

CARLISLE FIRST CHURCH OF GOD

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March 2, 2014
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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 Psalm 116:12-14

Pastor: What shall I return to the Lord for all his goodness
to me?

**People: I will lift up the cup of salvation and call on the
name of the Lord.**

**Unison: I will fulfill my vows to the Lord in the presence of
all his people.**

*The Invocation

*The Gloria Patri #813

*The Hymn "God is So Good" #193

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 Luke 6:43-45

The Message **STORING UP GOODNESS**

*The Hymn "Surely Goodness and Mercy"

#691

*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: Mr. David Kinzler
Greeters: Mr. Bill Hench and Grandson Mat
Head Usher: Mr. John Sheriff
Ushers: *Mr. Ron Stevens Mr. Alvin Miller
Mr. Bryan Dellinger Mr. Marlin Negley

- 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

-Youth and Adult classes

- 2:00 p.m. —Old-Fashioned Hymn Sing sponsored by the Pairs and Spares Sunday School class. The entire congregation is invited to attend this event.

Attention all ladies of the church: We will be handing out Registration forms for the March 15th Ladies Day Out. CGWM members will be in the Narthex before and after church with registration forms. There will also be examples of the crafts that will be offered at Ladies Day Out on display in the Narthex. **TODAY**, March 2, is the last day that CGWM members will be collecting money and registrations before and after each service.

The altar flowers are presented in memory of loved ones by the Brenize Family.

THIS WEEK—March 3—8

Monday - 7:00 p.m.—Church Council meeting

Tuesday - 7:00 p.m.—CGWM meeting

Wed./Thurs. Ladies Bible study on Wed. a.m. and Thurs. p.m.

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
soup, canned peaches,
Also chicken nuggets and
the freezer). Thank you for
welcome but we ask that
be accompanied by a guardian.

questions please contact Bryan Dellinger at

218-0211 or dellingerfam5@gmail.com.

dessert mixes, tomato
pears or fruit cocktail.
meatballs (just put in
your help. All are
those under 18
Any

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

PLEASE NOTE: The Wed. evening service at 6:30 p.m. will be in Fellowship Hall on March 12 and March 19 so BLAST may have the sanctuary to practice for BLAST Sunday. Therefore, the meal will only be served until 6:00 p.m. those two Wednesdays.

Friday - 6:00 p.m.—BLAST bowling

Saturday - 6:30 p.m.—TUFF NITE at the YMCA

NEXT SUNDAY March 9, 2014

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

LOOKING AHEAD

Mar. 10 - 7:00 p.m.—**Night Out with the Runks** at St. Pat's school gym on Marsh Drive. A special speaker from Texas, Doug Runks, is a 6' 6" man who is hilarious and powerful. Doors open at 6:15 and program starts at 7:00. It is geared for middle and high schoolers but if you bring younger ones—that is not going to be a big deal.

Mar. 12 - Information for the **April/May newsletter** is due.

Mar. 13 - The **Jolly Olde Timers** will have a covered dish lunch with Paul Hoch from the Cumberland County Historical Society speaking. His subject is "Murder on Louther Street, 1926" Deadline to sign up is March 9.

Mar. 14 - **Youth Roller Bash** sponsored by our denomination at Plainfield Church of God.

Mar. 15 - LADIES— Plan to come to our **Ladies Day Out** and bring a friend. There will be crafts, food, speakers, and fun. Information/registration forms may be found in the Narthex along with samples of the

craft items.

-- **South Side Gospel Concert**—at South Fairview
First Church of God, 1212 Centerville Rd.,
Newville.

- * No admission fee
- * 5 p.m. food sales begin
- * 6 p.m. music starts
- * free-will offering will be received

Mar. 18 - 6:30 p.m.—**Sunday School Board** meeting

Mar. 22 - Carlisle First Church of God will be hosting a **Safe Sanctuaries event**. This is an introductory training we begin and children Rachel Neely-Sleasman to reserve your spot or to ask questions-(814) 931-2487 or neelychic@gmail.com.

- 7:00 p.m.—The CCI and the new Welcome Classes will be hosting a board game night in the gymnasium. If you like to play games, we would love to have you join us (children and youth take part in game and too). You do not need to attend Sunday School to this fun night. Please bring your favorite game and a snack to share.

Mar. 23 - 9:30 a.m.—Change of date—Instead of March 9, the **BLAST** children will present their annual program weather Wednesday during the Worship Service. The winter has caused the children to miss several night practices.

Mar. 27 - 6:30 p.m.—**Relay for Life Bowling**

Mar. 28-30 - **Ocean City** trip for high schoolers.

Mar. 29 - 5:00 p.m.—The **Over 60's Dinner** has been rescheduled to March 29. For those of you over the age of 60, or if your significant other is over the age of 60, you are invited to a delicious family-style meal of homemade meatloaf, potatoes and green beans. Of course, there will be a delectable dessert served, but you will need to attend to find out what's on the menu. You will not want to miss out on the after-dinner entertainment. The best part is that all of this is provided for FREE! A sign-up list has been posted on the bulletin board outside of the Narthex..

April 7 -6:00 p.m.—**Monday Night Prayer Time** (especially for our nation) will begin again in April. Please note the time change. ALL are welcome and do not be concerned if you cannot come every week. "For what as the Lord our God is to us, for whatever reason

we
4:7

may call upon Him?"

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MISSION MOMENT—Pray for the staff and volunteers at our Church of God Home who endeavored to provide care and refreshment to the residents they serve in the Name of Christ.

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.

SEEK GOD FOR THE CITY—These prayer guides are now available at the church. These prayers of biblical hope will help you to mobilize many to pray with united, sustained vision for people of your community. The prayers in this prayer guide are biblically grounded and easy to pray. Look for these before Lent begins, March 5 – April 13, 2014.

USHERS are reminded that dues of \$5.00 are now due. Ron Stevens will accept your dues money.

HEARING ASSISTED DEVICES are available for your use while worshipping 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.

MRS. HELEN SHELLHAMER will celebrate her birthday on March 8. To send her a greeting you may address a card to her at Cumberland Crossing, 1 Longsdorf Way, Carlisle, PA 17013.

CAMP YOLIJWA STAFF APPLICATION FORMS are now posted on the large hallway bulletin board. If you are interested in serving as a YoliJwa paid summer staff, a first-time YoliJwa volunteer staff, or a daily/weekly volunteer worker, please pick up an application form and fill it out (along with the Pastor's signature) and return it to the Camp.

MARCH 9, 2014 INFORMATION

Greeters: Mr. and Mrs. Dale Barclay
Muggers: Col. and Mrs. Terry Mitchell

Head Usher: Mr. John Sheriff

Ushers: *Mr. Joel Black
Mr. Jim Heinbaugh

Mr. Justin Kuhn
Mr. Chris Campbell

FEBRUARY 23, 2014

Attendance

Worship	239
Nursery	4
Sunday School	101

Wednesday Night

EDGE	65
Adult Bible Study	20

To provide information for next Sunday's bulletin, please contact **KATHY LEMMONS** no later than Wednesday evening by 6:30 p.m. at **258-8888** or email her at kathleen.lemmons@embarqmail.com.

WORSHIP STAFF

Organist: Mr. Michael Minnich

Pianist: Mrs. Elaine Shughart

Music Director: Mrs. Diana Ciucci

Junior Church Director: Mrs. Sally Bigham

Assistant Jr. Ch. Director: Mrs. Cathie Burkholder