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Connections

Exchange Street Church of Christ, Inc.
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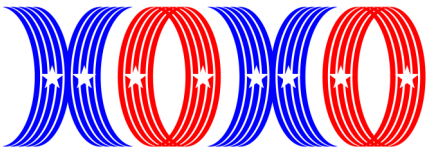
Remembering on Memorial Day
Thank You, Veterans!



Standing Firm in the Faith

The media of our world is constantly reminding and calling us to be "politically correct," and then suggests what the consequences may be if we fail to march to their drum beat. We desperately need to stop and examine what we are being told to do against what is **BIBICALLY CORRECT** and what is submitting to God's Will. Paul's reminder to the Corinthian church is applicable to us today: ***"Be watchful, stand firm in the faith, act like men, be strong."*** 1 Corinthians 16:13

Spiritual warfare is a reality in the life God has for you. Get on your toes and be aware, be alert, and be armed. The devil is real. This is not a time to embrace spiritual apathy or lethargy. This is not a time to retreat. Choose to live in the opposition readiness mode. God has given you everything you need to march victoriously in this life. God has equipped you to overcome the enemy!

"Praying at all times in the Spirit, with all prayer and supplication. To that end keep alert with all perseverance, making supplication for all the saints." Ephesians 6:18

Get on your knees and pray. Praying is like flying: when you stop, you drop! Prayer is your lifeline. Prayer is your communication connection to the Commander-in-Chief. Strive for unbroken fellowship with God.

"Fight the good fight of the faith. Take hold of the eternal life to which you were called and about which you made the good confession in the presence of many witnesses." 1 Timothy 6:12

Get on your feet and fight. God has armed you for battle. Stand firm! You may lose some battles, but as a child of the King, you win the war! Walk in the power of the Holy Spirit who was a grace gift to you at the time of your "salvation" (baptism). Spiritual warfare requires spiritual power. God provides this power by the Holy Spirit living in you. You are the walking tabernacle of the Presence of God. Because of Jesus - Jeff

Sunday's Sermon

"The Transfiguration"
Text: Matthew 17:1-8

Adult Class Format Changes for Wednesday Evenings:

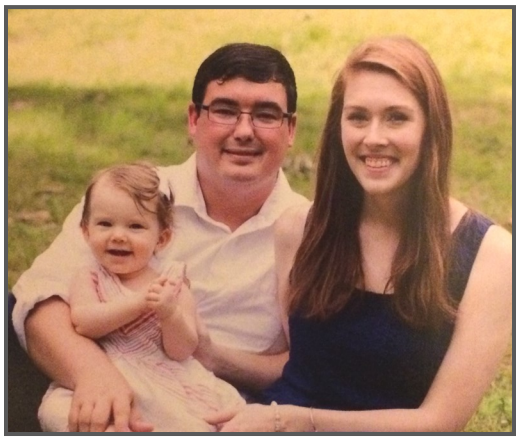
On Wednesday, July 11, we will start up THREE new Bible Classes. There will be a Ladies class taught by Cathy McKinney & Lori Morrow, a Men's class taught by Bobby Williams & Joe Morrow, & a Co-ed class taught by Steve Bing & Jeff Kenee. Topics & classrooms will be announced as soon as they are determined.

UPCOMING EVENTS

KID'S NIGHT OUT, 6-8:30p "School's Out Party," Fosters	5/25
THETFORD/CHERRY WEDDING, 5p, Music 4:30p	5/26
OCNH WORSHIP, 3:30p	5/27
MEMORIAL DAY— OFFICE CLOSED	5/28
LADIES BIBLE STUDY, 10a, Fireside Room	5/29
DIABETES CLASS, 4-5p, North Room	5/29 5/30
PRIVATE EVENT, 10a-4p, FS PRIVATE EVENT, 1-5p, Gym	6/2
YOUTH SUMMER KICK-OFF 6-8:30p, Fosters	6/2
ELDERS MTG., NR, 2-5p	6/3
VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL Carnival Kick-Off, 5-6p	6/3
BIRTHDAY BASH, 6p	6/3
VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL	6/4-6/6

WELCOME SELLERS FAMILY

Jay Sellers officially began working with us as Youth & Family Minister this past Sunday, May 20. Jay & almost-two-year-old Hadley are in Union City & Ashley will join them soon. Jay's office is upstairs above Jeff's. Jay writes:



As I embark on my work here, I am mindful for the example of Christ set in love, service, sacrifice, generosity, peace, and holiness, and the verses recorded about the early church in Acts 2:42-47. I pray we are a people devoted to teaching, fellowship, the breaking of bread, and prayer. That we would give of our means to serve those in need, to be mindful and generous towards each other and to all people. May this bring us growth towards Christ and bring others to our number.

Thank you all for welcoming our family here so warmly. We are excited to be here and to work with you to serve this community for God's glory.

KidsForChrist [age2-grade5]

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL - "Pandamania: Where God is Wild About You!!!!" Monday through Wednesday, June 4-6, 5pm to 7:30pm for Children, with Adult Class from 6pm to 7pm. Pre-registration forms & T-shirt order forms are on the table in Hall. **CARNIVAL KICK-OFF:** 5pm-6pm Sunday, 6/3. Adults are welcomed to join the Kids in Auditorium or attend class in Annex #11. June Birthday Bash will follow at 6pm in Gym.

MID-WEEK MISSIONS — Wednesdays 6pm-7pm.

Reelfoot Youth Camp

July 8-13 , 2018

Developing Heroic Habits: Becoming Disciplined Disciples

John 15

For Campers Entering 4th-12th Grades

$110 with $50 deposit by June 10
$125 after June 10

Brochures at entrances