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To be the head, heart and hands of Jesus Christ, driven by God's love for our church and the world beyond.

NEWS & NOTES

June 22, 2018

UPCOMING EVENTS

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Date: Monday, June 25-Thursday, June 28

Time: 9:00am-11:30a.m.

Place: Christian Fellowship Center

VBS registration is full. See you soon at Peace Lab!



VBS WRAP-UP PARTY

Date: Sunday, July 1

Time: 11:30 a.m. following Worship

Place: Christian Fellowship Center

Come join us to celebrate the end of Vacation Bible School July 1st following worship for pizza and fellowship. We will have various artwork and activities on display for all to see!

**GAME NIGHT! A
CHURCH FAMILY FUN
NIGHT FOR ALL AGES**

Date: Friday, July 20

Time: 6:00pm

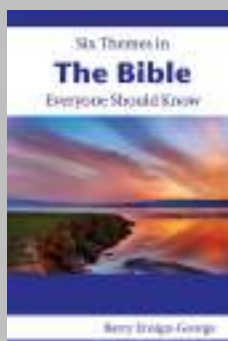
**Place: Christian
Fellowship Center**

Hope to see you there!



For additional upcoming events, be sure to visit our [website](#)

GROWTH GROUPS



**SIX THEMES IN THE BIBLE
EVERYONE SHOULD KNOW**

Dates: Sundays through July 1

Facilitator: Steve Davis

Times: 8:45am to 9:45am

Location: Hospitality Room

Six Themes in the Bible Everyone Should Know is a 5-week class facilitated by Steve Davis taking a wide angle look at the Bible and tracing the great arc of God's creation "from the garden to Garden City." It explores themes that begin in the early chapters of Genesis, span the pages of Scripture, and end with the glorious vision in the book of Revelation of the new Jerusalem, the city of God's redeemed people. Purchase of the book of the same name by Barry Ensign-George is encouraged but not mandatory.

SECRETS OF THE VINE BOOK DISCUSSION

Dates: Sunday, July 8-August 26

Facilitator: Drew Fisher

Times: 8:45am-9:45am

Location: Hospitality Room

This class is a [book](#) discussion on the 15th chapter of the Gospel of John. Dr. Bruce Wilkinson, the author, explores what it means to have abundant life in Christ and how to experience the joy of making maximum impact for

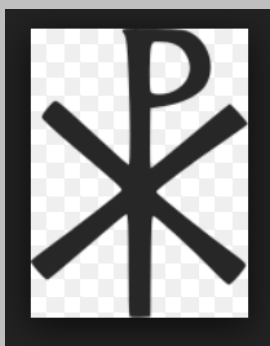


God. We will look at four levels of fruit bearing and three surprising secrets that will open your eyes to your unrealized potential in Him. No need to purchase the book; we will share both reading the book aloud and discussing its biblical insight for our lives.

THANK YOU

I would like to thank everyone for their telephone calls, cards and prayers during my recent surgery. The surgery was more extensive and recovery will be much longer than anticipated. My physical therapy will last several months and will be very painful. I am truly blessed to be a member of Southminster and be surrounded by so many loving and caring people. – *Jerry Craig*

STEPHEN MINISTRY CORNER



Over the last few months, we have discussed the Stephen Ministry Compass.

We have described the four points of the compass: Compassionate; Full of Faith; Skilled; Trustworthy. At the center of the compass is the **Chi-Rho** symbolizing Christ. Jesus is the center of the Stephen Ministry.

Stephen ministers visit with people who are injured, lonely, grieving. A Stephen minister works to be an instrument of God's love; a caring and encouraging listener; walking with their care receiver as God effects healing in a hurting heart. *This month's article was submitted by Al Herner, a well-liked and respected member of our Stephen Ministry Team. He will be missed.*

INFORMATION OF INTEREST

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING - **THIS SUNDAY!**

Session has called a special congregational meeting **June 24**, immediately following worship. The purpose of this meeting will be to elect an Associate Pastor Nominating Committee (APNC).

IN NEED OF A ZUMBA VOLUNTEER

Brent Manley at Westminster Presbyterian Church is looking for a volunteer who could lead a Zumba class for their Day Camp on July 30 and 31st from 3-4pm for 4th through 8th graders. This would be a volunteer job, not paid. If you are interested, please contact Brent directly at 430-7036.

PCUSA GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Wondering what's been going on at our denomination's national assembly? Click [here](#) to get all the news from the PCUSA General Assembly in St. Louis.

CHILDREN AND YOUTH

YOUTH OUTING: SKY ZONE – THIS SUNDAY NIGHT!

Come jump with us at Sky Zone tonight! Friends are welcome. We will meet at Sky Zone. Please RSVP to Kim at Kim@sminster.com. If youth have not been to Sky Zone in the last year, please complete the online waiver which can be found at www.skyzone.com/dayton.

Who: Youth going into 4th grade – just completed 12th grade

When: Sunday, June 24, 6-8 p.m.

Cost: \$10

TWEEN MISSION WEEK - JULY 9-13

Grades 4-8

Youth from Southminster and Sugar Creek Presbyterian Church will work together to make a difference in our community. Mission projects include working with the Dayton Food Bank, the Dayton Peace Museum, Kirkmont Camp, One Bistro and more.

Contact Kim@sminster.com to sign up.

Cost: \$20

Mon, July 9 9 AM – 4 PM

Tues, July 10 9 AM – 4 PM

Wed, July 11 8:15 AM – 4 PM

Thurs, July 12 9 AM – 4 PM

Fri, July 13 9 AM – 4 PM

Visit our website for information about Southminster's [Children's ministry](#) or [Youth ministry](#)

CONTRIBUTIONS

Southminster Contributions – 2018*

Period	Budgeted Contributions	Actual Contributions	Excess/ (Shortfall)
Last Week	\$9,503	\$6,844	\$(2,659)
Year to Date	\$228,072	\$257,095	\$29,023

* as of June 18, 2018

To close our full year deficit budget, we need to increase collections or decrease expenses an average of \$2,100 per week.

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