

# CHURCH OF SKIPPACK

## WORSHIP SERVICE

## May 05, 2024

## Thank you for joining us as we worship our Lord.

The Lord is my strength and my shield; in him my heart trusts, and I am helped; my heart exults, and with my song I give thanks to him. -Psalm 28:7

Announcements & Prayer

Scripture Reading

"How Firm A Foundation"

"You're Worthy Of My Praise"

"Reign In Us"

~ Junior Church Dismissal ~ (Preschool thru 5<sup>th</sup> Grade)

Ministry of the Word

Ezekiel 36:22-28 - "A Heart of Flesh"

Communion

"Worthy Is The Lamb"

Benediction

## **OUR MISSION**

"To glorify God by making as many people as possible fully devoted disciples of Jesus Christ."

Aria Mavvaji

Dave Matchette

#### MEMBERSHIP CLASS - MAY 5 to JUNE 2

Learn about church membership in our membership class. It started today and will continue on **May 12, May 26** and **June 2** at **9:15am**. This class is a prerequisite for membership. Sign up in the library **TODAY**.

## SPRING OF LIFE GIFT BAG EVENT AND ICE CREAM SOCIAL

The Women's Ministry is partnering with Springs of LIFE to provide gift bags for dancers at local clubs. Donations will be accepted in the library until **Sunday**, **May 26**. We will hold a gift bag assembly/ice cream social on **Wednesday**, **June 12** at **7:00pm** in church where we will hear more about this ministry. Sign up in the library.

## SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS: CULTURAL DISCIPLESHIP

We are again offering Cultural Discipleship sessions the **second Sundays of June, July** and August at 9:15am during Sunday School hours.

#### **GRADUATE RECOGNITION**

Cornerstone would like to recognize our graduates of class 2024. Graduates from High School, College, Graduate School, or a Certificate Program, will be recognized in our service on **Sunday, June 9**. If you (or your family member) graduated this past year or are graduating in 2024, please fill out the recognition card located in the library.

#### **GROWTH GROUPS**

Growth Groups meet in homes around Montgomery County and are a great place to connect. Find out more information on our website or Church Center app.

#### SERVING OPPORTUNITIES AT CORNERSTONE

If you are interested in knowing about opportunities to serve at Cornerstone, you can find information on the church website or you can complete a form from the library.

### **GROWTH GROUP CHILDCARE OPPORTUNITY**

Growth Groups are a great way for people in our church to connect with each other, but being interrupted by young children makes having meaningful conversations difficult. You can help! Volunteer to care for the children of a Growth Group. Your service will make a tangible difference to the parents as they connect in the church. The need is about 1-2 time per month. Please contact Aria Mavvaji if you are interested or sign up in the website.

#### **RECURRING EVENTS**

Prayer - the first, third and fifth Wednesday of every month at 7:00pm Volleyball Open Gym - every Thursday at 7:30pm

### MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Cultural Discipleship Part 1:	Sunday, June 09, 9:15am
House of Prayer:	Sunday, June 16, 9:15am
Cultural Discipleship Part 2:	Sunday, July 14, 9:15am
Vacation Bible School:	Sunday, July 14 to Thurs, July 18, 6:00-8:30pm
House of Prayer:	Sunday, July 21, 9:15am
Cultural Discipleship Part 3:	Sunday, August 11, 9:15am
All Church Picnic:	Saturday, August 17 at Camp Haycock
House of Prayer:	Sunday, August 18, 9:15am
Lehigh Valley IronPigs Game:	Friday, August 23

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
05	06	07	08	09	10	11
<b>5:00pm</b> Youth Bible Study	<b>7:00pm</b> RISE Bible Study		Living Forward	<b>7:30pm</b> Volleyball Open Gym <sub>(Ages 16+)</sub>		<b>8:30am</b> Men's Bible Study
			<b>7:00pm</b> Men's Study -"Raising Kingdom Kids"			

### **OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK**

## SUNDAY SCHOOL (Sundays at 9:15am)

We have three adult classes for May:

- Know the Word Part 2
- Explore the Bible
- Membership Classes will be held on May 5, May 12, May 26 and June 2. Sign up in the library TODAY.

# CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

## children@skippackchurch.com

Sunday School: Nursery - 5<sup>th</sup> Grade at **9:15am** Worship Hour: Nursery - 5<sup>th</sup> Grade at **10:30am** Children's Choir & Summit Kids - Resuming September Vacation Bible School - Sun, July 14 to Thurs, July 18

## YOUTH MINISTRY (Gr 6-12)

Travis@skippackchurch.com Sunday School - Sundays at 9:15am Bible Study - Sundays at 5:00pm ° Pool Party - Sun, June 9, 12:30-4:00pm • Lake Day Trip - Sun, August 3, 8:00am-8:30pm

## RISE (College & Early Career)

Aria@skippackchurch.com Bible Study - Mondays at 7:00pm (off-site) ° Retreat - Fri, May 17 to Sun, May 19 Memorial Day Outing - Mon, May 27, 7:00-9:00pm

# WOMEN'S MINISTRY

women@skippackchurch.com

Wednesday Bible Study 10:00am - The Triune Godhead. Moms Playgroup 2nd & 4th Fridays at 10:00am at church THRIVING Women (for young women) - 3rd Tuesdays at 7:00pm, info: thrivingwomen@skippackchurch.com

 Spring of LIFE Gift Bag event - Wed, June 12, 7:00-9:00pm. Donations accepted until Sunday, May 26

# <u>MEN'S MINISTRY</u>

## men@skippackchurch.com

Men's Bible study - "Raising Kingdom Kids" Wed, 7:00pm, until June 5

Men's Bible Study - Revelation, Sat, 8:30-10:30am, until Jun 15 @ Tom Vetterani's home

- Men's Breakfast Sat, Jun 1, 8-10am, Sign up in library
- Men's Summer retreat June 7-8, Beaver Run Hunting & Fishing Club. Pick up a brochure in the library for more info. Register online OR in the library by May 26

# **ENCORE** (55<sup>+</sup>)

# encore@skippackchurch.com

- C.S. Lewis Onstage: Further Up & Further In- Saturday, June 22, 2-7pm, Miller Theater, Philadelphia. Tickets \$85 due **TODAY**. Pay and reserve spot in the library.
- America's Keswick Dinner Concert featuring Greater Vision – Tuesday, Aug 27, 3:00-11:00pm. Tickets \$25 due by May 26, sign up & pay in the library.

# LIVING FORWARD (Widows/Widowers)

Sight & Sound "Daniel" & Lunch- Wed, May 8, 9-4pm

Sat Shuffle-May 18,4:30-7pm Roy Ann Diner, Sellersville

## ELDERS

Travis Dykes, Family Pastor Travis@skippackchurch.com

Justin Gibides JustinG@skippackchurch.com

Todd Givler Todd@skippackchurch.com

Dave Matchette, Senior Pastor Dave@skippackchurch.com

Aria Mavvaji, Executive Pastor Aria@skippackchurch.com

Brent Moyer Brent@skippackchurch.com

Steve Robertson Steve@skippackchurch.com

OUR ELDERS ARE AVAILABLE IN CASE OF PASTORAL EMERGENCY

#### <u>DEACONS</u> Michael Cahill

Bill McNatt

Ruth Ann Moyer

Mary Rothenberger

Blair Rush

Abe Sauder

Ways to Give: offering boxes in the back, online, or in app



App Store

#### Sermon Text: Ezekiel 36:22-28 "A Heart of Flesh"

<sup>22</sup> "Therefore say to the house of Israel, Thus says the Lord GOD: It is not for your sake, O house of Israel, that I am about to act, but for the sake of my holy name, which you have profaned among the nations to which you came. <sup>23</sup> And I will vindicate the holiness of my great name, which has been profaned among the nations, and which you have profaned among them. And the nations will know that I am the LORD, declares the Lord GOD, when through you I vindicate my holiness before their eyes. <sup>24</sup> I will take you from the nations and gather you from all the countries and bring you into your own land. <sup>25</sup> I will sprinkle clean water on you, and you shall be clean from all your uncleannesses, and from all your idols I will cleanse you. <sup>26</sup> And I will give you a new heart, and a new spirit I will put within you. And I will remove the heart of stone from your flesh and give you a heart of flesh. <sup>27</sup> And I will put my Spirit within you, and cause you to walk in my statutes and be careful to obey my rules. <sup>28</sup> You shall dwell in the land that I gave to your fathers, and you shall be my people, and I will be your God.

EZEKIEL READING PLAN

April 21	Ezekiel 33			
April 28	Ezekiel 34-35			
May 5	Ezekiel 36-37			
May 12	Ezekiel 38-39			
May 19	Ezekiel 40-46			
May 26	Ezekiel 47-48			
Next Sunday's Passage:				
Ezekiel 39:25-29				

610-584-8086 *skippackchurch.com* office: cornerstone@skippackchurch.com prayer requests: prayer@skippackchurch.com