### **SUNDAY, June 1, 2025**

9:45 am Sunday School 11:00 am Worship Service 12:15 pm VBS Meeting

12:30 pm Church Council Meeting

### TUESDAY, June 3, 2025

6:00 pm After the Sermon

7:00 pm Phone-In Prayer Meeting

### THURSDAY, June 5, 2025

6:30 pm Women's Bible Study

#### **CHURCH OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK:**

Mon., June 2	Tues., June 3	Wed., June 4	Thurs., June 5
9:30  am - 1  pm			

## How Do I Join Upper Seneca Baptist Church

- By Salvation ~ By professing faith in Jesus Christ and following Him in believer's baptism.
- **By Transfer of Letter** ~ By transferring your membership from another Baptist Church.
- By Statement of Faith ~ By statement of faith in Jesus Christ.

If you have not been baptized by immersion since your conversion, you will need to follow the Lord in believer's baptism.

### When Do I Join?

At the close of every worship service as we sing the "Invitation Hymn", the pastor stands facing the congregation. Walk to him and tell him you want to join the church or make some other decision.

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### Weather Policy

If the church cancels or postpones any service or activity due to inclement weather or wintery conditions, a cancelation notice will appear on the church's Facebook page, church's website, through church email, and on the church's voice recorder. To access the church's voice recorder, please dial (301) 972-3686. The church will only post a cancelation message if a service or activity is canceled or postponed.

## Upper Seneca Baptist Church



## Impacting The Kingdom Of God One Person At A Time

## **Upper Seneca Baptist Church**

11:00 am Sunday Worship Sunday Worship June 1, 2025

\*Song "Graves into Gardens" Congregation

Prayer/Welcome Pastor Dennis

\*Song "Thy Word" Congregation

\*\*Message Pastor Dennis

# "WHAT I KNOW ABOUT THE DEVIL" Genesis 3:1-6 (NIV)

\*Song "The God Who Stays" Congregation

\*Song "Standing on the Promises" Congregation

Your tithes and offerings will be collected at the end of the service upon leaving.



Sunday, June 1, VBS Meeting
Sunday, June 1, Church Council Meeting
Tuesday, June 3, After the Sermon
Tuesday, June 3, Prayer Meeting
Thursday, June 5, Women's Bible Study
Sunday, June 8, VBS Supply List
Tuesday, June 10, Forever Young @
"Golden Corral"
Sunday, June 15, Father's Day Service
Tuesday, June 24, VBS Decorating
Sunday, June 29, Jackson's Baby Shower



On **June 1**, there will be a short *VBS Meeting* at the back of the sanctuary immediately following our Sunday morning worship service. During this time, direction will be given, material will be discussed, and questions will be answered. See you then!

On Sunday, **June 8**, the church will be distributing a **VBS Supply List** that will detail the materials and decorations that you can donate to help make **VBS** a less chaotic world for our kids. If you do not have time to gather supplies, you can make a financial donation to **VBS**.





You too can help with *VBS*. On Tuesday, **June 24**, we invite you to join us at 6 p.m. to help decorate the church for *VBS*.

The *Forever Young Luncheon* will take place on Tuesday, **June 10**, at 12:30 p.m. We will be meeting at the **Golden Corral** in Frederick, MD. Remember, anyone is welcome.



<sup>\*</sup>Denotes Congregation standing

<sup>\*\*</sup>Children will be dismissed to their classrooms following the Sermon Video (prior to the Message). Words to hymn music printed by permission CCLI License #1159459

## "What I Know About the Devil"

By Pastor Dennis Felder June 1, 2025

Scripture: Genesis 3:1-6 (NIV)

**Synopsis:** There is a mad man who infiltrated the Garden of Eden to destroy Adam and Eve's relationship with God and he will do everything in his power to infiltrate your life. He is called the devil. He is out to kill, steal, and destroy. So, be on the lookout for this deadly demon.

# What I know about the Devil:

I. He appears \_\_\_\_\_\_ we least expect him.

The Devil is going to show up when everything seems to be perfect.

<u>1 Peter 5:8</u> – Your enemy the devil prowls around like a roaring lion looking for someone to devour.

II. He appears in \_\_\_\_\_\_ we least expect him.

Genesis 3:1 – Now the serpent was more crafty than any of the wild animals the LORD God had made. He said to the woman, "Did God really say, 'You must not eat from any tree in the garden?'"

## Satan is very attractive.

Ezekiel 28:12-15 – Son of man, take up a lament concerning the king of Tyre and say to him: 'This is what the Sovereign Lord says: "You were the seal of perfection, full of wisdom and perfect in beauty. You were in Eden, the garden of God; every precious stone adorned you:

carnelian, chrysolite and emerald, topaz, onyx and jasper, lapis lazuli, turquoise and beryl. Your settings and mountings were made of gold; on the day you were created they were prepared. You were anointed as a guardian cherub, for so I ordained you. You were on the holy mount of God; you walked among the fiery stones. You were blameless in your ways from the day you were created till wickedness was found in you."

