

# CARLISLE FIRST CHURCH OF GOD

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## MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

*Please remember to put cell phones on silence or turn off electronic devices while in the sanctuary. Thank you.*

The Announcements and Words of Welcome

The Prelude

\*The Call to Worship

Pastor: I will rejoice in the LORD!

**People: I will be joyful in the God of my salvation!**

Pastor: The Sovereign LORD IS MY STRENGTH!

**Unison: He makes me as surefooted as a deer, able to tread upon the heights.**

\*The Invocation

\*The Gloria Patri #813

\*The Hymn "Peace like a River" #750

The Prayer Requests

The Morning Prayer

The Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

\*The Offertory

\*The Doxology #815

\*The Offertory Prayer

The Anthem

The Scripture Lesson Philippians 4:4-7

The Message **THE FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT—**  
Three Keys to Experiencing Joy

\*The Closing Hymn "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" #90

\*The Benediction

\*The Postlude

*\*Those who are able may stand.*

**VISITORS** Have you been mugged lately? Before you leave our church today, please stop by the "Visitors' Center" in the lobby. We would like to give you a mug to take home. Also we have information and maps about our church. The "muggers" at the Visitors' Center can answer your questions. Thank you for your visit today!

**VISITORS** Please help yourself to a brochure on the stand in the Narthex. This brochure identifies the various classes and their location for Sunday School which you are invited to attend. Questions generated from the brochure may be addressed to anyone of our Sunday School officers or to our pastors. Please join us for Sunday School.

### **TODAY IN OUR CHURCH**

Song Leader: Mrs. Elizabeth Kuhn  
Greeters: Mr. and Mrs. Wayne (Linda) Burkett  
Muggers: Mr. and Mrs. James (Trudy) Strine  
Head Usher: Mr. John Sheriff  
Ushers: \*Mr. Chris Campbell    Mr. Art Bittinger  
              Mr. Marlin Negley     Mr. Ray Kunkel

- 9:30 a.m. —**Worship Service**
  - Junior Church** for children age 4 thru Grade 4
  - Nursery**
  
- 10:40 a.m. —**Sunday School hour**
  - Nursery
  - Rotation Sunday School for age 4 thru Grade 5
  - Classes for Youth and Adults

The altar flowers are presented by Rev. Paul and Cleona Hauk in honor of their 66th wedding anniversary, January 17.

### **THIS WEEK—January 20-25**

**Monday** - 7:00 p.m.—Sunday School Board meeting

**Wednesday** - Family Night programs

- 5—6:30 p.m.—Meal in Fellowship Hall. There is a plastic bin in the kitchen where anyone may place food for our Wed. evening meals. If you would like to help with this, we are looking for nonperishable supplies like spaghetti, spaghetti sauce, Kraft mac and cheese, baked beans, chips, powdered juice mix, applesauce, boxed dessert mixes, tomato soup, canned peaches, pears or fruit cocktail. Also meatballs and chicken nuggets (just put in the freezer). Thank you for your help. All are welcome, however, we ask that those under 18 are accompanied by a guardian. Any questions please contact Bryan Dellinger at [dellingerfam5@gmail.com](mailto:dellingerfam5@gmail.com). or at 218-0211.

- 6:00 p.m.—Middle School EDGE
- 6:10 p.m.—Junior Choir
- 6:30 p.m.—Nursery
  - BLAST
  - Adult Bible Study
- 7:00 p.m.—Senior High EDGE
- 7:30 p.m.—Senior Choir

**Friday** - 6-8 p.m.—BLAST snow tubing. All children 5th grade and under are free. Everyone else is \$10.00. They will need a consent form from everyone who will be tubing and the money no later than **TODAY**. No money or forms will be accepted after **today's** date. There is no cost if you just want to come and watch.

**Saturday 25** - 7-9:00 p.m.—**Open Movie Night:** all are welcome. Join us here at the church to watch the motion picture blockbuster Fireproof. Fireproof has touched the hearts and impacted the marriages of millions of moviegoers. Join the millions across the country who have enjoyed and benefited from this movie. Children are welcome and will be entertained in another part of the church. Any questions, call Bryan or Lisa at 218-0211 or Dellingerfam5@gmail.com.

### **NEXT SUNDAY January 26, 2014**

- 9:30a.m.—Worship Service with Missionary-Evangelist Jesse Owens preaching  
—Junior Church children age 4 thru Grade 4 will either sing in the Junior Choir or sit with their parents. Following the Object Lesson, the children will be dismissed to their classes.

