

FEBRUARY 2017



## HCC Newsletter

### FEBRUARY SERIES—MESSY FAITH

Faith...there are no straight line stories of faith in the Bible. Even Jesus had his moments of faith challenge in the wilderness temptations, dealing with the religious elite, being frustrated at his own disciples lack of belief, dealing with his Father in the Garden and feeling abandoned on the cross. The crooked path of faith in the lives of believers in the Bible can give us hope that we aren't all that different from our faith heroes. The

things we battle spiritually are universal. The tougher things are in fact the very things that forge the quality, purity, and strength of our faith in the long run.

We will always have the “in us, among us, and through us” faith journey challenges. We will deal with our own internal conflicts, inconsistencies, and limitations and how that gets expressed in dealing with God and others. We

will struggle with how to relate to others in their similar internal realities and how that gets expressed outwardly to us and to God. And we will have to manage the accumulated effects of how we and other believers impact those around us that we hope to reach with the gospel. We have to deal with them personally AND as a group of believers living real life.



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### Child Dedication



Sunday, Feb. 19th  
Both Services

To participate,  
go to our website,  
or sign up at  
the Information Table  
in the Fellowship Hall.

## FINANCE CLASS

### Finance Class



**Sunday, Feb. 19th**  
**12:15-2:00pm**  
**Fellowship Hall**  
**Light Lunch Provided**

**Taught by Tom Bonvissuto**  
**Sign-up on website or at Information Table**

Tom Bonvisutto has offered to come on to discuss the topic of various ways to approach and afford a college education. Whether you are already out of college and need to pay down your loans, or are a parent of a child either in college or college bound, or are a parent or grandparent wondering about college affordability in the future, Tom has some great ideas, techniques, and understandings to share about this subject. It will take place after the second service in the Fellowship Hall. A light lunch will be provided.

**Location:** Fellowship Hall



## J-WALKERS RETREAT

Our plan is to leave early Saturday Feb 11th and come back late Sunday Feb 12th. I'm going to ask that everybody responds to let me know if you are interested so I can properly plan. Because the day could take you in different directions there is no set price so I've just put together a price list. There is always something to do between skiing, snowboarding, and tubing. No experience needed, just come and have fun.



Please feel free to contact me with any questions and hope to hear back from everyone! Please consider committing to this as we've always had a great time at our youth retreat weekends. Outside friends are welcome, just communicate with me ahead of time.

**Location:** Round Top Ski Resort, Lewisberry, PA

Check out the website for more information: <https://www.skiroundtop.com/the-mountain>

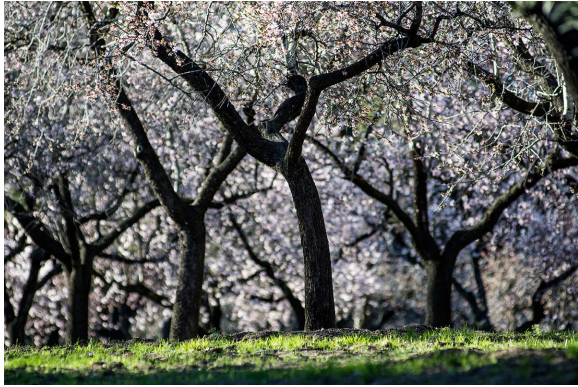
### In general here are some prices:

- Lift ticket only \$57 per day
- Rentals with ticket \$73
- Lesson/Lift ticket/Rentals \$81
- Tubing all day \$33
- Hotel Room \$75 (I would suggest four to a room and split the cost)
- Meal Deal \$10 a meal (Pizza/Sandwich/Burger includes fries/drink/cookie)

\*You can always look for coupons and deals as well on rentals and tickets

\*You can also bring your own food and save money that way

MEN AND WOMEN'S SMALL GROUPS



**men's  
ministry**

**Every Other Monday - 6:30 - 8:30pm**  
**Fellowship Hall**  
**Saturday Mornings - 8:00-9:30am**  
**Youth Room**

*Women's  
Ministry*

*Wednesdays - 11am*  
*Home of Holly Fitzpatrick*  
*Thursdays - 7pm*  
*Beginning March 30th*



COMING IN MARCH...

MARRIAGE  
**WORKS**  
OF MARYLAND

PRESENTS

**JAY & LAURA**  
*Laffoon* **LIVE**

A MARRIAGE CELEBRATION EVERY MAN WILL ENJOY!

**Tenth Annual Marriage Conference**  
**Saturday, March 11, 2017**  
**9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.**

PREPARE  
TO LAUGH &  
CONNECT!

Flyers for more information are at the Information Table in the Fellowship Hall.



## AA MEETING

There is an AA group that meets here in the Fellowship Hall every Tuesday at 7:30pm, and another group that meets every Thursday at 5:30pm. You are welcome to join at any time.



## HOME GROUPS

Home Groups are a great way to get connected to others. If you aren't in a home group, check out what you're missing by visiting one!

**Grace - Bel Air and Havre de Grace**  
 Zachary and Lydia Browning  
 Meets every other Wednesday, 7pm  
[gracehomegroup@gmail.com](mailto:gracehomegroup@gmail.com)

**Planters - Aberdeen**  
 Ross and Jen Benton  
 Meets every Wednesday, 7:30pm  
[benton.ross@yahoo.com](mailto:benton.ross@yahoo.com)  
[dcjen@hotmail.com](mailto:dcjen@hotmail.com)

**Lifeline - Forest Hill**  
 Allan and Peggy Gorman  
 Meets 2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 6:45  
[peggyandallan@gmail.com](mailto:peggyandallan@gmail.com)  
[rarist33@hotmail.com](mailto:rarist33@hotmail.com)

**Being Transformed - Location Rotates**  
 Paul and Darlene Stutelberg  
 Meets 1st and 3rd Fridays, 7pm  
[paulstutelberg@verizon.net](mailto:paulstutelberg@verizon.net)  
[dstutelberg@verizon.net](mailto:dstutelberg@verizon.net)

**Seasons of Life - Bel Air**  
 Tom and Debbie Bradley  
 Meets every other Friday, 7pm  
[bradleyt@harfordsheriff.org](mailto:bradleyt@harfordsheriff.org)  
[bradleyd@harfordsheriff.org](mailto:bradleyd@harfordsheriff.org)



WELL OF HOPE FUNDRAISER - INFO SEE DEBBIE BRADLEY



**Enjoy a short stack  
for a tall cause.**

**WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT!**

**You're invited to an  
Applebee's® Flapjack Fundraiser Breakfast  
to support Well of Hope**

*(Proceeds help those who are most in need - i.e. to pay a BGE bill, food etc.)*

**\$7.00 per person**

All you can eat - pancakes and sausage - includes beverages

**WHEN: Saturday, March 25, 2017**

**8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.**

**WHERE: Applebee's Neighborhood Grill & Bar**

**1225 Churchville Road**

**Bel Air, MD 21015**