Isaiah 14:12-15 – How you have fallen from heaven, morning star, son of the dawn! You have been cast down to the earth, you who once laid low the nations! You said in your heart, "I will ascend to the heavens; I will raise my throne above the stars of God; I will sit enthroned on the mount of assembly, on the utmost heights of Mount Zaphon. I will ascend above the tops of the clouds; I will make myself like the Most High." But you are brought down to the realm of the dead, to the depths of the pit.

III. He speaks in \_\_\_\_\_\_ we least expect him.

<u>Genesis 3:1b</u> – ... He said to the woman, "Did God really say, 'You must not eat from any tree in the garden?"

# The moment you start putting a question mark after the word of God, you will be headed down a fast and slippery slope.

Genesis 3:2-3 – The woman said to the serpent, "We may eat fruit from the trees in the garden, but God did say, 'You must not eat fruit from the tree that is in the middle of the garden, and you must not touch it, or you will die.""

# He is the biggest liar and he tells lies about the biggest subject <a href="#">– God!</a>

Genesis 3:4-5 – "You will not surely die," the serpent said to the woman. "For God knows that when you eat of it your eyes will be opened, and you will be like God, knowing good and evil."

Sin is enjoyable, but it is short lived.

<u>Hebrews 11:25</u> - He [Moses] chose to be mistreated along with the people of God rather than to enjoy the pleasures of sin for a short time.

Genesis 3:6 – When the woman saw that the fruit of the tree was good for food and pleasing to the eye, and also desirable for gaining wisdom, she took some and ate it. She also gave some to her husband, who was with her, and he ate it.

# When you ignore the Word of God, you become the ultimate decision maker as to what is right and to what is wrong.

Genesis 3:3 – You must not eat fruit from the tree that is in the middle of the garden, and you must not touch it, or you will die.

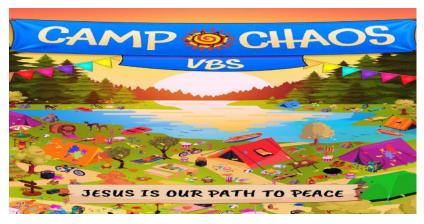
## Sin not only hurts you, but others.

<u>Sermon Notes:</u>					

If you would like to listen to the sermon on-line, please visit our website at www.USBChurch.org.

# Genesis 3:1-3

Now the serpent was more crafty than any other beast of the field that the Lord God had made. He said to the woman, "Did God actually say, You shall not eat of any tree in the garden'?" And the woman said to the serpent, "We may eat of the fruit of the trees in the garden, but God said, You shall not eat of the fruit of the tree that is in the midst of the garden, neither shall you touch it, lest you die."



Are you ready for this summer to get a little ... chaotic? Get ready for Camp Chaos! This summer, your kids can spend a few days at a campsite in the forest. But watch out -- things are starting to get a little crazy at Camp Chaos.

## Camp Chaos focuses on five of the Gospels' most chaotic stories.

Jesus Is Our Strength In Chaos.

Jesus Cares For Us In Times Of Chaos.

Jesus Saves Us From Chaos.

Jesus Is Our Peace In Chaos.

Jesus Kicks Out The Chaos.

<u>During Camp Chaos the kids will learn how Jesus is our peace in a chaotic world.</u>

## **VBS (Dates & Times)**

June 27th (Friday) from 6-8 p.m.

June 28th (Saturday) from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

June 29th (Sunday) from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m.

Worship Service (11 a.m.) – Will highlight VBS.

"Camp Chaos" celebration after the Worship Service.

# VBS is for ages 3 years old to 6<sup>th</sup> grade. The youth (7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade) will be our helpers.

(If anyone would like to help with VBS, please sign up in the foyer.)



Father's Day is just around the corner. To help celebrate our fathers and the men who have had a special influence in our lives, USBC will have a special *Father's Day Service* on **June 15**. During the 11 a.m. service, all men will receive a special gift to

express our appreciation for your love and dedication.

Sign up on the bulletin board today and try and win by guessing baby girl Jackson's birth date, time, etc.





On Sunday, June 29, immediately after worship service, our church family will gather in the foyer to celebrate the life of the Jackson's baby girl that is due to be born in July. During our celebration, we will have some delicious desserts, a special blessing, and an opportunity to

wish Katie, Josh, and Audrey our best. Don't miss this wonderful opportunity to celebrating the upcoming arrival of their bundle of joy.

## Part-Time Associate Pastor/ Outreach Minister Wanted



Upper Seneca Baptist Church is seeking a dedicated and spiritually driven individual to serve as a Part-Time Associate Pastor/Outreach Minister. This role is ideal for someone who is passionate about sharing the Gospel, building community relationships, and supporting the spiritual

growth of our congregation. For additional information, go to <a href="https://www.USBChurch.com">www.USBChurch.com</a> or see Pastor Dennis.