

The PRISM



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Are you WYSIWYG?

If you spend a hundred bucks and buy the right software, you can create Internet web pages the easy way, or you can save the money and write it all in Hypertext Mark-up Language (HTML). If you use HTML, you have to imagine what each finished page will look like. With web-design software, nothing is left for you to figure out: what you see is what you get, or **WYSIWYG** (*pronounced "wizzy-wig"*). The best software is always WYSIWYG.

From the very beginning of the human race, God has wanted us to be WYSIWYG. Sin is what prompted the fig leaves and all the other means of hiding what we really are, think, and do. Yet God keeps calling us back to the open transparency of Eden.

The sage of Jerusalem put it this way: "The words of a man's mouth are deep waters, but the fountain of wisdom is a bubbling brook" (Prov. 18:4). In other words, just as you don't know what's at the bottom of deep waters, you can't tell whether a person's words truly reveal his or her intentions, unless the person is wise enough to be as clear as a bubbling brook.

Paul told the Thessalonians that his motives were obvious; he had nothing to hide (1 Thess. 2:3-6). He tells the Corinthians he has laid his mouth and his heart open, as if for their inspection (2 Cor. 6:11), and he denies having used any manipulation (2 Cor. 7:2).

We Christians must learn to be WYSIWYG people, with regard to confessing our sins (1 John 1:9), revealing our motives (1 Cor. 4:5), and, like Jesus, communicating clearly (John 18:20; Col. 4:4). When people can trust us as easily as a hiker who steps into a bubbling brook, they can learn to trust the Savior of whom we speak. Nobody likes to be manipulated or deceived.

Steve Singleton

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Prayer Requests

For those in the gulf area that are still suffering from the effects of Katrina and Rita
For our national leaders and world leaders

as they lead their respective nations.

For our troops in Afghanistan, Bosnia, Korea, Iraq, Liberia, Haiti and other places.

For the lost in our families and community.

For the church in Siliguri and Naresh Chetri Zane Sims has been referred to a specialist at OSU. Appointment in July.

Arlene Knore is home now having her rehab from the shoulder repair surgery.

Lillian Knore is back at Golden Years but still having difficulty adjusting to her medicine.

Don Wise, a friend of Terry Sullivan, was shot in the leg and is in critical condition at Our Lady of Bellefonte Hospital.

Carolyn Dixon (dialysis patient of Amy Huffman) is seeking a donor for a kidney transplant. Her spirits are low and she needs encouragement.

Thank You

A thank you card has been received from Travis Scott thanking the church for the prayers and kindnesses extended to him and his family in the passing of his father, Mike Scott, a few weeks ago.

Wedding Shower/Dinner

There will be a wedding shower/pitch in dinner here in the annex on July 23 from 4-6 for Josh Coriell and Christian O'Rourke. This one's for men and women but we promise guys - no girly games! Drinks and dessert will be provided. Please bring a casserole or side dish and come celebrate with us! The couple is registered at Wal-Mart, Kohl's and Linens-n-Things. See Cathy or Marybeth Coriell for details.

Looking Ahead at Sunshine

7/8 Reception for Caleb & Meaghan Miller
7/16-22 Camp Time at Fort Hill
9/30 Spirit Club Big Bash

Teen Devo

No devo this week due to the holiday. Next teen devo will be July 11th on Ken Rase's boat, hosted by Julie and Jayma. Space is limited to 25 teens. There is a signup sheet in the foyer, the first 25 to sign the list get to go. **You MUST SIGN THE LIST to go.** Chaperones have already been appointed to go along. More details in next week's bulletin.

VBS Records Set

We have just completed our VBS for this year and what a VBS it was! We started Monday night with a near-record attendance of 108 and went up from there to an all-time record attendance of 121 on Wednesday evening. Our theme was very simple: SUPER POWERS OF THE KINGDOM. Of course, many superheroes showed up in costume—Batman, Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtle, Superman, Wonder Woman, Spiderman, Cat Woman, Super Glue (Yes, Super Glue was here) and many others. I think the children thoroughly enjoyed the VBS and learned a great deal about how we can be strong in the Lord when we put our FAITH IN HIM, when we give our LOVE TO HIM, when we take in HIS WORD and when we PRAY TO HIM. Thank you to all who contributed in any way to the effort. I could not begin to name everyone. On a typical night we had somewhere between 50 and 65 adults and teens who were helping with the VBS. It took every one of them. Plus there were many others who contributed to VBS but were not in the building. Thank you to one and all. Steve.

VBS Cookie Containers

In the Annex by the Kitchen. Lots of them. Pick yours up today. Thank you very much.

