

our Family

NEW PRAYER REQUESTS / PRAISES:

Dwight Nash - Pneumonia in right lung
Struggling Marriages

CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR:

Health - Ruth Lopez, Dr. Papp, Jackie Steeby, Janet Skilling, Ione Hall, Dwight & Marlene Nash, Sharon Ring, Marion Post, By Baylis; Unspoken Marriages, Homebound, Kids Hope

MILITARY:

Ryan Poll, Nick Freeman, Cash Webb, Matt Hertz, Luke Betts, Jon Ring, Jon Ring Jr, Andrew Mitchell, Cavan Martin, Jonathon Good, Gary Good, and Aaron Burnside

We would love to pray for you! All you need to do is fill out the "Please Pray for Me" section of the Communication Card in this bulletin, or go to GainesChurch.org/Prayer.



Community Groups are small gatherings that come together to build relationships, grow in Christ, and serve the community. Our Community Group Fall term runs every other week from September 11th - December 17th. Up to 20 people can sign up for a group. We will inform you via the bulletin when a group is closed to sign ups. To sign up for a group, please enter the code on your Communication Card and drop it in the offering plate. For more information, please see the Community Booth in the foyer.

CodeCG01 Place for kids Has pets*
*hypoallergenic

Fridays 6:30 P.M.
Facilitators:
Kelly and Angie Burnside

Love and Respect by Emerson Eggerichs. Based upon Ephesians 5:33 and extensive biblical and psychological research, Eggerich reveals the power of unconditional love and respect in marriage.

CodeCG02 Place for kids Has pets

Thursdays 6:30 P.M.
Facilitators:
Randy & Chris Weingate

Lord Teach Me to Pray by Kay Arthur. Kay highlights how to pray based on the teachings of Jesus himself.

CodeCG03 Place for kids Has pets

Thursdays 6:30 P.M.
Facilitators:
Jerry & Marielos Good

Grace Based Parenting by Tim Kimmel. Tim Kimmel presents how to create a grace-based home where one parents as God parents us.

This group meets every week for 8 weeks.

CodeCG04 Place for kids Has pets

Tuesdays 7:00 P.M.
Facilitators:
Keith Elliott

Devotionals on the book of Philippians developed by Keith Elliott.

CodeCG05 Place for kids Has pets

Tuesdays 1:00 P.M.
Facilitators:
Sharon Hast
For Women

Living on the Edge by Chip Ingram. Ingram challenges us to experience Christianity the way God intended and provides an actual profile of a disciple of Jesus Christ.

beA Part

THE ROCK AND ROCKIN' SUNDAY HELPERS

The Rock is in need of Small Group Assistants, a Craft Leader, and a Snack Leader for the 2011 - 2012 Wednesday evening programming.

Rockin' Sunday is in need of Rockin' Sunday Assistants, 1st Grade Team Leader, and Nursery Caregivers during our 11:00 A.M. Sunday services.

ELDER

The Elders are looking for additional elders, if you have any recommendations please see Pastor Kelly, Phil Weaver, or Steve Boersma. Please pray for the search of additional elders.

For more information, indicate interest on your Communication Card today.

beConnected

IMAGO DEI STUDENT GROUP BONFIRE

October 1st // 6:00 P.M. - 8:00 P.M. // Linda Radmacher's Home

GMF PARADE OF HOMES

October 7th - 22nd // Maple Lake Drive, Caledonia
Wednesday, Friday, or Saturday's from 1-8:00 P.M.

The main duties are assisting the builder by welcoming the public, handling ticket sales, and tracking the number of visitors. Two volunteers are needed for each shift and there are two shifts a day. If you would like to volunteer, sign up's are located at the access point in the foyer.

WOMEN'S PEACH CANNING CLASS

Another peach canning class will be in a few weeks. Please sign up via your communication card if you are interested in attending.

CARD SHOWER

Cards are a meaningful way to encourage our elderly homebound individuals. Find a list of homebound at the Access Point. Next week, Fran Baron turns 90, consider sending a card!

= A "THIS WEEK" EVENT not to miss

specialNote

Dear Gaines Church Family,

Thank you for your flowers, prayers and friendship during the recent loss of Steve's Mom. Knowing we have such friends as you helps a lot.

Steve & Gerry Smith

outreachOpportunity

Join us as we reach into the lives of students at Cross Creek with an **after school craft class**. We have the opportunity to pray and teach a Bible story because this is an after-school voluntary involvement scenario. BUT in order to do this, we MUST have volunteers. If you aren't "crafty" don't worry - remember these are designed for elementary students. We will get together to work on crafts before the start of the classes, so you will know exactly what to do to help your group. We are asking for a four week commitment starting the end of October. If you are interesting in volunteering please sign up via your **communication card**.

This **Wednesday!!!!!!**
community Festival

Set Up Worker *Time Commitment: 1 Hour*

Details: People best suited for this position are willing to help in any area they are needed. People who are able to lift heavy stuff, and those that cannot lift heavy stuff are needed!

