## **PASTOR ZAHRTE'S WEEKLY UPDATE**

**APRIL 25, 2024** 

a message worth sharing ...

**BLESSED: Jesus' Wisdom in the Beatitudes** *The Blessing of Being Gentle (Matthew 5:5)* 

Gentleness may be an attribute we value in a nanny or a nurse, but it doesn't seem beneficial in our tough world. Jesus says it is. We are continuing our sermon series from the beatitudes, and this Sunday, Pastor Mark will help us understand, "Blessed are the gentle, for they shall inherit the earth."

And be sure to sign up for Servant Saturday 300!

YTD AMOUNT GIVEN		YTD AMOUNT SPENT	
Budget	Actual	Budget	Actual
\$1,451,725	\$1,487,979	\$1,422,624	\$1,370,554
(Does not include school finances)			

opportunities to serve & connect ...

- Servant Saturday 300: Sign up to bless those in & around N. Royalton on May 4: <u>Sign up</u>
- Moms' Morning: Amazing speakers, breakfast & share in community with other moms on Saturday, May 11, 9-11am. <u>Register here</u>
- LEGO Club: Geared towards kinders 4<sup>th</sup> graders on May 14. At least one parent must accompany his/her child(ren). <u>Register here</u>
- Royal Seniors Bunco event: Join us Thurs., May 16 from 1-4 pm. Tickets on sale in the Gathering Rm April 28, May 5 & 12.
- Itty Bitty Book Club: Infants thru kinders, join us for fun, family time on Sat., May 18 including story time, snacks & a craft. <u>Register here</u>
- PickleBall & Jesus: Join us for PB&J on Sun., May 19 from 5:45-8pm in the CAC. Pickleball and devotions. <u>Register here</u>
- 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> grade Summit Night: Sign up for a fun night on May 29 as we dive into our Bibles together and play some games! <u>Register here</u>

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mark your calendars ...

## APRII

28 North Royalton Community band concert

Servant Saturday

## MAY

- 3 RRLS Fun Run fundraiser
- 4 Servant Saturday 300
- 5 Confirmation Sunday, Time TBD
- 7 RRLS open house, 9:30-2pm
- Mom's Morning event, 9:30am RRLS conference track meet at LW, 1pm
- 12 Mother's Day
- 14 LEGO Club, 6:30-8pm
- 16 Royal Seniors Bunco event, 1-4pm VBS registration price increases
- 17-18 H.A.R.P. mission trip to Caldwell, OH
- 18 Itty Bitty Book Club, 9:30-11
- 19 VBS junior volunteer training (under 16), 11am RRLS book fair open after worship services PickleBall & Jesus, 5:45-8pm



VBS | June 17-21 Register at: <u>ROYRED.ORG/VBS</u>

## harp mission to caldwell, ohio ...

The spring **H.A.R.P. mission** is Friday/Saturday, May 17/18. If you're unfamiliar with this mission:

- While a Friday and Saturday commitment is preferable, there are some who can only be there one day. Some travel Thursday so they can begin early, while others travel Friday morning. Caldwell is about 2 hours from Cleveland (mile marker 25 on I-77).
- The team will stay in a hotel and has most meals together at local restaurants. Lunch varies as they're often working at multiple job sites.
- Bring your own tools and be sure to label them with your name. If you don't have any, it's ok.

Want to join in? Email John Tish: jgtish@gmail.com

