



MOUNT MORIAH YOUTH OF LIGHT Kickoff Cookout & Hayride

The MMYOL Fall Kickoff and Hayride will be Wednesday, September 8th from 6:30 to 8:00 PM. We will have a bonfire/cookout and a hayride!! This is open to students in Kindergarten through 12th grade. We will gather at the pavilion in the field below the church. Invite your friends, and **let's get MMYOL 2021/2022 kicked off right!**

**Parents are welcome to stay, but are also encouraged to attend the Adult Bible Study in the sanctuary led by Pastor Darrell.*



HAPPENINGS

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

Regular adult Sunday School classes will resume on September 5.



"PIZZA WITH FRIENDS"

**JOIN US
ON SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 5TH**

For "Pizza with Friends"
(in the upstairs Multi-purpose Room)

Immediately after worship service
A great chance to mingle and get to know each other.
Hope to see you all there!



WE HAVE A NEW MAILBOX!

Please address all future mail correspondence to:

Mount Moriah Church
30 Church Street
Smithfield, PA 15478

**Please remember to update the address for online automatic contributions if needed!*

GATHERINGS

9:30 AM	Sunday School In-person
10:45 AM	Sunday Worship In-person & ONLINE via Facebook
7:00 PM	Wednesday Night In-person Bible Study
7:00 PM	MMYOL Wednesday Night Bible Study
8:00 PM	Wednesday Night ONLINE Bible Study

MOUNT MORIAH YOUTH OF LIGHT UPCOMING EVENTS

Sept. 8	Fall Kickoff Cookout and Hayride
Oct. 9	Coopers Rock
Nov. 17	Fast Food Feast
Dec. 15	Christmas Caroling

SAVE THE DATE !

"GOING BEYOND"

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2021
(9 AM - 4 PM)

Mount Moriah will host the "GOING BEYOND" live simulcast for a full day of incredible Bible study with internationally known speaker, PRISCILLA SHIRER.

Also included is powerful worship that centers on Christ with ANTHONY EVANS, one of Christian music's premier vocalist-songwriter-worship leaders of today.

More details will be available soon on our website at mountmoriah.church or by visiting our Facebook page where you will be able to register to attend.

Please don't miss this great opportunity to fellowship with other women like you and to be encouraged in your walk with Christ.


We look forward to seeing you there!

Mount Moriah Christian School

MMCS is preparing for another GREAT year for our students!

We have 165 enrolled in Pk3 through 8th Grade.

Please pray for the staff, parents, and students!

School starts August 30 for Grade K-8th.  Preschool 3-4 starts Sept.7-8. All afternoon dismissals will be from the Sanctuary door for PK 4 and from the lower Parking lot for K-8th.

Please watch for buses when entering the parking lot.

Summer School at MMCS

MMCS hosted its first SEEK (Summer Enrichment for Kids) the last two weeks of July. We were blessed with an educational grant that made it possible to bring students back into the building for some fun learning opportunities. What an exciting way to bridge the educational gap created by virtual learning during the past two years! All who participated had a blast!

Please consider making a donation to our Tuition Help Account to help families who struggle to send their children to MMCS. We are a 501-c3 Organization, so your donation will be tax deductible.



MMC ONLINE Ministry

ONLINE Ministry — "The WHY"

Ministry is about reaching people to inform them with truth about God so they can ultimately know God themselves.

The pattern of the early church was to use any tools available to reach their world for Christ. During that time, people relied mostly on speech (word-of-mouth), handwritten messages, and formal manuscripts to transfer important information.

Eventually the printing press, telegraph, telephone, and television were invented which greatly expanded the number of people reached as well as the speed at which people could be reached.

And today via the internet, "We're living through the biggest communication shift in 500 years", (*Brady Shearer—ProChurch Tools, November 9, 2018*) granting us the single greatest opportunity in our lifetime to reach people everywhere for Christ.

So, WHY is Mount Moriah investing time, talent, and money in an ONLINE Ministry?

Because we, like God, are "Not wanting anyone to perish, but everyone to come to repentance." (2 Peter 3:9) Therefore, we strive to share the Gospel, utilizing all means possible (inclusive of the internet and social media platforms) in order that some might come to know Jesus in a very personal and soul-saving way.

God bless you and please continue to pray for this—and every other ministry reaching people for Christ!

*In Christ,
Rich Ellsworth
ONLINE Ministry Director*

SPECIAL THANK YOU

The iCampus ONLINE ministry would like to extend a special thank you to Emma Eckert for participating as our first "official" spokesperson (apart from Pastor Darrell) in several recently produced MMC videos. Thank you, Emma! We truly appreciate your willingness to give of your time, talent, and witness.





We have plenty to pray for. Rich put a great post on our Facebook page on August 18th, "Talking To God". If you missed it, it shared scriptures that explained what prayer does. Prayer changes things. Prayer brings hope. Prayer brings us closer to God. Prayer brings peace. Prayer gives strength. Prayer brings healing. And prayer protects us. I believe that all of these are true for the children of God. Sometimes God doesn't do things the way I might want or expect Him to do it, but He is always faithful and does what is best.

I know that many are struggling with what is going on in our nation and in the world. It's easy to feel alone, discouraged and even fearful. Can I encourage you to get into God's word and talk to Him about it? Pray for yourself. Pray for your friends and family. Pray with your friends and family. Pray for those who are being oppressed and terrorized. They need courage, strength, and endurance. Pray for our leaders—they need Godly wisdom and courage. Pray for those who don't know Jesus. Theirs is the greatest need of all. Pray that God will give you opportunities to do good, share the good news, and love one another in this time of suffering and uncertainty. Pray for peace.

Here is one thing that Jesus has told us so that we might have peace in Him. "Here on earth you will have many trials and sorrows. But take heart, because I have overcome the world." This is true.

Because He Hears Our Prayers,
Pastor Darrell

WE HAVE A NEW SECRETARY!

We are pleased to announce that Kaity Eubank has been hired as the new Administrative Assistant for Mount Moriah! Kaity is new to the area. She is originally from Bridgeport, WV, and currently resides in Masontown, PA. Kaity has a beautiful 6-year-old daughter, and she's expecting another little girl at the end of November.

Kaity says, "I'm so excited to be a part of the Mount Moriah Church Community and can't wait to be able to meet you all!"

Please be sure to introduce yourself to Kaity and make her feel welcome!

"Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God." — Philipians 4:6