

## Welcome!

Guests, we welcome you and thank you for coming! We invite you to use our **child care services** for infants through children in kindergarten, located in the church building basement. Please see nursery details below. Sunday School meets at 9 a.m. and is on a summer schedule. Please see note below about it.

If you would like to find out more about Old Orchard and what we are about, please fill out one of our visitor forms in the lavender or blue pads on the chairs or in the hymnal rack.

### Our Children's Ministry

**Nursery** is offered for infants & children through kindergarten age. Our nurseries are in the church building basement.

❖ **Infant nursery** for babies, crawlers, & very early walkers.

❖ **Toddler nursery** for children who are walking up to three years of age. Children who turn three from January-August are invited to attend preschool worship starting September 1. Children who turn three from September-December are invited to attend preschool worship starting January 1.

❖ **Preschool worship** for age 3 through Kindergarten. Three-year-olds (see above) and four-year-olds are welcome during the whole service. Five-year-olds remain upstairs in the worship service until dismissed at 10:50.

❖ **Children's Worship**. Will not meet this summer. See "Movies for Minors" announcement below.

### Our Library

Please browse our selection of books in the vestibule by the kitchenette. More books are in our library rooms, located in the Milligan House on the first floor by the kitchen and bathroom. Enjoy!!

**Parlor Fellowship Today:** Margaret Wilke and Amy Grady are hosting. We are honoring high school graduates Hannah Nelson and Niko Skrainka. Please join us in the parlor after worship.

**Next Lunch at Milligan House & Hosts Needed:** Sunday, June 26 after worship. Hosting: Betsy Tevebaugh & Linda Lemen. Barrs Community Group are helpers. Sign up to attend! Menu: pizza, salad and dessert.

**Also,** two hosts/hostesses needed for the August 28 lunch and one co-host needed for October 23. See Betsy Tevebaugh if you can help host one.

### Sunday School News

No Sunday School for through the months of June & July for children.

#### **Summer Adult Class.**

Summer Sunday School class for adults (that runs during June and July and the last week in August),

#### **Disciplines for Disciples—A Simple Introduction.**

This class will focus on some of the classic spiritual disciplines we need to be learning and practicing if we are to keep our communion with God intimate, authentic and growing. We will focus in particular on learning how to meditate on God's Word—not simply on how to read it or study it but on how to *meditate* on it. What's that all about? Someone who has spent the past year going deeper in the discipline of meditation on Scripture recently wrote, *The Word of GOD is truly powerful. I found it strong enough to stop me in my tracks.*"

Join us on Sundays at 9 a.m. in the Milligan House, to find out more. Childcare will be provided, but you will need to let Mark Robertson know (707-6050).

*This would be a great way to refresh your relationship with the Lord and renew your love for him in this 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary year!*—Ron Lutjens

**Intergenerational Sunday School Class.** In August, after Summer Narnia (VBS), there will be an intergenerational Sunday School to which we will invite attendees of Summer Narnia, which will have just finished.

**Congregational Meeting.** Congregational meeting scheduled for this Wednesday, June 15 (6:45 p.m.) is to vote on Currie Bishop, standing for the office of elder, and to get feedback from the congregation on the proposed 2011-2012 budget. Child care will be offered. (Let Mark Robertson know if you will be using child care.) Members, please see an elder if you cannot attend. Please take today's budget handout to review before the meeting.

**Movies for Minors.** Starting June 26, kids in grades 1-5 are invited to go across the street to the Milligan House during Sunday worship to enjoy a short film based on the liturgy theme of that morning's worship service. This will take place every other week, so that kids are able to worship for the full service on occasion, and have the opportunity to watch a fun film on the other weeks. There will be a short Q&A at the end of each film, facilitated by two adults. We are looking for a few adults to rotate and help with facilitating this time. Please contact Mark Robertson if you are interested in helping. Thanks!!

**The Old Orchard Family Book Review!** Parents, this night is for you!! Please join us on June 28 @ 6:30 pm at the Milligan House, as we discuss devotional materials, and books and articles about youth issues like sexuality, peer pressure, and contemporary culture. We want to welcome everyone to share what resources they have found to be helpful over the years. Snacks and coffee provided. Childcare provided upon request, contact Mark Robertson.

