

ASBURY ACADEMY
Spring Semester 2017
Small Groups & Ministries

Activity Groups

CUBS SCOUTS

Developing character and experiencing new adventures for boys in 1st -5th Grades.

TIME: 1st & 3rd Sundays at 11am (Room 101)

Contact Person: Clark Dixon
Phone Number: (304) 725-9634
Email: dixonconsultants@aol.com

LIFE & BASKETBALL

A great opportunity for children and youth to develop life skills and improve in basketball. This is designed to benefit all basketball skill levels; beginner to advanced.

Middle/High Girls
Middle/High Boys
2nd - 5th Grade Boys & Girls

TIME: TBD

SUGGESTED DONATION: \$50 per child

Contact Person: Pastor Tommy Murray
Phone Number: (304) 876-3112
Email: tmurray@4pillarchurch.org

MISSIONS & OUTREACH

Connecting the church in service and witness to the community through missional events and opportunities.

TIME: 1st Sundays at 1pm (Gathering Place)

Contact Person: Susan Berry
Phone Number: (304) 876-3112
Email: smberr610@gmail.com

Study Groups

FOR MARRIED MOMS ONLY

A women's life group specifically targeted to meet the needs of married women with children. This group will allow married mothers to connect and be refreshed, renewed, and revived through the study of God's word, prayer, and fellowship.

TIME: Friday evenings or Sunday afternoons.
Times and location TBD

Contact Person: Heather Murray
Phone Number: (304) 876-3112
Email: hcysmom@aol.com

FAMILY CONNECTION

Currently studying of the Lord's Prayer using the resource: Journey Into Powerful Prayer. Meeting in the Carr family home in Charles Town.

DATE: 2nd & 4th Saturdays
TIME: 11am -12:30pm

Contact Person: Theresa Carr
Phone Number: 304-283-3886
Email: tacaugust@hotmail.com

BOOMER COVENANT BIBLE STUDY

Bible Study in a small group setting. Building a relationship with God and each other through studying God's Word and sharing life experiences. Meeting in the Boomer family home.

DATE: 4th Mondays
TIME: 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. (Shepherdstown)

Contact Person: Pastor Pam Boomer
Phone Number: (304) 876-3047
Email: pboomer@citlink.net

COUPLE'S ENRICHMENT GROUP

Studying God's word as it applies and relates to the institution of marriage in biblical times as well as in today's society. Special Outings: 4th Saturday at 6pm-9pm

TIME: Sunday at 9:30am (Room 106)

Contact Person: Pastor Pam Boomer
Phone Number: (304) 876-3047
Email: pboomer@citlink.net

DESIGNING YOU (Women's Life Group)

The DYWLG is for all women ages 18 and up. Study topics are bible based and address women's concerns, issues and social events.

TIME: 10am - 11am (Fellowship Hall)

DURATION: Saturdays: March 25, April 1 and April 8

Contact Person: Minister Sharon Pittman
Phone Number: (240)310-0300
Email: spittman@4pillarchurch.org

HOUSE TO HEART DISCIPLES

A small group lead by the Holy Spirit so that we can fulfill our purpose to make disciples of all nations. Meets in the Carr Family home in Charles Town.

TIME: Tuesday at 6:30pm – 8:00pm

DURATION: On-going

Contact Person: Minister Kenneth Carr
Phone Number: (304) 279-2218
Email: kennethcarrsr@gmail.com

MANPOWER

Bible Study from a man's point of view and it is an on-going study. This is a great place for men to connect, grow, and become stronger men in their homes, the church, and society.

TIME: 2nd & 4th Saturday 9am-10am (Room 102)

DURATION: On-going

Contact Person: Minister Vernon Hunter
Phone Number: (304) 283-9733
Email: info@4pillarchurch.org

MID-WEEK MINGLE

Refreshments, music, sharing and learning. Using special resources, we will learn how to fortify and fence in, fight for, and enjoy the fruits of harmony and progress within our families. Join us!

TIME: Wednesday 6:30pm-8pm (Fellowship Hall)

DURATION: On-Going (break to be announced)

Contact Person: Dr. Rudy Bropleh
Phone Number: (304) 876-3112
Email: pastorb@4pillarchurch.org

SEASONED SERVERS

Discussions on biblical themes and Scriptures using the Adult Bible Study Curriculum.

