

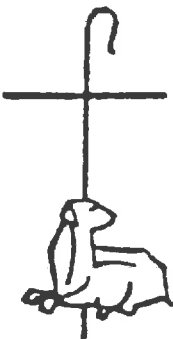
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WORSHIP SCHEDULE JULY 2018

SUNDAY WORSHIP

8:00 AM LSB setting 4/Communion

9:15 VBS CLASSES FOR ALL AGES

10:30 AM LSB Setting 4/Communion

OTHER WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

NO WEDNESDAY VESPERS IN JULY

VBS SUNDAYS THRU JULY

CREATION STUDY GROUP 7 PM July 11-18-25

July 16-Haywood Estates Communion 3:30 PM

EVENTS IN JULY

Ladies Lunch every Tuesday-11:30 AM

Organ Practice Every Saturday-5-6:30 PM

July 4: INDEPENDENCE DAY (OFFICE CLOSED)

July 13 HOOKS & NEEDLES MEETS 9:00 AM

July 14: CHURCH COUNCIL 12:00 Noon

July 22: St. Mary Magdalene

July 22-Alzheimer's Support Meeting-6:30 PM

July 25: St. James the Elder, Apostle

AUGUST QUILL DEADLINE

JULY 21, 2019

Please e-mail your articles to

lcgsquill@aol.com or put in Quill Box no
later than the 21st..



EVERY SUNDAY VBS July 7-28.

**DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP YOUR
CHILDREN. BRING FRIENDS,
NEIGHBORS, ETC.**

Americans celebrates July 4 as Independence Day because it was on July 4, 1776, that members of the Second Continental Congress, meeting in Philadelphia, adopted the final draft of the Declaration of Independence.

Following its adoption, the Declaration was read to the public in various American cities. Whenever they heard it, patriots erupted in cheers and celebrations.

In 1777, Philadelphians remembered the 4th of July. Bells were rung, guns fired, candles lighted, and firecrackers set off.

When the war ended in 1783, July 4 became a holiday in some places. Speeches, military events, parades, and fireworks marked the day. In 1941, Congress declared July 4 a federal holiday.

Today the holiday is celebrated in many ways. Family get-togethers, bicycle decorating, floats, parades, bands, concerts, baseball games, watermelon-eating contests, and of course, picnics. Food-lots of food: hot dogs, hamburgers, potato salad

And don't forget the fireworks.



REMEMBER; you can read the Quill (in color) on our Web site. Type in lcgs.org and click on the Media Tab. The calendar is found under Services and Hours.

Let's do Lunch!

LADIES LUNCH SCHEDULE FOR JULY. Ladies, do you like to eat out but don't want to eat alone. The ladies lunch bunch try different restaurants in the area every Tuesday at 11:30 am. We would like to welcome you to our group. Just good food and good conversation. For July we have a couple of new places. Here is your chance to try them.

July 2-Salt Water Kitchen-a new restaurant in Haywood Mall. It is located where the Palmetto Store was.

July 9-DellaVentura Pizzeria-337 S Buncombe Rd. in Greer

July 16-Greenfield's Bagels & Deli-101 Verdae Blvd (In Verdae Shopping Center near Steinmart.

July 23-Hare & Field-327 S Main St-Travelers Rest-This is a new one on our list.

July 30-Red Lobster-1940 Wade Hampton Blvd.

So we know how many to seat please call Karen Meyer and let her know you will join us. See you on a Tuesday.



LWML YARD SALE

will take place on

Saturday, August 31st,

in the **Fellowship Hall.**

Proceeds from the sale are used in mission projects within our congregation, our community, and globally.

Your donation of gently used items helps in these efforts. These can be placed in the Sunday School room on the upper level of the Fellowship Hall (sign on door).

You can also assist by shopping at our sale on **August 31.**



Stephen Ministry Informational Meetings



On Sundays, **August 4th** and **August 18th, at 9:12am**, we will be holding informational meetings about Stephen Ministry. Please join us.

