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The Family Of Faith Newsletter

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**CHRIS' SMILE – David Mennig**

**Editor's Note:** This month's front page column is written by David Mennig. No stranger to most of you, David grew up at Faith Church and has served in many ways. This fall he begins his sophomore year at Lancaster Bible College, as well as a year-long student internship at Faith Church.

*Chris is an ordinary man with an extraordinary gift: Music. Chris can play multiple instruments (and when I say that it really means in musician terms that he has lost count as to actually how many he can play). He is a friendly character who loves to hangout, go bowling with friends, and have a good time doing even the most silly of things. Many people who have seen Chris in concert know that his gift is special and he has so much potential in life. Chris has his whole life in front of him and anything is possible for this young up-and-coming musician. If I asked someone who knew Chris to describe which part of him they think of first when I say his name, many would say: "his smile." It is one of those photogenic smiles that people envy and people smile just when they see him smile. Chris smiles even today after all that he has gone through. Looking back, Chris' smile continues to be the same. A few months ago Chris' life changed forever and he can never go back to the way things were.*

*While driving home from a summer gig out in Philadelphia with his band, "The Lyres", Chris and his friends were laughing about the show that they just did and how great it was to hear the roar of the crowd and the great reception that they got at the concert. Everything went as planned and the show was spotless. However, while going through a busy interchange coming off of the turnpike, a horrid sound pierced over the laughter. An eighteen wheeler smacked the boys van head-on. The crashing of the metal and the explosion of the airbags seemed to suck all the joy from the van, and all that was left was complete and utter shock. Thankfully all the boys were wearing seatbelts, but that doesn't stop everything that could potentially injure someone; and sadly that was the case for Chris. The air bag actually bounced Chris' head backwards at the wrong moment as the windshield shattered into a million pieces that came hurtling at the boys like razor sharp knives. The glass sliced into Chris' eyes and a larger piece of glass was lodged into Chris' throat. What transpired in only a few short milliseconds changed Chris' life forever as he was now grasping onto life by the skin of his teeth. EMT's quickly rushed Chris and his friends to the nearest hospital, but it was too late to save him from what was to come of this tragedy. Chris was the most severely injured out of all the guys in the van. The glass that pierced his eyes had done catastrophic damage and his sight was permanently lost. The other slice that entered his neck cut straight through his vocal chords and collapsed his windpipe causing massive internal damage. After many weeks of recovery Chris was able to leave the hospital and return to his hometown in Lancaster, PA to recuperate and rehabilitate, but he was leaving part of himself still in that hospital. Chris to this day cannot see out of both eyes forcing him to wear sunglasses most of the time to protect his retina and cornea from the damaging sunrays. He also leaves behind his voice that cannot be replaced. All the while he then endured many months of starting a whole new life over with having to begin again through Physical Therapy and Rehab. The Chris that was sadly will never be again.*

*Jumping ahead to the present, Chris was just recently playing at a club in innercity Lancaster, The "Chameleon", where he continues to play his music. One night while sitting at the piano serenading the audience that was there enjoying their drinks, one man heard Chris and walked over to him. He looked at him and said with a empathic gesture, "I feel so bad for you son. It looks like you have endured a lot of hardships. I remember when I was your age and a musician, I thought I had the world in front of me and I would travel the world, but life just dumps . . . stuff on you." Chris smiled back at the guy and continued to play. The*

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## Chris' Smile *(Continued from page 1)*

older gentleman chuckled and said back, "How can you keep smiling? I have heard from others around here what has happened to you, son. What keeps you motivated and still smiling after all that has happened?"

Chris stopped playing his tune and quickly switched to something he hadn't played since his childhood. The man closed his eyes and smiled as he recognized the song, too, from when he was younger. He smiled back at Chris, and then leaned over to his ear and sang softly, "...It is well with my soul."

