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Living Water Fellowship

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**We pray 2011 will to be a year of
God's mercy and grace!**



*Pastor Doug & Nathalie Dragan
...living life together!*

*Join us at Bon Meade Elementary
School
1595 Brodhead Road
Moon Township, PA 15108
Service starts at 10 am
Coffee and donuts at 9:30 am*

*Starting Sunday, May 22nd we
will be meeting at the Sewickley
Soccer Arena.
The address is 474 Chadwick St.
Sewickley, PA 15143
Directions can be found on our
website's announcement page*

On the move!

In order for water to be most useful and to keep itself from getting stagnate, it needs to be fluid. Water is a power force. It has been used for many years to power many things, to water crops, and keep humanity hydrated.

About a month ago we were informed that the school district would not be allowing us to use Bon Meade Elementary for the summer months. So for the last few weeks we have been checking out hotels, fire halls, other schools and even other churches for possible evening services.

What happened next was truly a blessing from the Lord. Through an attendee of LWF, we have been given the opportunity to meet at the Sewickley Soccer Arena, and the price was right! **Starting Sunday, May 22nd we will be meeting at the Sportrak Arena for the summer months.**

Water is such a force to be reckoned with. If an obstacle gets in its way, it will either go around it, over it, and sometimes through it. That's what we do as a church. This will be our 5th meeting place, albeit temporary, in 6 years. **When things are put in our path we look at them as opportunities, not obstacles.**

God has been so faithful to our church that we cannot thank Him enough. For the few months we will be at the Arena, we will face some challenges, but we will also be presented with new opportunities. We'll be able to touch a whole new community with God's love. We will also be able to create new excitement and meet many new people.

God is such an on time God. One of the main things I have learned since we planted LWF is that the promises of God come in His time. While we may get impatient and unfocused, God always comes through. Don't ever forget that.

Whatever vision God has placed on the inside of you, don't grow weary in doing well, for in due season you will reap a harvest. Habakkuk talked about waiting patiently for the vision to come to pass. The writer of Hebrews tells us "through faith and patience we inherit the promises". Be patient and **don't give up on God!**

BOLIVIAN CHURCH UPDATE

We have been working for the last several months to **raise \$15,000 to buy property in Comarapa, Bolivia.** Our desire is to build a church for our church plant. The building will be an additional \$25,000. We still are in need of approximately five or six thousand dollars for the property, but with your help we can achieve our goals. They currently meet in the dining hall of the Hands of Love soup kitchen, as well as the living room of the dormitory of the House of Love. Please pray and ask the Lord how you can be a blessing. Your tax deductible donations can be sent to **Living Water Fellowship, PO Box 522, Moon Twp., PA 15108. A DVD of the project is available or you can see it on Youtube at Church for Comarapa Bolivia.**



This year's mini-mission trip to Bolivia has been postponed. Pastor Gary Locy's son-in-law, Dan Bunn, is gravely ill with cancer. Dan is one of the founders of Hands of Love and needs a miracle. Please pray for him and the family. Pastor Gary will still be going to Bolivia with his family and to minister with Pastor Julian. If you would like to help him with the costs of his trip you can send your tax-deductible gift to Living Water Fellowship and put his name in the memo.

Community Safety Awareness Day

is almost here! On May 21 we will be hosting this great event at Bon Meade School. The US Army, Moon Police & Fire, Valley Ambulance, and Crescent River Rescue will all be participating. We will be giving away 2 bikes! Check out the pictures from last years Safety Day on our Facebook page.



Freedom Girls, the Women's Ministry of LWF, recently collected 40 Pillow Pets and gave them to Children's Hospital. The hospital passed them out to kids with severe illnesses. Thank you everyone who donated and thank you Desiree for a great idea!

In the month of March we held our third **Winter Vacation Bible School.** Over 20 kids came on Saturdays to experience "Outrigger Island". Six children made first time decisions for Christ. The program was held the last Sunday in March with a luncheon afterwards. We are thankful for the twenty LWF volunteers who poured themselves into the kids every weekend. God is good!



New temporary meeting location starts May 22nd- 474 Chadwick St. Sewickley, PA 15143

Our email address is livingwaterfellowship@verizon.net

If you would like to help us cut costs, please email the church and request the newsletter be sent electronically. Thank you!

Upcoming Events

May – Joint Service with Buddy Bell at West Ridge (May 15th) – 10 am
TEAM Workshop @ West Ridge 6 – 9 pm

May 21st – Community Safety Awareness Day @ Bon Meade School 12 – 3 pm

May 22nd First service at new temporary location and the new series, "Living Life without Fear" based on the book "Fearless"

June – "Totally Free Car Wash"

July – Bolivia mini-mission trip postponed

We currently meet Bon Meade Elementary School

1595 Brodhead Road, Moon Twp, PA 15108

Sunday morning 9:30 AM coffee & fellowship – 10:00 AM service