## May 14, 2017

# We extend a Christian Welcome to you!

Our Mission: The Riverview Congregation exists to glorify God and proclaim Jesus Christ. In love. we invite all to experience Christ in worship, truth, and hospitality.

Pastor: Merlin Miller (260) 336-3210 merlinwm@riverviewcf.org

## 9:30am Sunday School

Classes for all ages

Adult: Jesus and the Samaritan Woman

## 10:30 am Worship Service

Welcome & Prayer Special Music: Nyal Beachy

Offering for General Fund Worship: Eric Jones

Message: The Church Birthed - Acts 3:12-26, Pastor Merlin Miller

6:00 pm Sunday Evening Mother's Day, No Service

## **Upcoming Events**

- MAY 16, Riverview Guest Sewing: Everyone may invite a guest and bring food for a carry-in dinner. The food committee will provide a hot dish.
- MAY 19, Ladies' Day Outing to Holland, Michigan to see the tulips. We will plan to leave from the church at 8:00 AM & plan to be back around 6:00 PM. The approximate cost for the day will be \$25.00. This includes lunch. There is a possibility for some shopping as well. Please sign up today or let Chris Miller know by Wednesday if you are planning to go (even if you signed up before). It's still open for anyone wanting to go.
- MAY 20, 6:00 PM, Men's Meeting: We will be starting to work towards a special resolution signing ceremony for those men who want to resolve to be Godly leaders in their homes, so every male with that desire should plan to be there for sure, along with any other men that wish to join us that evening. The young men are encouraged to come and learn along with the fathers. For questions on the resolution see Kris Reckers.
- MAY 21, 6:00 PM will be our Communion service, along with foot washing and taking an offering for our Benevolence Fund, which goes to provide aid to those within the church when necessary.
- MAY 31, 6:00 PM, annual church business meeting & reorganization here at the church. Anyone is welcome to attend, members are expected.
- JUNE 18, Father's Day: The morning service is going to a very special service centered around the signing of the Resolution. If you have any questions about this service see Kris Reckers.

## **Church Related**

- HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY to our mothers at Riverview! May the Lord give you a special blessing today for the love and care that give your children, no matter their age. - VBS STAFF LIST is posted on the bulletin board. Please see Eric Jones as soon as possible if there is something listed on it that will not work.

## **Prayer Requests**

**David Stevens Matt LaFluer** Ted Bierdeman **Trent Miller Our Youth Larry Mast** 

#### **Sunday Evenings**

May 21- Communion

May 28- Ministry Night Jun 4- Hymn Sing @ Calvary Chapel

## **Special Music**

May 21- Kaitlin Martin May 28- Brent Hershberger Jun 4- Darrin Miller

#### **Greeter Schedule**

May 7 & 14- John Jones May 21 & 28- Ross LaFluer

#### **Last Week:**

Attendance: 133 **Pastoral Fund:** \$4722.00 **Youth Group:** 

\$723.18 General Fund:

\$580.00

**Building Fund:** \$100.00

**Christian Education Fund:** \$100.00

Benevolence Fund:

\$150.00

Scripture Prayer for the World and know that Yahweh is God. He will be exalted

Be still, O among you. The earth is the Lord's with its fullness; the world and the who dwell therein. Arise, God, judge the \_ inherit all of the nations.

Psalms 46:10; 24:1; 82:8

# For the Youth:

**NEXT SUNDAY, MAY 21:** The youth are invited to Jalen & Clarissa Yoder's home for an evening of fellowship following the evening service.

> Send Bulletin Info To: announcements@riverviewcf.org

# **This Week**

Today 14	Monday 15	Tuesday 16	Wednesday 17	Thursday 18	Friday 19	Saturday 20	Sunday 21
9:30am Sunday School 10:30am Worship 6pm Mother's Day, No Service Marc McNamara	Andre Martin	9am Riverview Ladies' Guest Sewing Alyssia	• 7pm Outreach Night		David Stevens	Men's Meeting	9:30am Sunday School 10:30am Worship 6pm Communion Youth Fellowship Night @ Jalen & Clarissa Yoder's home

# The Church Birthed

# explanation (immediate)

v 12 v 14, 15

v 16

# explanation (broader)

v 17, agnoia = v 18

# exhortation

v 19-21 metanoeo = epistrepho = Repentance brings:

# explanation (overview)

v 22 v 25; Gal 3:16 v 26

# lessons

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