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"Sharing hope in Christ all over town- across generations -around the world

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9:00 a.m. Traditional Worship 10:10 a.m. Sunday Small Group 11:15 a.m. Contemporary Worship

Dear Cornerstone Community Church family,

Summer is here and it is hard to believe another school year has flown by us in life's calendar. Cornerstone Community Church is winding down some of our programs due to summer (LifeWise, Pre-school), but we are moving forward into these precious, warmer months. One area we are trusting Jesus Christ in is the Staff Parish Relations Committee are presently seeking to hire a full-time Associate Pastor of Youth.

Brian and Julie Zimmerman have faithfully served in a part-time capacity with our Youth for over five and a half years here at Cornerstone Community Church. The Zimmerman's gave the SPRC sufficient notice to dream and plan for this transition and have now completed their ministry as of May 17, 2025. Currently, we are praying for this position to be filled with the right person in the search for this Youth Associate Pastor role.

Please pray for the Associate Pastor we will hire to serve our Youth. Pray earnestly for the calling of God to be upon them and for this person to be drawn to Cornerstone Community Church. Pray for clarity when the SPRC starts interviewing and discerning over who the Associate Pastor will be. Pray for the finances and all the details of our church as we "get out of the boat" in this area of reaching teenagers for Jesus Christ.

I gave a message on May 18, 2025, about Jesus giving us courage based on Matthew 14:22-33. This story is about Peter getting out of the boat and keeping his eyes and faith on Jesus. When Peter did this, he walked on water. When Peter thought apart from Jesus and focused on the dark storm around him, his eyes wandered off the Lord and onto natural circumstances.

Matthew 14:27-28 says, "(27) But Jesus immediately said to them (disciples): 'Take courage! It is I. Don't be afraid.' (28) 'Lord, if it's you,' Peter replied, 'tell me to come to you on the water.' (29) 'Come,' he (Jesus) said. Then Peter got down out of the boat, walked on the water and came toward Jesus."

May Jesus be in your sight, may you sense His presence through the storms of life, and may our faith be more certain than our circumstances.

Jesus, please lead us and guide your Church!

Serving our risen Savior, Pastor Jerry Ernst



A WORD OF ENCOURAGEMENT

Dr. Gary Campbell, Pastor Emeritus

THE BIBLE'S LONGEST CHAPTER

In my personal devotions currently, I am in the midst of twenty-two days with the longest chapter in The Holy Bible. Each morning for three weeks plus one day, I read one stanza of Psalm 119; then, I seek to be honest before God as I meditate on the eight verses of the day's stanza and assess my spiritual life by the divine light of this stanza; and finally, I pray this stanza of God's Word as best I can, aided by the Holy Spirit Who inspired the writing of today's portion.

Yes, one stanza of eight verses per day for twenty-two days!. You can do the multiplication for yourself: 22 x 8 = 176. The longest chapter in the Bible is Psalm 119, with a total of 176 verses. I don't know how many times I've read Psalm 119 in my long life of Bible reading. The most memorable time was when I was a ninth-grader in public school. In those days, a public reading from The Bible marked the start of every school day, and Psalm 119 came up when it was my turn to read aloud to my fellow students at Washington Junior High School in Parkersburg, West Virginia, I read and read, and kept on reading for quite some time. At some point, I interrupted my reading to ask our home-room teacher whether I should read it all. Mrs. Birmingham, who was also my English and my Latin teacher, answered, "Yes, read it all!"

In the Hebrew Old Testament, Psalm 119 is an acrostic poem. There are twenty-two stanzas because there are twenty-two letters in the Hebrew alphabet. Each of the eight verses in every stanza begins with the same Hebrew letter, Aleph-thru-Tau (or, as we would say, "A-to-Z.")

Psalm 119's poetry is glorious, and its message is even more glorious in its revelation of the Word of God that is eternal in the heavens (Psalm 119:89) and in its repeated and varied expressions of God's will revealed as His law, His commands, His statutes, His precepts, His decrees, His ordinances, His testimonies, His promises, His word, His truth, His way.

