

AUGUST 5, 2023



the  
**Linwood Breeze**

**TONIGHT!**

**CELEBRATING  
AMERICANA  
CONCERT & SINGALONG**

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**SATURDAY AUG 5 - 7PM**  
**LINWOOD PARK**  
@ The Tabernacle

## Welcome to Worship

You are warmly invited to tomorrow morning's interdenominational service at 11 a.m. in The Tabernacle. Linwood Pastor Paul Thwaite will continue the season-long focus on the Holy Spirit with a message about the Spirit who empowered Jesus for ministry, based on Luke 4. Marge Adler will be at the piano, and we will celebrate the Lord's Supper together.

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](http://www.youtube.com) and subscribe to our YouTube channel: Linwood Christian Life Media.

## Save the Date

**Kids Sunday School &  
Adult Forum  
The Chapel  
Sunday,  
August 6 - 10 a.m.**

**Family Activity  
Tie Dye Night  
Sunday  
August 6 - 7:30 p.m.**

**Worship Service  
The Tabernacle  
Sunday,  
August 6 - 11 a.m.**

 **Bible Study  
The Chapel  
Wednesday  
August 9 - 10 a.m.**



## Here's the Scoop!

### SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR ALL

Sunday, 10 - 10:45 a.m.

#### ADULT & TEEN FORUM

SUNDAY, 10 A.M. - THE CHAPEL

This will be our last morning to discuss the question, "What made David a 'man after God's own heart?'" What does that mean, and what does it mean for us? Carolyn Reed will lead the discussion.

#### YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL (ages 8 and up)

SUNDAY, 10 - 10:45 A.M.

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)

SUNDAY, 10 - 10:45 A.M.

BACK OF THE TABERNACLE

Bring your children to the Tabernacle to learn about God in all sorts of fun ways! Led by Sarah Royek.

#### BIBLE STUDY

WEDNESDAYS, 10 A.M. - THE CHAPEL

We've been looking each week during the summer at the Fruit of the Spirit as we continue our summer theme studying the Holy Spirit. This coming Wednesday, we will reflect on the fruit of Faithfulness. As one author puts it, "the faithful person is reliable for important tasks, loyal to friends, and dependable in emergencies." Join others at 10 a.m. on Wednesday in The Chapel for this time of sharing and reflection on being faithful people. Bibles are provided or bring your own! Hope to see you there!

#### FOCUS ON PRAYER

MONDAY, 9 A.M. - THE CHAPEL

All are welcome to join the prayer group. If you have a prayer need, please contact Gere Flick at 440-320-3763, and we will pray for you.

## LINWOOD CHRISTIAN LIFE EVENTS FOR KIDS & FAMILIES !

We have had a great summer of youth and family events. Thank you to everyone who has come out to join in the fun! As the summer winds down & school begins, *we will advertise events on the boards & on the website instead of the Breeze, so check the QR code for updates!*



Youth Events This Week!

#### KIDS CORNER

Wednesday, August 9 - 10 a.m. (ages 4 -7)

BACK OF THE TABERNACLE

All kids are invited to join Alii for a fun-filled morning. Parents, you are invited to join the Bible Study group in The Chapel while your kids enjoy Kids Corner.

#### LINWOOD FAMILY ACTIVITY NIGHT

Sunday, August 6 - 7:30 p.m. (all ages)

IN THE GROVE BY THE STAND

Bring your own T-shirt, pillowcase or other item to tie dye! The whole family is invited to join the fun!

## LPCOA NEWS

### PICKLEBALL CHALLENGE

SATURDAY, AUGUST 12 - 10 a.m.

Whether you are a new or experienced player, plan on coming to our fun. Meet at the tennis courts and we will set up play for an enjoyable time.

### ONGOING EVENTS

- ✚ **9-HOLE FRISBEE GOLF COURSE** is 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.
- ✚ **MAHJONG - Monday & Wednesdays - 1 p.m.** at the side of The Stand - Inside if raining.
- ✚ **PICKLEBALL** If you like to play Pickleball, you can obtain balls and paddles in The Stand. Our Pickleball court is located on the tennis court.

Please remember, if you would like to financially support our Linwood Park Cottage Owners Association, you may send your donation to our treasurer, Dick Dreyer @ 543 Zion Drive, Powell, OH 43065 OR drop off at 5167 Shoreline Way.

## PASTOR PAUL'S PONDERINGS

Welcome to August, Linwood friends! I think we're all starting to ask why summer seems to fly by so quickly! We are blessed to enjoy such a beautiful place with family and friends, and no one wants to see that time come to an end. But, as we all know, time marches on and we are carried along in its momentum!

One of the main joys of coming to Linwood each summer are the joyous reunions which take place with family members and friends we aren't able to see during the year. I was talking about that with some folks following worship this past Sunday and it made me think of something which Stan Ott, my mentor and pastoral colleague for 12 years in Pleasant Hills, talked about often - friends of the road and friends of the heart.