This story/parable was an assignment for a class this past semester for me at LBC in my Student Development and Culture class. It was an assignment to create and write a modern day parable that expressed the truths about life within the kingdom of God. In this parable Chris lives a life that models that of the song it ends with: *It Is Well With My Soul*. I chose this because through the many hardships of life it is very easy to lose the focus as to why we have these gifts and who they are from. Is Chris a Christian? Well it's not a necessary attribute of the parable as Jesus used sinners to illustrate his points about life. Chris lives a life that is full of abundance and fruitfulness even when his life is taken from him. We can become so consumed in our lives with what our bodies or skills can do, but what if they were all taken one day from us without warning? If we lost it all would our hands stay lifted to the God that gives us everything and can take away everything just as quickly as he brought it? If he does take it all away, do we still praise Him and thank Him faithfully? Many of us have struggled with this yet each time that I find myself not being grateful to God and I find that all I am left with is hopelessness, God has shown me His word. 1 Peter 5:10 says: "And the God of all grace, who called you to his eternal glory in Christ, after you have suffered a little while, will himself restore you and make you strong, firm and steadfast." God will restore us and fill us up. He breaks us down so that we may find Him. He is always there for us to pick us back up and lift us up by His glory and by His sovereignty. Chris still smiles even though he may have lost "everything", but he still smiles because God has given him reason to smile. The man at the end may be the driver who hit him a few years ago, again that is for the reader to decide, but what he the man learns in his short 'conversation' of music with Chris reminds him of what is central in our lives even through our hardships, God.

### Our Mission is Loving God, Loving People We pursue this mission four ways:

<b>Worship</b> - We express our love for God by celebrating him in worship both as a community and in our personal lives.	<b>Fellowship</b> - We delight in being with one another, building authentic, accountable, health relationships.	<b>Discipleship</b> - We pursue Jesus by continually learning and being transformed into his image.	<b>Outreach</b> - We reach out to our neighbors, proclaiming the love of Jesus through word and deed beyond our four walls to our community and around the world.
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### Core Values: These are the values God has given us that help us accomplish the actions of the mission.

<b>Biblical</b> - We look to the Bible, which is alive and relevant in our daily lives, to guide us.	<b>Intentionally Simple</b> - We are committed to doing a few important things well.	<b>Missional</b> - As individuals and as a community of faith, together with all Christ-followers, we participate in the work of God's Kingdom in this world.	<b>Culturally Sensitive</b> - As a part of Culture, we express the Kingdom of God in ways that reach people where they are.	<b>Passionately Spiritual</b> - We strive to pursue a deep, rich, vibrant prayerful walk with God.
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## September Birthdays

6 Joel Kime	15 Nancy Deering	20 Betty Stoltzfus <i>(Mrs. Norman)</i>	28 Brandon Hershey
8 Gladys Diem	17 Elijah Bell, Jr.	22 Scott Gressley	28 Rich Rubin
13 John Latschar	19 Dee O'Connor	26 Connor Kime	28 James Weikert
14 Rick Robinson	20 Oliver Marvin	27 Betty Diem	29 Carol Hershey



"Come work for the Lord. The work is hard, the hours are long and the pay is low. But the retirement benefits are out of this world."

"This is a ch\_\_ch. What is missing?"

"Do not wait for the hearse to take you to church."

## September Preaching Schedule

### September 4th

SEASON AFTER PENTECOST—PROPER 22  
Sermon on the Mount 16 - Matthew 6:19-24  
- *A Kingdom Heart's Light*

Eyesight is a precious gift, and frankly most of us take it for granted. One of our home-bound members recently lost most of her vision, and literally overnight sight took on a whole new meaning for her. As Jesus transitions from warning people against trying to have a Kingdom Heart through external reputation, he now warns us likewise about dependence on wealth. First we look at the connection between light and wealth and our hearts.

### September 11th

SEASON AFTER PENTECOST—PROPER 23  
Sermon on the Mount 17 - Matthew 6:25-34  
- *Seeking God's Kingdom*

Today's passage is one of the most famous in the whole Bible. For years we've recited it in song: "Seek Ye First". But what does it mean to seek God's Kingdom? How do we do so in a society of abundance? Without question the last few years have presented economic difficulties to many of us, but from a global context we live in abundance. What do we do with that?

### September 18th

SEASON AFTER PENTECOST—PROPER 24  
Sermon on the Mount 18 - Matthew 7:1-5  
- *Blaming*

After warning those who seek Kingdom Hearts to avoid false motivations of reputation and wealth, Jesus begins to warn us about using condemnation and impressment as a plan for helping people. Blame is all over the place. Do you play the blame game? In our society if things don't go our way, what do we do? Find someone else who is at fault? Spill hot coffee on our lap as we pull away from the drive-thru window? It must have been the restaurant's fault! Really?

