

## THE MANNS CHOICE CHURCH OF GOD WELCOMES YOU Are you new here?

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#### Thank-You, Thank-You, Thank-You

Angie and I would like to say how much we appreciate our church family. Your expressions of love through cards and gifts have just been such a blessing to us. We are so thankful that God has chosen us to shepherd this church family. We truly believe that we pastor some of the greatest people on the planet. Once again, thank you so much for showing us love. We are blessed.

#### **Invest in Your Marriage - 1st Sunday, Monthly**

**This evening, June 1**st, is the Marriage Small Group – for Engaged and married couples in every stage and season. We will be meeting the 1st Sunday of every month from 6-8pm. Please bring a dessert or snack, to share. Coffee will be provided. You may also bring drink to share if you'd like. For more information, please see the posting on the bulletin board in the foyer.

#### **Graduation Sunday -June 8th**

If you're graduating this year, we want to celebrate you! Please remember to fill out the graduation info form located in the foyer. Once you've filled it out, make sure to let a Pastoral staff member know so we can include you in the special service.

Don't miss this opportunity to be recognized for your hard work and achievements!

#### VBS Planning Meeting – Monday, June 9 at 6:30 PM

There will be a VBS planning meeting for Children's Ministry board members on Monday, June 9 at 6:30 PM. Please make plans to attend.

#### **Community Outreach**

We have three outreach events coming up this summer. Please be in prayer for people to participate and/or contribute, so that we can be successful in reaching our community. We will be hosting a Movie Night June 6th, Vacation Bible School July 23rd-25<sup>th</sup>, and Back-to-School Aug 13th. If you would like to participate in any way, please get in touch with one of the Pastoral staff.

#### **Camp Meeting**

Camp meeting is fastly approaching. For those of you that have been a part of the Church of God for a long time have fond memories of our summer camp meetings. These services are still powerful and still going strong. We invite you to mark your calendars for June 11-13 to attend one of the services at the Harrisburg First Assembly of God in Harrisburg, PA. For more information, please check the flyer in the foyer of the church. You don't want to miss this! We will be taking the church van on Friday night, June 13<sup>th</sup>. Dr Gary Lewis our General Overseer will be speaking. Sign up in the foyer if you would like to go.

\*\*We won't be having Classes Wednesday June 11, due to camp meeting\*\*

#### **Church Family Day**

We are excited to announce that we are planning a family day to Lancaster on Saturday July 19th. We will be going to Shady Maple Smorgasbord and Country Kettle Village for a fun time of food and fellowship. The Cost of Breakfast is \$16.99 (+20% service fee). After breakfast we will tour the Country Kettle Village and then return home. We will be leaving the church at 6:30AM. Please sign up in the foyer if you desire to join your church family on this awesome trip. We will be running both vans on a 1st come 1st serve basis. So, sign up early.

# Coming Up 06-01-2025

### Connect

#### **Pastor Dominic will be on Vacation**

May 26-June 4<sup>th</sup>. If you need anything youth related, please reach out to Pastor Aaron or Mike and Christine Shaffer.

#### **Bridge Out**

The bridge on RT 31, before the light, coming into Manns Choice will be under construction **starting June 3**. So, some of you will have to plan accordingly to arrive at church on time.

#### Family Movie Night - June 6 at 8:30 PM

Grab your lawn chairs, blankets, and the whole crew. Family Movie Night is happening on Friday, June 6 at 8:30 PM, and everyone's invited! This is a night for all ages to kick back, relax, and enjoy a movie under the stars.

We'll have food, drinks, and of course—plenty of popcorn. Whether you're 5 or 95, there's something for everyone. Bring your family, friends, and come make some sweet summer memories with us! Also, if anyone would like to be a part of the outreach team, please contact Pastor Dominic.

#### Youth Camp 2025 - Sign Up Now!

Parents, it's that time! Youth Camp July 1st-5th and your kids do not want to miss it. From powerful worship and unforgettable memories to games, bonfires, and all the snacks they can sneak—we've got it all! Need help or more info? See any of our youth leaders—we're happy to help you get your teen signed up for the best week of their summer!

#### SAVE THE DATE – VBS IS COMING!

Get ready for an exciting week of faith and fun—Vacation Bible School is happening on July 23, 24, 25, and 27! Mark your calendars now and start spreading the word. This is a week your kids won't want to miss, filled with joy, Bible lessons, games, and unforgettable memories. We're asking everyone to invite at least four friends or neighbors to join in on the fun. Let's pack the place and make this year's VBS the best one yet! More details will be coming soon!

#### **Crossover Youth is Taking Over Hershey Park!**

Teens, get ready for the sweetest trip of the summer—literally. We're heading to Hershey Park on Monday, July 29 and we want YOU to come with us. The cost is just \$37—which is less than a tank of gas, a new pair of Crocs, or a trip to the movies with snacks (barely). Important: Money is due. Once you're in, you're in, (payment is non-refundable.) Roller coasters. Chocolate. Youth group chaos. What more

could you want? Sign up now before the van fills up and you're stuck watching everyone else's Instagram stories.

#### **Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes**

Month of June collecting toys – cars, jump ropes, blocks, play doh etc. Also collecting WOW items all year. Your kindness in donating items monthly to OCC leads many children and their family to an opportunity for evangelism, discipleship, and the multiplication of believers and churches to the ends of the earth.

#### **Sunday Service Schedule**

Life Group 9:30 AM

Adult Class, church lower level

#### Sunday Morning Worship

**10:30 AM,** Cry room, in back of sanctuary, unstaffed. Infant and Toddler Room, church lower level, staffed.

#### Children's Church

**10:30 AM** — the first Sunday each month, there is no Children's Church due to children participating in the worship service for Student Ministry Sunday

#### **Intercessory Prayer**

**4:00 PM,** church sanctuary

I Timothy 2:1. "The Passion Translation" Most of all I am writing to encourage you to pray with gratitude to God. Pray for all men with all forms of prayers and requests as you intercede with intense passion.

June 15 - Celebrating Fathers June Dates: 1, 8, 22, 29

#### **Wednesday Service Schedule**

\*\*June 11 camp meeting - No Classes\*\*

7:00 AM Prayer, in Sanctuary

### Common Ground Young Adult Class

**5:00 PM**, church lower level, Room #8

#### **Choice Kids**

7:00 PM, church lower level, large room

#### **Crossover Youth**

7:00 PM, fellowship center

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