WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Church office hours are Monday through Friday 9 - 5 p.m. Announcements for the bulletin are due by Thursday at 5 p.m. Small Groups meet various nights in homes and at the worship center.

YOUTH GROUP SCHEDULE

Middle School (Grades 6-8) meets on Tuesdays from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. Senior High (Grades 9-12) meets on Wednesdays from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

SUNDAY WORSHIP

- + 7:10 7:30 a.m. Radio Program on WMBS 590 AM
- + 8:45 9:00 a.m. Refreshments & Fellowship
- 9:00 a.m. A previously recorded ALC worship service is televised on CUTV cable channel #17 (Atlantic Broadband) or online at http://www.ustream.tv/channel/cutvlive
- + 9:00 a.m. Worship Service; Nursery (ages 0-2 1/2) in Room 6
- **†** 9:15 a.m. Bible classes during the sermon: Ages $2\frac{1}{2}$ 4 in Room 7, K 2^{nd} grade in Room 5, 3^{rd} 5^{th} grade in Room 9, 6^{th} 8^{th} grade in Room 14, 9^{th} 12^{th} grade in Room 12/13.
- + 9:15 a.m. Adult Bible Classes are held weekly in Room 10 Room 8 and Room 11
- + 10:15 10:40 a.m. Refreshments & Fellowship
- + 10:45 a.m. Worship Service and Nursery (open for ages 0-3) in Room 6.
- 11:00 a.m. Age 2 in Room 9, Ages 3 & 4 in Room 5, Age 5 in Room 7, Jr. Church:1st thru 3rd Grade in Room 10, Jr. Church: 4th & 5th grade in Room 8, Middle School: 6th thru 8th grade in Room 14. High School: 9th thru 12th in Room 12/13

CARE & CONCERN

Those in medical facilities or recuperating as of 09-4-15

Dorothy Bowlen – Liberty Hall, 27 Kyle Ln, Fairchance
Betty Jean Fell – Beechwood Court, Room 222
Hazel Uhler – staying with daughter Sondra Tolbert, 374 Hopwood Fairchance Rd., Uniontown
Slim McDonald – Point Manor North, 490 Coolspring St., Uniontown
Daisy Morris – Mt. Macrina, 520 W. Main Street, Uniontown Rm. 108B
Mike & Jeannine Schnatterly – home with ongoing health problems
Steve Hartsek – home with ongoing health problems

PRAYER CHAIN

Daily from 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. Email: alcprayer@outlook.com Phone: Call Cindy at 724-564-5893

Abundant Life Church

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Sunday, September 6, 2015

Abundant Life Church exists to exalt Jesus (worship), to teach the Bible (grow), to share the gospel (reach), to love one another (connect), and to serve the Lord (serve).

A WARNING FROM JESUS

Jesus said, "Watch out!...a man's life does not consist in the abundance of his possessions." Was Jesus serious when he said this? Absolutely he was. The American dream of comfort, wealth, and pleasure will lead many people to hell. But Jesus came that you and I may have life to the full – both now and for eternity! Jesus said, "What good will it be for a man if he gains the whole world, yet forfeits his soul?" You think about that. Amen.

We have emerald <u>WELCOME</u> packets in the lobby which contain much information. If you did not receive one, or if you have any questions, feel free to call our office from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on weekdays at 724-425-9700 or visit us online at **www.myabundantlife.org**.

DATE CHANGE!! KNIGHTS OF THE 21ST CENTURY BEGINS ON MONDAY, <u>SEPTEMBER 28 at 7:00 p.m.</u> – We invite all of the men of ALC to join with the 80 men who have already made the commitment to rally together to become a more complete man of God. Please sign up in the lobby! If you have any questions please call Garrett at 724-425-9700.

JOURNEY TO FINANCIAL FREEDOM SEMINAR – Saturday, September 19th from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. This one-day seminar from Crown Financial Ministries provides practical advice to place your finances in alignment with God's plan. The cost is \$45 per person or \$50 per couple which includes a workbook and lunch. Please register by signing the sheet in the lobby or online at www.myabundantlife.org. Please make checks payable to Abundant Life Church and write *Financial Freedom* on the memo line and place them in the offering box. Scholarships are available for those who want them.