## Youth Group

*High School Only! Summer Bible Study—Every other Friday! Next one is June 9 @ 9 am @ Einstein's. Marvelous! Stupendous!*

- Friday, June 17—Shakespeare in the Park. Meet at OOC at 6 p.m.

- Sunday, June 26—Serving @ Dell Haven w/ Grace & Peace 2 pm (we'll just stay after church, go to lunch then on to Grace & Peace

--See Mark Robertson with questions.

## Summer Narnia—Please Register!

Tuesday, July 26 - Saturday, July 30, 2011

9:00am – noon. OOC'ers, please register your kids. Registration is now on the OOC website. Be thinking about volunteering. See Kelli McKie for questions.

## Lawn Mowing— Please sign-up!

We're at that season again—looking for people to mow



the lawns at the church building/Milligan House and at the home of Willie Lee, disabled who lives in Rock Hill. **Bill**

**Grady** coordinates lawn mowing at the church/Milligan House, and **Mark Robertson** is currently coordinating lawn mowing at Willie Lee's, but we are looking for a new coordinator for Willie's lawn mowing. Interested? See Mark Robertson.

Sign up sheets are circulating today! For questions, please contact Bill Grady at or Mark Robertson.

## ZUMBA at OOC!!!

FUN and exercise at the same time!! Tuesdays in June, 6-7 pm in the parlor. Take advantage of this opportunity. No charge. Bring your friends and neighbors, too! Contact Becca Skrainka with any questions.

Session Meeting. Tuesday, June 14, 6 p.m.

## Bring Food Any Sunday

We invite you again to bring **canned vegetables, fruit and tuna** any Sunday and drop it off to the box in the foyer. Webster Rock Hill Ministries is low on these items so we'll pass along to them what we receive. Thanks! --Mercy Ministry Team

## Next Overture!

You are invited to write for any issue of our newsletter, the *Overture!* We welcome submissions of articles, art, short essays, poetry, etc. All submissions should be signed by the person submitting them. You can place your signed articles in the *Overture* box (in the coat room), or email them to the church office. The next issue will be out Sunday, June 19 with Jim Lowe editing. Deadline for articles is today, June 12.

## LET'S SHOWER THE BRIDE

All OOC women are invited to a bridal shower to honor Anna Cushman. Anna and Kirk Norris will be married at Old Orchard Church on August 6th.

WHERE: Milligan House

WHEN: Saturday, June 25 at 10:00 am

HOSTESSES: Lina Gentry and Sandra Schulte

Anna is registered at Bed, Bath and Beyond, Pottery Barn, Macy's, and Home Depot. If your budget is tight you can contribute to a group gift. Please give your contribution to Lina or Sandra by Sunday, June 19th. It would be greatly appreciated if you could bring something for the refreshment table.

Please join your sisters in Christ in a time of prayer and celebration for Anna.

## New Addresses

**Jacob & Katie, Emma & Ian Mohler**

New address as of June 23, 2011!

See print copy.

They are nomads at present so don't go to their Wismer address looking for them. They're not there.

Peter Barrs new e-mail: see print copy.

## Foreign Missions Prayer Requests

June's list of prayer requests for our foreign missionaries was left out of the *Overture* last week, but will be in the next *Overture*. Meanwhile, here are a couple of the requests.

**Gerry and Ruth Gutierrez – Huanta, Peru.** Pray for comfort for Ruthie as she is undergoing chemotherapy here in the US. Pray for Gerry as her cares for her. Though the doctor's prognosis is not good, they are praying that the Lord will give them more time to serve him in Peru.

**Dawn Miller – Madrid, Spain.** Pray for Dawn this month as she goes to India for leadership training and then as she will be saying goodbye to friends in Madrid and leaving for the US June 28. She will be having an extended time in the US, working part time with Campus Crusade in St Louis while beginning a Master's program at Covenant Seminary. Pray for Dawn in all these difficult transitions and adjustments.

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