

Victory voice

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Thank You!

*We want to thank all of you so very much for your wonderful celebration of our 30 years at Victory! We were blessed beyond measure in so many, many ways. Thanks to all who worked so hard to make that anniversary day so very, very special. The wonderful service and banquet, the video and pictures, the Kidz Korale Revival, the live rendition of our lives, the very kind comments, the gifts and offering, the inspiring rap and message from Pastor Wigfield, as well as the most awesome cake we've ever seen, all contributed to a day that we will never forget. Truly, it has been OUR pleasure to serve alongside all those who have such tremendous servants' hearts in the Kingdom of God. We love you all and are so very grateful to be able to serve the Lord with you. On that note, as we continue to serve together, I want to remind all of us that there are **NO LIMITS** to what God can and will do as we all work together, each doing the part He has called us to do. I keep a verse listed at the end of this column each month. This time I will ask you to read it again:*

As a prisoner for the Lord, then, I urge you to live a life worthy of the calling you have received. Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love. Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit—just as you were called to one hope when you were called - one Lord, one faith, one baptism; one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all.

*Remember—Live worthy!! [Ephesians 4:1-6]
Pastor Dave & Kathy*

Kwips from Kathy...

How great is the love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called children of God! And that is what we are! [1 John 3:1]

While attending an informal meeting at the church one evening, I had the distinct pleasure to observe a new mother (Hannah Duncanson) and her new little son, Trey, interact with one another. Even though Trey has only been part of the Duncanson family for a few short weeks, their relationship had grown tremendously. It was fascinating to watch Hannah respond instinctively to his every need. Obviously the baby could not vocalize his needs with words, but his mother's understanding of his very nature seemed to transcend any barriers.

As I watched them together, I began to realize just how God responds to us like Hannah with her new son. God knows our very nature, our needs, and actually enjoys taking care of us! I remember once asking God if I was pestering Him (my list of prayer needs had been rather lengthy). Then I realized that He already knew my concerns before I even said them. Talking about them to Him was really for my benefit. Every time I spend time with Him, it always leads to a deeper relationship. The more time I spend with Him, the more I learn. Just like young Trey will "take on" his parents' attributes and attitudes as he continues to spend time with his parents, we do the same with our Heavenly Father. Our wonderful Father waits with great patience for us to include Him fully in our lives. We are in His family, and therefore, part of His heart!

With love in Him always, Kathy



Warriors of Worship

Pastor Len Burdick



WOW CHOIR AND BAND

Imagine a choir loft with 120 singers, and an orchestra with 30 musicians. You can be part of a dream! Call now.

POTOMAC WORSHIP INSTITUTE
scheduled for Saturday, September 19th, featuring Jeff Deyo and band has been cancelled due to illness.

WOW Dinner Theater ROAD TRIP

Saturday, November 7, 7 PM

Join us for one of the funniest shows you'll ever see! "SMOKE ON THE MOUNTAIN" at the LAZY SUSAN DINNER THEATER in Woodbridge, VA. Call us NOW at 540.667.9400 for ticket info.

WOW DESSERT THEATER

Friday-Sunday, December 4-6

Heads up on this one: ESTHER MINISTRIES will present "IT'S A WONDERFUL LIFE, The Radio Play". We will create the opportunity to bring an unchurched guest to see a familiar, yet uniquely produced show and introduce them to Christ and Victory Church. Begin praying right now!

Opportunities abound - jump in!

Pastor Rob Purcell

Kidz Korale



Hey parents and kids, we look forward to seeing you this fall in Kidz Korale. We will begin August 30th, same time and same place. Practice begins at 6:00 p.m. and we meet in the Choir Room. We look forward to seeing you.

Crikey... this is Croc Rob and I have a few words for all you Blokes and Sheilas. We've lost the buddy barrel and we're trying to find it. If we don't find it, we won't reach our goal of \$12,000.00. Kids keep striving to give \$5.00 a month and the adults \$10.00, so we can reach our goal and find the lost buddy barrel of BGMC. See ya! I'm headed out to wrestle some crocs.