Birth Announcement

Thursday, June 22, **Mackenzie Carma Coriell** and **Madison Emma Coriell** were born to Gabe and Mandi Coriell. Mackenzie measured 20 inches and weighed 6 lbs, 2 oz. Madison measured 20.5 inches and weighed 5 lbs, 11 oz. Mother and babies are home and doing well. They may be able to come this morning to church. Congratulations to the families of both mom and dad on having two new additions to the family.

Fitness Class

No fitness class on Tuesday due to the 4th of July holiday. There will be classes on Thursday at the regular time.

Junior Devo Hosts Needed

Please see the sheet on the bulletin board to sign up for hosting a Junior Devo. Many dates are open at this point.

Next Junior Devo

Sagan Gampp's house, Thursday, July 6, 6:30 pm.

Skit Practice

The Lord's Army will have a practice at 4:30 this afternoon.

VBS Evaluation Meeting

Next Sunday morning after church, all adults and teens who helped with VBS are invited to an evaluation meeting in the Annex. Ideas for next year's theme will also be discussed.

Mom's In Touch

A community prayer group is forming this fall for moms, grandmothers, or any woman who is willing to pray for a specific child and school for 1 hour each week. For questions call 820-4624 or visit momsintouch.org on the web. There is a sign up sheet in the foyer if you are interested.

Bible Curriculum

Sunday	Wednesday
7/2 2 & 3 John	7/5 1 Sam 16
7/9 Jude	7/12 1 Sam 17
7/16 Rev (Intro)	7/19 1 Sam 18-20
7/23 Rev 21-22	7/26 1 Sam 21-23
7/30 Luke 1:1-25	8/2 1 Sam 24-25
8/6 Luke 1:26-56	8/9 1 Sam 26-27
8/13 Luke 3:23-38	8/16 1 Sam 28-29
Matt 1:1-17	

Sunday PM Services

Shawn Gragg will be speaking for us tonight.

No Rain! Praise God!

The weather held and **Caleb and Meaghan Miller** had a beautiful outdoor wedding in Canada last Saturday. We'll be welcoming them home this Saturday, July 8, 5 pm in the Annex. Please don't forget to sign the list in the back today if you are planning to come. We really could use a ballpark number in order to be prepared.

In the News

Jack Jennings has been selected to serve on the board of Fort Hill Christian Youth Camp. Let us congratulate Jack and pray for him and the board as they direct the activities of the Camp. If you have any concerns, suggestions or questions about Fort Hill Christian Youth Camp, Jack is available to help.

Spirit Club Pictures Today

Spirit Club pictures are being made today in the Teen Room. Turn in your monthly Spirit Club report slip for your child in the Teen Room.

Women's Connection

Come join us for an evening of fun at "Chocololics Game Night" on Friday, July 7, 6:30 pm at the Campus Ministry building (corner of 4th and Gay St. in Portsmouth). Bring a couple of dollars for pizza, your favorite board game and a dessert (chocolate preferred) to share!

Those Who Serve

Sunday Morning

Bible Class Text	2 & 3 John
Welcome & Prayer	Don Coriell
Song Director	Nick Davis
Scripture Reading	Tim Coriell
Prayer	David Gamp
Lord's Supper - Server 6	Matt Hoskins
Server 5	Jack Jennings
Server 4	Jim Jacobs, Sr.
Wine	Mark Gamp
Bread	Gary Glispie
Server 3	John Gamp
Server 2	Ed McLaughlin
Server 1	Jerry Gamp
Message	Steve Miller
Closing Prayer	Aaron Kallner

July 2

July 9

Jude
Jon Coriell
Ralph Gamp
Dewey Cordle
John Berry
Ira Coriell
Ryan Coriell
Matt Cram
Rich Book
Bud Coriell
Troy Gahm
Barry Gamp
Harold Gamp
Steve Miller
Shawn Gragg

Sunday Evening

Song Leader	Aaron McCray
Opening Prayer	Mike Coriell
Lord's Supper	Terry Sullivan
Closing Prayer	Wayne Gamp

Gabe Coriell
Jason Coriell
Josh Coriell
Greg Coriell

Wednesday Evening

Song Director
Prayer
Bible Class Text

July 5

Jeff Hayward
Tim Gamp
1 Samuel 16

Zach Coriell
Terry Sullivan
1 Samuel 17

Scheduled Services

Sunday

Bible Study - 9:45 am
Worship - 10:30 am
Evening Worship - 6:30 p.m

Wednesday

Bible Study - 7:30 p.m.

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