

More at Madison

CONNECTION GROUPS

The following are the groups to choose from.

Sunday

Ladies ABF Class 9:00 am
Contact: Wendy Souzis

Jon and Wendy Souzis
4878 Saw Grove Court
Grove Port,
7:00 pm

Paul and Diane Barnes
5098 Perrywinkle Court
Groveport
6:30 pm

Tuesday

Rich and Sarah Vogt
1931 Limetree Road
Grove City
7:00 pm

Ladies PM Group
Fireside Room
7:00 pm
Contact: Donna Steinhauser

Thursday

Bill and Phyllis Corallini
3267 Oakland Hills Drive
Pickerington
7:00 pm

Please take advantage of this wonderful opportunity to become more connected with the Lord, with others, and with Madison Christian Church.

May 30, 2010 Attendance

Morning Worship 459
ABF/Sunday School 95
2010 Decisions 15
Wednesday Night Activities N/A
Sunday Evening Senior High 0
Sunday Morning Stewardship \$9,282.62

Church Office Hours:

Monday through Friday - 8:30-12, 1-5 p.m.
3565 Bixby Road, Groveport, OH 43125
Phone: (614) 491-3232

Services: Sunday – 9:00 and 10:30 a.m.
Madison Christian School: 497-3456



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The Worship Service Today

Getting Ahead of God

June 6, 2010

Call to Worship

Proverbs 3:5,6

Worship Leader

Matt Archibald

Message

Paul Barnes

Communion

Mike Seckman

Sermon Notes

Genesis 16:1-6, Page 10

1.) Avoid "_____ planning."

2.) Wait _____ the Lord.
Psalm 27:14 "Wait for the Lord. Be strong and take heart and wait for the Lord."

Psalm 38:15 "I will wait for you, O Lord; you will answer, O Lord my God."

Psalm 130:5, "I wait for the Lord, my soul waits, and in his word I put my hope."

3.) Living by _____ is living without scheming.

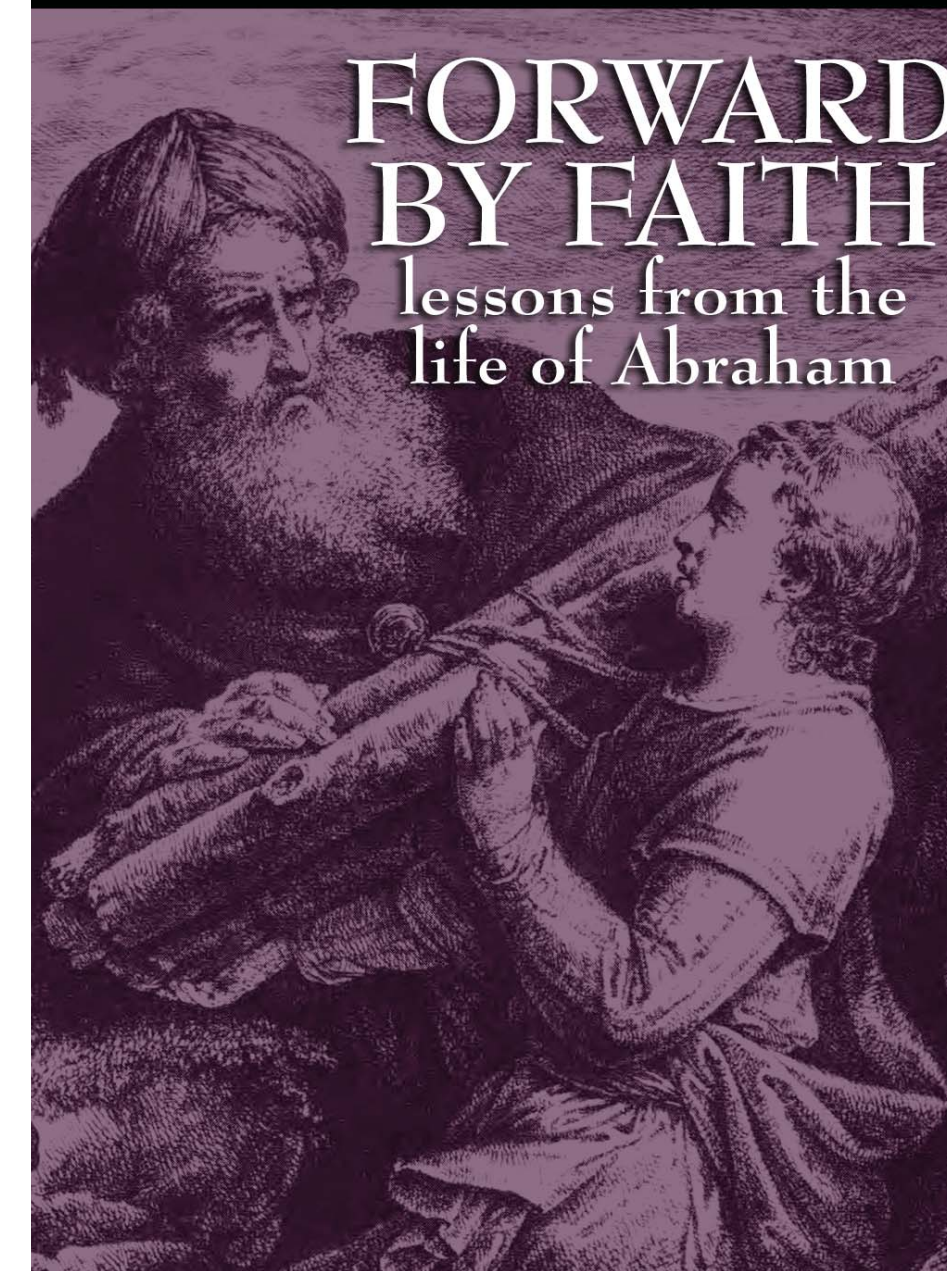
4.) Outside the will of God, no one is happy.
VV. 4b – 5

5.) God is seeking **BOTH** our good and his _____.
Hebrews 11:12

6.) A good _____ principle: People may agree with you, the law may support you, but if God cannot bless it do not do it.