—Nursery

- 10:30 a.m.—Koffee Konnection

- 11:00 a.m.—Sunday School hour

- Nursery

- Rotation Sunday School—age 4 thru Grade 5

- Youth and Adult classes

-11:00 a.m.- **FIREPROOF COUPLES—Learn the Secrets to a Lasting Marriage**—Financial pressures, the stress of parenting, differences between men and women, boredom, temptations—they can all scorch a relationship. The fires will come—will your marriage last? On January 26 Carlisle First will start a series called Fire proof Your Marriage. The God who designed marriage intended for it to be a loving, lifelong partnership. Join us as we discuss His plan for indestructible relationships. You'll find practical insights for building an enduring, loving marriage! Anyone is welcome to join this class. If Sunday School has always made you comfortable, please give this class a try. Our goal is to have a class that is relaxed and fun where we can learn about God and about our marriages. The class will be led by Bryan and Lisa Dellinger and it will be set up like a small group setting. We will meet in the room beside CCI, straight back the hall from the gym lobby. There are nursery service and classes for children ages newborn up through high school. If you have any questions, please feel free to email or give the Dellingers a call. Dellingerfam5@gmail.com or at 218-0211.

- 3-7 p.m.—**JOIN US FOR A PARTY!** Doubling Gap Center's Winter Birthday Bash is just around the corner. Help us celebrate Camp YoliJwa's 80th birthday. Wear your *Camp YoliJwa attire* and receive a prize! Enjoy winter activities, a birthday supper, and games for all ages, birthday cake, and of course...ICE CREAM! Pizza and (in a disposable container) to share as follows: **A-I:** chips/cookies, **J-Q:** fruit/fruit salad, **R-Z:** pasta/potato salad. Any donations received at this free event will help cover event costs.

### **LOOKING AHEAD**

**Feb. 4** - 6:00 p.m.—The CGWM invites all ladies to our annual tea party. Be prepared for a several course meal and of course a delectable selection of teas. All that you need to do is bring your favorite teacup. A sign-up sheet is located on the CGWM bulletin board in the hallway.

**Feb. 11** - 7:00 p.m.—A short usher's meeting will be held in Fellowship Hall. For any man in the congregation who has been thinking about becoming an usher or would just like to find out more information about ushering, we invite you to join us. Refreshments will be served following the meeting. If you would like additional information, please contact John Sheriff at 717-226-2364 or Ron Stevens at 717-724-7927.

**Mar. 15** LADIES—save the date. Plan to come to our Ladies Day Out and bring a friend. There will be crafts, food, speakers, and fun. Look for more details at a later date.

**PRAYER REQUESTS**—To have a prayer request put on the telephone prayer chain, you should call Shirley McConnell (249-4095 **and** Sariann Worley (243-3611). To have a prayer request placed on the email prayer chain, you may email Scott and Cheryl Gobin at gobinsmail@comcast.net. These are not mutually exclusive prayer opportunities—you are welcome to avail yourself of any or all.

**MISSION MOMENT**—This year our prayer focus is Bangladesh. Since it is one of the most densely populated countries in the world, pray that God will send laborers to reach the 160 million Bengalis who don't know Jesus.

**HEARING ASSISTED DEVICES** are available for your use while worshiping in the Sanctuary. If you have such a need to assist you in hearing the Service, please contact sound technician Chris Campbell or head usher John Sheriff.

**THANK YOU MESSAGES—**

**BLAST** would like to thank everyone for the many generous donations we received for our Christmas families. You all gave a total of \$4,696.61 and with that money we were able to provide Christmas for 11 families for a total of 32 children. Thank you for always supporting us!

**Myrtle Hoffman** thanks all her church family for the beautiful cards, phone calls and gifts she received for her 92nd birthday. The church family really made her day. She said I have such good friends and once again I say thank you so very much.

**JANUARY 26, 2014 INFORMATION**

Greeters: EDGE members  
Muggers: Mr. and Mrs. Mark Bennett  
Head Usher: Mr. John Sheriff  
Ushers: \*Mr. Brian Barrick                      Mr. Doug Frick  
              Mr. Jim Heinbaugh                     Mr. Ron Stevens

**JANUARY 12, 2014 REPORT**

Attendance  
Worship                      236  
Nursery                        2  
Sunday School              99  
Wednesday Attendance  
BLAST                         39  
Adult Bible Study          33

To provide information for next Sunday's bulletin, please contact the church secretary no later than Wednesday evening by 6:30 p.m. either at 258-3 363 or [nancycog@yahoo.com](mailto:nancycog@yahoo.com).