Friends of the road are people we meet on the road of life as we travel along and perhaps live in different places during certain seasons in our lives. We meet them and interact with them, but then life carries us along to new places or seasons and we part company. Friends of the heart, on the other hand, are friends and family members we meet and get to know on a deeper level through shared family bonds or perhaps bonds of faith as well. Then life's road separates us through job changes, going away to school, marriage, and moves to other places. However, when we are blessed to gather again with friends of the heart, we pick up with them as though no time has passed! Deep bonds of friendship, family, and faith yield blessings which enrich our lives immensely!

I hope all of us are blessed with the joy of knowing friends of the heart as we gather here at Linwood. I hope and pray your time here is enriched through times spent around living rooms, at dinner tables, at the beach or the playground or the Stand, or during walks around the Park, where your connection with loved ones and friends brings deep joy and blessing to you! As that happens, we need to remember to offer a word of thanks to the God who blesses us with such wonderful gifts to enjoy!

I invite you to take time to offer thanks to God for these blessings in morning worship at the Tabernacle. Prior to hitting the beach or whatever other activities your Sunday may hold (we're doing a tour of the Lorain Lighthouse on Sunday afternoon with visiting family), why not join other friends of the heart in offering thanks and praise to the God who gives us life and breath and all good gifts.

This Sunday we will also celebrate the Lord's Supper, which is available to anyone who trusts in the Lord Jesus Christ regardless of your denominational affiliation. Join other friends of the heart in offering our praise and thanks to the Lord!

See you Sunday,

*Pastor Paul*



## CELEBRATING AMERICANA CONCERT AND SINGALONG

SATURDAY, AUGUST 5 – 7 p.m.  
THE TABERNACLE

Following is a note from keyboardist Marge Adler:

One Sunday morning last summer at the Linwood Tabernacle, Ann Gilbert and I played the service together and shared with you a particularly wonderful moment. I was suddenly inspired to let a verse of a hymn become a *cappella*, unaccompanied without keyboard or bass. The vocal energy was astounding, the breathing together so natural.

That moment became the impetus for an evening's hymn-sing at Linwood. It's expanded into a custom-written "**CELEBRATING AMERICANA**"—with a first half of secular favorites (e.g. *By the Light of the Silvery Moon*, *Do Your Ears Hang Low*, *This Land is Your Land*) and a second half that is sacred (e.g. *Down to the River to Pray*, *Swing Low Sweet Chariot*.) There's even a special segment for the kids. I'm on keyboard and joined by extraordinary collaborators:

**YOU** of course,  
**JOHN WEBB** baritone/tenor,  
**ANN GILBERT** on bass,  
**ALEX LENHART** on trumpet  
*just before he joins the U.S. Army Band*

We couldn't have written that part better.

**Come join us in song.**





## The Stand, The Store, and More!

### THE STAND!

HOURS DAILY: 11 a.m. – 9 p.m.  
GRILLING BURGERS, BRATS, & DOGS  
SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS: 11:30 a.m. – 2

p.m.

The Stand stands ready to welcome you—and your dog too! Have you offered him a Frosty Paw, a popsicle in the shape of a paw? What will they think of next? BTW—the zip front shirts are on sale for \$39!!

### LADIES LUNCHEON IS BACK!

Wednesdays – The Stand – 11:30 a.m.

Stop in at The Stand on Wednesdays at 11:30 to share lunch and conversation. Renters, visitors, owners, or friends (all ages) are welcome to stop by for a meal, ice cream or just to chat.

*To speed up preparation of your order, call ahead with specifics if you want a sandwich or salad. To pre-order, on Wednesday morning call Sharon: 740-502-1046.*

### THE LINWOOD STORE!

Always Something New

HOURS: MONDAY 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.; THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY, TUESDAY 7 – 9 p.m.; SUNDAY after church until 2 p.m.

The Linwood Store is your best destination for Linwood memorabilia, like T-shirts, and décor. But that's not all—you could choose a wooden bowl, or a fabulous quilt, or jewelry. All are made by people connected to Linwood and all for a good cause: the special projects of the Linwood Park Cottage Owners.



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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](mailto: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: Eric Breece, Kate Breece, Carolyn Reed, Janet Waggoner.

### LINWOOD BOOK CLUB

Monday, August 7 – 10 a.m.

THE TABERNACLE LIBRARY

HEY BOOKIES! COME READ WITH US!

We will meet on Monday, August 7, at 10:00 to discuss the nonfiction book, *Remember*, by Lisa Genova. All are welcome to join us in the library in the southwest corner of The Tabernacle.



### 'T WAS AN EVENING OF FUN AND LAUGHTER

The annual Linwood talent show on July 28<sup>th</sup> was a grand success. It starred Linwood kids from ages and 3 up (sometimes along with their parents or grandmas!) How delightful to gather as a community to enjoy and encourage these children! Here are a few pictures of the event.

