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MISSIONARIES OF THE WEEK

S&KD

Our ministry is to reach thousands of children with the Gospel. In India, in March, in spite of the rise in persecution, the Lord continued to give us many open doors to conduct mobile camps, parent seminars and hole in the church seminars. In March, we also conducted two mobile camps and parent seminars in eastern Nepal. Be in prayer for our Sri Lanka ministry activities as we had our mobile camps, parent and hole in the church seminars in north, central and southern Sri Lanka. Please pray for Bangladesh, as we conduct four camps in April. Lord willing, S will be there for one of these camps. Also in April, Lord willing S will be visiting their missionaries in Bhutan (Restricted country) for the first time after Covid. S plans to meet a few new underground pastors who are interested in working with his ministry. Please be in prayer because the last visit of S in Bhutan, in 2019, the police searched the last day of the trip for him, his wife and their regional leader.

We praise God for His protection, courage and favor as we minister in some very difficult places in India and Bhutan. Please pray the Lord will keep the authorities' eyes away from our work in India and Bhutan. Pray particularly for my trip to Bhutan from April 8th through 12th. Praising God for amazing ways the Lord is changing the lives of our campers.

To learn more about the 50+ missionaries we support, check out our Missionary Wall located in the hallway between the Sanctuary and the Gym.



HAPPY EASTER! HE IS RISEN!!!

MARCH SCRIPTURE MEMORIZATION: 1 John 4:10 - "In this is love, not that we have loved God but that he loved us and sent his Son to be the propitiation for our sins."

BASICS OF THE CHRISTIAN FAITH | BIBLE SCHOOL ELECTIVE

Do you ever feel lost when studying the Bible, or wonder how everything fits together? Do you have a friend who doesn't know much about Jesus and the Bible? Starting April 14 and continuing through May 19, join Pastor Michael in Fellowship Hall each Sunday morning at 11:15AM to look into the basics of our faith. Bring your questions and be prepared to see God reveal himself through the pages of Scripture!

SMALL GROUP LEADER MEETING

We invite all current small group leaders to meet together after Bible School on April 14 in the GSP Room to share your experiences and insights from your existing groups. Let's discuss the future of our ministry and how we can grow together. Your input is invaluable! If you have any questions please see Jim Olshefsky.

AUC SOFTBALL

Calling all men 18 and up to join the church softball team! Season runs from mid April through June. If interested or if you have questions contact Ray Kiker (kikerray@gmail.com) or Rob Burton (rburton@cbiz.com).

SAVE THE DATE: SIGHT & SOUND-DANIEL | NOVEMBER 23

All our church family is invited to join us for a trip to Sight & Sound Theater in Lancaster on November 23, to see *Daniel*. We will be seeing the 11AM show followed by lunch at Hershey Farm Restaurant. Prices for adults: \$116; children ages 4-12: \$62. This includes the show, lunch and bus transportation. *All payments must be received before 10/20/24*. Registrations is available online. Any questions can be directed to Ed Lochmoeller (ed.lochmoeller@auc.org) or Loretta Stott (stott1@comcast.net).

Please take a moment to 'Check In' to the morning worship service and Bible School either through the Church Center App or at the Welcome Center. You can also submit donations to the church through the Church Center App. If you need help visit the Welcome Center in the Foyer.

ESL PROGRAM NEED

We are looking for non-teacher volunteers to help with testing incoming students and testing students who are ready to move up to a higher level. We registered 115 students last year alone and many hands make light work. Testing can happen whenever it's convenient to the student (days, evenings, weekends, weekdays, etc.). The immediate need would be to test existing students on Tuesday nights while classes are happening. We'll be pulling them out of class to test them. We are planning to do this starting in May. There will be a one-hour training session (TBD) to inform all interested people about what's involved. If you would be interested in learning more about what would be involved, please email Molly Olshefsky (molshefsky@gmail.com).

PENNIES FOR PERU

For over 25 years AUC has been supporting this important ministry to children. We still have cans for you to contribute your pennies and other coins in the Foyer, the Sanctuary exit near the organ, and outside the Chapel (as well as in the Children's and Student Bible School class areas). As our society uses coins less and less, you can also contribute to Pennies for Peru via the AUC online giving or by using a special giving envelope in the pews (and designate "Pennies for Peru").

HOPE BIBLE STUDY CLASS

If you are a woman interested in studying the books of the Bible with a small group of like-minded women, the Hope class might just be what you are looking for. We meet during Bible School and are currently studying Daniel in preparation for studying Revelation. We would love to have you join us! Any questions, contact the teacher, Suzie Smith (suziemsmith@comcast.net, (610) 622-4805).

GRIEFSHARE MINISTRY

Our GriefShare Ministry provides grief recovery support to anyone who has suffered the loss of a loved one. The program consists of fourteen sessions on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of each month from 1-3 pm in the Chapel. We are here to listen to how you are dealing with your loss and to provide prayer and support. The workbook is \$15.00 and can be purchased through the GriefShare website or from us. If you cannot afford a workbook, a scholarship is available. Please register at https://www.griefshare.org/groups/156692. Feel free to bring someone with you who is also suffering. Contact a Group Leader at griefshare@auc.org or 610-259-8010.

MISSIONARY CONFERENCE EXPENSES

Even though the conference you still have the opportunity to contribute to this year's Missionary Conference. If you want to help with these expenses, please designate your gift to "Missionary Conference".

MEN'S MINISTRY

TUESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY | 6:30-7:30AM | CHAPEL

Our teacher for this week is Carroll Wynne. Coffee is provided.

MAN UP | SATURDAYS | 9-11AM | CHAPEL

We meet Saturday morning to discuss various subjects relating to sermons, book studies, videos, etc.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

WOMANWISE | 1ST & 3RD THURSDAY | 9:30-11:30AM | LL09

We are studying God of Freedom by Jen Wilkin, if any woman would like to join. Childcare is available Any questions contact Lysa Burton (484-995-5165 or rlrsburton@verizon.net).

WOMEN'S SPRING LUNCHEON | APRIL 13

All women are invited to the Spring Luncheon, Hope Never Fails! Our speaker will be Sue Corl, founder of Crown of Beauty International. Sue is an international women's conference speaker, author, mentor, and Bible teacher, and served 25 years as a missionary in Asia. She has a passion to see women set free by receiving the love of God and living out their potential in the powerful truth of who they are in Christ. Cost of the event is \$15 and registration is online.

STUDENT MINISTRY

MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY | 7PM

Students are welcome to join us every week for Bible Study on the Student Floor.