### September 25th

SEASON AFTER PENTECOST — PROPER 25  
Sermon on the Mount 19 - Matthew 7:6  
- *Force-Feeding Them Wonderful Things*

It's rare that we take a look at just one verse. Today we do, though, and it is a doozy. Seemingly very cryptic and unrelated to the rest of the sermon, this verse about dogs, pearls, and pigs has been misunderstood. We'll try to make some sense of it, placing it in the larger flow of the sermon. No one likes to be force-fed, do they? And yet, what we'll see, is that so often we try to force-feed people thinking we are doing a good thing!

## MINISTRY OF THE MONTH

### *OPERATIONS COMMISSION*

Our purpose is to maintain and upkeep the building and grounds of the church, be it electrical, plumbing, construction or general maintenance. We are also in charge of locking and unlocking the church, setting the heat and air conditioning and general clean-up. The 2011 Operations Commission members are Dave Deatruck, Clair Graham, Howard Hershey, Rick Robinson, Jim Shertzer and Todd Stumpf. If we can be of any assistance in any of these areas please contact any one of us. Thank You, Todd Stumpf, Commission Chair.

WHILE DRIVING IN PENNSYLVANIA, AN OUT OF TOWN FAMILY CAUGHT UP TO AN AMISH CARRIAGE. THE OWNER OF THE CARRIAGE OBVIOUSLY HAD A SENSE OF HUMOR, BECAUSE ATTACHED TO THE BACK OF THE CARRIAGE WAS A HAND PRINTED SIGN... "ENERGY EFFICIENT VEHICLE. RUNS ON OATS AND GRASS. CAUTION: DO NOT STEP ON EXHAUST."

### **MINISTRY COUNCIL UPDATE**

***Our next meeting is October 3rd, 7:00pm. You are always welcome to attend any meeting. Or if you prefer, you may request minutes of Council and Commission meetings. Just contact Jim Gustafson (393-5345, [jim.gustafson@findfaithhere.org](mailto:jim.gustafson@findfaithhere.org)) to be added to the distribution list. Here are some updates since last month's newsletter.***

#### **Room Clean-Up**

Thanks to everyone who cleaned up after VBS! A number of you served by cleaning, without being asked, and you did a great job! The two storage rooms to the rear of the sanctuary look great, as does the chair/table storage room. What a blessing to see people anonymously giving their time and energy.

#### **Outreach Update**

We're excited about the start of Good News Club at Smoketown Elementary in October. To add to the great things the Lord is doing through Good News Club, we've had conversations with the folks at Smoketown about how we support the school and needy families in the school. There are great opportunities! The Conestoga Valley Volunteers in Action (VIA) program can use people to help students with basic learning activities and to assist teachers with basic tasks. VIA student support takes place during school hours (8:45-3:30pm) and requires no background checks as activities are in public places under the guidance of school faculty. VIA teacher support can be in the school or at home, depending on the kind of work. Smoketown Principal Randy McCarty said there are ways everyone can help! From our perspective, this is an excellent way to show the people of Smoketown that we proclaim the Good News (through Good News Club) and we also live the Good News (through helping out with nothing in return). Would you prayerfully consider giving time to volunteer at Smoketown?

#### **Financial Update**

We praise God for your faithful generosity to his Kingdom! We were able to make our 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter mission payment a few weeks ago. God is so good. Faith Church is a place where we are true to our name. As a congregation we have agreed together to step out in Faith and support missions at a significant level. About 25% of our income goes right back out the door to support the work of God's Kingdom around the world. That's an incredible investment. Be encouraged and joyful as you give to Faith Church each week! God is using your generosity to do great things, both here and around the world.

#### **A Letter From Jesus**

Dear Friend,

I just had to write to tell you how much I love you and care for you.

Yesterday, I saw you walking and laughing with your friends; I hoped that soon you'd want Me to walk along with you, too. So, I painted you a sunset to close your day and whispered a cool breeze to refresh you. I waited; you never called. I just kept on loving you.

