

June 24, 2023

the

Linwood Breeze



Put These on Your Calendar

**Kids' Sunday School
and
Adult Forum**
Sunday, June 25 – 10 a.m.

Worship Service
Sunday, June 25 – 11 a.m.
The Tabernacle

Adult Bible Study
Wednesday, June 28 – 10 a.m.
The Chapel

**Biggest Little
Fourth of July Parade**
Tuesday, July 4 -10 a.m.
(See page 3 for details)



Welcome to Worship

All are welcome at our interdenominational service at 11:00 tomorrow morning. David Csepe will lead our music, and Pastor Paul's sermon will continue our summer theme focused on the Holy Spirit. Anne Humphries' children's sermon will accompany Paul's focus on wisdom, as she shares that wisdom is not just about "your smarts." Join us—you will be warmly welcomed!

If you are unable to join us in person, the service will be live-streamed, or you can view the service anytime. Just go to www.youtube.com and subscribe to our YouTube channel: Linwood Christian Life Media.

SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR ALL AGES

June 24 – 10:00 -10:45 a.m.

Adult & Teen Forum in The Chapel:

Does Jesus ask the impossible of His disciples? Are His commands optional for those who love Him? How do His words apply to us in our current culture and world? Dig into the Scriptures and discover what Jesus actually says about following Him in this 2-week series led by Sharon Revenaugh. Bring your teens along to join in the conversation.

Youth Sunday School (age 8 & up) in The Tabernacle:

Come and grow in your faith along with other Linwood youth. Led by Bronlynn Eberhardt in The Tabernacle.

Children's Sunday School (Ages 3-7) back of The Tabernacle:

Bring your children to The Tabernacle to learn about God in all sorts of fun ways! Led by Gale Johnson this week.



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Pastor Paul's Ponderings

Greetings Everyone!

Saturday greetings Linwood Parkers! I hope this issue of *the Breeze* comes to you on a day when you are enjoying your time with family and friends in this beautiful part of God's creation! Hearing and watching the Lake in its infinite variety and beauty, looking at the birds circling overhead on the blowing winds, watching a beautiful sunrise or sunset on the bluff...all these give us glimpses of the Creator who has designed it and sustains it all for his glory and our benefit!

As Jan and I are now summer residents in The Park, we are gradually getting to meet more of you as we sit on our porch, take walks around the Park, grab some ice cream at The Stand, or gather together in worship on Sunday morning. Please be patient as we work on remembering names and faces, and please don't hesitate to introduce yourself if we have not met before (or again if you see a blank stare!) And if you have a particular need or concern going on in your life journey right now, I would be glad to sit and chat with you at any time as your "Pastor in the Park"!

I remember last summer when Jan and I came to Linwood for the first time. We began to hear about people and families who had been here for generation after generation, some tracing roots all the way back to the founding of Linwood in 1884! I would respond and say, "Well, Jan and I have been here for 10 days!" We listened and began to learn about Linwood through the stories and memories being shared. What wonderful joys and blessings have been experienced here through the years!

One of the benefits of such life history is the ability to gain greater wisdom and understanding about life itself. Through life experiences and family history we can "live and learn" about things we are better off not repeating and things which enrich our life journey. As we continue our series of summer messages on the Holy Spirit this Sunday, we will be looking at the Spirit of Wisdom. Wisdom is described as "...the first of God's works, before his deeds of old; I was appointed from eternity, from the beginning, before the world began." (Proverbs 8:22-23) Through the presence of God's Holy Spirit in our lives as believers, we are privileged to be given a means by which we can know the wisdom which comes from the mind of God himself! Who doesn't need that?

Please join your fellow Linwood Parkers at 11 a.m. in The Tabernacle on Sunday morning!

Blessings,

Pastor Paul



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BIBLE STUDY

Wednesday, June 28, 10 a.m.

The Chapel

Following up on our summer worship theme of the Holy Spirit, these Wednesday gatherings focus more specifically on the Gifts and Fruit of the Spirit and how they play an important role in our lives as believers. Join the adventure! Everyone is welcome!



FOCUS ON PRAYER

All are welcome to join the prayer group, which meets on Monday mornings at 9:00 in the Chapel. If you have a prayer need, please contact Gere Flick at 440-320-3763, and we will pray for you.



PASTOR'S OFFICE HOURS

Pastor Paul invites you to drop in during his office hours in The Tabernacle. He is normally there Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday from 10 a.m. - 1 p.m., and also on Wednesday following the 10 a.m. Bible Study. The office is in the west end of The Tabernacle.

Or he would welcome getting together with you to share lunch at The Stand. Call him to let him know you would like to do that: **412-445-4243**

Check This Out !

FAMILY & KIDS EVENTS

This week we will kick off our youth and family events. Be on the lookout for the fun things we have planned each week. Our hope is to make space for kids and teens to get to know one another & to get to know God more deeply. If you have questions, text Kimmy at (330)715-1541.

High School Hangout – Sunday, June 25, 9:00 p.m. – Crases' Firepit (House near the Gate Entrance)

Come out for a fun, relaxed time by the fire. We'll play games, eat & make some space to talk about faith. It'll be a great way to connect with other teens.

Monday Night Youth Group - Monday, June 26, 7:30-8:30 p.m. - Meet at The Tabernacle

Calling all youth ages 8-14. Let's get together and have a great time! If the weather is rainy, we'll meet in the Tabernacle. If it's nice we will play nukem at the volleyball court.