It is here, in Psalm 119, that I discover the best thing, in the best place, for the best purpose: "I treasure your word [the best thing!] in my heart [the best place!], so that I may not sin against you [the best purpose]" (Psalm 119:11). With the psalmist, I confess before the Lord: "How sweet are your words to my taste, sweeter than honey to my mouth! Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path" (Psalm 119:103 and 105). As life grows ever more complex and is sometimes rather confusing, I—like most people—need the benefit of wise guidance; and here I find just what I need: "Your decrees are my delight...they are my counselors" (Psalm 119:24).

I invite you, my fellow-travelers in the way of faith, to pray with me: "Keep my steps steady according to your promise" (Psalm 119:133)!



11:15 a.m. – Ashlyn Carter, Karen McGuire (new members); Bruce & Gloria Lauer (transfer members)

These seven (7) new additions to our church family need your prayers, fellowship, care and support!
Remember, too, that immediately following the second service at 1:00 p.m. we will have an "All Church Old Fashioned Picnic" at Merrin Park. Please bring your chairs, games, shades and love to this wonderful event. We look forward to a great day as we spend time getting to know each other and being in God's creation. There are bathrooms and parking.

The ASAP Sunday Small Group will be watching and discussing ONE HIT WONDERS during the beginning of the summer. ONE HIT WONDERS features Bible characters who are not regularly discussed but still play an important role. Even if you can join us sporadically, we think you will enjoy the series. We meet in the first room off the Welcome Center and always welcome new people.



Old Fashioned Church Picnic

Sunday

29

June 2025

1:00 PM Merrin Park 9 Long St., Fredericktown

*Kids Games *Music



- ***Your Family**
- *Lawn Chair
- *Side Dish, Salad, or
- Dessert to share
- *Games: Pickle Ball, Corn Hole, Frisbees, Balls...

Meat, Drinks, & Table Service



Are you new to Cornerstone Community? Or if you are not in a small group currently, YOU ARE INVITED to the "Be the Light" group. This summer we will be doing short term studies on Sunday mornings at 10:15 a.m. We meet in the conference room, the last room down the hall on the right, just past the library. Questions? Contact Mary Lou Andrzejewski at 740-507-6436.



Job Posting: Associate Pastor - Youth Ministry Leadership

Location: Cornerstone Community Church, a Global Methodist Church

123 Columbus Road, Fredericktown Ohio 43019

Position Type: Full-Time+, Salaried

Reports to: Senior Pastor

About Us:

Welcome to Cornerstone Community Church! We are a growing, vibrant, Christ-centered family with a strong commitment to nurturing faith at every stage of life. We are located next to the local school and are excited to welcome a passionate Associate Pastor to lead our Youth Ministry. As you worship with us, you will experience a strong sense of evangelism, call, mission, and belonging as a part of our family. If you have a heart to disciple youth, build strong relationships, and create dynamic ministry opportunities, we invite you to join our dedicated team!

As the Associate Pastor of Youth Ministry, you will have the exciting opportunity to create a new youth ministry for students in grades 6-12. This role requires someone who is passionate about outreach, has a creative approach to developing youth programs, and can create a safe, engaging environment where youth can grow spiritually and personally. Strong, driven leadership, and relational skills are key to this position.

Compensation and Benefits:

- **Salary:** \$42,000–\$46,000 (based on qualifications)
- Working Hours: Flexible, requiring evenings and weekends.

Benefits: Includes vacation, personal time off, health care, retirement options, and negotiable continuing education support.

To Apply:

If you are passionate about making an eternal impact in the lives of youth, and eager to be part of a team that is transforming lives through Christ, we would love to hear from you! For the full job description please scan the QR code or go to https://qrco.de/bfvYVK.

Interested applicants should submit a resume to: office@cornerstonefredericktown.com





Summer Peacemeals Schedule

June 4th Matt and Ed Moore will grill sausage sandwiches for us as we have our beginning of Summer celebration. Please join us and invite your family and friends for game night!

Ross will play some acoustic worship songs in the great room so everyone can stay and enjoy a time of fellowship, food, worship and games.

June 11, 18, and 25 regular Peacemeals and Ignite Service. We encourage you to pick up extra carryout meals to take to friends or neighbors in need of food or just an act of kindness.