As I watched you fall asleep last night, I wanted so much to touch you. I spilled moonlight onto your face trickling down your cheeks as so many tears have. You didn't even think of me; I wanted so much to comfort you.

The next day I exploded a brilliant sunrise into a glorious morning for you. But you woke up late and rushed off to work-you didn't even notice.

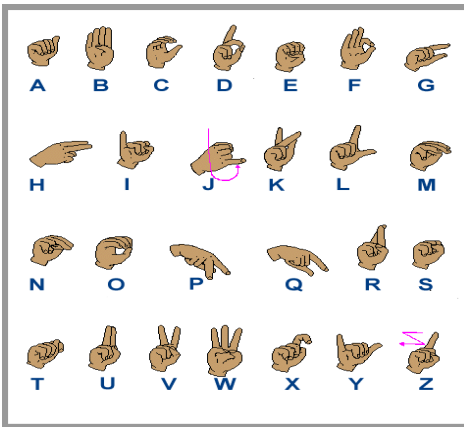
My sky became cloudy and My tears were the rain. I love you! Oh, if you'd only listen. I really love you! I try to say it in the quiet of the green meadow and in the blue sky. The wind whispers My love throughout the treetops and spills it into the vibrant colors of the flowers.

I shout it to you in the thunder of the great waterfalls and composed love songs for birds to sing for you. I warm you with the clothing of My sunshine and perfume the air with nature's sweet scent.

My love for you is deeper than the ocean and greater than any need in your heart. If you'd only realize how I care. I died just for you. My Dad sends His love. I want you to meet Him. He cares, too. Fathers are just that way.

So please call Me soon. No matter how long it takes, I'll wait because I love you.

Your Friend, [Jesus](#)



## Sign Language Classes

Sign Language Classes will be held again September 11th, (6:30pm - 8:00pm) here at Faith Church. Anyone from Faith Church can sign up for the classes. The classes will run for 7 weeks.

To sign up or get further information contact Liz Marvin (687-7707 - Home, 203-0425 - Cell) or e-mail [lizzymarvin@gmail.com](mailto:lizzymarvin@gmail.com).

### Northeast Men's Retreat, Lake Champion, NY September 30th - October 2nd, 2011

Join SEVERAL HUNDRED MEN FROM AROUND THE NORTHEASTERN UNITED STATES WHO WILL SPEND TIME REFLECTING ON WHAT'S REALLY IMPORTANT IN life.

DR. TONY CAMPOLLO, OF EASTERN UNIVERSITY WILL BE THE FEATURED SPEAKER.

THERE IS ALSO THE ANNUAL MEN'S GOLF OUTING ON FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30TH, AT NEARBY KUTCHER'S COUNTRY CLUB. THE FORMAT WILL BE A BEST BALL SCRAMBLE.

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO REGISTER, SEE AARON CAMPBELL, OR SEE THE BROCHURE ON THE "COMMUNITY HAPPENINGS" BULLETIN BOARD.

## FAMILY NIGHT

September 7th  
Dinner - 5:00pm  
Program - 6:30pm

## TOUR OF AFGHANISTAN

Jeremy Leicy will talk about and share his experiences of his tour of duty in Afghanistan with the U.S. Army.

### THE BACK PEW - JEFF LARSON



<http://thebackpew.com>

You should NOT stay away from church meetings as some are doing, but meet together and encourage each other.  
**Hebrews 10:25**

### ANNUAL CLOTHING SALE SEPTEMBER 17TH, 8:00AM - NOON



Our annual clothing sale is just about here! This is a great community outreach, where people can come, fill a bag of clothing and only pay \$1 per bag -- we then use that money to help others around our community. This year the clothing sale will be on Saturday, September 17th from 8am to noon. We need your donations!! Gently worn clothing, without rips or stains for infants, toddlers, children, teens, men and women are all needed. We will take all clothing, shoes, hats, ties, purses, coats, etc... If you could please put your donations in the back Jr. Church Classroom that would be greatly appreciated!

We will also need help sorting the clothing the week of the sale! If you are available to help at any point during any of the following times we would love to have you! Monday (the 12th) from 9 - 1, Tuesday (the 13th) from 9 - 1 and 7 - 9, Wednesday (the 14th) from 1 - 4, Thursday (the 15th) from 7 - 9, Friday (the 16th) from 9 - 3.