TIME: Sunday at 9:30am (Room 102)

DURATION: Ongoing

Contact Person: Minister Clarence Branson
Phone Number: (304) 876-6098
Email: cbranson@4pillarchurch.org

NOON DAY BIBLE-READING FELLOWSHIP CAFÉ

The Bible is being read aloud by Max McLean, author & founder of Fellowship for Performing Arts, while attendees listen and follow along with their Bibles. The Café is open immediately following Bible reading. Lunch is provided each week by volunteer groups.

TIME: Tuesday, 12 Noon - 1pm (Fellowship Hall)

DURATION: On-Going

RESOURCE: Bible (New International Version)

Contact Person: Barbara Burger
Phone Number: (304) 876-8073
Email: monroeburger@aol.com

SUNDAY ADULT LIFE GROUP

This group helps members grow spiritually and develop a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ through Bible study, prayer and fellowship. The current study topic is David Platt's book *Counter Culture*.

TIME: Sunday at 9:30am (Room 101)

DURATION: On-Going

Contact Person: Lynn Myers
Phone Number: (540) 635-0695
Email: info@4pillarchurch.org

TWEEN TIME CONNECT

A study group designed for faith exploration and life application bringing "tweens" together to GROW in Christ.

TIME: Sunday at 9:45am- 10:45 (Room 104)

DURATION: February 12 - April 9

Contact Person: Heather Murray
Phone Number: (304) 876-3112
Email: hcysmon@aol.com

Contact Person: Art Gales
Phone Number: (304) 283-2838
Email: gales413@comcast.net

THE LEVITES: Pulpit Ministry

This group is for those who feel called to preach, teach, pastor, or serve in the pulpit as a minister. This is a **Closed** Group. Please contact the team leader if you have this type of calling on your life.

TIME: 4th Sundays at 5:00 pm
DURATION: Ongoing
LOCATION: TBD

Contact Person: Minister Patricia Hosby
Phone Number: (304) 279-9238
Email: tricia1950@comcast.net

Worship Groups

PRAISE TEAM

To usher people into the presence of God through the ministry of praise and worship.

TIME: Thursday before 1st & 4th Sunday, 6:30pm
Saturday before 2nd Sunday at 10 am (Sanctuary)

Contact Person: Keshawn Mullens
Phone Number: (240) 469-9055
Email: ksnowden0125@gmail.com

AMBASSADORS FOR CHRIST CHOIR

Ministers through music every 2nd Sunday at 11am. They sing a mixture of Traditional and Contemporary Gospel as well as acapella Spirituals.

TIME: 1st & 2nd Saturdays at 11am (Sanctuary)

Contact Person: Loretta Holmes
Phone Number: (304) 876-1231
Email: info@4pillarchurch.org

MIGHTY MEN OF GOD

Men's Choir serving as witnesses for Jesus Christ through Songs of Praise. They minister on 4th Sundays at 11am.

TIME: The two consecutive Tuesdays before the 4th Sunday at 7pm (Sanctuary)

SANCTUARY CHOIR

Ministers through music every 1st Sunday at 11am. They sing a mixture of Traditional and Contemporary Gospel music.

TIME: Practices are held on the two Thursdays before 1st Sunday at 7pm (Sanctuary)

Contact Person: Barbara Burger
Phone Number: (304) 876-8073
Email: monroeburger@aol.com

3RD Day Praise (Praise Band)

Specializing in Contemporary Christian and Gospel music with passion and soul. The team leads Praise & Worship every 3rd Sunday at 8am and 11am.

Contact Persons:

Turner Truiett: ttruiett@gmail.com
Nikki Murry-Henry: n_murry@hotmail.com
Phone Number: (304) 876-3112

THE ENSEMBLE

A small group that ministers throughout the year for special occasions. It uplifts the name of Jesus and inspires others through the ministry of music.

TIME: Varies. Practices are held in the evening two or three times prior to singing (Sanctuary)

Contact Person: Kalisa Wright
Phone Number: (304) 876-3112
Email: kalisawright@msn.com

WITNESS MINISTRY (MULTIMEDIA)

This team works the sound board, cameras, and the media slides during worship. They also utilize social media and the church website. No experience necessary. Training is provided.

TIME: All Worship Experiences

Contact Person: Cheryl Roberts
Phone Number: (304) 876-3112
Email: cdloberts@4pillarchurch.org

NURTURING MINISTRY

(Parking Lot Attendants, Ushers, Greeters)

Offering the gift of hospitality and generosity from the parking lot to the sanctuary and everywhere in-between.