Giant Kickball - Wednesday, June 28, 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Come out after dinner for a game of giant kickball. Everyone is invited to join in the fun. Come to the baseball field near the gate.

Wednesday Kids Corner - 9:45-11:00 a.m.

All kids ages 3-7 are invited to join Alli for a fun-filled morning. Meet in the back of The Tabernacle. Parents, you are invited to join the Bible Study group in the chapel while your kids enjoy Kids Corner.



A SPARKLING EVENT

The annual fireworks display on Friday night of Festival of the Fish did not disappoint. Though it was windy and chilly, Linwoodites gathered on the bluff to enjoy the show. Thank you, Vermilion!



THE ANNUAL LINWOOD PARK FOURTH OF JULY PARADE

Summer is in full swing in Linwood Park. Friends and family are enjoying the beach, tennis and biking and all the other things Linwood has to offer. What a great place to be!

Plans are well underway for the Annual Linwood Park 4th of July Parade. The Parade will be held on Tuesday, July 4th, at 10:00 a.m..

The Parade will again feature "The World Famous Linwood Park Marching Band." Musicians of all ages and ability are encouraged to join The Band, which will again be directed by Linwood's own Ryan Harris. Additional information is available by contacting Ryan at rhtrumpet@gmail.com. Classic and antique cars, costumed characters, decorated bikes and golf carts are all part of the fun.

A complete Parade schedule will appear in the July 1st issue of *the Breeze*. For more information contact: Ken Bliss at 412 Maple Street or 440-967-1849.

The Stand

The Place to Be

Daily Hours: 11 a.m. – 9 p.m.

Grilled Burgers, Dogs & Brats

Sat. & Sun. 11:30 a.m. – 2 p.m.

NEW - Linwood Pecan Bars! All the best of pecan pie plus a delicious twist! Give them a try!

All of the standards are of course offered, from grilled cheese sandwiches to ice cream sundaes.

The Store/Museum

Always Something New

Hours: Tues., Fri., Sat. – 7 – 9 p.m.

Sun. After church until 2 p.m.

Mon. 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.

New items continue to arrive! If you think you've seen it all, you should probably stop in again soon.

L.P.C.O.A. NEWS

We have so much planned for the 4th of July week! Please come and enjoy all of our fun activities:

Saturday, July 1 – 7 p.m. Bring your chairs and come to The Pavilion to hear the Vermilion Community Concert Band play a selection of patriotic and other foot-stomping, hand-clapping, enjoyable music.

Sunday, July 2 - 6:30 p.m. Be sure to sign up for our Ping Pong Tournament hosted by Jason Hetche. Details and sign-up will be in The Stand. Even if you do not play, it's fun to watch!

Monday, July 3 – All Day Frisbee Golf Tournament! Everyone can play Frisbee golf, so come to The Stand to get your Frisbees and score card and play 9 holes. More details will be in The Stand. Event hosted by Barb Hubler and John Donoghue.

TUESDAY, JULY 4

8:00 a.m.- **Ludwig Marathon** (a Linwood tradition) hosted by Grant Turner and Kyle Eberhardt. Details will be posted on bulletin boards this week.

9:40 a.m.- **Golf Cart Decorating Contest.** Have fun and decorate your golf cart in a family-friendly motif (no political or social statements). Judging will begin at 9:40 a.m. before the parade on 5th Street at the side of The Tabernacle.

10:00 a.m.- **4th of July Parade.** Planned by our own Ken Bliss. Please tell your children there is no need to stop riding their bikes during the parade to pick up candy, as candy bags will be given out at the end to all children who participate.

COMING UP

Saturday, July 8 - thanks to Megan Petronsky, we will be having our famous **Linwood Shuffleboard Tournament** once again. More information will be in next week's *Breeze* and on bulletin boards.

Saturday, July 8 - 7:00 p.m. Our Oh, So Fun **Linwood Street Dance** hosted by Ron Hetche. See the signs that will be posted around The Park.

ONGOING ACTIVITIES

Look for the **Frisbee Golf** course set up in The Grove. It's fun and free! Get a few friends or play by yourself anytime. Just pick up your Frisbees and score cards in The Stand

If you like to play **Pickleball**, you can obtain balls and paddles in The Stand. Our Pickleball court is located on the tennis court.

Mahjongg on Mondays and Wednesdays at 1 p.m. at the tables beside The Stand (inside, if rain).

BEYOND THE GATES

If you are looking for an unforgettable family experience, you might consider Kalahari Resort in Sandusky, voted the #1 Best Indoor Water Park. You will find a 50-foot free fall jump tower, a 15,000 square foot pool, a 70-foot zipline, and a multitude of rides and slides. Go to Kalahariresorts.com for information.

LINWOOD BOOK CLUB

Monday, July 10 – 10 a.m.
The Tabernacle Library



HEY BOOKIES! COME READ WITH US!

We will meet to discuss *The Reading List*, by Sara Nisha Adams. All are welcome to join us in the library room in the northwest corner of The Tabernacle.

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If you have information or pictures you would like included in the next edition of *the Breeze*, please direct your email to: breeze@linwoodchristianlife.org. **The Breeze deadline is noon Tuesday of the week of publication! Photos of children must be accompanied by written parental permission** for us to publish the picture online and in the printed newsletter. If you would like to donate to the work of the Linwood Council of Christian Life, please send your check to: 444 Ash Street, Vermilion, Ohio 44089. Photos in this issue are courtesy of: Kate Breece, Carolyn Reed.

