

The Vine: May 2015

On The Vine:

My good friend Leland Herring from West Palm Beach, Florida celebrated a major milestone in his life on April 26 of this year. Eighteen years ago on this date he received a new set of lungs at Duke University Hospital. Leland was born with Cystic Fibrosis which destroyed his lungs and ability to breathe. He continues to be a walking miracle considering he was given seven years to live following the transplant. This week he will be speaking to a group of 100 plus doctors at Duke Medical. Leland has served Palm Beach County Youth for Christ for over 17 years. He runs a club similar to what we do with FCA in four different junior high schools. Here is story from one of the clubs that he sent out in his monthly newsletter. I just wanted to share it with you and celebrate Leland's life!

I met "Jay's" mom several weeks ago in the parking lot while she was picking him up from school. As I introduced myself and thanked her for letting her son attend Campus Life, she picked up on the fact that we talk about Jesus and her demeanor completely changed. She said, "Did he tell you that we are Jehovah's Witnesses?" I said, "No, but we appreciate you allowing him to come as we love everyone."

Have you ever felt like you just walked into a hornets' nest? As I walked away from that encounter, I sensed Jay was getting reamed out by his mom for attending our "Club." Surprisingly, he's come back to Campus Life since. But as I shared the True meaning of Easter several weeks back, I found it interesting that every time I said the word "Jesus" or "resurrection" Jay literally covered his ears with his hands. He sat quietly paying attention, but he was apparently not "allowed" to listen to Truth. Please pray that the Lord opens the ears of Jay's heart even though he closes the ears on his head. (That is really an interesting but sad story. Would you pray for Jay and Leland?)

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Mothers Day!

Don't forget that Mother's Day is on the 10th of May! We will celebrate this important date by honoring all the women in our church. Hope to see you on this important Sunday.



Sunday Morning MessagesApril Worship #s

May 3: Core Christian Beliefs—Grace	April 5	120
May 10: The Power of the Cross—Unity	April 12	42
May 17: The Power of the Cross—Wisdom	April 19	72
May 24: The Power of the Cross—Boasting	April 26	72
May 31: TBA		

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

May 1	Lauren Farnsworth	May 17	Levi Rogers & Christina Huber
May 2	Lannie Robison	May 18	Hilary Coe
May 12	Jim Hoult	May 19	Lisa Taylor & Kathy Lientz
May 14	Mike Taylor & Amie Furnish	May 24	Shane Moran

Summer 2015 Ministry Opportunities!

If you are looking for an opportunity to serve the Lord this summer, consider the following opportunities. This summer our mission team will be traveling back to Memphis, Tennessee to serve with Shine In The Dark Ministries. The dates for this trip are **July 5-11**. You will also have the opportunity to serve at our Community VBS week that will take place at the Christian Church on **July 13-17**.

ABW Women's Banquet

Monday, **June 8** at FBC—Continue to watch for more information on this event

Congratulations to our 2015 Graduates

Guthrie Gardner	Indiana State University
Cody Owen	Indiana State University
McKinley Sheehy	Paris High School
Brianna Hale	Chrisman High School
Tyler Lunger	Chrisman High School
Melissa Pickett	Chrisman High School
Lucas Francani	Chrisman High School
Mackenzie Scroggins	Chrisman High School

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 12:15pm FCA @ CHS	2
3 9:00am Sunday School 10:00am Worship 11:15am Deacon/Trustee Mtgs. 5:30pm Mission Team Mtg.	4	5	6 7:00pm Choir	7 National Day of Prayer 4:00pm Prayer Service @ Pleasant Meadows	8 12:15pm FCA @ CHS	9
10 MOTHER'S DAY 9:00am Sunday School 10:00am Worship 6:00pm Youth Group	11	12	13 7:00pm Choir	14	15 12:15pm FCA @ CHS	16
17 9:00am Sunday School 10:00am Worship 2:00pm Baccalaureate @ FBC	18 Philathea Class Meeting leave at 4:30pm to go out to eat	19	20 7:00pm Choir	21	22	23 7:00pm CHS Graduation
24 9:00am Sunday School 10:00am Worship 6:00pm Youth	25 MEMORIAL DAY	26	27 7:00pm Choir	28	29	30
31 9:00am Sunday School 10:00am Worship 6:00pm Youth						Praise the LORD! Praise Him for His mighty works; praise His unequalled greatness! Psalm 150:1-2