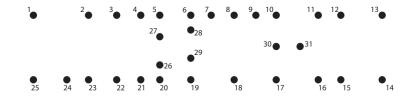


KID'S KORNER

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- 6. Connect 30 to 31
- 7. Connect 14 to 13
- 8. Connect 22 to 23
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- 11. Connect 30 to 17
- 12. Connect 12 to 15
- 13. Connect 27 to 5

- 14. Connect 8 to 7
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- 18. Connect 21 to 22
- 19. Connect 5 to 6
- 20. Connect 8 to 9
- 21. Connect 3 to 22
- 22. Connect 10 to 30
- 23. Connect 1 to 25
- 24. Connect 12 to 14
- 25. Connect 27 to 29



THRIVE YOUTH CORNER

Hello church family! We are happy summer vacation is here for our teens. As we pray for those seniors who are leaving and taking the next step towards adulthood, we invite our upcoming seventh graders to join Thrive! Upcoming 7th graders are all welcome to come starting now to all youth events! And speaking of youth events, we have our 2022 ATM Kingdom Camp in just a few weeks from June 20-24. We also have our summer lake day hosted at the Lowe's on July 9, from 2-9pm. We are excited to use the summer as not just a time for rest and fun, but as time to grow deeper in our relationship with the Lord. Please continue praying for us as we have a summer full of events. Thank you, and God bless!

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Vacation Bible School June 26-30 6:00 - 8:30 pm

Join us for this years VBS "Monumental" where the children will learn to celebrate God's Greatness! We will be starting promptly at 6:00 pm so please remember to have your children there a little before 6:00 pm. This is always an exciting time for the kids.



Tickets for this amazing concert at the Mercer County Fair can be bought at the church office. Grandstand tickets are \$30 and Track seats are \$40.



June 29
We will not be having church on this evening due to VBS. We encourage you to worship the Lord in your home.





YOUTH: We will be meeting at the Lowe's on this day. Please bring a snack/side to share along with sunscreen and a change of clothes!



Contact a youth leader today about items you may want to donate to the youth for the world's largest yard sale! Please visit 115 E. Anthony St. for the sale. Thank you and God Bless!

PROPHETIC WORD FROM 5/22/22

Alex Knous

The Lord would say "Rise Up!" I've called you for such a time as this. I've placed your feet on solid ground. Societies, systems, & institutions are crumbling all around you. The nations rise & fall, but My Church will not be shaken! Stand your ground and don't back down or shy away. Advance My Kingdom, press on, press in, & take the land that I have given you to possess. You will be buffeted by the storms around you, but by My grace, by My Spirit you will not be moved. Do not be afraid. Stand firm & you will see the deliverance the Lord will bring you today, says the Lord!

ALL ABILITIES CAMP

Pastor Justin

For the first time in our area we will be hosting a camp for kids/adults ages 5-35 who have special needs. The purpose of the camp is to be an encouragement to the kids of all abilities. We are needing over 100 volunteers for this event. As a volunteer you would be paired up with a child/young adult for 2 days. You will be their guide/buddy around the field each day, assisting them at each activity. This 2-day camp will be Friday, July 8, from 5:30-8:30 pm and Saturday, July 9, from 9 am -12 pm at the Coldwater High School stadium. There will also be an awards banquet Saturday after camp from 12:30 pm until 2:00 pm. I would highly encourage you to get involved and serve at this event. You can register at

https://district8fca.org/camp

We need help setting up and tearing down as well.

If you have any questions, call the office and we can help you. Thank you!

DISCIPLESHIP CLASSES

Discipleship 1: July 17, 5 - 7 pm Discipleship 3: On Break, 8:00 - 9:15 am



DISCIPLESHIP

Pastor Justin

Be a

disciple;

Make

disciples

Matthew 28:19-20 "Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and the Holy Spirit." Jesus doesn't ask us to make disciples, He commands us to. I want you to re-read that verse over and over until you feel the weightiness of it. Jesus is commanding you to make disciples. He's not giving us a

good suggestion. He is commanding something to take place. His last command must become our first concern. If discipleship is not taking place then the kingdom of our Lord Jesus Christ is

not advancing forward. What does discipleship look like in the modern-day church? Based on the life of Jesus and how He did things, we can come to a few conclusions.

He expected His disciples to pursue Him. He gave the invitation and then they had the decision to make. Do I follow Him or do I remain where I am at. Today, this same question is being offered to all of us. Do we accept the invitation to follow? It's an invitation for Him to be Lord of your life. Often times people are okay with Jesus as Savior, but **not** as

Lord. When you embrace the invitation of Jesus, your accepting both roles, Savior and Lord.

When this happens, God has set up a process for discipleship in the earth today. Not only do you personally get to fellowship with God on an individual basis but also from a human to human relationship. What does this look like? God

has made this thing we call Christianity, an **interdependent** relationship with others. Meaning, noone can say, I don't need anyone else in my life to give me advice. Me and Jesus got it going on by ourselves. Paul

commanded Timothy, to raise up other faithful people(2 Timothy 2:2).

We need each other more than we realize. The question I have for you. Are you being discipled and are you being a discipler. We are called to function in both roles for our entire Christian life. Be a disciple and make disciples. If you do this, you will do well. In fact, this is the will of God and He will call you family! (Matt 12:46-50)