Page 4 HOW TO RECEIVE CHRIST

1. Admit your need. *"I am a sinner."*

 Be willing to turn from your sins.
 "I am sorry for my sins, Lord. Please forgive me."

3. Believe that Jesus Christ died for you on the cross and rose from the grave. *"I believe you did what you said you did—that you died on the cross then rose from the dead and have the power to save me."*

- 4. Through prayer, invite Jesus Christ to come in and control your life through the Holy Spirit. *"Please come into my life and change me. Make me a new person."*
- If you have recently received Christ, we would like to give you a Bible and some study materials. Contact Janine Miller if you are interested.

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Directory Photos—Is Yours Up-to-Date?

To help Pastor Aaron and his family get to know us a little more

quickly, make sure your directory picture is fairly recent. If you would like to submit an updated family photo (or even a good family selfie!), you may email it to scharlestonfirst.org.



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Events in Our Church Family

Today

5-9pm 6-8:30 pm

Monday

6-8:30 pm 6:30-7:30 p

Tuesday

6-8:30 pm VBS (Methodist Church) Church Reserved

Fellowship Hall Reserved

VBS (Methodist Church)

VBS (Methodist Church)

Campaigner's (Baldauff Residence)

Wednesday

6:30 am

6:30 pm

6:30 pm

7:00 pm

Men's Fellowship (Great Room) Junior High Night (Gilbert's) Quartet Practice (Sanctuary) Brass Practice (Sanctuary)

Thursday

7:00 pm Bryant Small Group (Bryant Residence)

Saturday

7:00 am

Men's Bible Study (Rice Residence)

Sunday – Speaker: Denny Moritz

8:30 am Traditional Worship Service
10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Contemporary Worship Service

FPC NEWS

Bible School Begins This Evening

All children in grades K-5 are invited to VBS at the Methodist Church this evening from 6-8:30pm. This year's theme is Polar Blast! Come at 5:30 for supper and stay for lots of fun! If you haven't yet registered your children, you can register them this evening.

To those of you who have signed up to bring food: Please have your food to the Methodist Church kitchen this evening by 5:00. Spaghetti should be cooked but not breadsticks.





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Thank You from Pastor Paul

Dear FPC family,

Thank you so much for a great send-off on June 24th and the very generous gift of a resort getaway to French Lick, Indiana. It was very kind of you and one that Marilyn and I will certainly enjoy. Thanks also for the many cards and kind words of appreciation for my time among you. I know that it has been a long walk in the wilderness in many ways, but it was a privilege to share part of the journey with you. Your friendship and fellowship in Christ these past ten months have been a great blessing to me and I look forward to staying in touch and hearing good news of God's work in South Charleston.

Sincerely in Christ, Paul Copeland

Welcome Basket



A Welcome Basket is being put together for Pastor Aaron and Sarah and their family. Products and gift cards from places that are local would be ideal to introduce them to the area. If you would like to contribute something, please have it to Louise Berrier by next Sunday, July 15th, so it will be ready for the White's first Sunday!

Pioneer Camp 2018



Dates: July 30–Aug. 1

Location: 4-H Camp Clifton (2256 Clifton Rd., Yellow Springs)

Campers: Kids entering grades 4-7 in the fall

Volunteers: Needed! See the display in the Fellowship Hall for what jobs need to be filled.

Theme: Pirates!! *Ahoy Mateys: Where be yer treasure?* (Matt. 6:20) **Camp Fees:** Campers: \$135 (discounts & scholarships available!)

Teen Helpers: \$75

Adult Helpers: Free

Questions? Contact Rachel Baldauff (937-215-2804)

Registration is now open at www.fpcconnect.org.

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Rearrangement News

You may notice things being a little "tighter" around the church over the next few weeks. Pastor Aaron and his family are moving into the manse—in fact, most of their things are already there—so everything that has been in the manse over the past twelve years such as offices, storage, classroom supplies, etc. has now been moved back to the church. Pastor Aaron will also be moving his office to the Prayer Room so it has been cleared out and will be undergoing renovation over the next several weeks. We are hoping to have it completed by July 22, Pastor Aaron's first "official" day here at FPC.

Many thanks to the Adult Sunday School class in the basement classroom who has been so gracious as to share their space with our Administrative Assistant, so if you're trying to locate Janine during the week, you may want to check out her new office in Room B-01 first.

Church Potluck on Welcome Sunday

There will be a church potluck following the 11:00 service on Sunday, July 22, to welcome Pastor Aaron and his family. We will be grilling hot dogs and hamburgers. Please bring a side dish and dessert to share. Hot dogs, hamburgers, buns, drinks, and paper supplies will be provided.



Note: If anyone would be willing to bring your grill or be willing to cook hot dogs and hamburgers on someone else's grill, please contact Janine Miller (soon).



We Have Too Much!

In cleaning out some areas around the church and manse this past week, we found lots of extra copies of books we no longer need or have room for. However, if you are interested in any of these items, we have set them out on the table in the Fellowship Hall. Please help yourselves!