Pastor Frank Iddings



Thank you for your continued faithfulness. As we bless and honor God with our giving, we claim this promise from His word:

"Give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you." *Luke 6:38, NIV*

July

Income	89,217.79
Expenses	-107,285.77
Difference	-18,067.98

WTRM - Volunteers Needed

Southern Light Radio (WTRM) will be having their Annual Open House, on Saturday, September 12, 2009 between the hours of 11 A.M. - 5 P.M. They are in need of volunteers (set-up, parking, serving, trash detail, and clean-up), along with donations of soda, and desserts for the BBQ Chicken & Hotdog Dinner. If you are interested please call Southern Light at (540) 869.4997 M-F between the hours of 8 A.M. - 4 P.M.

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September 27th is being designated as "Pray for Southern Light Day". Please join them in asking the Lord to be with WTRM and for His blessings!

Rainbow Express Preschool

The new school year has begun and Rainbow Express is still accepting enrollments for their 2, 3 & 4 year old classes. If you would like more information or would like to schedule a visit, please contact Dorcas Sturgill @ 540.667.9400, ext. 133.

SISTERS to SISTERS MINISTRY ("Women helping Women")

If you or anyone you know would like to have someone call them, send a card, visit, go out to lunch, come to your house for dinner, etc. once a month or as often as you like then this ministry is for you. You can make a difference in someone's life.

For more information, please call or email Stephanie Brown at 301.467.6191 or heart4sonshine@hotmail.com

Element Youth Café

Fall Menu

Wednesdays @ 5:30 P.M. in the gym
\$6.00!

There is no scheduled menu for the fall, but there will be numerous items to choose from.
See you at the Café.



Men's Ministry News...

~ Men's Fellowship Breakfast ~

September 19th ~ 8:30 A.M.

Let's meet for breakfast in the gym. Let's get together for great food and fellowship.

For more information about Men's Ministry, please contact Terry Sears at: 540.545.2024

Victory Cafe

We would like to invite all our visitors and members to stop for a cup of coffee, snack and great fellowship.

Café is open Sunday mornings
9:00 - 9:45 A.M. and
11:30 - 12:30 P.M.



Victory LIFE Groups....

Our life groups are back in full swing. We offer groups for men, women and even your favorite hobby or past time. If you are not involved in a life group, we encourage you to do so. Our newsletter will soon be on the information wall in the foyer. If you have any questions, please contact the church office.

Victory Church Business Luncheon

We would like to extend to you an invitation to the monthly business luncheon on Thursday, September 17th @ Noon. This luncheon is open to all business owners, managers and entrepreneurs and is located in the gymnasium, here at Victory Church, and is at no charge to you. It's a great time of food, fellowship & networking. Don't miss this time to be refreshed and to encourage one another.

*Please RSVP no later than noon, Wednesday, September 16th at: 667.9400
"Let's be about our Father's Business..."*

Want to Help??

The Prayer Shawl Ministry is taking donations of any amount in order to purchase the following custom made tags: Prayer Bear, Prayer Blankie, A Prayer in Every Stitch. The tags cost \$50.00 per 100 tags. Please contact Donna Hendershot for more information at 540.771.4482 or dhhappysea@gmail.com

FIT 2 SERVE

Ladies..... Fit 2 Serve is back to it's regular schedule. Classes are Monday-Thursday from 9 - 9:30 a.m. at only \$2.00 a class. Take some time out for yourself and get healthy. They have awesome workouts, great fellowship and all to Christian music. Come join Jayne Seymour & Stephanie Flower as they get Fit 2 Serve.

Keenagers

The Keenagers have cancelled their monthly potluck dinner that was scheduled for September 4th. They look forward to fellowshiping with you in October. Everyone 50 + years young are welcome to attend. There is always good food and fellowship for everyone. They would love to have you join them.

September 2009

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6	7 Church Offices Closed	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17 Business Luncheon 12 p.m.	18	19 Men's Breakfast 8:30 a.m. / Gym
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