

From the Pastor's Desk

Dear Church Family:

Happy Father's Day to all the Dads in and around our church!

I learned many things from my Dad. Most of those life lessons were positive and helpful for living the rest of my life.

A father's love and example are life changers for most young people.

I don't know where I would be today if it weren't for the strict discipline of my father and mother. Many of my friends went the wrong way, but my dad and mom made sure I had every opportunity to do the right thing.

I am eternally grateful to my Heavenly Father for giving me parents who loved me enough to guide me in God's ways.

I am sure it was hard for them, but it was the best way for me.

Thank God for Dad and Mom!

You were the Best!

Love, Pastor Curt Ayers.

Last week, on Memorial Day, we paused and remembered the brave men and women who laid their lives down so that we, as Americans, would continue to have the rights and freedoms we enjoy today. Where would we be today without their sacrifice?

I read a great illustration the other day about *Winston Churchill*. He designed his own funeral, which took place at St. Paul's Cathedral in London. The dome was the model for our US Capitol building in DC. At Churchill's direction, at the close of the service, a bugler positioned high up in the dome sounded "Taps". Most people don't know that this song has the lyrics 'Day is done, gone the sun'. Immediately after Taps was finished being played a second bugler was to play "Reveille". Again, this song includes the lyrics 'It's time to get up, it's time to get up, it's time to get up in the morning!' This was Churchill's testimony that at the end of our lives, the last note will be Taps, but Reveille!

Winston Churchill's final testimony to us was only made possible thru the sacrifice of Jesus Christ. The Apostle Paul says it this way... *'But we do not want you to be uninformed, brethren, about those who are asleep, so that you will not grieve as do the rest who have no hope. For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so God will bring with Him those who have fallen asleep in Jesus'. 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18*

Pt. Steve Dawes



Preaching the Gospel of Jesus from the Isles of Capri

Worship Service Schedule

Contemporary Sunday 9:00 AM Blended Service Sunday 11:15 AM Sunday School For all ages at 10:00 AM

Youth and Family Ministry



- *Nursery is available in room #4 during all adult services on Sunday morning
- *PreK: The bible tells me where to go. (Class; Sundays @ 11:15 in room # 5)
- *K-5: Confidence- Living like you know what God says is true. (Large Group; Sunday 9AM & 11:15AM, Activity Hour; Sunday 10:15 AM)

- *"Pizza and Play" at Mackle Park (Marco Island) 6:00 – 7:00 PM Every Wednesday Night Starting June 13th
- *Caprikidz Parents Night Out Saturday, June 23rd 5:00 – 8:00 PM
- *Lake Aurora: July 1st – July 3rd www.lakeaurora.org please go to their website to register for camp this year. It is offered to 2nd- 4th Grade and the cost is free! Indicate in registration that Capri Christian Church is covering the cost!
- *VBS: August 6th to August 10th. From 6:00 to 8:00 PM. Please go to www.youthatcapri.org/vbs to register for this event and to see this year's theme.

- *Tourist Sunday's (Sunday Afternoon): Join us as we explore southwest Florida the way a tourist would. Keep posted weekly about the upcoming activity.
- *Breakfast Tuesdays: Meet at the church for basketball/hang and breakfast Tuesdays at 10:30. We will also get an overview of one of the books of the bible in each session.



*Madden Sim: Sign up to be a part of our online Madden franchise. The winner of the super bowl will receive a free copy of the upcoming Madden game.

- *SLIP Wednesdays: Students interested in helping in our Caprikidz ministries should join us for SLIP Training Wednesdays at 10:30am. To be eligible to help students must attend six of eight weeks.
- *BigStuf: June 3rd to June 8th. Panama City FL. Please go to www.youthatcapri.org/students to register for this event. Once you register with the church an email will be sent to you from BigStuf to fill out all forms for their organization. Cost is \$250.

Memos:

- ✓ Register for Lake Aurora and VBS. Please make an effort to invite friends and family to VBS. This is a tremendous way to be an outreach to our community and to bring kids closer to Jesus. The dates for both are listed above.
- ✓ Please make it a point to talk to your students (6th -12th Grade) about treating other people with respect. In the wake of all that has been happening at the schools in this country it is imperative that we teach our students how to love like Jesus would. This month we are helping students look at the whole picture and not to be so quick to mistreat and judge others.
- ✓ We will be leaving for BigStuf June 3rd. Please be in attendance for the 10:00 AM Sunday school class and have all packing items ready to go outside of the classroom before then.
- ✓ Don't forget to keep updated on our website. Here you will find a schedule of events, information about the people who are working with your children, forms and packets needed for trips as well as contacts to reach the office and resources for parents. Please be sure to check it often at www.youthatcapri.org

Pt. Tim Gardiner

Attendance & Offering Report

DATE	ATTENDANCE	OFFERING
April 29 th	334	\$ 10,569.59
May 6 th	274	\$ 10,358.00
May 13 th	284	\$ 20,109.00
May 20 th	262	\$ 11,973.00



The Women's Ministry here at Capri had an exciting season. I am so thankful for the women who volunteered their time and energy for our many events, groups, and studies.

