

UPCOMING EVENTS

AYM will be meeting tonight at 6:00 P.M. Its Nerf War Night!

PASTOR'S STUDY PARTNERS will be meeting on Friday, September 2 at 11:30 A.M. Study [Tifus 3: 1-15](#)

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD AUGUST COLLECTIONS are: **spiral notebooks, washcloths, and crayons.**

VBS ALPACAS FOR ECUADOR The collection deadline is **TODAY.**

SAVE THE DATES

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS MEETING is being held on **Saturday, September 3rd @ 9:00 A.M.**

AWANA TRAINING will be held on **Saturday, September 10th**, at 10:00 A.M. in the Fellowship Hall.

GREETER/WELCOME TEAM HELPFUL HINTS TRAINING will be held on **Sunday, September 11th**, right after the worship service in the Fellowship Hall. If you would like to be on this team, please see Ara Miller.

MOVIE NIGHT will be held on **Friday, September 16th** at 6:30 P.M. in the Fellowship Hall. We will be showing The Chronicles of Narnia: Prince Caspian.

AWANA OPEN HOUSE/REGISTRATION NIGHT will be held on **Sunday, September 18th from 5:00 - 6:00 P.M.** in the Fellowship Hall. If you would also like to volunteer in AWANA this year, please see the Suburban Newsletter for information about the needs. The first AWANA night will be September 25th!

BELONG WOMEN'S MINISTRY will begin a new Bible Study in just a few weeks. Details to come.

THE JOYS singing group are coming to Suburban for a night of singing on **Saturday, October 8th, at 6:00 P.M.** We will be taking up a love offering to help support their ministry.

OUR PURPOSE

We exist to make disciples by pursuing:
Intimacy with God,
Community with One Another
and Ministry to Others

Intimacy. Community. Ministry

Our services and programs are working together to move every believer along the process of discipleship as we work together to fulfill the Great Commission.

2022 Year Verse

“Will you not revive us again,
that your people may rejoice in you?”

Psalm 85:6



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Presenting Christ Alone as Savior and Lord

NON-DENOMINATIONAL

ADULT BIBLE STUDY

Taught by Ron Raymer

Fellowship Hall B

Church History

Ron Raymer will present a study of the major events in the history of the Christian church from Christ's Resurrection to today. The study is based on information from Justo Gonzalez' "Church History: An Essential Guide," Everett Ferguson's "Church History" and Roger Olson's "The Story of Christian Theology." Examples of major events include ministry of the Apostolic Fathers, expansion of the church under Roman persecution, the church after Constantine, church in the Middle Ages, the Crusades, the Inquisition, the Reformation, the Great Awakening and contemporary church.

***If you would like to join in the Adult Sunday School class via conference call, please call 612-746-7360. The conference code is 809549.**

Taught by Pastor Todd

Fellowship Hall A

A Praying Life by Paul E. Miller

"PRAYER is simply you - a child of a good Father - making conversation with him a rhythm of your life. For most of us, prayer is so hard that unless circumstances demand it, we simply do not pray. Prayerlessness is rooted in unbelief. Because of prayerlessness, our lives are often marked by fear, anxiety, joylessness, and spiritual lethargy. Paul Miller introduces us to prayer that regularly and consistently hopes, trusts, and expects God to act."

SUNDAY WORSHIP

August 28, 2022

Welcome to Suburban Christian Church!

SPECIAL MUSIC	Senior Choir
WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS	
SCRIPTURE READING	
HYMNS OF PRAISE	
<i>A Mighty Fortress Is Our God</i>	NO. 656
<i>I Exalt Thee</i>	NO. 36
<i>Build My Life</i>	#7070345
PASTOR'S PRAYER TIME WITH THE CHILDREN	
SERMON	Pastor Todd
INVITATION <i>Just A Closer Walk With Thee</i>	NO. 473
CLOSING PRAYER	

TODAY'S SERMON

BUILDING A JOYFUL, HEALTHY CHURCH FAMILY

Titus 2:11-15

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

THE NEXT DATE FOR THE FOOD PANTRY is **Tuesday, September 6, 2022.**

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

TODAY

9:00 A.M.....Sunday School
10:15 A.M.....Worship and Praise
6:00 P.M.....AYM

Monday	1:00 P.M.	Senior Choir Practice
Tuesday	7:00 P.M.	Choir Practice
Wednesday	7:00 P.M.	Mid Week Power
Thursday	6:00 A.M.	Men's Bible Study
Friday	11:30 A.M.	Pastor's Study Partners
Saturday	8:00 P.M.	Men's Breakfast
	7:00 P.M.	Church Prayer

"A Mighty Fortress Is Our God" Hymn History

"Martin Luther's grandest hymn is this one, inspired by the 46th Psalm. It became a battle cry of the Reformation. Luther probably wrote it at a time when evangelists were delivering their protest against the attack on their liberties. Incidentally, the meaning of the word *protestant* was no doubt derived from that meeting when these leaders delivered their protest. Despite Luther's excommunication from the Roman Church after posting his 95 Theses on the door of the church, he came to know the sheltering hand of God. He faced continual threats to his life and freedom as well as times of intense spiritual battle. The comforting words of Psalm 46 gave Luther the inspiration to write "A Mighty Fortress is Our God!" *The Complete Book of Hymns*, c. 2006