In July there will be a break for Peacemeals.

August 6th Matt and Ed Moore will grill for us again as we celebrate "Back to School" with outdoor worship and yard games.

August 13, 20, 27 regular Peacemeals and Ignite Service

There will be no Peacemeals or Ignite Service on Wednesday, September 3rd, due to the Tomato Show. Be sure to go worship with our Praise Team as they play at the gazebo!

2 Corinthians 9:10 He who supplies seed to the Sower and bread for food will supply and multiply your seed for sowing and increase the harvest of your righteousness.





PLEASE JOIN US TO CELEBRATE
THE 50^{TH} WEDDING ANNIVERSARY
OF RICK & MARNA SCOTT
JUNE 21^{ST} 1-3 PM
CORNERSTONE COMMUNITY CHURCH
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NO GIFTS PLEASE

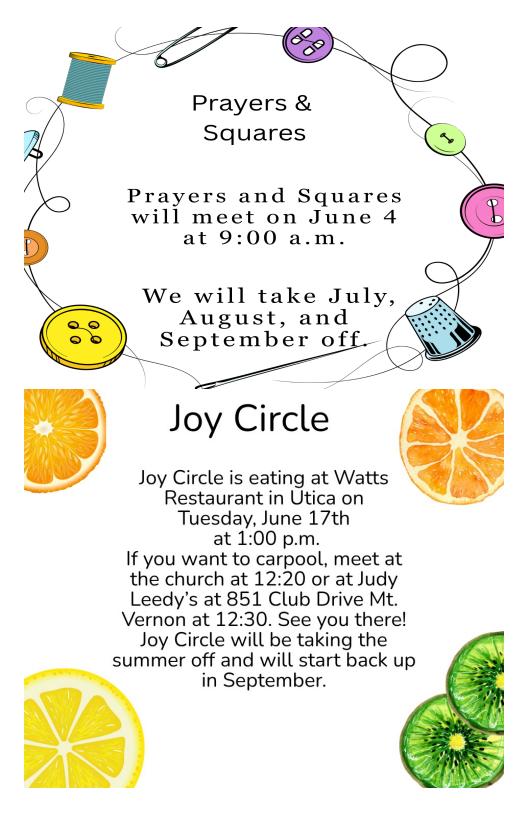


Center FOR Christian Virtue

The Center for Christian Virtue (CCV) will be holding their second annual Essential Summit called, "Hope and a Future" on Thursday, October 2nd, 2025 in Columbus.

The Essential Summit brings together hundreds of believers from across the state and nation to discover how they can put their faith in action, whether they're business leaders, pastors, educators, advocates, or simply Christians ready to take the next step.

Mark your calendar now and plan to attend.





Congregational Care Ministry



Many dedicated members continue to visit, call, send cards, sing, pray, or give communion and love to many in need in our congregation. We always welcome anyone who would like to be Jesus' hands and feet by giving of yourself to the support of others in your own sphere of gifting of the Holy Spirit. Call me at your convenience and we can plant you to bloom in this wonderful ministry of Cornerstone. If there is someone in the congregation you know that might benefit from a visit or other support please let me know. There are other ideas for Cornerstone in the works for this fall and beyond.

The Bereavement Support side of Congregational Care Ministry, Healing Broken Hearts, is now sending cards, letters and articles of support and encouragement through the first 12 months after the death of a loved one. There are 16 families being served at this time. If you or another loved one has a need for support after the death of someone, let one of us know and a plan can be set up for your needs. Please call Joyce Thomas, Rachel Blevins, or Cindy Harvel as needed.

Keeping Jesus as our leader and guide,

Joyce Thomas, Congregational Care Ministry with Mark Wildermuth and Jill Crider



Ephesians 6:18 "And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, , be alert and always keep on praying for all the Lord's people."

Pray The Price

It is so easy to fall into the habit of just being at church, attend worship, pay our tithe, attend meetings, volunteer and attend Sunday School. God forgive us for just going through the motions. Our true mission is one of eternal consequences and we must never lose our sense of urgency about it. As we pray, Holy Spirit keeps before us our true purpose, setting our minds on Kingdom agendas, and instilling within us the gravity of what is at stake.

