

KID'S KORNER

God made the universe!

Put these words into the puzzle.

PLANETS

UNIVERSE

GALAXY

STARS

MOON

SUN

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THRIVE YOUTH CORNER

The youth group would like to thank Pastor Justin and Elizabeth for their hard work and hospitality while hosting the 127 youth garage sales earlier this month. We are also so grateful for all the generous donations of items for our sale from our beautiful church family. Lastly, we'd like to thank all those who shopped and also volunteered at our sale. Between lemonade, pop, water, snack sales, and all the garage sale items, we earned \$780.53 total towards our youth group. Additionally, we were able to donate our remaining items to Rustic Hope which helps pregnant women and families, so your gifts will keep on giving to bless others. A truckload was donated there and a few small boxes were taken to Goodwill. Thank you again for all your support!

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September 18
Silent Auction
Before Church




YOUTH
BAKE
SALE

Please sign up in the foyer for which delicious baked goods you can bring! All proceeds benefit Thrive Youth Group! Silent auctions will end before church starts!




Kingdom
Harvest
Ministries

While school kicks into gear, KHM does as well for Bible classes! Please be in prayer for all of the students that will be attending in Celina and Parkway. We are also praying for inroads into St. Mary's and Wapak schools for starting up Bible classes with them as well! If you are interested in being a volunteer please let Tom or Justin know!



August 27
5:00 pm
Calling all ladies 18 and over! We will be having a movie night at the church, featuring the Pure Flix comedy "Mom's Night Out." Fellowship with us from 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm, and bring some food to share! We will start the movie around 6:00 pm. All drinks must be spill proof please.




Kerry Kirkwood
September 24, 7:00 pm
September 25, 10:00 am
Join us for these two meetings on Saturday & Sunday! Kerry has been a huge blessing to our church through the years and always has a timely word. Be sure to invite a friend to come along.

\$2 ADULT
+\$1 PER CHILD

MINIATURE
GOLF
MOTHER / SON
SATURDAY 9/10
6-7:30 PM
KC GEIGER PARK ST. MARYS
New Life Christian Center
• Children's Ministry

Mother/Son Putt Putt Golf Event
Moms bring your son (s) (ages 3-12) and join us for this fun time. No need to RSVP just show up with your fees and join in the with New Life Group!




In observance of Labor Day, the church office will be closed on Monday, September 5. We will reopen on Tuesday, September 6, at 9:00 am.

GETTING TO KNOW YOU
Elizabeth Shefbuch

Let me introduce you to a wonderful couple, Jeremy and Amy Carlson, who live in Rockford. They're originally from Van Wert and actually met at a Pick -N- Save grocery store where they were both employed. The Carlson's have two children, Caleb and Hannah. Bella, Molly, and Peanut are their Yorkies, who are also part of the family!

The Carlson's began attending New Life in June of 2021, as they were looking for a change. Amy adds that they were looking for more authentic worship. Jeremy worked for many years as a shift supervisor at the Van Wert County Jail, and for the past fifteen years he has worked as a sales manager for Test Medical—a company that distributes home health medical products. When working his full-time job, he enjoys his "side gig" of buying and selling movies! He has always enjoyed being one of those people who can quote a line from a movie, and he recognizes a line quote. Jeremy's dream job would be to own a movie theater or drive-in someday!

Amy, starting as young as the 5th grade, learned sign language. In her church at the time, the minister's son and daughter-in-law were both deaf, so she was able to communicate with them and with others. Later, Amy attended Sinclair, taking classes to become an American Sign Language interpreter. She has only five classes left to obtain that degree. Besides taking college courses, Amy also works full-time at Tenneco in Van Wert. She started on the floor, then worked her way up to Quality Technician and recently was promoted to Quality Engineer. This summer, while working with her dad, she renovated hers and Jeremy's home! When asked about the future, Amy says that she is praying to go in whichever direction the Lord would lead her. Her dream job would be helping people to worship in sign language. Please join me in getting to know this amazing, interesting couple!



DISCIPLESHIP CLASSES

Discipleship 1: September 18, 5 - 7 pm
Discipleship 3: August 28, 8:00 - 9:15 am



GOD WILL BREAK THE HAUGHTY
Pastor Bruce

I love these verses found in Psalm 2. They give me great comfort and hope during these days that we are living in. As we look at the corruption and madness taking place in the governments of the world and the plotting out of a new world order, the words of this Psalm come to life.

Psalm 2:1-12

1 "Why do the nations rage, and the people plot a vain thing?

2 The kings of the earth set themselves, and the rulers take counsel together, against the Lord and against His Anointed, saying,

3 "Let us break their bonds in pieces and cast away their cords from us."

4 He who sits in the heavens shall laugh; The Lord shall hold them in ridicule.

5 Then He shall speak to them in His wrath, and distress them in His deep displeasure:

6 "Yet I have set My King on My holy hill of Zion."

7 "I will declare the decree: the Lord has said to Me, 'You are

My Son, today I have begotten You.

8 Ask of Me, and I will give You the nations for Your inheritance, and the ends of the earth for Your possession.

9 You shall break them with a rod of iron; You shall dash them to pieces like a potter's vessel."

10 Now therefore, be wise, O kings; be instructed, you judges of the earth.

11 Serve the Lord with fear, and rejoice with trembling.

12 Kiss the Son, lest He be angry, and you perish, when His wrath is kindled but a little. Blessed are all those who put their trust in Him.

Verse 9 states, "You shall break them with a rod of iron." This phrase is almost identical to a promise God gives to "him who overcomes": **He shall rule with a rod of iron.** (Rev. 2:27; 12:5). This is a promise that God gives to us to apprehend in these days!

The
Lord
Laughs