There will be refreshments, short videos, printed information, along with a question and answer session. All to help you learn how Stephen Ministry can benefit LCGS.

We are looking forward to sharing this wonderful ministry with everyone.

See you there!

Al and Leslie Weirmeir

HOOKS & NEEDLES will meet on Saturday, **July 13th, 9:00-11:00am** in the Fellowship Hall. This is a group who works throughout the month knitting and crocheting items for hospitals and homeless shelters. We come together once a month for fellowship, knitting and crocheting, and collection of items made. This is a wonderful mission that can be accomplished in your own time and schedule. Please consider being a part of it!



Pictorial directories are here!

Thanks be to God and my able team of volunteers! I

If you sat for Lifetouch portraits, you get **one per family** free of charge. If you are a visitor in the process of transferring your membership, the church has purchased an extra one for you. Please note that they are not cheap and reflect lots of time and hard work, so care of your copy is appreciated. They will be **available by signature; see Jennifer if you missed their distribution over the last 2 weeks.**

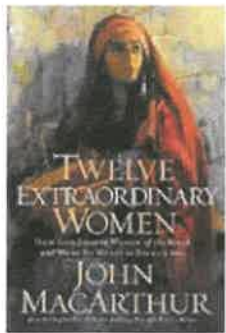
They are chock full of information about how to get further involved in our LCGS family as well as a plethora of pictures and contact information, so I hope they'll be not only a useful resource but also a cherished keepsake.

Thanks for helping us update and document our congregational life for this decade! In Him,
Jennifer Johnson

New Additions to the LCGS Library

There are three books, recently purchased, plus many wonderful editions from the library of the late Pastor Monte Frohm. Thank you, Susan, for your generous donation to the library.

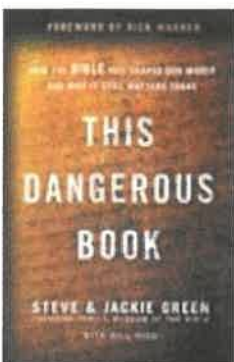
On behalf of the library, I would like to thank whomever made the generous donation to the LCGS Library. Many thanks, and God's blessings!



The three new books added to the library are:

Twelve Extraordinary Women by John MacArthur. Celebrated for their courage, vision, hospitality and spiritual giftedness, it's no wonder women were so important to God's plan revealed in the Old and New Testaments. Some of the women you'll come to know include: Ruth, Anna, Martha and Mary, Mary Magdalene, Sarah, Hannah, the Samaritan woman, and Mary, the mother of Jesus. You will be challenged and motivated by this poignant and personal look into the lives of some of the Bible's most faithful women.

This Generous Book by Steve and Jackie Green, the founding family, The Museum of the Bible. Avid collectors of biblical artifacts, the Greens explore the unique power of the Bible in this fascinating look at the world's most influential book. In vivid detail, the Greens share the challenges they faced in acquiring biblical relics from around the world, and why people- in every time period and in every geographical location- risked their lives to preserve this most precious book.



The Bible Illuminated by Karen York. This is a beautiful and fascinating book that shares how art brought the Bible to an illiterate world. Within **The Bible Illuminated**, you will be introduced to kings and queens, monks and nuns, scribes and artists, librarians and historians, as well as modern-day collectors all hoping to preserve history by putting personal touches on their own copies of the most influential book of all time- the Bible. This is a gorgeous book, one that will amaze and delight you!

Please come and visit the LCGS Library soon!

Holy Land trip: Israel/Jordan/Egypt 12/26/19-1/11/20

GOOD NEWS! We have met our minimum and this trip is a GO! Printed brochures are available in the narthex. It's not too late to join us!

ALSO NOTE: Female roommate needed for a long-time friend of Jan Saxe.

Please join Pr Steve Saxe & Jennifer Johnson as we co-host this **once-in-a-lifetime** tour! EO has put their stamp of approval on our revised itinerary, expanding the base tour of 11 days in 1 country - to 17 days in 3 countries (including travel time). We've carefully planned to visit ALL note-worthy places our Savior walked - from the Mediterranean to the Sea of Galilee to the Dead Sea to the Jordan River.