Not only should we have a mindset of preparing the way for revival, we should be pre-praying.

Monday-Friday from 9am - 1pm the Church is open for you to have access to the prayer room. Come and spend some time alone or with others in prayer. Following Jewish custom, Jesus and His Disciples came to the Temple to pray 3 times a day. Be encouraged to make a new habit of coming to the Church to pray once a week.

Corporate Prayer

June and July's Prayer Meeting will be the 2nd Sunday of each month instead of the 3rd because of Father's Day and the Knox County Fair. We meet in the Sanctuary @ 6pm. Come and join us for an hour of powerful prayer.

If you would like prayer on Sunday mornings, after each Service there will be someone in the Prayer Room to pray with you

"But First, Pray" small group meets on Sunday morning at 10:15 downstairs in the music room. We are studying a book by Dr Terry Teykl, "Acts 29". This is a prayer journey using different chapters in the book of Acts that equips us to set the stage for the Holy Spirit to work dramatically in our personal lives and in our community just as He did following Pentecost.

Prayer By Appointment

If you would like to schedule a time for a small team of intercessors to pray for you please contact Jill Rock 740-501-0563.

Volunteer for Annual Conference

There are several opportunities to serve at Annual Conference 2025. You can help make the event an enriching experience.

Come enjoy fellowship while lending a helping hand!

Here are a few ways to help:
Golf cart driver - Help people get from
dorms to the meeting hall or dining area.
Ambassador - On first day of Conference
(Jun 18), you can help people get oriented to
campus and find their dorm/apartment
rooms after check-in.

Distribution of linens - Bring the guests' linens to the dorms/apartments.

Clean tables - We're eating meals cafeteria style...help us keep tables clean and available.

Click here to volunteer!

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0B4 8ACA72BA0FAC70-55205140-2025#/ Grow in the grace and power of prayer ministry as a variety of speakers share their experiences in persistent prayer, prophetic prayer, warfare prayer, and more. Share with other church partners what the possibilities of prayer ministry can look like in both the small and large church family.

Sign up here!

June 17th 9am-4pm, Mount Vernon Nazarene University

The Posture of Prayer...

8:30am Arrive

8:45am Praise Team

9am Welcome

9:05am-10:00

Pastor Debo Onabanjo – Persistent

Prayer 11:00-12:00

Jenna Barlomain - Prophetic Prayer

12:00-12:45 Lunch

12:45 PraiseTeam

1:00-2:00 Jenna Bartlomain - Words of Wisdom; Words of Knowledge Carrie Bortz

- Examples of Prophetic Prayer

2:00-3:00 Jill Rock - Preparing to Come to

the Prayer Table

3:00-3:45 Pastor Keith Bohley - Warfare

Prayer

3:45 Praise Team

Any questions, please feel free to ask Jill Rock or Cindy Harvel.

06/01 Andy Clevenger 06/01Miranda Wagner 06/02 Zander Luckmeier 06/04 Jake Overholt 06/08 Megan Bender 06/08 Bonnie Moore 06/09 Everlee Grogg 06/09 Malcom Murphy 06/11 Maddox Sheriff 06/11 Hadden Wilkes 06/12 Phillip Hicks 06/12 Amanda Hicks 06/15 Greg Stadler 06/15 James Snyder 06/18 Richard Maxwell 06/20 Austin Kershner

June Birthdays



06/20 Carol Boone
06/20 Ryan Conley
06/20 Penny Ducharme
06/21 Charlee Sivits
06/21 Matt Findley
06/22 Alden Coe
06/24 Chelsea Wallace
06/24 Tayler Overholt
06/26 Sharon Fitzpatrick
06/26 Gloria Lauer
06/27 Elizabeth Napier
06/29 Weston Grogg
06/29 Pastor Gail Angel
06/29Katie Cordle
06/30 Leah Napier

June Anniversaries



06/04 David and Pat Dumbaugh
06/06 Hunter and Montana Huvler
06/06 J.P. and Keyara Murphy
06/07 Richard and Vicki Maxwell
06/08 Kenneth and Renee Lybarger
06/10 Ken and Patti Goeppinger
06/11 Bill and Mary Elder
06/13 Bob and Lorraine Boss
06/18 Ray and Patricia Davis
06/20 Rick and Marna Scott

006/21 Kevin and Joely Lepley 06/22 Bob and Bonnie Moore 6/23 Morris and Sue James 06/27 Keith and Linda Bohley 06/27 Matt and Jess Moore 06/28 John and Mary Beutel 06/28 Tom and Rhonda Goeppinger 06/30 Donald and Heather Divelbiss



Usher/Greeters 9:00 a.m.

