

FAWN TALES

August 2021

Fawn United Methodist Church
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**Combined Services on
Sunday's @ 10:00am**

Adult Growth Groups
9:15AM

Hello Church,

The other day while driving I approached a stretch of a 2 lane highway where the speed limit decreased from 55 to 35mph. As I did the person in the lane beside me went right by me disregarding the road sign. Not that I have not found myself making the same mistake in the past, however this time I followed the instruction.

No, the driver didn't get pulled over, but as I approached the stop light there was the same car stopped and waiting for it to turn green. It was only the two of us on this road and as the timing worked out before I needed to slow to a stop the light turned green, and because I wasn't stopped I (following the speed limit) passed the same car that had just hurried by me to get ahead.

It made me think about how sometimes we try so hard to get where we are going in life and even think maybe some of God's instructions are not really instructions, but just suggestions. And we find ourselves tripping over our hurried selves. God, being the creator and author of life, knows how this life should be lived. What a blessing it is to take a deep breathe and slow down trusting that when we follow God's way, His timing will never let us down.

God bless, Pastor Dave

**PRAYER MINISTRIES OF
FAWN CHURCH**



Anointing and Pastoral Care: Our church family wishes to pray for anyone before surgery or at a time of illness. Anointing with oil and laying on of hands is offered and especially encouraged during Worship

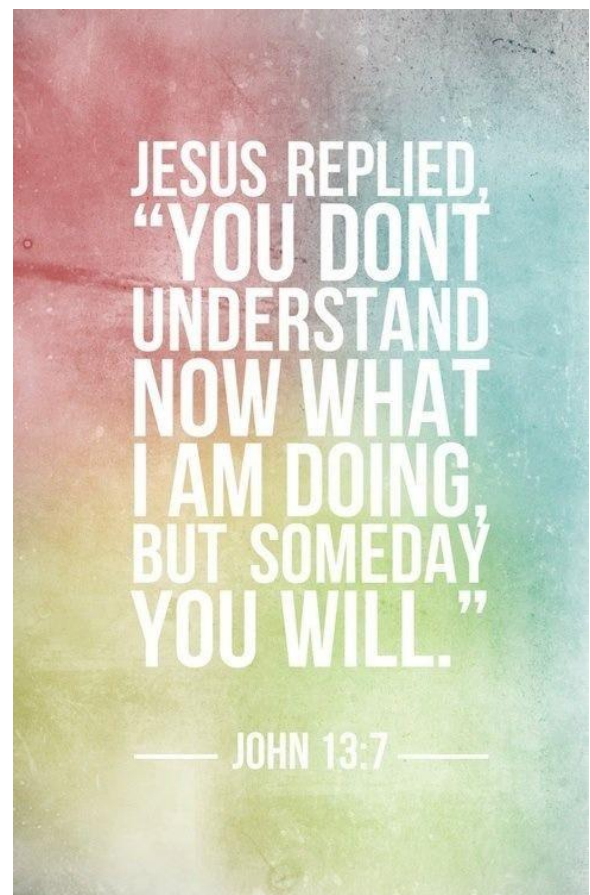
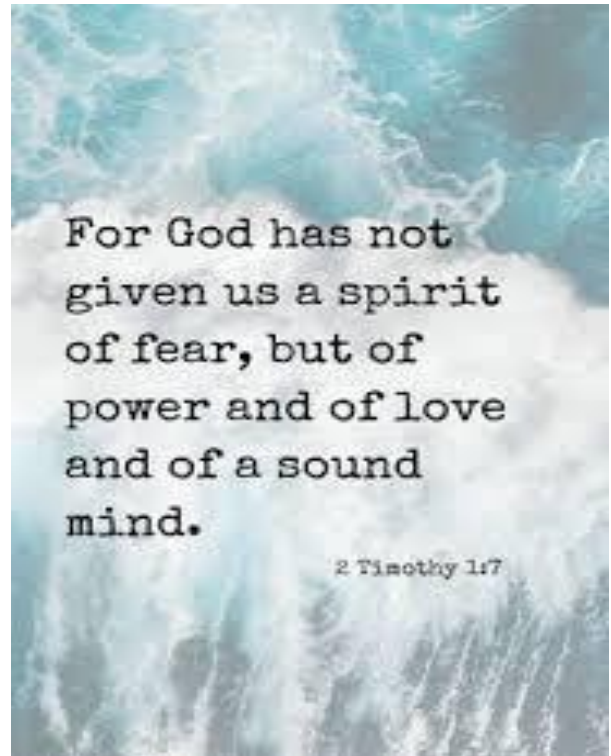
Prayer Book: Please see our prayer book on the stand in the lobby for names of those to Pray for and where you can request prayer.

E-mail Prayer Chain:

Call or email Church Office (717)382-4573
fawnumchurch@gmail.com)



Wendell & Elizabeth Hostler, Helen North,
David Holland, Raymond & Ella Mae Thomas,
Jill Lyman, Amanda Strumsky, Taylor Howell





Fawn UMW news:

Our **September meeting** will be on the **21st at 6:00** with a covered dish dinner. Chicken, drink and place settings will be provided. Please let **Ann Frey** know if you can make it, **(717)382-4759**, by **September 16th**.

This invitation is for all women of the church. Thanks a bunch.

October, November & December meetings held on 2nd Tuesday each month.



