The World of the Church

Acts 17:27-31

Paul's Ultimate Goal in Athens

Understand that your ignorance is inexcusable. (vs 30)

Understand that God is calling you to repentance. (vs 30)

Understand that **the** (righteousness) **judgement day has been set**. (vs 31) Understand that **God is God**. (He raised Jesus from the dead.) (vs 31)

That they should (vs 27)

And perhaps (vs 27)

Yet He is actually **not** (vs 27)

As even some (vs 28)

For in Him we (vs 28)

For we also are (vs 28)

Being then (vs 29)

Truly the (vs 30)

But **now** He (vs 30)

Because He (vs 31)



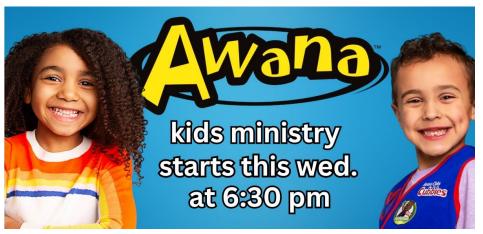
Financial Stewardship/ Previous Week

Tithes \$ 15,830.15

Missions \$ 1,372.00

Total \$ 17,202.15





Awana Kids Ministry program kicks off this Wednesday. If you have children or grand children and you do not know about **AWANA**, I encourage you to check it out. It is a fun and interactive ministry aimed at equipping children with the Word of God.

Our 9:00 am **Chapel Worship** will (prayerfully and hopefully) reach more young families. While this is exciting, it will also create the need to have more volunteers in **AWANA** and all areas of Ardella **Kids Ministry.** If you are interested in finding out more about volunteer opportunities in this area, please fill out a Communication Card and drop it in the offering plate or hand it to a greeter at the Welcome Desk as you leave worship.

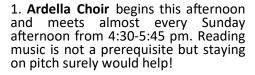
Chapel Worship will be doing a soft launch Sunday, September 15th. We invite you to come give it a try. We have been working hard on this service all summer long. We will have a full community launch on October 27th. This 9 am worship service meets in **the Chapel** (in the Family Ministry Building) will be band led, have interactive teaching and a coffee house atmosphere.

Don't forget that we have Church-Wide Prayer tonight at 6:00 pm.!!!

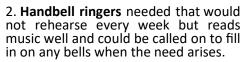
WORSHIP ARTS MINISTRY

"Our Music Ministry is growing and we need more help!"







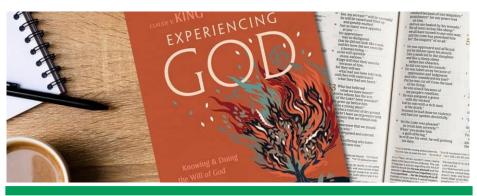




3. Orchestra needs more instruments: woodwinds, and trumpets would be a nice addition. All three of those groups lead worship approximately once a month. Other needs include praise band instruments electric [·] guitar, percussion, keyboards, etc. on a rotation basis. See Brad Weishaupt for more info.

EXPERIENCING GOD BIBLE STUDY

Experiencing God is a Bible study that guides you to experience the kind of relationship with God through which you come to know and do His will. Through examination of biblical and contemporary illustrations, you will understand and apply seven realities of experiencing God. You will be helped to better understand how to experience God intimately daily. Experiencing God is a 13-week Bible study that begins this Wednesday, August 28th at 6:30 pm in Room 105. The cost of the course study guide is \$15. Please sign up in the Foyer this morning. If you have never experienced this Bible study as part of your spiritual journey, I encourage vou to do so. ~ Pastor Max



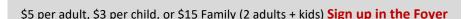


We strive to be a healthy tamily where all generations grow as disciples of Jesus Christ.

Wednesday Night Meal & Dessert

5:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall

MENU: TACO SALAD AND DESSERT



DISCIPLESHIP OPPORTUNITIES & UPCOMING EVENTS

CHOIR PRACTICE

4:30 PM in the Fellowship Hall

CHURCH-WIDE PRAYER

6:00 PM in the Worship Center



CHILDREN'S / STUDENT MINISTRY

Wednesdays at 6:30 pm

MEN'S / WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Wednesdays at 6:30 pm

COMMUNITY BIBLE STUDY: WHO IS, WHO WAS, WHO IS TO COME

Begins Wednesday, August 28th at 6:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall

AWANA MINISTRY FOR CHILDREN AGE NURSERY - 5TH GRADE

Begins this Wednesday, August 28th at 6:30 pm

CHURCH-WIDE PRAYER

TODAY at 6:00 PM in the Worship Center

CHURCH-WIDE PRAYER & COMMUNION

Sunday, September 8th, 6 pm

ARISE 2 READ TRAINING

Monday, September 9th, 10 am-Noon in Room 105



SIGN UP!