# Welcome to

# CORNERSTONE MINISTRIES Building Lives & Families on Lasting Values



Welcome Friends! We are so glad to have you here with us today! It is our hope that at Cornerstone Ministries, you will find a friendly environment and experience meaningful worship and relevant messages that address the everyday concerns of life from a godly perspective. Please make yourself at home.



I'm so excited about our all-church series. The Chosen. It's a fresh look at Jesus and those around Him, and it's unique from anything I've experienced before. We've all seen the big stories about the miracles and healings and teachings of Jesus. This series will look at the intimate relationships of Jesus with those that He called to be His followers, and it's one of the most humanizing portrayals of Jesus you will likely

During The Chosen, you will see how Jesus interacts with many types of people as He works His first miracles and embarks on His ministry to change the world.

I hope you will be with us for the whole series, and - if possible - benefit from sharing your insights in one of our Chosen small groups as well.

Dr. Donn S. Chapman, Senior Pastor

#### **TODAY AT CORNERSONE**

#### WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE!

Guests can exchange their tear-off at the Welcome Center in the Lobby for a special gift.

#### **VIEW RECENT MESSAGES**

At www.cornerstonelive.net, On Demand page, Services.

#### **FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

Need Each Week: ----- \$73,000.00 Rec'd last Week: ----- \$67.211.25 Need to Date: ----- \$2,993,000.00 Rec'd to Date: ----- \$2,887,212.32

Mortgage Balance (as of 10/5):

\$953,592,60

#### **VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY**

#### **OCC PACKING PARTY VOLUNTEERS:**

Join our Kidz OCC Packing Party team on November 7 from 11 - 12:30 p.m. It'll be a great opportunity for you to help kids serve Jesus by assisting them in packing 150 shoeboxes that will be sent around the world. Questions? Contact: Joanne Fitz, (724) 733-0070 x245.



#### **IMPORTANT DATES & INFORMATION**



#### KIDZ S'MORE FUN EVENT

Cornerstone Kidz will be hosting the S'more Fun event on October 23 for kids age 5 years - grade 5 & their families. This will be an outdoor event with tons of activities, and a few activities inside the church. This is a community outreach and we're asking families to serve together in one of two sessions: 4-6 or 7-9 p.m. Contact Joanne Fitz for more info at (724) 733-0070 x245.



#### **CORNERSTONE Y.A. FALL RETREAT**

Cornerstone's Y.A. Ministry is having a Fall Retreat on October 23-25 at Laurelville Christian Retreat Center. The cost is \$99 per Y.A. Register online at www.cornerstonelive.net. > Happening Now > Fall Retreat. Registration deadline is THIS weekend, October 18. For more info, contact Pastor Steve at (724) 733-0070 x252 or spink@cornerstonelive.net.



#### WEDNESDAY NIGHTS AT CORNERSTONE

Wednesday night programming will begin on Wednesday, October 28. We will be offering two Academy classes, JUMP at the Children's Ministry, and Wednesdays at The Warehouse with the Student Ministry. Be sure to read the insert for details and class descriptions. You can register on the bulletin tear-off or sign up online at www.cornerstonelive.net/ministries.



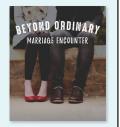
#### **LUVMYFAM MESSAGE SERIES**

Before there was a country or a government God made families, it was His first institution. And here at Cornerstone, we're in the business of building into families. Our LUVMYFAM series starts next weekend, with topics focused on parenting, marriage, and even our broader church family here at Cornerstone. You won't want to miss any of it.



#### **NIGHT OF WORSHIP**

You are invited to join us November 1 at 6 p.m. as we take some time together as a church family to intentionally pursue God's presence through worship and prayer. It will be an evening you won't want to miss as we expect God to do some great things in our time together! Contact Pastor Trent Cowart for more information at tcowart@cornerstonelive.net.



#### **BEYOND ORDINARY MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER**

Are you looking to move your marriage beyond ordinary to extraordinary? Join us on Saturday, November 14, 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. to hear Justin and Trisha Davis remind us that marriage is always worth fighting for. Doors will open at 8:00 am for a light breakfast. Cost per couple is \$25. Register online at www.cornerstonelive.net. For more information, contact Pastor Mark Pastoria (mpastoria@cornerstonelive.net) or Pastor Mark Thomas (mthomas@cornerstonelive.net).