We'll see highlights in Jordan and enjoy a full day in Petra before following the route of the Exodus into Sinai Peninsula, climbing Moses's Mount at sunrise. A short flight across the Red Sea will take us into Egypt to see the Pyramids, Sphinx, Egyptian Museum, and a falucca sail on the Nile. Incorporating what was formerly the optional extension (and then some), EO's total price of \$3848 includes all "First Class Hotels | Breakfast and Dinner Daily | Deluxe Motor Coaches | Guides | Entrance Fees | Taxes, Tips and Fees." I've reserved the best guides for each portion of our tour, including the highly-recommended Arab Christian in Israel, and an Egyptologist who specializes in their history.

Online brochures and web registration are available at the link below. A deposit to EO of \$600pp holds your spot; the balance must be PIF by 10/12/19 - 75 days prior to departure. Let Jennifer know if you have any questions or are interested in joining us!

<http://www.eo.travelwithus.com/tours/hl19122619y57645/#.XPXbSohKhPb>

(Host or Group Leader ID: **59629**)



About the Transformation Walk & 5K Run

United Ministries' 30th Annual Transformation Walk & 5K Run presented by Bon Secours, celebrates the lives being transformed right here in Greenville. Wherever our neighbors in need may be in their journeys, United Ministries is here to serve and empower them.

Join us in our efforts and be part of one of Greenville's longstanding community-wide events.

Sign up to walk or run today! There is no fee to register to walk; instead, walkers are encouraged to fund-raise. The cost to join the certified 5K race is just \$30 and includes a t-shirt, bib, and official timing with medals for race winners. All proceeds stay in Greenville and benefit United Ministries' programs in education and employment, crisis assistance, and homeless services.

Date

Sunday, October 6, 2019

Starts at: 1:00 PM

Ends at: 4:00 PM

Location

First Baptist Church-Greenville

847 Cleveland Street

Greenville, SC 29601

Contact

Jade Fountain

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jfountain@united-ministries.org



Interfaith Hospitality Network (IHN) is in need of part time staff to cover the IHN Day Center on Sundays 1-2 times per month. The Day Center is located at the United Ministries Learning Center located at 503 Vardry Street. Day Center staff are present to let IHN families in and out of the Day Center to ensure safety and security for families present. Coverage is needed from 7:00 AM-4:30 PM. Day Center staff provide transportation to families who do not have their own vehicles on Sunday as well. Staff would pick up families from the current host church and bring them to the Day Center at 7 AM and then take families to the next host church by 5 PM that evening. Seeking someone who is reliable, compassionate, and discerning. Will need to have a good driving record to transport families using IHN van or bus. Pay is \$12/hr. Clean Background check and References

2019 HIGHLIGHTS

January-May

32 students passed the GED.

13 individuals began a job training course.

85 jobs were obtained.

790 families received food.

383 families received assistance with utilities or Rent

2018 showers were taken at Place of Hope day shelter.

5 families and **12** homeless individuals gained a home.

83 new individuals received emergency shelter through the Interfaith Hospitality Network.

Volunteers gave 13,843 hours.

JULY IS FRUIT MONTH:



Donations of canned fruit are always slim at the Food Pantry.

This July, Please add a can or two of fruit, any kind, to your food donation. And don't forget our "ONE CAN PER PERSON PER MONTH" program. Let's make it TWO CANS IN JULY...one

being fruit. The more we gather in, the more families that are helped.

NO-SHOW PICNIC: (Benefiting United Ministries)

You are invited...to our annual NO SHOW PICNIC! Don't get sunburned at the pool party or engage in awkward conversations in your new swimsuit.

Visit www.united-ministries.org/no-show-picnic and donate today.

Last year, more of you participated in the annual No Show Picnic than ever before! You blew us away-shattering the \$12,000 goal by contributing over \$16,000 to help your neighbors in Greenville transform their lives at United Ministries.

We invite you to skip our picnic by the pool this year, and instead make a donation from the comfort of your home.

