

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Church office hours are Monday through Friday 9 - 5 p.m.
Announcements for the bulletin are due by Thursday at 5 p.m.
Small Groups meet various nights in homes and at the worship center.

YOUTH GROUP SCHEDULE

Middle School (Grades 6-8) meets on Tuesdays from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.
Senior High (Grades 9-12) meets on Wednesdays from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

SUNDAY WORSHIP

- † **7:10 – 7:30 a.m.** - Radio Program on WMBS 590 AM
- † **8:45 – 9:00 a.m.** – Refreshments & Fellowship
- † **9:00 a.m.** – A previously recorded ALC worship service is televised on CUTV cable channel #17 (Atlantic Broadband) or online at <http://www.ustream.tv/channel/cutv-live>
- † **9:00 a.m.** – Worship Service; Nursery (ages 0-2 ½) in **Room 6**
- † **9:15 a.m.** – **Bible classes during the sermon:** Ages 2 ½ - 4 in **Room 7**, K thru 2nd grade in **Room 5**, 3rd – 5th grade in **Room 9**, 6th – 8th grade in **Room 14**, 9th – 12th grade in **Room 12/13**.
- † **9:15 a.m.** – **Adult Bible Studies** are held weekly in **Room 10, Room 8 and Room 11**
- † **10:20 – 10:45 a.m.** – Refreshments & Fellowship
- † **10:45 a.m.** – Worship Service and Nursery (open for ages 0-2) in **Room 6**.
- † **11:00 a.m.** – Ages 3 - K in **Room 5**, Jr. Church: 1st - 3rd Grade in **Room 10**, Jr. Church: 4th & 5th grade in **Room 8**, Grades 6-12 in **Room 12/13**
- † Watch us on **Cornerstone Network** Pittsburgh Faith & Family Channel WPCB DT 40.2 or **Atlantic Broadband Channel 119** on Saturday at 12:01 a.m., Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. and Thursday at 10:00 a.m.

CARE & CONCERN

Those in medical facilities or recuperating as of 08/31/18

Goldie Zeller – Uniontown Hospital Room 1428
Wendell McGinnis – at home with ongoing health problems
Mike & Jeannine Schnatterly – at home with ongoing health problems
Dorothy Bowlen – Liberty Hall, 27 Kyle Ln, Fairchance

Prayer Chain: 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.
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Abundant Life Church exists to exalt Jesus (**worship**), to teach the Bible (**grow**), to share the gospel (**reach**), to love one another (**connect**), and to serve the Lord (**serve**).

JESUS: HE MAY NOT BE LIKE YOU THINK HE IS

The world loves open-mindedness, compromise, acceptance, and neutrality. Those sound like good things...until you place them under the scrutiny of the Word of God. Open-minded? "You shall have no other gods before me." Compromise? "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me." Acceptance? "The weeds are the sons of the evil one...they will be thrown into the fiery furnace, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth." Neutrality? "He who is not with me is against me." The first time, Jesus came to earth as a suffering Savior. The next time, Jesus is coming as a conquering King; and, His enemies "will go away to eternal punishment." "You think about that." Amen!

We have emerald **WELCOME** packets in the lobby which contain much information. If you did not receive one, or if you have any questions, feel free to call our office from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on weekdays at 724-425-9700 or visit us online at www.myabundantlife.org.

BURGERS AND DOGS! picnic will be held on **Sunday, September 16th after the second worship service** in the pavilion. All food and beverages will be provided. You may stay after the later service and visit with one another while the food is cooking. This is a great opportunity to get to know more of our church family.

THE NEXT SMALL GROUP LAUNCH IS OCTOBER 7, 2018 – We will have an eight-week study of *Life's Healing Choices* based on the Beatitudes of Jesus. There is a study guide and related DVD for the groups to use. This study will equip each of us to overcome the hurts, habits, and hang-ups that often keep us from enjoying the abundant life that God has planned for us. If you are not yet involved in a small group, please sign the sheet in the lobby so that we can assist you in forming or joining a group.

INVITE-A-FRIEND SUNDAY IS OCTOBER 7, 2018 - Invite your friends and relatives to visit Abundant Life Church on this special day! Jesus commands us to make disciples. Let's use this opportunity to share the love and life-changing message of Jesus with the people whom God has placed in our lives. Offer to drive them to here and/or to take them to lunch afterward. **Please give to your friends the Blue Friend Day invitations that are now in the lobby to remind them of our Friend Day services.**

ALC DIRECTORY UPDATE FORMS - Please fill out the forms found in the lobby to update the church directory. Please take your updated forms to the information booth. Please send updated photos to info@myabundantlife.org or you may access your information at <https://members.instantchurchdirectory.com/> and log in with the email address that you've provided on your forms to upload your photos!

ASSISTED LISTENING DEVICES are now available from the information booth during both Sunday worship services. Please see the information booth volunteer to sign-out a device if you need one.

THE LADIES LUNCH BUNCH meets this **Tuesday, September 4th** at 11:45 a.m. in the back room at Eat 'n Park. All women are invited to attend.

THE 2018 ALC MEN'S RETREAT will be held **NEXT WEEKEND September 7th – 9th** at Teen Quest Ranch in Somerset, PA. We will enjoy activities such as paintball, laser tag, horseback riding, fishing, disc golf, driving range, and possibly clay shooting along with Bible teaching from Andy Stanley called "Why in the World". The cost for the weekend is \$129 which includes room, food, and most of the activities listed above. Or, the daily cost is \$43 if you cannot be there either night. Sign-up in the lobby!

TEACHERS ARE NEEDED!!! - to teach Grades 1ST – 5TH and Middle School Grades 6 – 8th during the 2nd service. Volunteers are on a rotating schedule. Teachers must already have, or complete, background clearances. Please sign up in the lobby or call the church office at 724-425-9700.

JUST TWO WEEKS AWAY!! - BETH MOORE "LIVING PROOF" LIVE SIMULCAST EVENT – Saturday, September 15th from 10:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. at Abundant Life Church. (Doors open at 8:30 for continental breakfast.) All ladies (ages 12 and up) are invited to be part of this global, one-day simulcast that will encourage you to dive deeper into the Word of God. Beth's topic is "Preparing the Bride for Christ's Coming". Tickets are \$20 which includes lunch and refreshments. Tickets are on sale at the table in the lobby. Or, you may purchase your tickets online using this link: <https://lproof18-tickets.eventbrite.com>

"FEED - FAYETTE" MINISTRY – Abundant Life Church will prepare and serve a Sloppy Joe Dinner (with mac & cheese, pudding and a drink) to those in need on **Saturday, September 15th from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.** at Community Action, 137 N. Beeson Blvd., Uniontown. This is an opportunity for you and/or your small group to talk to, serve, and love on people like Jesus does. The joy and the love are worth it. Please sign-up in the lobby if you can help!

SUNDAY MORNING KITCHEN HELPERS ARE NEEDED to serve coffee, donuts and juices before the 10:45 a.m. worship service on the **THIRD** and/or **FOURTH** Sundays monthly. If you can do so; or, if you are available for a different Sunday or service time, please sign the sheet in the lobby!

MANY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR CARMAN CONCERT ON 10/20/18 – Please sign the sheet in the lobby to volunteer to: sell merchandise, stand as security, parking crew, seating ushers, set up, and/or clean up afterward.

THE CARMAN 2018 LEGACY TOUR will make a stop at Abundant Life Church on **Saturday, October 20th**. Mark your calendars and invite your UNSAVED friends & family for this FREE ADMISSION/NO OFFERING concert opportunity.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"The experience of revival is nothing more than a new beginning of obedience to God." ~ Charles Finney