#### **TEAR-OFF FORM**

October 17-18, 2020

#### **VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY**

#### **OCC PACKING PARTY VOLUNTEERS:**

☐ Yes, I can help at the OCC Packing Party.

#### **OTHER OPPORTUNITIES**

#### S'MORE FUN EVENT:

- ☐ Yes. I would like to serve at the S'more Fun Event Outreach at:
  - \_\_\_ 4-6 p.m.
- \_\_\_ 7-9 p.m.

#### THE ACADEMY AT CORNERSTONE:

- ☐ Yes I plan to attend the academy. I am interested in the following class:
- \_\_\_ Serve & Influence
- \_\_\_ The Prophecies of Daniel

Number attending class: \_\_\_\_

#### JUMP:

☐ Yes please register my child(ren) for JUMP.

Child's Name & Age

Child's Name & Age

Child's Name & Age

Name		
Phone		

Email \_\_\_\_\_

#### The Samaritan Woman at the Well

Series: The Chosen Week: 8 October 17 & 18, 2020

#### I. GOTTA GO to Samaria

<sup>4</sup>And he [Jesus] had to pass through Samaria.

(John 4:4)

#### II. Water, husbands, and WORSHIP CENTERS

<sup>6</sup>Jacob's well was there; so Jesus, wearied as he was from his journey, was sitting beside the well. It was about the sixth hour. <sup>7</sup>A woman from Samaria came to draw water. Jesus said to her, "Give me a drink." (John 4:7)

<sup>16</sup>Jesus said to her, "Go, call your husband, and come here." <sup>17</sup>The woman answered him, "I have no husband." Jesus said to her, "You are right in saying, 'I have no husband'; <sup>18</sup>for you have had five husbands, and the one you now have is not your husband. What you have said is true." (John 4:16-18)

<sup>19</sup>The woman said to him, "Sir, I perceive that you are a prophet. <sup>20</sup>Our fathers worshiped on this mountain, but you say that in Jerusalem is the place where people ought to worship." (John 4:19-20)

#### III. Savior of the WORLD

<sup>25</sup>The woman said to him, "I know that Messiah is coming (he who is called Christ). When he comes, he will tell us all things." <sup>26</sup>Jesus said to her, "I who speak to you am he." <sup>42b</sup>"We know that this is indeed the Savior of the world." (John 4:25-26, 42b)

#### **OUR ALL-CHURCH SERIES DISCUSSION GUIDE**

Week Six: Samaritan Woman at the Well Week of October 18

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When you were growing up with whom were you told not to associate?

**Watch the video:** (full episode 50:40) (clip 42:00 – 49:05)

- 1. What did you catch about Jesus this week?
- 2. Describe the cultural customs Jesus challenged?
- 3. Why did Jesus violate these customs?
- 4. What is significant about Jesus revealing who he is for the first time to this Samaritan woman?
- 5. Have you ever felt like an outcast?
- 6. What was biblical and what was artistic license in this episode?
- 7. What character or scene impacted you the most in this series?





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#### 8. What was biblical and what was artistic license in this episode?

Jacob buys a plot of land and digs a well Genesis 33:18-19

God wrestles with Jacob and breaks his hip

Genesis 32:22-25

Certificate of divorce

Deuteronomy 24:1-4, Matthew 19:7

Pharisees come to Matthew's house

Mark 2:15-17

Caiaphas was the high priest

Matthew 26:3

Son of Man

Daniel 7:13

Peter's mother in law is healed by Jesus

Mark 1:29-31

Jesus and his disciples travel thru Samaria

John 4:4





#### Come See What Wednesday Nights Are All About at Cornerstone Ministries!

When it comes to spiritual or personal growth, we have something for everyone. In addition to Academy classes for adults, we also offer JUMP and Wednesday at the Warehouse for your kids and teens.



## Academy Class: Serve & Influence

Are you new to Cornerstone Ministries? Have you been attending for a while, and you're wondering how to strengthen your spiritual walk? How can you connect more with others in the church and use your gifts and passions to serve others? What role can you play in sharing the Good News of Jesus with those in your circle of influence?

