

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL begins Monday, July 17th.** Dinner begins at 5:15 P.M. Please pray for all the volunteers and for God's blessing on the week.

**AYM** will be meeting tonight.

**CHILDREN'S CHURCH MINISTRY OPPORTUNITY** What a blessing to serve our children in Children's Church! Please see Lois Ritger or Mary Justis to be a part of this wonderful ministry.

**THE NEXT FOOD PANTRY DATE is WEDNESDAY , July 18, 2023.** Food pantry need: canned fruit and vegetables, saltine crackers, pasta sauce, spaghetti noodles, cereal, Hamburger Helper, Rice-A-Roni, peanut butter, jelly, canned beans.

**OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD JULY COLLECTIONS** are: **spiral notebooks, crayons, washcloths.** The OCC Workday for July has been cancelled due to VBS. The next workday will be in August.

## SAVE THE DATE!

**MUSIC NIGHT & ICE CREAM FELLOWSHIP** will be held on **Sunday, July 30th, at 6:00 P.M.** Bring your favorite ice cream to share. Please contact Lynn Cooke if you would like to sing a special.

**OCC CHRISTMAS IN AUGUST LUNCHEON** will be held on **Saturday, August 12, from 11:30 A.M.—1:30 P.M.** The luncheon will include testimonies of Shoebox gift recipients. The only cost is to bring an item for the shoeboxes.

## 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.

*2023 Year Verse*

"Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good! Blessed is the man who takes refuge in him!"

*Psalm 34:8*



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## 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.**

The Discovery Class

Fellowship Hall A

Taught by Chris Tyler

We will engage in different teachings each week highlighting the attributes of God as revealed in the Old and New Testaments. It is in thinking about God in His greatness, in the full array of His attributes, that our minds are enlarged, our lives are reoriented, and our thirst for Him is deepened. Please come and enjoy the fellowship of the Discovery class.... no Bible knowledge is necessary.... just an open heart for the Lord.

## SUNDAY WORSHIP

July 16, 2023

Welcome to Suburban Christian Church!

CALL TO WORSHIP

*Sing To The King*

NO. 129

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

SCRIPTURE READING

HYMN OF PRAISE

*All Hail King Jesus*

NO. 295

*Amazing Grace*

NO. 104

*Come Thou Fount Of Every Blessing*

NO. 98

CHOIR SPECIAL

SERMON

Pastor Todd

INVITATION

*Because He Lives*

NO. 449

CLOSING PRAYER

### TODAY'S MESSAGE

IN HIS IMAGE - PART 2

II Peter 1:3-14

## MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

### THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

#### TODAY

9:00 A.M.....Sunday School

10:15 A.M.....Worship and Praise

6:30 P.M.....AYM

Monday (VBS ALL WEEK)

Tuesday 1:30 P.M. Food Pantry

Wednesday

Thursday 6:00 A.M. Men's Bible Study

11:00 A.M. Senior Ministry Meeting

Friday

Saturday

### "Amazing Grace" Hymn History

"John Newton's own words are written on his gravestone. He describes himself: "John Newton, clerk, once an infidel and Libertine, a servant of slavery in Africa, was by the rich mercy of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, preserved, restored, pardoned, and appointed to preach the faith he had so long labored to destroy." He wrote this hymn telling his own and many other's story of Amazing Grace saving them from their sins." The Complete Book of Hymns, c. 2006