<u>ALC YOUTH GROUPS FALL 2015</u>: <u>Jr. High Parent & Youth Night</u> is **Tuesday Sept. 8th** and <u>Sr. High Parent & Youth Night</u> is Wednesday Sept. 9th. Please come along with your children to see what's planned for the upcoming year. You may bring a small dessert to share if you wish! (6:30 – 8:00 pm both nights)

<u>ALC FREE MOVIE NIGHT</u> is **FRIDAY** <u>September 11th at 7:00 p.m.</u> Invite your friends and family for a fun evening out. Admission, popcorn and sodas are free! Join us for the movie "<u>GRACE UNPLUGGED</u>". See the posters for details.

PRAYER FOR OUR NATION – On Wednesday, September 30th from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m., we will gather in our auditorium to pray for our church family, for Christians everywhere, for our nation, and for whatever the Holy Spirit impresses upon our hearts. This will be an exciting evening as we ask God to draw us closer to Him and as we expect God to speak to us in a powerful way! Please come. Please encourage your small group members and other friends to attend as well.

<u>BAPTISM</u> will be held on Sunday, September 20th at 10:25 a.m. If you have given your life to Christ and you would like to be baptized <u>please sign</u> <u>the sheet</u> in the lobby.

PRESCHOOL AND KINDERGARTEN TEACHERS ARE NEEDED Loving, devoted men or women, who enjoy this age group, can contact Susan Cook at s.cook@myabundantlife.org or leave a phone message at the church. We use a rotating schedule between 4 teachers, based on their availability.

<u>OUTCROP MINISTRY</u> is in need of gently used to new clothing for boy's size 5T through adult medium and girls size 5T through young teen. There is a special need for <u>boys' clothes</u>. Donations will be accepted **through September 13th** and can be labeled "for Outcrop" and placed in the drawer unit in the Information Room.

<u>MEN'S BREAKFAST</u> will be held on **Saturday, September 26th** at 7:30 a.m. This is a great opportunity for men to connect, serve, and grow in faith! Please sign up in the lobby if you plan to attend.

<u>WEEKEND TO REMEMBER MARRIAGE RETREAT</u> - Sponsored by Family Life will be held on **Nov 13-15** at Pittsburgh Marriott North and **Nov 20-22** at the Double Tree in Monroeville. For more information and to register please visit <u>http://www.familylife.com/weekendtoremember2015</u>. All military guard, reserve, and active duty can receive a couple's registration scholarship (free). All couples registering with **ALCGroup** receive a discount. The best time for registration is during the **Buy One Get One Free which is NOW through September 14th**. There are registration forms in the lobby.

CELEBRATE RECOVERY meets on Saturdays at **10:00 a.m. in Room 10** of Abundant Life Church. The weekly meeting uses the biblical steps to overcome life's hurts, habits and hang-ups. This is open to the public. Please share this info with your family and friends or take a Celebrate Recovery brochure (located on the table by the front door) to them.

STANDING IN THE GAP "Standing for God and Country" meets the second Tuesday monthly at the Park Inn on Rt. 40 at 11:15 a.m. for prayer, at 11:30 a.m. for lunch, and at 12:00 p.m. for meeting. The next meeting is on **Tuesday, September 8th**. Call Dana for more information at 724-438-4183.

GENE CUNNINGHAM'S ANNUAL WESTERN PA CONFERENCE will be held at Abundant Life Church on Friday evening, **October 23rd** from 7 to 9:15 p.m., on Saturday, **October 24th** from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. (a continental breakfast and lunch will be provided) and on Sunday, **October 25th** during both worship services. **The conference topic is** "<u>The Holy Spirit</u>". Mark your calendars!! Please feed money to "George the Giraffe" in the library for the benefit of Nan Cunningham's ministry to the needy children in India.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"God created marriage. No government subcommittee envisioned it. No social organization developed it. Marriage was conceived and born in the mind of God." ~ Max Lucado