Contact Billie McDonald (299-3161) for more information.



What are you reading? Want to write a review? Just let me know, and we would love to include your thoughts (393-5345, joel.kime@findfaithhere.org)!



**Bonhoeffer: Pastor, Martyr, Prophet, Spy by Eric Mataxas** – If you’ve never heard of Deitrich Bonhoeffer, this book is a great place to start. Bonhoeffer was a German Lutheran pastor in Nazi Germany, and one of the few who made a strong stand against Hitler. In fact, toward the end of his life, before he was imprisoned and executed by the Nazis, Bonhoeffer worked as a spy and was involved in the assassination attempts against Hitler. Bonhoeffer’s is an amazing story of a man who followed Christ passionately, with a deep intelligence, a warm heart, and was willing to give his life for the cause of Christ. Through this book I also learned much about the dark deception with which Hitler and the Nazis slowly entranced the people of Germany. This is a must-read for all followers of Christ.

- Joel Kime



**War & Peace by Leo Tolstoy** – Another fascinating account of war, but this time regarding the Napoleonic invasion of Russia. Tolstoy, a deeply committed believer, weaves the fictional story of five families from Russia into the non-fictional story of how the Russians repelled French forces from their land. I find Tolstoy’s intricate web of characters hard to follow sometimes, partly because of their Russian names, and partly because he includes so many. But in the end, *War & Peace* is an excellent story of people struggling to find love and acceptance when their worlds are turned in nightmares through war. Interestingly, Tolstoy himself was profoundly impacted by Jesus’ Sermon on the Mount, and so one of his main characters, Pierre Rostov, wrestles with how to live the Sermon. You might be surprised with his conclusions! For people who have heard that *War & Peace* is a boring monstrosity, I encourage you to get the audio book, as I did. In a few weeks, you will have made it through the whole thing. Also, check out the plot summary on Wikipedia, as having a bit of an idea the characters and families will really help as you listen.

- Joel Kime

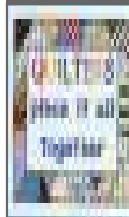


**The Turn of the Screw by Henry James** – I decided to try out Henry James because of a recommendation in the film, *Notting Hill*. *The Turn of the Screw* is a novella, so a good place to begin, and yet, it was one of the most unsettling reads/listens (again I got the audio book) I’ve had in a long time. First, it is a ghost story, and second, it is told through the eyes of the main character, which might not sound unsettling at all, except that there is no guarantee that the main character is emotionally stable. Let me say that I also listed to *Slaughterhouse Five* by Kurt Vonnegut this past month, another war story, and one that featured a main character that was very unstable. But with Vonnegut, as opposed to James, I didn’t feel so unsettled. If you like ghost stories, try it out. What I found is that there is a great debate among scholars about James’ intention for his main character. Are the ghosts she sees figments of her imagination or real? James was alive during the early part of this debate, and he never really weighed in on it. All I can say it, *The Turn of the Screw* is a very unique piece of literature. - Joel Kime

**NEXT MONTH:** *Slaughterhouse Five* by Kurt Vonnegut, *The Pastor: A Memoir* by Eugene Peterson, and *Why Church Matters: Worship, Ministry and Mission in Practice* by Jonathan R. Wilson.

### September Anniversaries

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|--------------------------|------------------------------|
| 10 Larry & Alice Royer   | 26 Joe & Linda Weber         |
| 14 Tom & Dee O’Connor    | 30 John & Christine Latschar |
| 19 Barry & Carolyn Bauer |                              |



### FAITH QUILTERS

Faith Quilters will meet on September 6th, 9:00am. For more information, contact Martha Buckwalter 354-5692.

## MISSIONARY OF THE MONTH



### Hope For The Children *(Helping Orphans Prepare to Evangelize)* EC Orphans in India

As Christ walked this earth, He demonstrated God's deep love and concern for the children. Hope for the Children exists to share God's love with children who are in physical, spiritual, and socioeconomic need, and to enable these children to grow into mature Christians dedicated to serving and loving God. Much like larger child-sponsorship programs, people can make a world of difference in the lives of children in developing countries for just a few dollars each month. If you would like to sponsor a child through Hope for the Children, you can do so for only \$25/month. Just pick up a brochure on at the missionary bulletin board (with the world map) to get started!

