

MAY ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Canaan 116th Church Anniversary Weekend,
 - Saturday, June 1st, Canaanites can make a difference by volunteering and donating to aid several local organizations and mission's partners. Please visit the church website for more information. In-person signups will begin Sunday, May 5th following worship in the Multi-Purpose Room.
 - On Sunday, June 2nd, at 9:15 AM, we will gather to worship God for favoring Canaan for 116 years! Rev. Dr. Leslie Callahan, the Senior Pastor of the St. Paul's Baptist Church will be the guest preacher.
- Children's Church and Teen Worship happen every Sunday except for the 2nd and 5th Sundays. It is a time for those ages 5 to 18 years old to worship and fellowship with their peers. All children and teen servant leaders are child safety vetted and trained.
 - Children's Church is continuing the spring season of "We Garden Urbanly" a child-based gardening program! Inner city children experience gardening, learn the proper use of tools, and receive Biblical instruction related to righteousness.
 - On the 3rd Sundays, our Teens worship at Mickey D's.
- Canaan in partnership with Christian Legal Clinics of Philadelphia provides free legal counsel including expungements, wills, immigration, housing issues, family matters, and more. The next date will be Thursday, May 9th, 4:00 - 7:00 PM. Assistance is by appointment only, no walk-ins will be accepted. You may contact CLCP by phone at [215-399-0064](tel:215-399-0064) or website www.clcphila.org.
- Pastor Brennan's weekly virtual Bible Study will resume on Tuesday, May 14th, at 6:45 PM on Zoom 1. The new series will be "Truth to Power: The Book of Esther." This multi-week series on the book of Esther takes a hard look at the powers of evil and death at play in the Persian Empire. It is a potent reminder of the real power of God to deliver his people, as well as the ability of just one or two seemingly powerless people to be his instruments of deliverance.
- Saturday, May 18th, at 11:00 AM, Canaan will host a Gift of Life information session including a continental breakfast. All Canaanites are encouraged to attend to learn how we can save lives through organ and tissue donations. For more information and to register, please see any member of the Family and Friends Ministry or the Healthcare Ministry outside of the lower dining room immediately following worship.

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- On Sunday, May 19th, at 3:00 PM, Canaan will host our Usher's Annual Day! The guest preacher will be Rev. Tracy Mallory, the Pastor of the Millennium Baptist Church. Please plan to attend and honor God's faithful doorkeepers.
- Calling all Canaan High School and College Graduates. The Scholarship Ministry needs your information as Canaan prepares to celebrate your accomplishments. Please email your information to Sis. Pamela Singleton singjp@comcast.net and Bro. Richard Snow richardleesnow@gmail.com. An additional scholarship opportunity is available through the CREAC Ministry's Stovall Taylor Book Scholarship. For more information, please contact the CREAC Ministry Scholarship Coordinator: Sis. Valerie Johnson valdj1029@aol.com.
- The Women's Retreat scheduled for Friday, September 13th through Sunday, September 15th is SOLD OUT. Payments will be received on the 2nd Sunday, May 12th, immediately following worship. For more information, please see Rev. Michele Jenkins or Rev. Bisa Bennett.
- Canaan needs additional Zoom Hosts for Sunday Worship. Zoom continues to be a vital tool in Canaan's efforts to share God with the world. No experience is necessary, and all training will be provided. For additional information, please see or email Rev. Jessica Frieson Jcbattle79@gmail.com
- PLEASE SAVE THE DATE. The Gem Family Reunion will take place on Sunday, July 21st from 11:00 AM - 4:00 PM. We will have fun, fellowship, and food!
- Exercise classes are held every Wednesday and Thursday from 7:00 to 8:00 PM, and you are invited to join your fellow Canaanites and others for fun, music, and exercise. All levels of fitness are welcome. For more information, please see Sis. Linda Myers-Lee.
- The Transportation Committee has resumed picking up Canaanites for Sunday worship. Round-Trip Door to Door Service is available from select Zip Codes. Seats are limited and must be reserved weekly by calling the Church Office by noon on Thursdays. Please see Trustee Leonard Grant or call the Church Office for additional information.

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