Gary Alverson

Ray Davis

Bill Elder

Mike Link

Kathleen Ridenour

Usher/Greeters 11:15 a.m.

Rob Simmons

Cale Grubb

Marissa Hamilton

Dakota Hamilton

9:00 a.m. Scripture Readers

6/01 Robin McClay

6/08 Bill Byler

6/15 Susan Link

6/22 Rev. Gary Campbell

6/29 Tom Bolton

11:15 a.m. Scripture Readers

6/01 Ryan Conley

6/08 Worship Team

6/15 Larry Andrzejewski

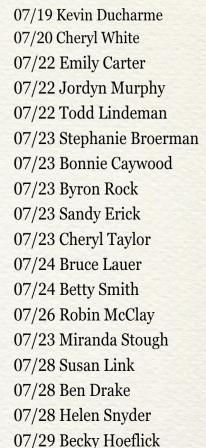
6/22 Jennifer Stansberry

6/29 Worship Team

Coffee Clean-up Ken Goeppinger 07/02 Sally James 07/05 JoJo Ernst 07/06 Declan McGuire 07/09 Harper Ernst 07/09 Jennifer Snow 07/11 Traci Durbin 07/12 Diane Minor 07/13 Margaret Obert 07/14 Kevin Lepley 07/15 Joy Campbell 07/17 Levi Sanders 07/17 Jerry Clayton 07/18 John Beutel 07/18 Dean Streby 07/18 Dallas Popham 07/19 Dennis McElroy 07/19 Keira Sivits 07/19 Matasha Sivits

Happy Birthday











07/07 Jamie & Laura Sanders
07/08 Jeff & Cheryl Cochran
07/14 Aaron & Sally James
07/17 Stan & Cheryl Taylor
07/23 Don & Jackie Strong
07/24 James & Jenny Durbin
07/24 Tom & Traci Durbin
07/25 Jerry & Janice Clayton
07/27 Dick & Chris Well

JULY



Usher/Greeters

Tom Goeppinger Duane Leedy 9:00 a.m. Worship

Rhonda Goeppinger Judy Leedy

Usher/Greeters

Joellen McGuire Serena Rock 11:15 a.m. Worship

Byron Rock Michelle Gregg

9:00 a.m. Worship

7/06 Todd McClay

7/13 Cindy Harvel 7/20 Mark Wildermuth

7/27 Cheryl White



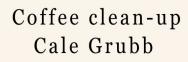
11:15 a.m. Worship

7/06 Lori Wilkes

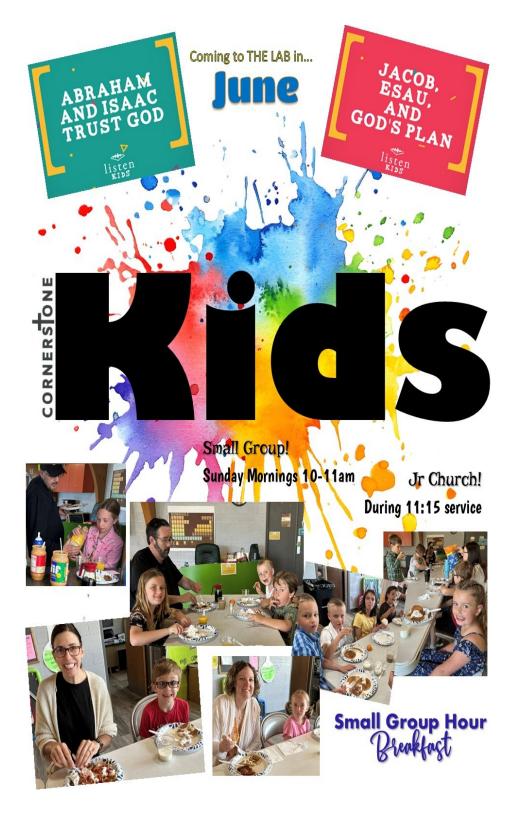
7/13 Dave Wilkes

7/20 Marissa Simmons

7/27 Worship Team













anyone who

has finished

INVITE

Your friends too!

