Youth News, June 8, 2017

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G.R.I.T.S.

G.R.I.T.S., our girls summer discipleship group for rising 6th graders through college, will meet this Thursday, June 8, from 6:30 PM - 7:45 PM in Chick-fil-A's meeting room! Please bring money for dinner. We ask all girls to attend this G.R.I.T.S. on June 8 to discuss plans and details for this summer. Contact Morgan Stanchak at *morganstanchak9@gmail.com* or 843.267.5801 (cell) or Mary Anna Neill at *maneill@neilllawfirm.com* or 843.222.8647 (cell) for more info. G.R.I.T.S. stands for Girls Raised In The Spirit!

Please complete the required "G.R.I.T.S. permission form" online at *http://www.belinumc.org/youth* or on desk outside of Austin Bond's office in the FLC (room #9) by June 8. If you haven't turned in a "Youth Medical Release Form" since last summer, please complete that as well. Once you fill out these forms, it will cover your child for the entire summer. We always encourage you to bring a friend with you to G.R.I.T.S. but please make sure they complete the paperwork too!

WinShape Camp needs volunteers (16 years old and up and adults)! If you can help at St. James High School June 19-23, please contact Brandy Streett at *brandys@belinumc.org* or 843.385.1676 (cell) as soon as possible.

Please keep the following youth and adults in prayer at *Rivertown Salkehatchie* in Conway, SC June 10-17: Cody Appleton, Benton Barnes, Livie Boone, Mac Boone, Sullivan Boykin, Olivia Cox, Madison Ferrell, Spring Ferrell, Mary Karr Griffith, Alden Herring, Brice Hipp, Adrianne Lane, Sadie Leonard, Madelyn Mahaffey, Alan Murawski, Frank Murawski, Aimee Poulin, Melissa Poulin, Mike Poulin, Judy Price, Ryleigh Price, Alex Rogers, Patrick Saber, Samantha Saber, Shaylyn Simmons, Thomas Smalls, Jack Sullivan, Mike Sutula, Charlotte Tucker, Lena Tucker, William Wallace, Harrison Willis

Please keep the following youth and adults in prayer at *Summerville Salkehatchie* in Summerville, SC June 17-24: Adia Davis, Claire Davis, Miles Herring, Rylie Jordan, Kim Oakley, Will Sandt, Wilson Springs II, Wilson Springs III, Rebekah Walton

Inlet Baptism 2017

On Sunday, July 2, at 7 PM, youth and adults will have the opportunity to get baptized (or reaffirm their faith through baptism) in the Inlet at Belin's seawall. If you are interested in getting baptized, please contact Austin Bond. If you are getting baptized, please bring old shoes or water shoes (to wear in the inlet) and a towel. To see a video from a prior baptism, go to *https://youtu.be/IB9b-00K124*.

Need a summer job? Murrells Inlet Chick-fil-A hosts open interviews the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of every month from 3 PM - 4:30 PM. They are currently looking to fill full-time and part-time positions for those 14 years old and up.

Vacation Bible School is June 25-29, 5:30 PM - 8 PM. Volunteers are needed! Please contact Austin Bond if you can help. VBS registration is open to rising Kindergartners through 5th graders online at *http://www.belinumc.org/vacation-bible-school/*.

If you are interested in hosting a *foreign exchange student* (15-17 years old) for all or part of the next school year, please contact Jill Corten (Student American International) at *jillcorten@yahoo.com* or 843.520.6990.

Belin's Youth Praise Band will be leading worship at The Harbor in the Family Life Center on Sunday, July 23, at 8:45 AM and 11 AM. We hope you can join us at The Harbor or at our traditional worship service!

Every August we hold *tryouts for Belin's Youth Praise Band*. The Praise Band leads worship at Youth Group and occasionally at The Harbor (Belin's modern worship service). Rehearsals are Sundays from 3 PM - 5 PM during the school year. If you are interested in trying out for an instrumental or vocal position, please contact Austin Bond! Please note - those currently in the band are required to try out again too.

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