Carnival Game Operator *Time Commitment: 1 Hour Segments*

Details: People best suited for this position will be ready to show great enthusiasm to kids playing their game. They will get down on the kids level and assist them with the game, dispensing tickets upon completion.

Hospitality Greeter *Time Commitment: 1, 2, or 3 Hour(s)*

Details: People best suited for this position are willing to step out of their comfort zone, and introduce themselves to people they do not know...even offering information about our church if requested.

Tear Down/Clean Up Worker *Time Commitment: 1 Hour*

Details: People best suited for this position are willing to help in any area they are needed. People who are able to lift heavy stuff, and those that cannot lift heavy stuff are needed!

Other Misc Positions: Director Assistant, Promotions

Training for all positions is provided.

Community Festival Director: Patti Ullery, Special Events Team Leader

SIGN UP ON YOUR COMMUNICATION CARD TODAY



Office Manager Hours: **T** 9:30 A.M. – 2:30 P.M.
W 10:00 A.M. – 5:00 P.M.
Th 9:00 A.M. – 3:00 P.M.

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our Week Sept 18 - 25

TODAY - Services 8:30 & 11:00 A.M.

- 10:00 A.M. Sunday Classes
 Adults / FH / SC / Neil Anderson's study "Victory Over the Darkness."
 Kids / LL - Classrooms
- 11:00 A.M. Rockin' Sunday Kids Service / LL

MONDAY

- 7:00 P.M. Prayer Gathering / CVE

WEDNESDAY

- 6:30 A.M. Men's Bible Study / FH
- 6 - 8:30 P.M. Fall Festival / Gaines Church Parking Lot / Student Center

NEXT SUNDAY

- 8:30 A.M. Traditional Morning Service / AUD
- 10:00 A.M. Sunday Classes
 Adults / FH / SC
 Kids / LL - Classrooms
- 11:00 A.M. Rockin' Sunday Kids Service / LL
- 11:00 A.M. Contemporary Morning Service / AUD
- 6:30 P.M. Imago Dei Student Group Kick Off / SC

FUTURE HIGHLIGHTS

- Sept 28 Roots Kids Group Kick Off
- October 1 Imago Dei Student Group Bonfire Night
- October 8 Dinner for Vans



community Festival
 PROMO RESOURCES

Available today at the Access Point.
 Postcards and Posters to promote our Community Festival in your neighborhood or business.



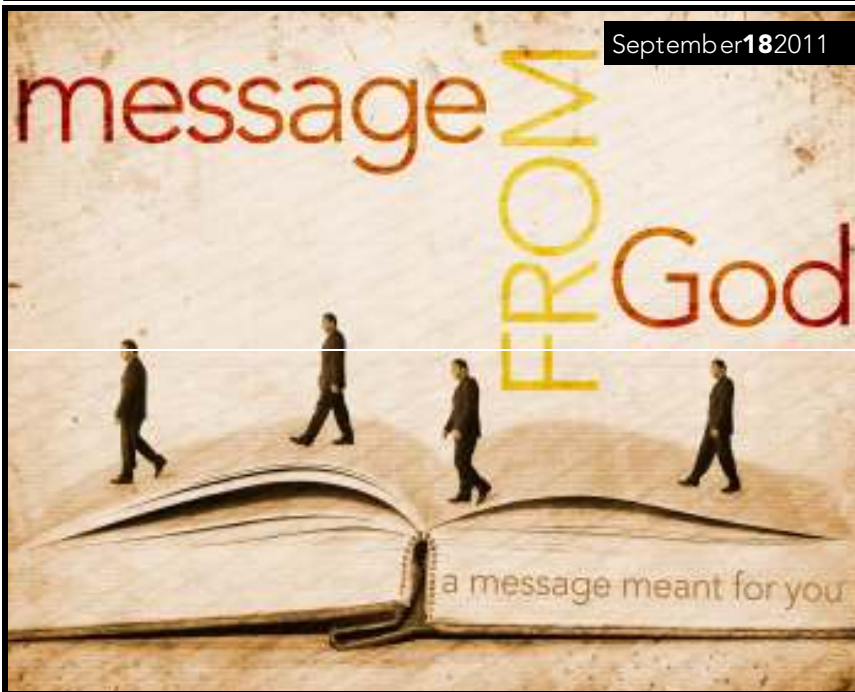
FH=Fellowship Hall • AUD=Auditorium • SC=Student Center
 FYR=Foyer • LL=Lower Level • CVE=Cove

Greetings



THANKS FOR BEING WITH US. Today you're our guest. So, sit back relax, and enjoy a cup of coffee. Our services begin at 8:30 A.M. & 11:00 A.M. Each service is programmed with music, media, and a bible-based teaching. During the 11:00 A.M. service, infant nursery is available in our foyer. Kids preschool—4th grade are welcome to attend our Rockin' Sunday Kids Service, designed specially for them—follow the signs in the foyer. Introduce yourself to us by completing a Communication Card located in the bulletin. Dig deeper into who we are, by picking up an "Information Packet" at the InfoCenter and by checking us out at www.GainesChurch.org.

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