An exciting new track of classes has begun on Wednesday evenings this fall. This session will include the topics Serve and Influence, and each class will last 3 weeks.



#### Serve: Oct 28 - Nov 11

taught by Steve Pink, Y.A. Pastor

God has created each of us with unique gifts and talents. His intention is for us to use them to benefit His Kingdom, spread the Gospel, build the church, and serve our communities. In fact, identifying and using these gifts is essential to the vitality of the church and to our own spiritual growth.

In Serve, you will learn about your unique spiritual gifts and personality. We will then explore how your abilities and experiences are a part of God's plan for you and His church.



#### Influence: Nov 18 – Dec 9

taught by Brian Smith, Pastor of Caring and Recovery

As Christians, we are called to be Christ's witnesses and to testify to the gospel of God's grace to those around us. How do we practically share our faith with positive and meaningful influence? In this course on *Influence*, you will look at the ways that you can share your faith in your home, at work, and in the community in which you live.

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#### Academy Class: The Prophecies of Daniel

taught by Dr. William Glaze, Pastor of Bethany Baptist Church

In the first six chapters of the Book of Daniel, we focused on Daniel the man. In the last six chapters, we will focus on Daniel the prophet. The prophecies Daniel foretold in 7-12 are a powerful testimony to the fact that God is the great mind behind all prophetic predictions. In this part of the book, we will examine several fascinating prophecies—the clash of the several beasts representing World Kingdoms, the work of the Messiah, Israel's past and future history, and the role of the Antichrist in the End Times. Come join us for this breathtaking study of Scripture.



#### JUMP

On Wednesday nights, The Children's Ministry offers kids (birth-grade 5) a high-energy, Bible-centered environment where they can grow in their faith. We get creative with crafts, play games and learn about Jesus every Wednesday from 7-8:15 p.m. Kids check-in opens at 6:45 and childcare is available (for kids birth through age two). Space is limited.

#### Wednesday at the Warehouse

This is our Wednesday night program for middle and high school students (grades 6-12). We know that the teen years are a crazy time of transition in life. Wednesdays offer a mid-week break and a chance for your student to relax, hang-out and connect with friends, while exploring and reinforcing their personal relationship with Jesus. Wednesdays from 7-8:15 p.m.

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# HONORING GOD 2020

Will you honor God with your vote this election day?

# As a Christian, 5 reasons why I should care about government and about voting.

- 1 Government was Instituted by God

  Romans 13 and 1 Peter 2 show us that government was instituted by God,

  created with a special purpose and responsibility: to punish evil and reward those
  who do good. Government is God's means of establishing justice and justice is so
- who do good. Government is God's means of establishing justice, and justice is so important to God since His Son was killed on the Cross to satisfy its requirements.
- 2 Government Officials are Ministers of God.

  Romans 13 calls government officials ministers of God, meaning they are, in effect, servants of the Lord. Just as pastors are ministers of the Church, elected officials are ministers of God in government, and they have a job to do for Him. This should change the way we view our elected officials. This is why the Bible calls us to pray, submit, and honor those in authority. (1 Tim 2, Rom 13, 1 Pet 2)
- 3 Government Cannot Properly Do Its Job Without the Church
  How do governments of the world determine good and evil? Left on their own,
  governments often get it wrong. Government needs informed Christian citizens
  to provide a standard for what the Lord has called good and what He calls evil.
- 4 Law Matters

The law has never been able to save, and we are free from the penalty of sin. But the moral law comes from the character and nature of God, standing as a teacher and shaper of culture. Godly leaders pass laws that help guide society to see what is right and to protect people by making it more difficult to sin.

### 5 You Get to Choose

As Americans, we are a government by, of, and for the people, so we get the privilege of choosing those who serve in government. As Christians we also know that God expects us to be good stewards of this opportunity and to select the best, most qualified people to serve as ministers in government. **Our right to vote is a gift God has given us to use to honor Him.** (Matt 25: 14-30)

Where can I Register? How can I vote?

Where can I vote?

For complete information visit pafamilyvoter.com

Last day to register Monday, Oct 19th

How do I get a mail-in ballot?

Visit VotesPA.com by

October 27 to apply

When is election day?
Tuesday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>
polls are open from
7:00am to 8:00pm