TIME: During all Worship Experiences

Contact Person: Kathie Bropleh
Phone Number: (304) 876-3112
Email: kdbropleh55@gmail.com

DRAMA TEAM

Dramatically presenting the hope and love of Christ as it is interwoven into the fabric of life.

TIME: Practices & performances vary

Contact Person: Minister Sharon Pittman
Phone Number: (240) 310-0300
Email: spittman@4pillarchurch.org

GRAPEVINE MESSENGERS

Puppet Team

Team members help to write/prepare scripts; practice puppet parts and do setup and takedown of stage for performances. Sharing the Gospel through puppets.

TIMES: Practices & performances are as needed
Saturday at 10-11:30am Sunday at 9:30-10:30am

Contact Person: Charlotte Frasch
Phone Number: (304) 263-9611
Email: cfrasch1@juno.com

MONTHLY PRAYER SERVICE

Coming together for a time of prayer, intercession, and hymn singing.

TIME: 3rd Thursdays at 7pm (Fellowship Hall)

Contact Person: Minister Clarence Branson
Phone Number: (304) 876-6098
Email: cbranson@4pillarchurch.org

SUNDAY 8AM CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Offering spiritual development in a fun and innovative environment for children.

TIME: Sunday at 8:15am (Rooms 103 & 104)
(starts after Praise & Worship)

SUNDAY 11AM CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Offering spiritual development in a fun and innovative environment for children. Kids go directly to Children's Church upon entering the building.

TIME: Sunday at 11am (Gym)

Contact Person: Pastor Tommy Murray
Phone Number: (304) 876-3112
Email: tmurray@4pillarchurch.org

Administrative/Support Groups

BREAKFAST CLUB

A time for worshippers to gather together to feed the body and the spirit. The club helps prepare breakfast each Sunday.

TIME: Every Sunday after the 8am worship experience (Fellowship Hall)

Contact Persons: Dorothy Lucas - 304-240-8767
Minister Pat Hosby - 304-901-4434
Email: tricia1950@comcast.net

CHURCH COUNCIL

Bringing the Church leaders together to determine the goals of Asbury, provide tools to accomplish the goals, and monitor their accomplishment. These are "open meetings" congregants are welcomed.

TIME: 3rd Sunday at 1pm Bi-monthly
(Mt. Zion Conference Room)

Contact Person: Charles Cranford
Phone Number: (304) 876-3112
Email: golfer.man25@yahoo.com

STEWARDSHIP

Provide opportunities and encouragement for church members to give the best of their time, talents, and resources; to be good stewards in all facets of their lives.

TIME: Meeting dates/times TBD

Contact Person: Clark Dixon
Phone Number: (304) 725-9634
Email: dixonconsultants@aol.com

TRUSTEES

The Trustees help take care of all the church's properties so that the church can accomplish its mission and ministry.

TIME: 3rd Saturday at 9am (Room 102)

Contact Person: Dr. Carl Frasch

Phone Number: (304) 263-9611

Email: cfrasch1@juno.com

STEPHEN MINISTRY(Care & Counseling)

Stephen Ministry provides one-on-one care to people going through a crisis or difficult times. The Stephen Minister offers distinctively Christian care and support.

TIME: 2nd & 4th Saturday, 8am-10am (Room 106)

Contact Person: Pastor Pam Boomer

Phone Number: (304) 876-3047

Email: pboomer@citlink.net

STAFF PARISH RELATIONS COMMITTEE

(SPRC) Key responsibilities include pastors' evaluation, development & revision of ministry positions, hiring, conflict resolution, & policy creation and implementation. This is a **Closed** Group. Please contact the team leader to join, or if you would like to attend the meetings.

TIME: Once a Month on Saturday at 9am-12pm

Contact Person: Scott Doleman

Phone Number: (304) 876-3112

Email: sbradforddoleman@yahoo.com

FINANCE TEAM

Nurtures the financial vitality of the congregation and supports the mission and vision of the church. This is a **Closed** Group. Please contact the team leader if you want to join the Team or attend the meetings.

TIME: 3rd Tuesday at 7pm - 8:30pm

Contact Person: Robin Hosby

Phone Number: (304) 876-3112

Email: rhosby@shepherd.edu