

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 Psalm 8:1, 2, 9

Unison: Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!

Pastor: You have set your glory in the heavens.

People: Through the praise of children and infants.

Unison: Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!

*The Invocation

*The Gloria Patri #813

*The Songs of Praise "Jesus Loves the Little Children" #447

Psalm 18:1-2

I love you, Lord; you are my strength.
The Lord is my rock, my fortress, and my savior;
my God is my rock, in whom I find protection.
He is my shield, the power that saves me,
and my place of safety.

"I Love you, Lord" #78

The Prayer Requests

*The Morning Prayer

The Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

*The Offertory

*The Doxology #815

*The Offertory Prayer

The BLAST Program

Baby in a Basket

Narrators: Darren Neidigh and Wesley Dellinger
Moses' mother: Clara Dellinger
Sister: Emma Wagner
Princess: Taylor Barrows

Song: "Do Lord, Oh Do Lord"

All-Wet Melodrama

Narrator: Evan Britcher
Captain of the Egyptian Army: Carson Metzger
Moses: Matthew Bretz
Egyptian Army: Shooting Stars
Children of Israel: Martians

Object Lesson: Jim Heinbaugh

A Fish Tale

Narrator: Brandon Barrows
Jesus: Darren Neidigh
Simon: Wesley Dellinger
James/John: Ian Heishman and Hunter Barrick
Crowd: Martians and Sin Blasters

Song: "Cast your Cares"

Victory at Sea

Narrator: Ella Robinson
Jesus: Garrett Parsons
Peter: Nicholas Kuhn
Disciples: Shooting Stars

*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
Muggers: Mr. and Mrs. Mark (Nancy) Bennett
Greeters: Youth
Head Usher: Mr. John Sheriff

Ushers: *Mr. Alan McConnell
Mr. John Gross

Mr. Bill Downes
Mr. Doug Frick

- **9:30 a.m. —Worship Service with the BLAST program**
 - NO Junior Church** today
 - Nursery
- **10:30 a.m. —Koffee Konnection**
- **11:00 a.m.—Sunday School hour**
 - Nursery
 - Rotation Sunday School for age 4 thru Grade 5
 - Youth and Adult classes

The altar flowers are presented in honor of the March 25th birthdays of Marge Crum and Mark Bennett.

THIS WEEK—March 24-29

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. Any questions please contact Bryan Dellinger at 218-0211 or dellingerfam5@gmail.com.

- 6:00 p.m.—Middle School EDGE

-6:30 p.m.—Adult Bible Study with Ryan Long, Program Director at Camp

update of all
process and
recent “Paving
catch up on the

YoliJwa will have a presentation. Ryan will be providing an
the projects and activities that have been completed, in
planned for the future. The offering will go towards the
Project” at the Camp. Please plan to come out and
news from Camp YoliJwa!

- 7:00 p.m.—Senior High EDGE

- 7:30 p.m.—Senior Choir practice

Thursday - 6:30 p.m.—Relay for Life bowling at Midway

Fri.—Sun. - Senior High Youth/Young Adults Retreat at Ocean City

Saturday - 5:00 p.m.—**Over 60’s Dinner**—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 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! Please remember to sign up no later than today.

NEXT SUNDAY March 30, 2014

- 9:30a.m.—Worship Service

—Junior Church children age 4 thru Grade 4 will sit with their parents for the Worship opening. Following the receiving of new church members, the children will be dismissed to their classes.

—Nursery

- 10:40 a.m.—Sunday School hour

- Nursery

- Rotation Sunday School—age 4 thru Grade 5

- Youth and Adult classes

LOOKING AHEAD

April 7 - 6:00 p.m.—Monday Night Prayer Time will begin again in April. Please note the time change. ALL are welcome and do not be concerned if you cannot come every week. “The priests and the Levites stood to bless the people, and God heard them for their prayers reached heaven, his holy dwelling place.” 2 Chronicles 30:27

April 10 The Jolly Olde Timers will be traveling to Gettysburg National Military Park to tour the Cyclorama and museum plus view a film. W will eat at Dunlap’s Restaurant (on your own) after the tour. Deadline to sign up and pay Glenn Crum is today.

May 3 6:00 p.m.—**Mother/Daughter Banquet.** Needed are a few good men to plan, prepare and serve this dinner to our wonderful mother/daughters/ grand-mothers/aunts of the church. If you would be willing to share your culinary talents or assist in any way, please contact Karen Sheriff or Sally Bigham.

MISSION MOMENT—Pray for Camp YoliJwa. Pray as they work through the Spring and as they are preparing for the busy summer camp season. Pray for the permanent staff and for those who will volunteer over the summer. Praise God for the many people, especially children, who come to Christ at Camp YoliJwa.

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 gobinmail@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.

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.

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.

YOU HAVE BEEN WARNED!—The Jolly Green Giant has returned to the Narthex to kick off our spring collection of CANS of peas for Project SHARE. This provides a “heads up” to those of you who are startled each year when he reappears and also serves as a reminder to put peas on your shopping list. Our collection will run through April 13. Thank you in advance for your faithful support.

CONGRATULATIONS MINNICHS—Kylin Ann Minnich joined the Minnich family on March 16. She was welcomed by her parents Ryan and Casey at the Harrisburg Hospital weighing 7 pounds 9 ounces and 19 inches in length at 3:31 a.m. Ryan is Mike and Jody’s son. Kylin has a big brother Jace. To send a card of congratulations, you may address it to their home at 960 Greenspring Rd., Newville, PA 17241.

UPCOMING BIRTHDAYS:

March 25 Mr. John Niesly Church of God Home,
801 N. Hanover St. Carlisle, PA 17013

March 26 Mrs. Edith Morrison Todd Nursing Home Rm. 12
1000 W. South St, Carlisle, PA 17013

April 1 Mrs. Anna Mae Raudabaugh, Thornwald Home,
442 Walnut Bottom Rd., Carlisle, PA 17013

ATTENTION JUNIOR CHURCH PARENTS, COG FAMILY MEMBERS AND TEACHERS:

Nathan and Linda Brenize have been taking pictures of God's children and their teachers for the past month. You will find pictures of your children and their teachers posted outside the nursery, pre-k and kindergarten, first and second, and third and fourth grade rooms. Come and take a look! For the spring term, we will be around to the classrooms to again capture your beautiful smiles.

MARCH 30, 2014 INFORMATION

Greeters: Mrs. Bonnie Hamman and Mrs. Jean Noonam
Muggers: Ms. Pam Gotshall and Mrs. Joan Wagner
Head Usher: Mr. John Sheriff
Ushers: *Mr. Larry Bigham Mr. Shane Britcher
Mr. Alvin Miller Mr. Justin Kuhn

MARCH 16, 2014

Attendance

Worship	227
Nursery	3
Sunday School	102
Junior Church	16

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

OUR CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

Junior Church—9:30 a.m. Sunday Morning

Pre-K through Grade 4

Junior Church Director: Mrs. Sally Bigham

Asst. Junior Church Director: Mrs. Cathie Burkholder

**Rotation Sunday School—10:40 a.m. Sunday Morning
*4 years old through Grade 5***

**Rotation Sunday School Director: Mrs. Karen Neidigh
Rotation Sunday School Assistant: Mrs. Cindy Stevens**

**BLAST—6:30 p.m. Wednesday Evening
*Children age 2 through Grade 6 (flex year)***

**Co-Directors: Mrs. Lisa Dellinger
Mrs. Cheryl Gobin**

Junior Choir—will resume practices in October 2014

**6:10 p.m. Wednesday Evening
Children age 4 through Grade 5
Director: vacant position**