A PLEA for new choir members and returning members: We would like to start practice on September 23rd for senior choir and our first Sunday to sing will be Oct 3rd. It is our plan to sing twice a month, not every Sunday. Practice will be from 7:30-8:30 pm on Thursday evenings. Connie has consented to direct until we can find a director. Please help our choir to be able to continue the tradition at Fawn Church by bringing his word in song. Please pray that we may continue singing his praises but we need your help. One hour on Thursdays and one hour on 2 Sunday's a month can make this happen!

Missions/Backpack Program Information is Located in our Lobby



August 24th, 2021



Missions 2020/2021 Donations for Mission Central

Thank you to those families and church's who gave their time putting kits together.



The Mission Team and HUB are anxious to get things up and running again! We have been active behind the scenes, but we are looking forward to gathering in Mission again.

We have a meeting scheduled for **Tuesday, August 24th at 6:00 pm in the HUB** on the lower level of the Social Hall. If anyone is feeling a nudge to get involved or just to learn more about Missions, please join us for this meeting.

- Fawn Missions to date have received over \$6,000 in donations through the generosity of our congregation! You are AWESOME!
- Fawn HUB recently sent a more than half-filled box truck of medical supplies, computers & electronics, cleaning buckets, school kits, hygiene kits and other supplies to Mission Central to be distributed to those in need.

What a Blessing to be part of God's work!
Fawn Missions Team



Hello,

A friendly reminder for the **NEED** of the fleece blankets that require **NO SEWING**. They only need to be cut and tied. Instructions are in the lobby along with some material to grab and take home and then return when you are done.

HERE ARE SOME IDEAS FOR GROUP EFFORTS. I can host workshops for anyone willing to do this as a group. Anyone can also join us in the fall when sewing Saturdays return and we can guide you through making one. **THEY ARE EASY TO DO!!**

MOM'S GROUP:

Would you be willing to do this again as an evening of fun? We REALLY APPRECIATED the last donation you did as a group!!

YOUTH GROUP: This would also be an easy craft for the youth to join in the fun. I can be there for guidance.

I have my daughter, Stefanie, deliver them directly to the oncology floor. She does state that they HAVE NONE NOW and they do give them out all year long due to the times the children are cold even in the summer because of their treatments.

THANKS to all who have made them already and for anyone new willing to try.

REMEMBER, we are the ONLY church who is donating these WELL NEEDED AND TOTALLY APPRECIATED blankets!!

Because HE cares, so do I,
Jo Ann

Fawn Grove Boy Scouts Troop 83



Troop meetings are held on
Sunday's in the Fellowship Hall
@4pm

kareyreed@icloud.com

(Troop Leader is Karey)

Fawn Grove Girl Scouts Troop 20840



Meetings are usually held in the
Fellowship Hall on the First and
Third Wednesday each month
We accept girls KDG-12th grade
(717) 654-8297

girlmafia@hotmail.com

(Troop Leader is Danielle)

June Herbert would like to thank
everyone who came to her birthday
party.



Kids for Christ Worship

This is available for children in
preschool thru 5th grade.

Please come and join us as
children, each Sunday morning
at 9:30am.





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There will be no collection of casseroles for August. We will begin again in September! Thank you all for taking the time to give to others who are in need at this time.

Jack and Jeanie Maisch

May our lives
reflect our faith,
being generous
in giving,
and grateful
in receiving,
being a blessing
as we are blessed.

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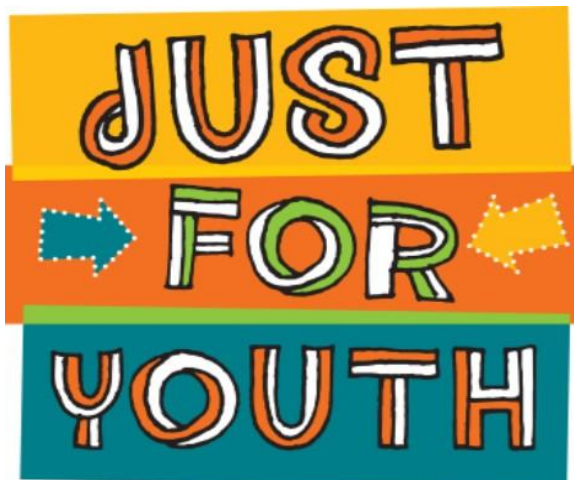
Projection/Sound 10:00 AM Combined Service

August

1 – August	Wernig
8 – August	Ayres
15 – August	Whiteford
22 – August	Hall
29 – August	Herbert

September

5 – Sept	Ayres
12 – Sept	Herbert
19 – Sept	Hall
26 – Sept	Whiteford



Schedule for Youth

Aug 8th - 5 to 7pm fishing
is being scheduled
Aug 29th will start
every week for the
2021-2022 year.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

1 Levi Sharnetzka	21 Beverly Morris
9 George Knight	22 William Males
11 Cathy Kirkwood	22 Arlene Zimmerman
12 Karlin Ortiz Clark	23 Sandra Smithson
17 Kyle Scott	24 Ed Absher
18 Robert Kirkwood	24 Richard Awalt
19 Melvin Glass	29 Alexandra Simmers
20 Charlie Crizer	29 Elizabeth Simmers
20 Erin Miller	30 Teresa Reuschling
21 Martin Miller	31 Linda Howe
	31 Barbara Reid
	31 Evah Sharnetzka



3 Melvin & Rachel Glass	14 William & Late Minnie Lowe
7 Jason & Jessica Armacost	23 Todd & Pattie Herbert
10 David & Christa Craig	27 Tom & Judy McShane
12 Bill & Karen Murrow	28 William & Anne Lowe