At Faith Church we currently support EC children at: Northeastern Children's Home (NECH) in Manipur, India. Hope for the Children also works with two other orphanages in India. When Joel Kime had the opportunity to travel to India and Nepal to visit our EC Churches there in December 2007, he visited all three orphanages that Hope for the Children works with. These orphanages do an amazing job training up children physically, intellectually, socially and spiritually.

### **DO YOU KNOW YOUR HYMNS?**

Dentist's Hymn	Crown Him with Many Crowns	The IRS Agent's Hymn	I Surrender All
Weatherman's Hymn	There Shall Be Showers of Blessings	The Gossip's Hymn	Pass It On
Contractor's Hymn	The Church is One Foundation	The Electrician's Hymn	Send The Light
The Tailor's Hymn	Holy, Holy, Holy	The Shopper's Hymn	Sweet Bye and Bye
The Golfer's Hymn	There's a Green Hill Far Away	The Realtor's Hymn	I've Got a Mansion, Just Over the Hilltop
The Politician's Hymn	Standing on the Promises!	The Massage Therapist's Hymn	He Touched Me
Optometrist's Hymn	Open My Eyes That I Might See	The Doctor's Hymn	The Great Physician

### AND for those who speed on the highway - a few hymns:

55 mph	God Will Take Care of You	95 mph	Lord, I'm Coming Home
75 mph	Nearer My God To Thee	100 mph	Precious Memories
85 mph	This World Is Not My Home		

*Give me a sense of humor, Lord, Give me the grace to see a joke, To get some humor out of life, And pass it on to other folks.*

### **DID YOU KNOW?**

The word "queue" is the only word in the English language that is still pronounced the same way when the last four letters are removed.

*Human thigh bones are stronger than concrete.*

There is a city called Rome on every continent.

*It's against the law to have a pet dog in Iceland!*

The elephant is the only mammal that can't jump!

*One quarter of the bones in your body, are in your feet!*

Like fingerprints, everyone's tongue print is different!

*Fingernails grow nearly 4 times faster than toenails!*

Most dust particles in your house are made from dead skin!

Honey is the only food that does not spoil. Honey found in the tombs of Egyptian pharaohs has been tasted by archaeologists and found edible.

*Months that begin on a Sunday will always have a "Friday the 13th."*

Coca-Cola would be green if coloring weren't added to it.

*More people are killed each year from bees than from snakes.*

The average lead pencil will draw a line 35 miles long or write approximately 50,000 English words.

*More people are allergic to cow's milk than any other food.*

Earth is the only planet not named after a god.

*It's against the law to burp, or sneeze in a church in Nebraska, USA.*

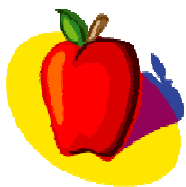
# Children's Page



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## Fruit of the Spirit

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ATTITUDE, FAITHFULNESS, GENTLENESS, GROW, JOY, PATIENCE, SEED, BALANCE, FRUIT, GOD, HEART,  
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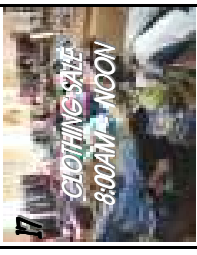

But the fruit of the Spirit is \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_,  
\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_. Galatians 5:22-23

\*\*Any child that completes the Newsletter worksheet will receive a reward if they show it to Patty Bell. Young children may get help from an adult. See Patty if you need a copy of the worksheet.



# SEPTEMBER 2011



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				<b>1</b> AM Bible Study 9:30am	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>4</b> Sunday School 9:00am Mngg Worship 10:30am X Factor 6:00pm	<b>5</b> 	<b>6</b> Ladies Prayer & Share 11:00am	<b>7</b>  FAMILY NIGHT Dinner 5:00pm Program 6:30pm	<b>8</b> AM Bible Study 9:30am	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>
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"But now in September the garden has cooled, and with it my possessiveness. The sun warms my back instead of beating on my head ... The harvest has dwindled, and I have grown apart from the intense midsummer relationship that brought it on." - Robert Finch - Poet