



Biltmore Church of God

BCOG Newsletter—May 2025

SENIOR CONNECT GROUP

The Seniors Connect will meet **Sunday, May 25** after the morning worship service in the Fellowship Hall for lunch. Chicken (fried and baked) and drinks will be provided. Attendees are asked to bring sides and desserts. Jessie Whiteside (828-254-6920) or Sandra Melton (828-337-1808) with what you will bring. See you there!
-Randall Freeman

*THANK YOU VOLUNTEERS FOR YOUR
MINISTRY OF SERVICE.
WE CAN'T DO CHURCH WITHOUT YOU!*



MEN'S FELLOWSHIP CONNECT



Sunday, May 4, 2025 @ 6 pm
Dinner and Fellowship
Sign up in the foyer

LADIES MIDWEEK CONNECT

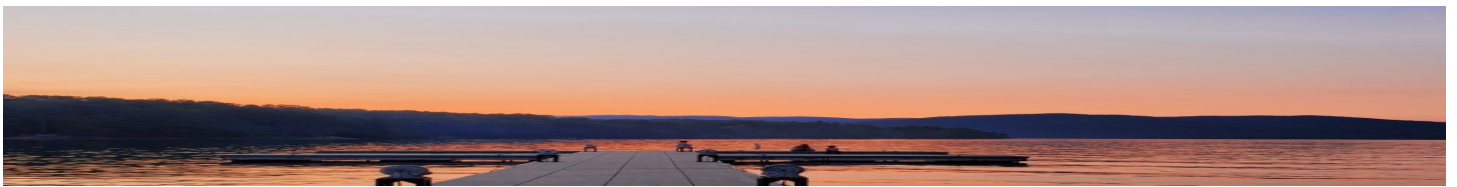
All Ladies are Invited!

May 6th and May 20th @10am

Open Circle Connect

BCOG Culinary Kitchen Cookoff

- ◆ **Sunday, May 18 at 4 o'clock**, the college and career class will have a men versus women cookoff.
- ◆ Each team will make a main course, salad, and dessert.
- ◆ Audrey Perry will be the evening's emcee.
- ◆ Guest judges include Robert & Cathy Haynie, Kay Keeter,
 - ◆ Jenny Hollifield and Arlin Perry.
- ◆ The dishes will be judged on presentation and taste.



COUPLES CONNECT

Lake Jocassee Boat Tour and Cookout

Monday, May 26

\$75 per person

Space available for 3 additional couples.

Contact Anna Viands ASAP if you would like to attend.

Couple Connect July Event has been cancelled. Please enjoy July 4th with your family.

Baptismal Service

We will celebrate with a **Sunday May 4th** in the Morning Worship Service.
If you are interested in being baptized, please talk to pastor Dale.



REMINDER FOR A LADIES RETREAT

If you want to go to Pink Retreat September 26 & 27, please register online and then let Laura know so she can make hotel reservations for you. Register at wnccog.org. Follow events tab to September, click on Women's PINK retreat, and a "register now" link will be available. This allows you to register and pay for your ticket. Cost is \$65. Please add Biltmore Church of God for church name and Laura Whitson (lswhitson75@gmail.com) as primary contact. There is no registration deadline but space is limited. Additional cost TBD: housing, food, and travel.



Ladies Connect

Lovely Ladies: Let's go out for Mexican Food on Friday night May 16th! We will meet at La Cabana on Hendersonville Road at 6pm. We will eat chip and salsa, guacamole & queso until we pop! Yum! Sign up in the foyer or let Laura Whitson know!

Project Neighbor

Saturday, May 17 @ 11am

Pine Valley MHP (grassy area adjacent to Hot Spot)

Hotdogs and fixings Music Share and prayer

Volunteers Needed!!!! Talked to a staff member or sign up in foyer to help

Building Relationships, Building The Kingdom

Join Us for a
Volunteer Luncheon
Sunday
May 4th - 1:00 PM

Student Ministry Center

Current & New Volunteers



Summer Event Planning

Ministry Updates

Text:
828-244-0127
to reserve your spot
at the table

Biltmore Church of God Student Ministries

Looking Ahead
Save these BCOG Warm Weather Dates

- ⇒ June 1st – **FRIEND DAY**- Invite a Friend to Church
- ⇒ June 14th – **SUPER SATURDAY SPLASH** – Summer BCOG/Community event hosted by Student Ministries
- ⇒ July 13-16th – **REVIVAL SERVICES** With Rev Ken Hudson
- ⇒ August 16th – **BACK TO SCHOOL COMMUNITY BLAST**: One Day Bible school with Worship, games, and giveaways hosted by Fusion 4:12 Student Ministries
- ⇒ September 13th **ANNUAL CHURCH PICNIC**-Lake Julian

