JUNE CURRICULUM BAGS

If your family is participating in Church @ Home, you can pick-up your June Sunday School materials this week (Wednesday-Friday, 9am-4pm).

MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR BARBARA RICE

This Saturday, June 5 @ 2pm

We will gather to remember Barbara Rice & her amazing ministry. Reserve a spot. We will make room for everyone. We will also be live-streaming it so those unable to be here in person can still share in her memorial. Email us at connie@newharvestch.org, or through our Connection Card, to let us know you are coming.

SUMMER SERMON SERIES NEXT SUNDAY, JUNE 6 OUR CREED: CORNERSTONE TRUTH IN AN UNRELIABLE WORLD We will launch our series with the Word of God as the foundation of our faith. Plus, we will enjoy communion together.

ADOPT-A-STREET

Saturday, June 12, 9:15am

It is time to be a good neighbor. Every three months we pick up trash on Hawthorne Avenue. Would you like to serve on this team this time? Please sign up in the Lobby, use a Connection Card, or email Barry (barry@newharvestch.org).

BAPTISM — Sunday, June 13

If you are interested in professing your faith through baptism, please use the Connection Card or Barry's email to let him know. (barry@newharvestch.org)

MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

Our church-wide Summer Kick-off is *Thursday, June 17th* from 6-8pm. There will be something for everyone! More information to follow.

CANYONVIEW DAY CAMP - JUNE 28-JULY 2ND

Camp is for kids entering 1st-5th grade in Fall 2021. The cost is \$125 but scholarships are available. Registration forms are available in the Lobby.

Welcome Guests & Visitors

We are delighted you chose to attend our gathering today. Use the Connection Card in the back of the chairs or our online Connection Card (newharvestch.org/connect) to share your prayer requests and to let us know that you joined us today.

WEEKLY UPDATES FROM THE PASTOR

Did you know Barry sends out an update and a Bible Reading Schedule every week?! If you are not receiving these but would like to, check the box "Send me Pastor Barry's weekly e-mails" on a Connection Card or if you are watching online, click newharvestch.org/connect and ask to be added to Barry's weekly email list.

SUNDAY GATHERING: 10:00 AM WE WERE CREATED FOR CONNECTION

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Last Sunday was meant to be a wrap up for the Gospel of Luke. But I believe there is another theme that would be an even better conclusion for us.

Acts 1:1-11

Jesus hands the baton to the Holy Spirit:

1st— Wait (verse 4)

"clothed with power" Luke 24:49

How long? 10 days

Isaiah 30:15-16

Strength comes in quietness and trust.

"Breathe in"

2nd — When (verse 8)

"baptized with the Holy Spirit" = <u>cover</u> & <u>fill</u> In John 7, Jesus refers to the Holy Spirit as "<u>living water</u>"

Zachariah 4:6

3rd - Witness (verse 8) = The theme of the Book of Acts

- 1) <u>Personal</u> experience
- 2) <u>Show</u> & <u>Tell</u>
- 3) "martus" means martyr

Does this still work today?

Reflective Questions

- What was a key reason that God used to bring you to receive Jesus by faith?
- 2) What aspect of www challenges you the most? Why is this passage so significant?
- 3) If witness is the bottom line of kingdom advancement, how are you doing? What might you do to improve?