

WESLEY CHAPEL NEWS



Let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father in heaven. Matthew 5:16

July 2017

Today I Will Make A Difference

Today I will make a difference. I will begin by controlling my thoughts. A person is the product of his thoughts. I want to be happy and hopeful. Therefore, I will have thoughts that are happy and hopeful. I refuse to be victimized by my circumstances. I will not let petty inconveniences such as stoplights, long lines, and traffic jams be my masters. I will avoid negativism and gossip. Optimism will be my companion, and victory will be my hallmark. Today I will make a difference.

I will be grateful for the twenty-four hours that are before me. Time is a precious commodity. I refuse to allow what little time I have to be contaminated by self-pity, anxiety, or boredom. I will face this day with the joy of a child and the courage of a giant. I will drink each minute as though it is my last. When tomorrow comes, today will be gone forever. While it is here, I will use it for loving and giving. Today I will make a difference.

I will not let past failures haunt me. Even though my life is scarred with mistakes, I refuse to rummage through my trash heap of failures. I will admit them. I will correct them. I will press on. Victoriously. No failure is fatal. It's OK to stumble... I will get up. It's OK to fail... I will rise again. Today I will make a difference.

I will spend time with those I love. My spouse, my children, my family. A man can own the world but be poor for the lack of love. A man can own nothing and yet be wealthy in relationships. Today I will spend at least five minutes with the significant people in my world. Five quality minutes of talking or hugging or thanking or listening. Five undiluted minutes with my mate, children, and friends.

Today I will make a difference.

---Max Lucado

*"In the church
there is no 'them.'
There is only
'us.'"*

*~ Bishop Sue
Hauptert-Johnson*



Everyone is
invited to the
Missions Lunch
on Sunday
August 6
as we
SLIDE INTO FALL
with a waterslide
and more
following the 11am
service

Blessing of the Backpacks July 30 @ 11am



**Men's
Second Sunday
Breakfast in WCGym
July 11 7:30am**

Birthdays & Anniversaries

**Thursday, July 20
at 12noon in the
WCGym**
Entertainment provided
by
Stephanie Newton
Singer/Keyboardist

Making Lunch for MUST Summer Lunch Program July 16

During the Sunday school hour
Donations accepted for fruit snacks and
drink boxes/pouches.
Pick up lunch bags to decorate from the
church office

- July 1 Larry Mullins
- July 2 Diana Overdorff
- July 3 Anna Jung
- July 7 Dave Peters
- July 9 Vickie Bell Wright
- July 12 *Drew & Kristen Posey*
- July 15 Kristen Jones
- July 17 Vickie Mattle
- July 18 Sue Medford
- July 20 Carlie Tolar
- July 20 Brad Wright
- July 20 Cathy Brock
- July 21 *Rich & Sheila Pollina*
- July 23 Andrew Hood
- July 23 *Dan & Edith Jones*
- July 24 Lynne Harrison
- July 25 Harper Guckert
- July 25 Mary Ann McCoy
- July 26 Jimmy Mabry
- July 26 KJ Sinclair
- July 27 Jude Phillips
- July 28 *Bob & DeDe Reilly*
- July 29 Diana Amers

The church daily activity calendar
can be found at www.wcmmc.info



July 2 Patriotic Bingo
July 9 Shades Sunday
July 16 Flip Flop Sunday
& making MUST lunches in the gym
July 23 Titus 2 Mystery Guest
**July 30 Blessing of the
Backpacks**

