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St Francis



July 1, 2015

Jesus the Healer

And wherever he came, in the villages, cities, or countryside, they laid the sick in the marketplaces and implored him that they might touch even the fringe of his garment. And as many as touched it were made well.

Mark 6:56

The Ministry of Healing

The summer is now upon us and it is time to plan for midweek services at St. Francis. This summer we are focusing on the healing ministry of Jesus.

From July 7-September 1 we will meet on Tuesday evenings at 6:15pm for a look at the healing ministry of Jesus as Mark tells it in his gospel. We will have time for healing prayer as well as communion.

The Ministry of Healing Today

Following Jesus means doing things He did. One thing Jesus did was to pray for the sick. He used certain methods of prayer when praying for the sick. He saw it as an announcement of the coming kingdom of God as well as radical compassion for those who were sick. As we follow Jesus we do those same things He did praying for the sick. We will find that it is a normal, natural activity for Christians as we follow Jesus today. I hope you will be able to attend these services. Is there a friend who could benefit from the healing ministry of Jesus you might bring along with you?

Coming Attractions

Sunday, July 5, 2015 worship at 10:00am

Tuesday, July 7, 2015 healing service at 6:15am

Wednesday, July 8, 2015 vestry meeting at 4:00pm

Sunday, July 12, 2015 worship at 10:00am followed by pot luck.

Bright Beginnings Back Packs are due at St. Francis on Sunday, July 12th, or you may bring them directly to the Goochland YMCA.

Our Missional Communities

The Parke will meet on Sunday, July 12, at 5:00pm for pot luck, worship fellowship. Please contact Richard and Hedy Walker at richardandhedy@yahoo.com

Symphony will lead worship at Symphony Assisted Living on Sunday, July 26, 2015 at 9:00am. Please contact Bobbie Levines at bobbiedrew@yahoo.com

Please bring nonperishable food items with you to worship for donation to the Goochland Free Clinic and Family Services food pantry. You may leave your donations in the box provided in the vestibule.

Centerville Circle of Prayer

For Coleman Brothers Florist that business would increase and many events would be marked with joy, compassion, and celebration through this business.

Metropolitan Richmond

For governments and governing bodies of Metropolitan Richmond: For the Mayor and City Council of Richmond, the City Manager and all city employees.

Finally, thank you for all of your prayers, condolences, and support at the death of my father. You provided strength and comfort to me and my family during those days.

Grace and Peace,

John Maher

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