K-5th grade













Join us for these fun activities:

TUESDAYS, 1PM-3PM

June 3 Hosted by Kershners at their home

June 17 TBD

June 24 Hosted by Moore and Goeppingher families

Creeking at Sockman Lake

July 1 Hosted by Alverson family—Kokosing Campground

July 8 Hosted by Lee family at their home

July 15 POOL DAY! Hiawatha Pool

July 23 NO TAFFY—enjoy the fair!

July 29 Hosted by L. Grogg family at their home

Aug 5 LAST TAFFY— Hosted by the Ruggles & Sheriff families

Reminders and Location info will be send each week via REMIND

Contact our Children's Ministry Director for more info:

Kalvari Kershner 740-501-7873

All activities are OUTSIDE Event will be cancelled if bad weather!

EVERYONE IS WELCOME TO ATTEND TAFFY!

K-5TH GRADERS CAN BE

To raise children to know God's love Leading them to seek, serve, and adore Him.



The Kid Zone Nursery is for newborns through preschoolers. We provide a fun place to learn about Jesus during both worship services. During the small group hour, we take a BIBLE ADVENTURE! We learn our verse and theanswer to the question of the month. The Kid Zone is also open on Wednesday nights during the IGNITE worship services on 6/4 & 8/6.







SMALL GROUP HOUR









If you are unable to serve on your scheduled week, please try to switch with someone. If you cannot find a replacement, please reach out to Emilv.



	9:00 Service	11:15 Service
6/1	Matt & Jessica Moore	Emily Carter
6/8	Leslie Ruggles & Emily Carter	Rob & Angie Simmons Hunter & Montana Huvler
6/15	Laurey Grogg & Emily Carter	Hunter & Montana Huvler
6/22	Caleb & Ashlyn Carter	Elizabeth & Leah Napier
6/29	Emily Carter	Susan Grogg & Kasey Grogg
7/6	Bethany Goeppinger & Madi Bender	Lynnea Clevenger & Leah Lindeman
7/13	Heather Miller & Emily Carter	Tami Mills & Emily Carter
7/20	Larry Andrzejewski & Emily Carter	Cale & Gloria Grubb
7/27	Emily Carter	Danelle Black & Emily Carter



FCP UPDATE

JUNE/ JULY 2025



UPCOMING EVENTS

SEPTEMBER

2 FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL

We cannot believe how quickly this year has gone! We loved this group of kids and will be sad to see them move on. We graduated 44 kiddos that will move on to kindergarten next year. For the first time since Covid, we held graduation in the Sanctuary and everyone loved the family atmosphere.

cpreschool@cornerstonefredericktown.com

In the last few months of school we were blown away by the progress made in all areas. The 5 day kids also had the opportunity to enjoy a hay ride to the Vet's office. The staff was amazing to show the kids all that happens in a Vet office and how they care for animals. A special thank you to Mr. Blanchard from the Parks Department for helping us with transportation.

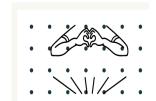
The 2 day kiddos continued to work in the classroom and are ready to tackle the 5 day program next year! They are excited to move into "the big kid" classes next year. They loved watching the catepillars make their chrysalis and emerge as beautiful butterflies. We also observed 12 eggs over 20 days and we blessed to see chicks hatch. We had the chicks in the classroom for 2 weeks and it was a treat to get to hold them.

The teachers are working this summer to offer some summer experiences for their students to help keep them from regressing so you may see some traffic coming through our wing. We are excited to offer this again after so much success last year.



Thank you to Cornerstone Community Church for all of your prayer and support this year. Thank you to the FCP board, staff and Pastor for their support on a daily basis.





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