

**AUGUST 2011 - LOCAL MINISTRIES**

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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<b>Widows &amp; Widowers</b> Scripture tells us to build each other up in 1 Thessalonians; therefore, encourage Pep Miller and Delores Gladfelter during this month. Sheila Miller went Home to the Lord on August 8, 2006 and Raymond Gladfelter on August 8, 1989. Pray for all the widows and widowers of COD to be encouraged.	<b>Connection Team</b> Pray for the lay leaders of the Connection Team: Mike & Claudine Arnold, Ted Brown, Joel Kern, Marty Lehr, Rick Mummert and Bob Rishel. The start of the fall ministries is just around the corner and each of these leaders will be stepping up their service to the COD family. Pray that they will encourage those who serve in their ministries and that God will bless them as they faithfully serve Him.	<b>Mom 'N Me</b> Opening day letters go out at the beginning of this month. Pray for all of the ladies who will be attending this year. We are still in need of a co-coordinator for the HOPS ministry. Pray that God would move in the hearts of His people to serve in this way. Our kickoff brunch will be September 27th. Pray that all of the details would come together in the days ahead.	<b>Pastor Heindel</b> Pray for decisions regarding our boys' education this fall. There is much to think about and we need the Lord to show us clearly what He would have us do. We have moved forward with some decisions and trust the Lord will close the doors if He so desires. Pray for fall ministry planning as the summer is quickly moving along.	<b>SHOUT! (Sound &amp; Technology)</b> Pray for our current members to continue to have fire for serving Christ as well as praying for more people to join our ministry team.	<b>Tony Sheridan (Church Visitor)</b> Thank the Lord for the many opportunities to share God's love as we visit. It is an awesome privilege to share the scripture and pray with many in our flock. Pray for our family to trust and follow Christ. Pray that we would continue to trust in the promises of God.	<b>Open Heart Fellowship</b> We give thanks to the Lord for giving us a great time of fellowship at Ladies Night Out. Pray for Cindy Rohrbaugh as she prepares and travels for our October 1st meeting with the theme "Celebrate God's Power." Jeremiah 32:17 "Ah, Lord God, you have made the heavens and the earth by your great power and outstretched arm. Nothing is too hard for you."
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<b>Pastor Shuffield</b> Tuesday we drive Kaley to Liberty University for her freshman year of college. Pray that God will mold her and shape her into a beautiful woman of God. Pray also for Derek, a junior at Arcadia University, and for Chad and Alyssa at Christian School of York (11th and 8th grade). Our desire is to see our children totally in love with God!	<b>Connecting Men to Men</b> Pray for wisdom as planning continues for the Fall Men's Summit Retreat and Focus Groups. Pray for the hearts of those men who will participate as well as those who will speak and lead.	<b>Disabilities Ministry</b> Pray for wisdom in planning for our WINGS/Jessica & Friends Fellowship Nights beginning in September and the Christmas Program in December. Our desire is that these events would be times of great fun, and even more so, times that will bring glory to God.	<b>Library Committee</b> The Library Committee meets tomorrow. Pray for God's wisdom to be evident as we make future plans. Praise the Lord for the helpful interest of those who donate items and volunteer time to the library.	<b>Local Outreach</b> Praise the Lord for all the opportunities this summer that people had in serving others and telling about their Savior. Pray that we will begin reaping a harvest for gospel seeds that have been planted. Pray for a good group of people to participate in the Gettin' Messy class this fall and that we'll grow in our passion for Jesus and making Him known.	<b>Small Group Ministry</b> Pray for our new groups that are beginning and the leaders who were trained this summer: Allen, Walter, Matt, Richard, Dale, Jim, Brian, and Jack. Pray for them as they study and facilitate discussion and that many people would grow closer to God and to each other through this ministry.	<b>Property Committee</b> The new parking lot should be completed this month. Pray that the project will finish without any problems. Several neighbors have had to put up with a lot of noise and dust. Pray that they will be understanding and we can stay in a good relationship with them.
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<b>Olympian Clubs</b> Pray for the returning leaders, that God will give them creativity and enthusiasm for sharing God's Word, a heart to love each child, and see them trust Christ and grow in their faith. Pray for new leaders to fill the vacancies we have, specifically: 3rd/4th grade girls and 1st/2nd grade boys, and scorekeepers. Pray that God will bring new kids to learn about Him and follow Jesus!	<b>GriefShare</b> A new GriefShare group will be beginning in mid-August. Pray for renewed focus for the leaders after a well-deserved break, and also for those unknown hurting persons that God will call to be ministered to.	<b>Community Bible Study</b> Pray for a smooth transition of leadership and continued building of our class through new members. We pray that our new English as a Second Language class is successful in God's will.	<b>Global Outreach</b> Praise the Lord for the teams and individuals who served cross-culturally this summer! Praise Him for safe travels and some good ministry times. Pray that He would continue to use those times to draw people to Himself for salvation and that those who participated would grow more in their passion for Jesus & telling others about Him.	<b>ARMS &amp; LEGS</b> Pray that we will give ourselves fully to the work of the Lord because we know that our labor is not in vain. Pray for health, safety and wisdom as we labor for the Lord around COD on Wednesday mornings. The weather has been hot but we have been able to clean, repair and do many things around our property.	<b>Pastor Riedy</b> Praise God for a fun and productive summer at COD. Pray for our many ministries as they gear up for our ministry year. Pray that our Wednesday Night Alive will start with great energy. Pray that the Lord will be honored in all that occurs on our campus.	<b>Flower Committee</b> Ask the Lord to guide us as we deliver flowers to those who are ill and often discouraged. Pray that we may be a light that shines brightly for Christ as we visit and that He will give us words to bring courage and joy to those in need.
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<b>Heart 2 Heart (Women's Mentoring)</b> Pray for our committee meeting on Tuesday. Ask the Lord to guide us as we make final preparations for our October 15th Tenth Anniversary Party. Pray we are able to take care of each detail. Pray that our celebration will be a joyous time of thanking and praising the Lord for ten years of mentoring at COD!	<b>Elders</b> Pray for wisdom as we look forward to the fall ministry season. Pray for wisdom as we consider ways to handle our growth. Pray that our hearts would be sensitive to God's leading and that we would keep our eyes focused on Him!	<b>Pastor Galinato</b> Praise the Lord for the great family times we had this summer and for all the projects we were able to accomplish. Pray that we, as a family, will grow in our love for each other and for the Savior. Pray for Laura as she returns to Liberty for her junior year and for the Lord to provide a job for her in Lynchburg. I praise the Lord for the privilege of serving here at COD!	<b>Prison Ministry</b> Praise God for a great worship session in July. All were attentive and five indicated praying for salvation. Pray they were genuine and that they will follow up with the chaplain. Pray also for Jeremy, who will be released this month.	<b>Ladies Bible Studies</b> Psalms studies have gone well at the Neuman's by the pool. Pray for God's leading as studies resume and organize for fall. Philippians 3:17	<b>Youth Group</b> We are asking God for a great fall 2011. Please pray that many come out and that God would cause them to place their faith & total hope in Christ.	<b>Marriage Ministry</b> Pray for the members of the Marriage Ministry Committee, the Holdens, Sandersons, Arnolds and Krouts, as we plan the Ultimate Date Night on September 17th. Pray for a God sized turn out of 175 couples. Pray that God would protect our marriages so we can mentor and encourage others effectively.



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