



Carrollton First UMC/The Bridge

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E- Circuit Rider

July 20, 2017

**VBS SPECIAL MISSION PROJECT
2017**



As of July 16, 2017--**\$2,754.19** has been donated for Liberia (*this includes the \$504.15 that was given the week of VBS*).

Thank you for your amazing generosity!

Donations accepted through July 23rd.
Please note on your check or envelope *VBS Special Mission Project* and place it in the offering.



College Student Keep in Touch

As students receive their housing information, please be sure to contact the office so that we can “keep in touch” throughout the year with cards and care packages. Even if the address is the same from last year, please let us know so they are included.

Send a quick email to office@yellowbrickchurch.org



August 10 is our next work day at the Minerva build. Contact Gary Sterrett for more information. Thank you to everyone who helped July 8.



July 23 - Worship @ the Carroll County Fair
10am in the Metal Show Arena. Arrive before 9am get in free; if you show up after you will need to pay admission price.

July 30 - Outdoor Worship @ 10am followed by covered dish picnic. Bring lawn chairs, fishing gear, swimming gear and covered dish to share. Drinks and paper products provided. 3189 Kensington Road, Carrollton.

Aug 6 - Worship back in the building @ Carroll County fairgrounds.

Church Left the Building!

The Bridge held their 3rd Annual Church Has Left the Building on Sunday, July 16. We had a great group of workers that put their hearts into helping to make a difference in our community!

At Carrollton Village Square we scraped and painted the gazebo ceiling as well as weeding a few of the flower beds and trimming bushes. We helped two individuals with work on and around their homes. We sealed a roof, painted ceilings, installed new kitchen floors, trimmed trees and bushes, weeded patios and flower beds, power washed houses and more. Thank you to everyone who donated items and/or helped in any way.

BASIC Youth Group

Monday - July 24

2:00-4:00pm

Youth will be meeting at the Center and walking to Kiddieland Park to pick up trash. Ice Cream floats afterward!



VOLUNTEERS: If you are looking to volunteer to help with the after school program, BASIC youth group, cleaning, or cooking at the Center, please plan to attend a volunteer meeting on August 17 from 6 to 7pm @ the One Way Youth Center. If you can't attend the meeting but want to help or would like to know more, please contact Olivia Coil at 330-627-7751.

One Way Youth Ministries

After School Program will start back up on the first day of school, Tuesday, August 22 at 2:15.

Open to youth in grades 6-12.

Ohio Valley District Youth Back to School Pool Party

**Sunday, August 13th
4-6:30pm @ Warren Township Pool—Tiltonsville, Oh**



Cost--\$3.00 to use the pool

Food, Drinks and Music Provided

Bring your favorite yard game!

RSVP by August 7 to Pastor Kimberly



Wild Wednesdays

Sept. 20th - March 28th

Time - 6-7:30pm @ Carrollton First UMC

Ages 4 years - Jr. High

Look for volunteer sign-up sheets in August. Volunteers needed to help teach, be table parents, help in the kitchen, provide a meal. Contact Ellyn Dunlap for more information

Commission on a Way Forward

The Commission on a Way Forward was proposed by the Council of Bishops and approved by the 2016 General Conference to do a complete examination and possible revision of paragraphs of the Book of Discipline concerning human sexuality and explore options that help to maintain and strengthen the unity of the church. The Commission includes 8 bishops, 11 laity, 11 elders and 2 deacons. As requested by Bishop Tracy Malone at this year's Annual Conference, please include the Commission in your prayers. To read more about the Special General Conference 2019, read the online article in the July/August 2017 issue of Interpreter Magazine:

<http://www.interpretermagazine.org/topics/called-general-conference-set-for-2019>

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