## CANAAN BAPTIST CHURCH UPCOMING EVENTS

- We are continuing to celebrate Canaan's 117th Church Anniversary with 6 AM
  Prayer, Monday, June 2nd, on Zoom 1. The Church Anniversary Week will conclude
  with a Day of Service and Chapel Worship at Whosoever Gospel Mission, 101 E.
  Chelten Avenue, on Saturday, June 7th at 6:00 PM. Finally, please continue to use
  the 117th Church Anniversary Prayer Calendar to guide your daily prayers. All
  Canaanites are encouraged to participate as we thank God for His ongoing grace.
- Every adult Canaanite's \$117 Church Anniversary Gift will be used to continue Canaan's global mission and evangelism. Every week, hundreds of worshippers from around the world experience God's presence through Canaan's Audiovisual Ministry. These believers and seekers account for most of Canaan's weekly worshippers and an ever-rising number of new Canaan disciples. Please make the sacrifice to enable this important ministry to flourish.
- 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. On the 3rd Sunday, our teens worship at Mickey D's.
- Canaan hosts several prayer opportunities throughout the week. The chapel is open for in-person prayer at 12:00 Noon every Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. On Wednesdays, at 12:00 Noon, the Deaconess and Deacon's Ministries host virtual prayer on Zoom1. On the 3rd and 5th Wednesdays, the session is "open prayer" and everyone feeling led by the Holy Spirit can offer a prayer. All Canaanites, guests, and neighbors are encouraged to participate.
- Pastor Brennan's weekly virtual Bible Study occurs every Tuesday, at 6:45 PM on Zoom 1. The current series is Rethinking the Church, which highlights the important responsibility each believer has to their local congregation and the Kingdom at large.
- On the first Wednesday of every month, Canaan hosts a 12 Steps Recovery Program! Twelve-step programs support recovery from substance addictions, behavioral addictions, and compulsions. This gathering is open to Canaanites, neighbors, and the community at large. The next session will be this Wednesday, June 4th, from 7:00 - 8:00 PM.
- 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 contact Sis. Linda Myers-Lee at 267-240-1735.
- On Saturday, June 7th, from 10 AM until 12 Noon, the GEM Endowment, will present a seminar: God's Way to Debt Free and Prosperous Living, Attendees will learn: God's perspective on money, How to create a spending plan, and How to pay down and get out of debt. This gathering is open to Canaanites, neighbors, and friends.

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- On Sunday, June 8th, at 9:15 AM, Canaan will host our Scholarship Celebration! The guest preacher will be Rev Lawrence Claiborne, the Youth Pastor of St. Paul's Baptist Church of West Chester. Please plan to attend in-person and celebrate with Canaan's academic achievers.
- 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, June 12th, 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 or there website www.clcphila.org
- Summer Dress Down will begin Sunday, June 15th and continue through Sunday, August 31, 2025. We want to welcome everyone, especially the unchurched. We will continue to worship God, while welcoming everyone, especially those needing a family of faith.
- All Canaan men are encouraged to save the date for Saturday, June 14, 2025, 8:00 am 1:30 PM, for a men's conference at First Baptist Church of Crestmont. The conference theme is "Forging Ahead." Pastor Brennan will be a workshop facilitator. The conference is open to men 18+. The cost is \$40 which includes breakfast, lunch, and workshop materials.
- On Sunday, June 15th at 9:15 AM, Canaan will celebrate all men. Now is the time to invite the men in your life including fathers, brothers, sons, friends, and others.
- Please mark your calendars for Tuesday, June 24th and Wednesday, June 25th, when Canaan will host Vacation Bible School. On the first night, there will be an outdoor fiesta, with food, music, and games for the entire family. On the second night, there will be in-person classes for all ages. Canaanites are encouraged to bring family, neighbors, and friends, especially children. For more information, please visit the church website.
- The Gem Family Reunion will take place on Sunday, July 20th from 11:00 AM 3:00 PM. We will have fun, fellowship, and food! Please save the date.
- This year's Women's Retreat will be held on October 4th and 5th at the Desmond Hotel. It will be a joyous time of worship and fellowship with other women of God. There are only a few spaces left. For additional details, please see the website or Rev. Tanisha Davis at canaanwomensretreat@gmail.com.
- Canaan is developing a Communications Ministry to help us better share the great things that are happening at the GEM and to share the good news of Christ with our community. If you have an interest in or experience across the field of communications, please reach out to Sis. Kyra Harris at <a href="kln5082@gmil.com">kln5082@gmil.com</a> or Min. Earl Roberts II at eroberts@canaanbaptistchurch.org.