Classes and worship available for all ages during the worship services. Please ask at the Welcome Center.

Madison Christian Church



FORWARD BY FAITH

lessons from the
life of Abraham

Getting Ahead of God

Welcome to Madison Christian Church

*The Mission of Madison Christian Church:
Reaching people for Christ and helping
believers grow to be like him.*

We are honored by your attendance in our worship service today. Do you need help of any kind? Would you like to know more about becoming a follower of Jesus? Do you want the ministers to pray for you? We are available and here to serve you.

NURSERY

In order to enhance your ability to worship, a nursery with experienced staff is provided during the service. If necessary, a cry room is located at the right side of the worship center. Thank you for helping us promote an atmosphere of worship for all.

AS A COURTESY

Please turn off all cell phones and pagers prior to the beginning of the service. Thank you.

COMMUNION

The Lord's Supper is served weekly in remembrance of Christ. Jesus invites all who love Him to be his guests. Please partake as the emblems are passed.

BAPTISM

Today you may witness a baptism. This act pictures the death, burial, and resurrection of Christ in the person being baptized. If you wish to discuss your own baptism, please contact a staff member at 491-3232.

STAYING IN TOUCH

Please record your attendance and prayer requests today on the enclosed MCC Communication card and hand it to one of the staff or ushers or drop it into the offering plate.

SMALL GROUPS & ABF

Develop genuine friendships while having conversations that center around real life issues and the Bible. Call the church office to get plugged in to one of these groups!



Pastor's Perspective

A parable is an earthly story with a heavenly meaning. That is what we are teaching this year at Vacation Bible School. Our theme for VBS is called, "Pair-Of-Bulls".

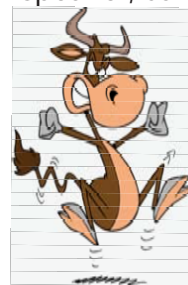


When our young people walk away from VBS 2010 we want them to know what heaven is going to be like and how to get there. So on Monday, we will be talking about the Parable of the Sower, on Tuesday, the Parable of the Wise and Foolish builders, on Wednesday, the Parable of the Talents and the Parable of the Lamp Stand, and Thursday will be on the Parable of the Mustard Seed.

In addition to the lesson, we will have skits that will support the lesson, along with praise and worship. Also, after the skits there will be a time of discussion where each grade will discuss the lesson in a small group setting. This is a time where we want to make sure that our young people understand what they have been taught that night. Of course each night isn't complete without crafts, recreation, and snacks!

One of the main components of VBS is raising money to support a mission. We found out that one of the villages in Zimbabwe, Africa has received a dairy cow for the first time and that there are a couple more surrounding villages that also really need a dairy cow. Our VBS goal is to help out these villages by raising money so they can purchase a dairy cow. We would like to raise enough money to purchase two dairy cows. Each cow will cost \$400 dollars to purchase. I know we can reach this goal, so please be praying!

Over the next two weeks, I would like to ask the congregation at Madison to be praying about VBS. Pray for our volunteers who will be working with our young people each night sharing and showing our kids Jesus! Pray for our speaker, Jarrett Samuels, who will be teaching about heaven



to our young people. Pray that our young people will be receptive to the Word, and that they will have a passion to get to know what heaven is like and have a desire to get there.



Hope to see your children at VBS!

Pastoral Staff

Paul Barnes
Senior Minister

Matt Archibald
Minister of Music and Worship

Jason Hauser
Children's Minister

Justin Olson
Youth Minister

Kirk Olney
Director, Pastoral Care

BABY SHOWER

There will be a baby shower for Pregnancy Decision Health Center on Saturday, June 26, in the Fireside Room from 2-4 pm. Our goal is to supply PDHC with baby gifts for the mothers who come to them for help. Janelle Crabtree and Brooke Seckman will give testimonies...life as a young mother. Refreshments and baby sitting will be provided. Please RSVP to Brooke Seckman by Sunday, June 20 at (614) 205-8586.



MADISON FAMILY NIGHT



Family night at Huntington Park Friday, July 23, at 7:00 pm. Lets watch the Columbus Clippers and the Pawtucket Red Sox. Tickets are \$6.00 for adults and \$3.00 for kids 12 and under. Sign up and pay for your tickets at the booth in the lobby.

KINGS ISLAND

Attention all Junior High Students!!! Want to go to Kings Island with us on June 22nd? The cost will be \$35. **All** students need to fill out a MCC Teen Medical Release Form.

CIY this year is at Lee University in Cleveland, TN! The dates are July 12-16. Total registration is \$200 and a deposit of \$50 is due by June 13th.

WAFFLE HOUSE

Thursday, June 10 will be the last time that we can visit the Waffle House in Grove City on Stringtown Road, to raise money for the Zimbabwe mission trip. Please join us from 2:00 - 9:00 pm.

HOMELAND

Join us on Sunday, July 4th for our Patriotic Celebration, where we will honor all Central Ohio Military, Police, Fire and EMS. Special tribute to all retired personnel and Vets!

NEXT SUNDAY:

Sunday, June 13, 2010
"Not a Laughing Matter"