

9.28.25 Heritage Updates

Heritage Women's Ministry, 10.3

'First FriYay' kickoff is **Friday, October 3 from 6:30 - 8:30 pm** right here at the church. Gather your gal pals and join us in kicking off a year focusing on reflecting Jesus in our day-to-day living, as we share nuggets of truth, nosh on tasty treats, and nurture relationships, all to the glory of God.

Men's Study, 10.4

We meet **Saturday, 10.4 (8:30 - 9:30 am)** to continue with Joshua chapter 13 at the Hrenko home. (111 Michaels Ln, Newark 19713) All men are welcome! Contact John Hrenko for more information at 302-353-0931.

October 'First Supper Sunday' Lunch, 10.5

Our October Chili Lunch is **Sunday, 10.5 following Sunday School** classes. Please use SignUp Genius or sign up in the hall to let us know what you plan to bring — your favorite chili recipe, side, apple or pumpkin dessert or beverage.

Greeters Wanted

If you have a friendly smile and would like to greet people as they come through our doors on Sunday mornings, please contact a member of the Mercy Ministry (Lorraine Morgan, Lawanna Mayberry or Sandy Sculley).

Nursery & Jr Church Volunteers

Please share in the privilege of serving our Heritage and visitor families.

We really need your help with nursery coverage for worship & Sunday School! You can sign up using SignUp Genius or at the signup sheets at the nursery & Jr Church doors. (A background check is required for all new volunteers, at no cost to you.)

Heritage Kids

Nursery is available for **infants-PreK** during worship (if staffing allows). Feel free to use it for however much of the service you desire.

Junior Church is available (if staffing allows) during the 2nd half of the service for students in **Kindergarten through 4th grade**. Children will leave during the songs before the sermon and return during the final song. The classroom is in the back of Fellowship Hall - straight out the back of the sanctuary.

Red Folder activity pages are also available at the table by the sanctuary door for anyone who wishes to use them.

God's Kingdom Building:

Scott & Meghan Dillon, serving with MTW

(Mission To the World) in Panama City, Panama

Each year the Heritage Presbytery (DE, PA, and MD) gathers youth from across the region for the Reality Factor Retreat. Fun fact: Tim Malone insists he came up with the name—but let the record show, I (Scott) was the true founder before moving to Panama!

This year's retreat is especially meaningful—it will spotlight our ministry here in Panama. Mark and Penny are eager to attend, and we've been working with retreat leaders to make it possible for them to join.



- Pray for our support needs as raising \$3700/month while living in Panama feels daunting.
- Pray for Scott's trip to the USA in September—that meetings with churches and individuals would be fruitful for partnership and encouragement.
- Pray for Comunidad de Cristo as we grow in depth and reach, building a strong evangelical and Presbyterian foundation contextualized for Panamanian culture.
- Pray for The Third Place, that God would use our café as a place of gospel conversations, meaningful friendships, and as a "third place" where people connect with Christ and his community.
- Pray for our mission team as we learn to function more like church staff in partnership with local leadership, with humility and cultural sensitivity.
- Pray for Angie, who just started her first year at University UMECIT here in Panama. She's studying to be an English Teacher.
- Pray for Rachel, who is living in PA and attending Del-tech as she prepares for her next steps. Maybe Liberty or Geneva.

Rachel (18) is living in the PA/DE area and we're in need of a vehicle for her. If you know of someone or have a car that you'd be willing to sell at a wonderfully beautiful discount to a missionary, please let me know. I (Scott) will be traveling to Delaware on Sept 20 to help Rachel finish her driving practice and get her license. My hope is to leave her on Sept 26 with a license and a car.