*Popsicles on the playground after 11am service
every Sunday in July!*



**Register
today for all
sorts of fun for
ages
rising**

**1st-rising 6th grades to
make the last week of
summer a great one!
www.ngumc.org/grow**

Wesley Chapel UMC Quick Look

Nehemiah Project
July 5-8

Men's Breakfast
July 9 @ 7:30am

Administrative Council
July 11 @ 7pm

MUST Summer Lunches
July 16 @ 10am

Georgia Pastor's School
July 17-21

CLUB345
Deep & Wide Retreat
July 18 @ 10am-9pm

Trustees Meeting
July 18 @ 6pm

Heritage Club
July 20 @ 12noon

Finance Committee
July 20 @ 6pm

Grow Day Camp
July 17-21

3 & 4 year olds
I Can Go To Sunday
School Faith Milestone
July 23 @ 12noon

Blessing of the
Backpacks
July 30 @ 11am service

Slide Into Fall Waterslide
& Missions Luncheon
August 6 @ 12noon

Bible Ninja Warrior
Late Night
August 11
5:30-8:30pm

Youth News

When you go through deep waters, I will be with you. Isaiah 43:2

Sunday July 2

Sunday school 10am in the WCGym

FISH Night at the Castillo's-watch the WCYouth FB page for time, details, and possible rain delays (you never know with Georgia weather!) This FISH Night is for current WCYouth (sorry, no rising 6th graders tonight!) Drop off and pick up will be at the Castillo's.

Wednesday July 5-8 Nehemiah Project

Parents will drop WCYouth off at Reinhardt University on Wednesday afternoon. Marcie will post drop off times on FB. EVERYONE bring a refillable WATER BOTTLE w/ your name on it!! Please be sure that your Youth have everything they need – they are "away" on a mission trip so you cannot run forgotten items, carry out food or their favorite pillow up to Reinhardt after drop off. You will see them on Saturday afternoon!

Phones will not be used for texting, games, any form of social media, etc. during the day. They will have use at night and can text you after worship each night if you wish. They are on the honor system to comply. Parents contact me if there are any situations that arise and we will go from there on contacting your youth. Pick up from Nehemiah on 7/8 will be at the Chic Fil A on Hwy 92 at approximately 2-2:30. They will text you and let you know. This is our WCYouth tradition at the end of each Nehemiah.

Sunday July 9

Sunday School at 10 am in the WCGym classroom

UMYF 5-7 pm. We will be very chill (recuperating from Nehemiah!) and watch a movie in the gym!! Bring your pillow, snuggie, whatever to get comfy and we will have popcorn and snacks!

Sunday July 16

Sunday School 10 am – we will be packing lunches for MUST Summer Lunch Program again!! Come at 10 and plan to help with this awesome mission project!

We will not have UMYF tonight!! Enjoy a long afternoon at the pool or hang with family!!

Sunday July 23

Sunday School at 10 am in the WCGym classroom

UMYF 5-7 pm.

Sunday July 30

Sunday School at 10 am in the WCGym classroom

11 am Worship – Blessing of the Backpacks for (I'm sorry to type this) Back-To-School!!

UMYF 5-7 pm. This is our Back-to-School BASH!! Everyone welcome – all rising 6th graders, our Young Adult alum and our current WCYouth!! We will eat, play games and more!! Plan to come and have fun and then we will pray our way into an awesome and amazing 2017-2018 school year!!

Save the Dates

We will be doing a fun and exciting outreach on **Sunday August 13th**. We will be hosting an afternoon of fun at a MUST apartment complex from 2-4 pm off of Sandtown Road. We will have games, food and spend time serving our neighbors. We do not have a budget for this so we will be getting creative and inviting the entire church to help!! We will need food and craft donations as well!! Even though school has started (too early!!) it is still Summer in my book and this will be our Summer of Mission "wrap-up"!! Mark your calendar!

There are still quite a few Youth 2017 theme t-shirts in Marcie's office!!

If you ordered and haven't picked yours up please grab it one Sunday soon!!

Another Date to remember: **Saturday October 14th** is our POP UP SHOP Vintage. Vendor, Art. Craft. Show. It is a major fundraiser for Youth Missions so plan to help!! We are planning to have a small booth for WCYouth to sell some items that we create as a group. More details soon.



**Saturday
October 14
9am-4pm**

**Vintage
Vendors
Art and
Craft**

Wesley Chapel will host a Pop Up Shop open to a limited number of vintage dealers, direct sales vendors, artists and crafters. Applications can be obtained from the church office and Marcie Millholland for Wesley Chapel folk first before opening to the public. Email craftshow@wcumc.info

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