JOIN US
IN PERSON OR ONLINE

Sunday	11:00 am Morning Worship & Kids Church
Wednesday	6:30 pm Word & Prayer Youth & Kid Connect
Sunday Classes	10:15 am Open Circle Connect (HS grad & up)

FIND US

Face Book: BCOGnow
Web: www.biltmorecog.org
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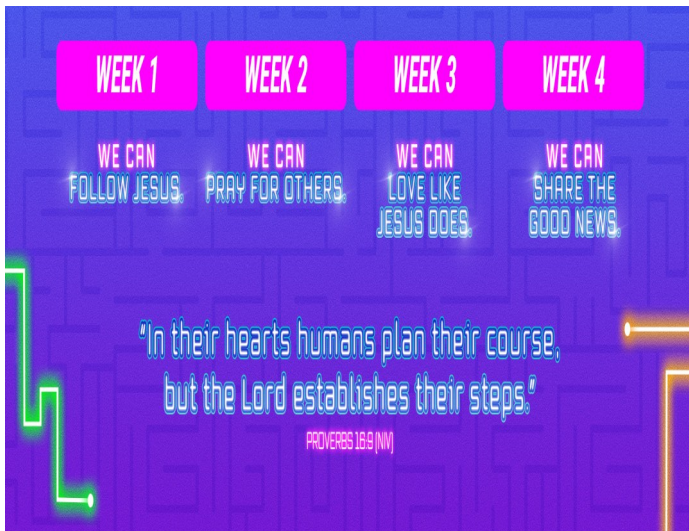
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Fusion 4:12 Kidz

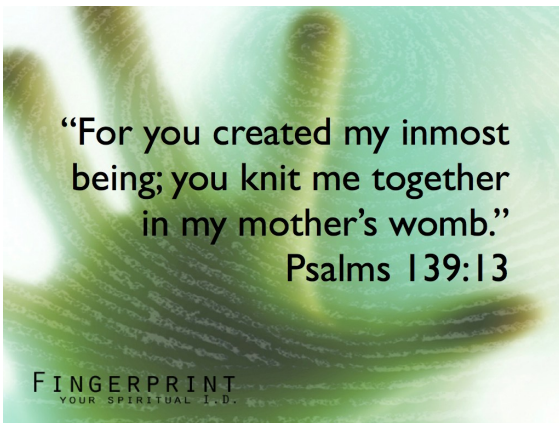
what we're teaching this month



Puzzles don't come with step-by-step instructions for solving them. That's what makes them so much fun! You have to try to figure out the next best step to take. When Jesus left earth, his followers had to wonder the same thing – “What's next?” In this four-week series about the Early Church, kids will see how Jesus's followers solve the puzzle of what to do next and the ways we can follow in their footsteps. As kids discover what to do

next, they'll learn they can follow Jesus, pray for others, love like Jesus did, and share the good news.

Fusion 4:12 Students



FINGERPRINTS - YOUR SPIRITUAL I.D.

God desires to have an intimate relationship with each one of us. He also desires to mark our lives in such a way that His glory can be displayed. God wants to put His authentic unique fingerprint on your life. We see an encounter between Jesus and a blind man in John 9. Within this encounter, there are some great truths every believer and non-believer needs to know.

Teaching Series Overview

Part 1 - One of A Kind (“a man born blind...”) We are each created uniquely with a purpose.

Part 2 - What God touches, changes. (“...came home seeing.”) When God touches our lives through salvation or through daily encounters, we can never be the same.

Part 3 - Seeing the Hand of God (“but this happened so that the work of God might be displayed.”) God is at work in us and all around us, to bring glory to Himself.

Part 4 - Forgotten who you are (“...but as for this fellow, we don't know where he comes from.”) We have lost our true love and it's time for us to rise up and do something about it.

Part 5 - Walk in Freedom (“Lord I believe' and he worshiped him.”) Freedom comes to those who truly experience to touch of God on their lives.