BIBLE STUDIES Sunday 10:00 am All ages General Bible Study Child Care provided Tuesday 6:30 pm Men's Bible Study Wednesday 9:30 am Adult Bible Study Wednesday 6:15 pm Pot Luck Dinner 5:45 pm General Bible Study groups

All study groups are open to all who are interested

TWO SUNDAY SERVICES AT FCUMC 8:40 am Contemplative Worship a setting in which we quiet ourselves in order to open our souls to the ministry of God within us.

11:00 am Traditional Service PLEASE COME AND JOIN US WE WOULD LOVE TO HAVE YOU WITH US.

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God himself is more beautiful and satisfying than any of the things we want from him.

ote by John Mark Come

### June 29, 2014

# UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

**FIELDS CHAPEL** 

### WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS

We are honored that you have chosen to worship with us today. If you have any questions, please see our Pastor, April Ellis.

Our restrooms, nursery, classrooms, offices, kitchen and fellowship hall are located on the lower level of the church. Please make yourselves at home.

Children of all ages are welcome to stay and worship with us. However, children 6 years and under may visit the nursery which is located downstairs staffed by a CPR/First Aide trained teacher.

### **Upcoming Event Notice**

On Sunday, July 27<sup>th</sup>, we welcome VERY SPECIAL GUESTS to our 11 a.m. service. The choir from The Lodge at Bridgemill have graciously agreed to come sing for us as we all settle back into our end of summer and beginning of school routines. Please turn out to support these wonderful people as they begin to take their special gift "on the road".



# FIELDS CHAPEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH VISION

Fields Chapel UMC will be an instrument of God where people are transformed through God's love and grace for the transformation of the world.



# Get Your Can To Church!!

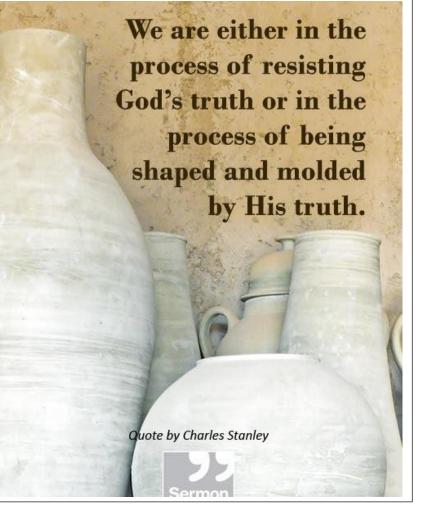
Help us help Must. They are in need of non-perishable food items. Please see the list below and get your can to church!!

Sugar, Flour, Baking Soda, Baking Powder, Oil, Cereal, Oatmeal, Pancake Mix, Pop Tarts, Granola Bars, Spaghetti Sauce, Pasta, Rice, Ramen Noodles, Peanut Butter, Jelly, Popcorn, Chips, Canned Tomatoes, Canned Corn, Canned Beans, Canned Fruit

**TYPE 1 CRAFTING** 50% of all proceeds go to JDRF to find a cure www.etsy.com/shop/teamleyton See Beverly Morgan for details bwmorgan16@comcast.net



BE SURE TO VISIT OUR WEBPAGE FOR On- going news www.fieldschapel.org



## Notice!!!

I have just been informed that the cost of engraving the bricks for the Prayer Garden path will be going up at the end of the year. If you wish to purchase a brick for a loved one, please order now and save.



# PLACING ADS & INFORMATION IN NEWSLETTER

If you would like to place an ad or information in the Newsletter, please have your information to Kathy James no later than the Thursday BEFORE the Sunday you want your ad to appear. You can email the info to k.james@fieldschapel.org



# MEN'S TUESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY

Just a reminder that the Men's Bible Study group meets every Tuesday evening at 6:30 pm. All are welcome. It is not necessary to attend all classes, or is it necessary to purchase any of the materials. Please come and join us as we would love to have vou.

#### THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Today: Dream Team Meeting 12 pm Tues: Men's Bible Class 6:30 pm Wed: Adult Bible Study 9:30 am Pot Luck 5:45 pm Bible Studies 6:15 pm Choir Practice 5:00 pm Next Sun: 8:40 am Service 9:30 am Breakfast at the Chapel 10:00 am Sunday School 11:00 am Service

## UPCOMING EVENTS

TODAY: Dream Team Meeting
7.16.14: Bowling with God 5:30 -7:00 pm
If you are interest in information about any of the above events, please email
Kathy James at kjames@fieldschapel.org

The GIFT Club would like to welcome Marsha Kumar as our Summer Sunday School Guest Teacher. In previous years, Marsha has coordinated Sunday School programs for several different churches, designed curriculum and has trained other teachers on how to start and make their programs successful. She is highly qualified, to say the least. What a gift for our Sunday School program to have Marsha! We are so thrilled and grateful her commitment for the Summer beginning next Sunday, May 24th. Please be sure to give her

### GIFT CLUB LEADERS/CHAPERONES NEEDED!

As we enter into the Summer months, GIFT Club attendance tends to increase and Leadership/Chaperones decrease. If you are available to help with GIFT Club during the months of June and July, please contact Shannon McNutt at (404) 626-0679 or email at teammcnutt@gmail.com. Acts 20:35 In all things I have shown you that by working hard in this way we must help the weak and remember the words of the Lord Jesus, how he himself said, "It is more blessed to give than to receive."



The GIFT Club is adding a coffee bar "He-Brews" to our Sunday School Class and Wednesday Night programs. Although we have most items that we need from our Fellowship kitchen, we are still in need of a few other donations that might include: Blender (for iced coffee), coffee maker, flavored syrups, flavored creamers, favorite coffee recipes, chocolate syrup, caramel syrup, mini chocolate chips, hot chocolate). *Hebrews 10:25* "And let us not neglect our meeting together, as a habit of some, but encouraging one another"



### \*UPCOMING SUMMER CHILDREN & YOUTH EVENTS

Wednesday, 7.16.14: BOWLING WITH GOD

5:30-7:00 p.m. Meet us @ Cherokee Lanes, 1149 Marietta Hwy, Canton What to bring? \$1.39 one game, \$4 Shoe Rental, \$\$\$ for concession & games, BRING A FRIEND!

### Please...We Need You

Not an event goes by that we do not hear about the importance of our youth and children, not only to The Chapel, but to God's Kingdom. We are in need of your help in leading our Sunday School programs for both our youth and children. Please do not just read this request and let someone else step up. We need YOU! Yes you, please see Rev. Anne, Ms. Sherry Cornish, or Ms. Shannon McNutt today. Not tomorrow, today.



### Wednesday Morning Adult Bible Study Group

Please come and join us on Wednesday mornings for our adult Bible study group. All are welcome. All you need is your Bible. If you don't have one some are available.

9:30 AM



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for General GIFT Club News



**STUDENTS ONLY** Text @giftstuden to (404) 721-1304 for Student Geared Texts

Connect to your Youth Director, Shannon McNutt: (404) 626-0679 Mobile/ texting okay teammcnutt@gmail.com

