

# The Newsline

Our family reaching out to your family

June 2017

## Hope4You

Hi friends.

We learned a few weeks ago that Jesus was welcomed at parties and wasn't a stick-in-the-mud ruiner of everyones good time.

Psalm 2:4a says; The One enthroned in heaven laughs; There are several other Psalms that speak of God laughing. He gave us the gift of laughter. So... Some actual church bulletins -

**The eighth graders will be presenting Shakespeare's Hamlet in the church basement on Friday at 7 pm. The congregation is invited to attend the tragedy.**

Low Self-Esteem Support Group will meet Thursday at 7 to 8:30 p.m. Please use the back door.

Due to the pastor's illness, Wednesday's healing services will be discontinued until further notice.

**The sermon this morning: Jesus Walks on the Water. The sermon tonight: Searching for Jesus**

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**NEXT THURSDAY, THERE WILL BE TRYOUTS FOR THE CHOIR. THEY NEED ALL THE HELP THEY CAN GET.**

**Barbara C. remains in the hospital and is having trouble sleeping and requests tapes of Pastor Jack's sermons.**

"The cost for attending the Fasting & Prayer conference includes meals".

According to the Mayo Clinic, laughter also has the following health benefits.

Improve your immune system.

Relieve pain

Improve your mood.

Activate and relieve your stress response.

Soothe tension.

Laughter enhances your intake of oxygen-rich air, stimulates your heart, lungs and muscles, and increases the endorphins that are released by your brain.

Laughter decreases stress hormones and increases immune cells and antibodies, helping your body fight diseases.

It turns out Readers Digest was right after all. Laughter really is the best medicine.

I love you guys.  
Pastor Brian





**Alexis Humes – Graduation Open House**  
**June 4<sup>th</sup> at 2:00**  
**8080 Duncan Plains Rd – Alexandria**



**CHURCH FAMILY FUN**

**June 10th at 4:00 pm**

Pylant's 7265 Sadie Thomas Road  
 Alexandria

Let's gather for some great  
**FOOD\*FUN\*FELLOWSHIP** at the Pylant's. Hot  
 Dogs, Hamburgers, Drinks and table service will  
 be provided.

**WHAT YOU NEED TO BRING:**

Side dish and dessert, Lawn chairs,  
 Outdoor games

Fishing poles/bait (optional)

Mark your calendars now and make plans to join  
 the fun!

RSVP in Fellowship Hall



June 18<sup>th</sup>



**June Mini Mission**

Our mission for June is Vacation Bible School  
 donations. Check the bulletin board in the  
 Fellowship Hall to see what is needed for this  
 great mission outreach in our community.

**Are you ready for some snow and  
 40 below? Grab your coat and  
 boots because we're going to the  
 Artic, that's right! Come join us on  
 our journey as we explore the  
 coolest book on earth.**



**OPERATION ARCTIC VBS**

**JUNE 25 - 29**

**6:30 - 8:30 pm**

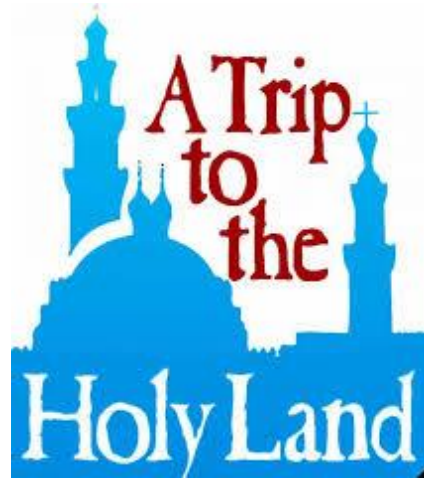
(note new time)

Our program this year will be offered to  
**4 year olds – 5<sup>th</sup> graders**

**You can help too, be watching the  
 bulletin board for items we will be  
 needing donated. If you have any  
 questions see Brenda.**

Things we know we need so far : artificial fir or spruce  
 Christmas trees, White sheets, Batting, large pieces of  
 Styrofoam





## **Israel Trip 2018**

### **Informational Meeting**

**Meeting Time: Monday, June 5 @6:30pm**

**Where: Alexandria Baptist Church**

Trip Date: June 4, 2018

Trip Length: 10 Days

Optional Trip Extension: 6 Days to Cairo & Route of Exodus

Company: Educational Opportunities Tours

Website: [www.eo.travel](http://www.eo.travel)

Trip Host: Terry Green

Host Phone Number: 740-924-5378

**Please join us for more information.**