We have had the opportunity to worship together, learn together, and, of course, laugh together. When I was asked to help lead and grow this ministry several years ago, I naively believed that Women's Ministry is about the programs you plan and the opportunities you offer. I learned very quickly, though, that the women who make up our church and this ministry and who we get to minister to are really what this is all about.

As the years have flown by, there have been so many women who have played such an important role in helping our ministry thrive. As we continue this summer and begin make plans for next fall and winter, I am excited that a couple new women have felt led to take on a larger role in our ministry. Lynne Gilles will be taking the reins of coordinating our women's Bible studies from Debbie Haeussler who has been serving in that role for many years. Please offer yours thanks to both of these wonderful women who have and will do a great job with this important part of our ministry. I am also excited that Kris Kugler has prayerfully considered and accepted to take on the role of directing the Women's Ministry. While I have truly enjoyed serving in this role, I am excited for the new energy Kris will offer to this ministry. Please join me in thanking her for her willingness to serve in this role.

Love, Tabitha Dawes.

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HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

- 1st Harry & Charlotte Husted
Ken & Pat Lilly
Jim & Cathy McFarland.
- 2nd Donald & Karen Miner
- 3rd Joseph & Marilyn Benson
- 4th Ron & Jennifer Gordon
John & Kathy Ragland
- 6th David & Jean Dilks
- 8th Pete & Sue Deam

- 10th Larry & Nancy Megel
Giles & Carol Sorrells
Jerry & Judy Whidby
- 11th Eddie & Ann Hall
- 12th Tim & Stephanie Gardiner
Karl & Jan Sanger
- 13th Mike & Shelly Ruffalo
- 18th Eric & Brandi Garwood
- 23rd Jack & Sylvia Bower
Charles & Treva Gish
Don & Maurine Killing
- 24th Jeff & Claudia Smith
- 25th Glen & Betty Dials

- 26th Jim & Peggy Camille
Paul & Yvonne Rhoads
Paul & Mary Beth Schneller
- 28th Bob & Sue Carter
- 29th Dave & Path Rexroad

*"Love is patient, love is kind.
It does not envy, it does not
boast, it is not proud."
1Corinthians 13:4*



*"For I know the plans I
have for you," declares
the Lord, "plans to
prosper you and not to
harm you, plans to give
you hope and a future".
Jeremiah 29:11*

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| 1 st Chuck Dostal
Ron Spano | 13 th Bill Birchmeire
15 th Bruce Johnson | 28 th Doug Feeny
29 th Debbie Fields |
| 2 nd Betty Collier | 16 th Bobby Decker | Marsha Day |
| 3 rd Paul Beugel
Paul Curry | Phil Tobie
Russell Hawver | Reford Young |
| 4 th Charles Darr
Jerry Myers | 19 th Sandy Cooney
21 st Joan Clauser | 30 th Tim Gardiner |
| 7 th Sharon Donato | Keith Lawson | |
| 9 th Joseph Benson | 23 rd John Butz | |
| 10 th Bob Dyer | 25 th William Amiss | |
| 11 th Steven Dawes | 26 th Charles W. Gish | |
| 12 th Mike Elliott | 27 th Joanne Miller | |



UPCOMING EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Capri Christian Church Memorial Scholarship Committee:
We are pleased to announce the recipients of 2018 scholarships: *Alicia Tower* and *Jacob Schmeler*. Please join the Committee in congratulating these exceptional students who will begin another chapter of their life attending Cornerstone University and University of South Florida, respectively. May God continue to bless them.



Philip's Ministries Monthly Luncheon:

Wednesday, June 20th 2018 at 12:00 PM. At "The Little Bar - Restaurant", Goodland, FL. For more Information, please call Ann Westerlind (239) 642-9402 or Marion Bearden (239) 389-9011.



Prayer Shawl Ministry

Summer meetings will be at Wanda Hobgood's house, every Thursday at 1:00 PM. We would love to have you join us.

SMALL groups

2018 Summer Small Group Series on **Four Great Loves:**
Every Monday 6:00 PM at Bob and Wanda Hobgood's House.
Every Wednesday 9:00 AM at The Church Fellowship Hall.



All-Church Pancake Breakfast
(Pancakes, Sausage, Fruit, & Coffee)

Sunday, June 10th @10am



**VBS 2018
August 6 - 10
6 - 8 PM**

Join our #Caprikidz for another great year of VBs! this year we will discover what it looks like to live your best life.