Find GIFT Club happenings online @: http://fieldschapel.org/ministries/youth



lsaiah 40:9c-31; 41:1-14 (NRSV)	<sup>27</sup> W
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"Here is your God!"	"My
<sup>10</sup> See, the Sovereign LORD comes with power,	m
and he rules with a mighty arm.	God
See, his reward is with him,	<sup>28</sup> Do
and his recompense accompanies him.	Ha
<sup>11</sup> He tends his flock like a shepherd:	The
He gathers the lambs in his arms	the the
and carries them close to his heart;	He w
he gently leads those that have young.	an
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<sup>21</sup> Do you not know?	<sup>29</sup> He
Have you not heard?	an
Has it not been told you from the beginning?	weak <sup>30</sup> Ev
Have you not understood since the earth was	
founded?	an <sup>31</sup> bu
<sup>22</sup> He sits enthroned above the circle of the earth,	wi
and its people are like grasshoppers.	They
He stretches out the heavens like a canopy,	th
and spreads them out like a tent to live in.	th
<sup>23</sup> He brings princes to naught	
and reduces the rulers of this world to nothing.	He h
<sup>24</sup> No sooner are they planted,	an
no sooner are they sown,	He tu
no sooner do they take root in the ground,	to
	<sup>3</sup> He
than he blows on them and they wither,	unsc
and a whirlwind sweeps them away like chaff.	by
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<sup>25</sup> "To whom will you compare me?	<sup>4</sup> Wh
<b>Or who is my equal?</b> " says the Holy One.	through
<sup>26</sup> Lift up your eyes and look to the heavens:	ca
Who created all these?	the b
He who brings out the starry host one by one	"I, tl
and calls forth each of them by name. Because of his great power and mighty	an
Because of his great power and mighty strength,	
not one of them is missing.	
not one of them is missing.	

My way is hidden from the LORD;	
my cause is disregarded by my	
God"?	
<sup>8</sup> Do you not know?	
Have you not heard?	
The LORD is the everlasting God,	
the Creator of the ends of the earth.	
Ie will not grow tired or weary,	
and his understanding no one can	
athom.	
<sup>9</sup> He gives strength to the weary	
and increases the power of the	
veak.	
<sup>9</sup> Even youths grow tired and weary,	
and young men stumble and fall;	
<sup>1</sup> but those who hope in the LORD	
will renew their strength.	
They will soar on wings like eagles;	
they will run and not grow weary,	
they will walk and not be faint.	
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Ie hands nations over to him	
and subdues kings before him.	
Ie turns them to dust with his sword,	
to windblown chaff with his bow.	
He pursues them and moves on	
inscathed,	

Why do you complain, Jacob?

Why do you say, Israel,

by a path his feet have not traveled before.

<sup>4</sup> Who has done this and carried it through,

calling forth the generations from the beginning?

"I, the LORD—with the first of them and with the last—I am he." Dear Pastor Ellis, Church Family, Friends and Staff of Fields Chapel UMC,

As your Youth Director, I am so grateful to the parents and students of the GIFT Club for the opportunity and honor that has been bestowed upon me to spiritually educate and pour into the students. I have learned so much from the Fields Chapel leadership team, parishioners, staff and students. I feel so privileged that God placed me at Fields Chapel during a very historic time. I saw how our church community pulled together in a very trial period. For that, I am very proud.

My family has been nothing but transparent when it comes to our struggles with our 21 year old daughter, Sandee. My family has been broken by our daughter's drug addiction. My decision to resign my position of Youth Director can be described in one word, FAMILY. God has guided my family to a place where we can begin to heal our brokenness. Running a successful ministry like GIFT Club requires complete dedication of time, spirit and mind. I would be doing the youth ministry an injustice by not fulfilling my promise to God where my own family is concerned. God has prepared my family for reconstruction and that must be my priority.

My family will forever be grateful to the Swanger family for bringing us to Fields Chapel UMC three years ago. The Fields Chapel parishioners are amazing souls who love God and strive to serve Him every day of their lives. God has worked in my life during these last 3 years and I believe I have grown and will continue to grow as I follow where God leads me all the days of my life.

I will not forget the season that God allowed me to be in the lives of these intelligent, joyful and Christ loving students. The relationships that I have built within Fields Chapel UMC will not go away. I'm amazed at how relationships often go full circle as the seasons change. I encourage all of you to feel free to contact me any time, any day. Each of you are so important to me and I hope to maintain our friendships. I can be reached via texting or phone call at (404) 626-0679 or by email at teammcnutt@gmail.com.

I am positive that my successor will continue to help the students of the GIFT Club in their journey of growth closer to Christ. I wish my successor well and pray that he or she will confidentially more than fill my shoes.

In Christ,

Shannon McNutt

Youth Director GIFT (God is for Teens) Club Fields Chapel United Methodist Church