie Cobb
Sandy Rabel	Leann Shrader
Doris Browning	Joetta Hill
Mamma Z	Patrick Coles - Deployed

All prayer requests from blue cards are prayed over by the staff and added to the prayer pots. Occasionally, not all requests will fit on the bulletin list.

HAVE A QUESTION?

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This Week's Events

Sunday, July 30

9:00AM	Worship Service
9:30AM	Sunday School
10:45AM	Worship Service
6:00PM	Kidz Scavenger Hunt

Monday, July 31

Tuesday, Aug 1

6:00PM	Women's Yoga
7:15PM	Co-Ed Yoga

Wednesday, Aug 2

7:30AM	Ladies' Exercise Class
Noon	Midweek Prayer Time
5:45PM doors open	Garage Youth Ministries
6:45PM	Worship & the Word
6:45PM	Revved Up Kidz
7:00PM	College & Career Group

Thursday, Aug 3

10:00AM	Holy Grounds Bible Study meeting
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Friday, Aug 4



08/05	Family Fun Day
08/06	Promotion Sunday
08/06	Young Adult Outing
08/06	Revved Up Open House
08/06	6 th graders BBQ
08/09	Back to School Bash
08/13	College Student Lunch
08/15	Manly Meal
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08/19	Revved Up Appreciation
08/20	Young at Heart
09/02	ACT Math Review
09/16	Men's Golf Trip

Welcome!

We are glad you are here and pray you will experience God's presence in a life-changing way. Please fill out a blue connection card found inside the pocket of a sanctuary chair in front of you. Place it in one of the drop boxes by the back doors of the sanctuary. Please check-in all children through 5th grade at our "Revved Up" Cruise Control Desk in the East lobby.

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