

SUNDAY, July 9, 2017

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

WEDNESDAY, July 12, 2017

6:30 pm Women's Bible Study
6:30 pm After the Sermon

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK:

Mon., July 10 9:30 am – 1 pm	Tues., July 11 9:30 am – 1 pm	Wed., July 12 9:30 am – 1 pm	Thurs., July 13 9:30 am – 1 pm
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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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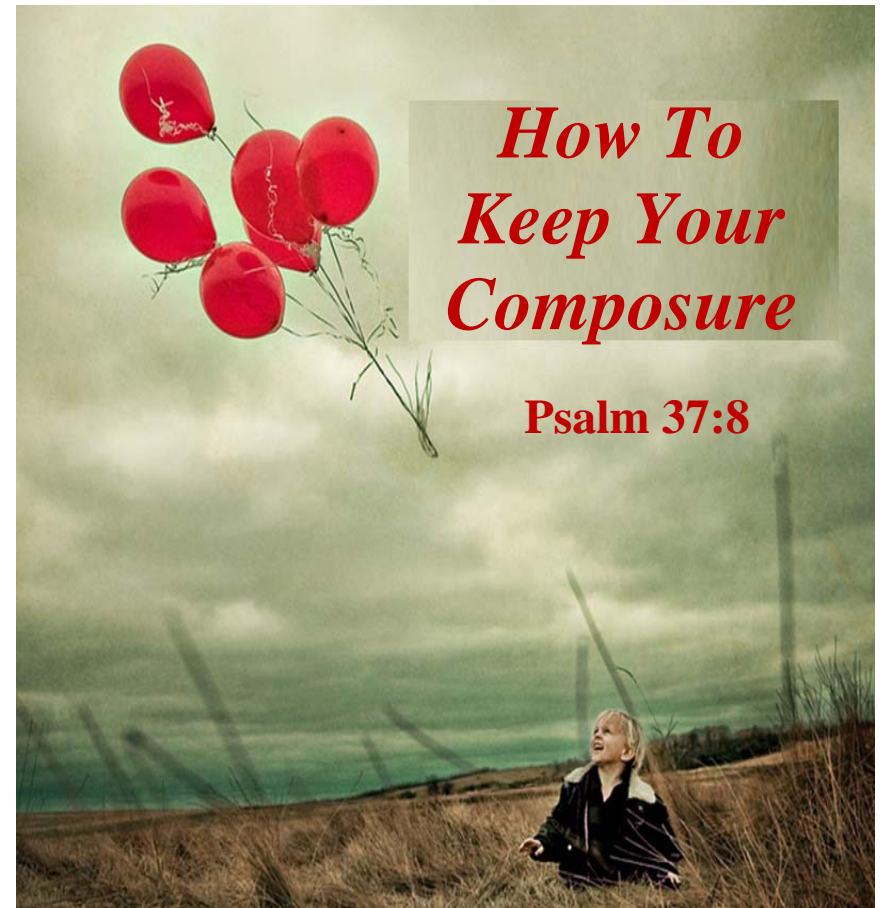
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Upper Seneca Baptist Church



**To Re-Present Jesus Christ
In Our Community
And Beyond**

Upper Seneca Baptist Church

11:00 am Sunday Worship

July 9, 2017



Wednesday, July 12, Women's Bible Study
Wednesday, July 12, After the Sermon
Sunday, July 16, Pizza with the Pastor @ Ledo Pizza
Monday, July 17 – July 21, Vacation Bible School

*Hymn #99 *"Forever"* Congregation

Prayer/Welcome Pastor Dennis

*Hymn #70 *"You Are Holy"* Congregation
(Prince of Peace)

Offertory

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

Special

**Message Pastor Dennis
"How To Keep Your Composure"
Psalm 37:8

*Hymn of Commitment #598 Congregation
"Take My Life"

*Closing Hymn #598 Congregation
"Take My Life"

*Denotes Congregation standing
**Children will be dismissed to their classrooms following the Sermon Video (prior to the Message).
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VBS Cookies Needed

VBS is in need of packaged cookies for the week of **July 8-12**. A box has been placed in the narthex marked Cookies. For more information, contact the office.



Special Music



Do you have a special hymn or reading you would like to share over the summer during the morning worship service? If so, please sign up on the sheet located on the bulletin board. For more information, contact Priscilla Knicley.

Food Drive

USBC is collecting **non-perishable food items** for the Damascus Help Pantry until the end of July. Food supplies needed are: canned foods such as meats (tuna, chicken, spam), spaghetti O's, vegetables, fruits, boxes of cereal (hot and cold), rice, macaroni, peanut butter, jelly, and powdered milk. **Please make sure expiration dates are good otherwise they cannot be used.** Place all food donations in the Narthex's container by Sunday, **July 31**. Remember that we help supply the food closet for needy families in the Damascus area.



School Supply Drive



Faith Connections will be collecting school supplies for needy students in the Damascus-Clarksburg area. Please buy extra supplies when you are shopping during this summer. Donations can be placed in the labeled blue bins located at many local businesses and churches. Thank you in advance for your generosity!

Donations will be collected from early July until August 20th.

“The Freedom Judge”

Pastor Dennis Felder

July 9, 2017

Scripture: Psalm 37:8 (MSG)

Psalm 37:8 – *Bridle your anger, trash your wrath, cool your pipes--
it only makes things worse.*

**How To Keep Your
Composure:**

I. Bridle your _____.

Psalm 37:8a – *Bridle your anger, ...*

Bridle – *A head harness for guiding a horse: it consists of
headstall, bit, and reins.*

**When your anger becomes uncontrollable, you need someone
else to guide you.**

If anger is not controlled, who knows where you may end up.

Let God have His way with your anger.

II. Trash your _____.

**You not only need to control (bridle) your anger, but you need
to throw it away.**

Psalm 37:8b – *... Trash your wrath, ...*

If you horde anger, it will make a mess in your life.

If anger is not controlled, then it is hoarded.

III. Cool your _____.

To keep your composure, you need to cool your pipes.

Psalm 37:8c – *... Cool your pipes ...*

**What does it mean to “cool your pipes”? – It means to slow
down.**

**When our anger reaches a critical level, we need to slow down
and take a breath.**

**If we do not learn how to cool our anger and slow it down, it
will leave us hurt and it will hurt everything that we care
about.**

Sermon Notes:

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

Pizza With the Pastor



On **July 16**, following our Sunday morning Worship Service we will gather at Ledo Pizza in Damascus. Each person/family will be responsible for paying for their meal. Join us for food and fellowship!

Vacation Bible School

Vacation Bible School is **July 17 – 21**. This year's theme is **Galactic Starveyors!**



From Lifeway.com – *“Turn your kids into Galactic Starveyors! As kids focus their telescopes on the marvels painted in the sky by the Creator, they will discover the wonder among all wonders - that the God who created everything there is - the knowable and the unknowable, the visible and the invisible - wants a personal relationship with them! Invite your kids into the clubhouse and show them the God who is over the moon in love with them.”*

In order to make this wonderful experience available for the children in our community, we need LOTS of help! Help is needed for teaching, assistants, crafts, snacks, recreation, music, registration, and more! If you are available to help, please see Donna Limparis, or just show up and offer to assist.

Pray each day for the teachers & every volunteer. Also, pray for the children that come to be open to the message of God's love and salvation.

Bible Study Classes

The Wednesday Night Bible Study classes will not meet on **July 19** (due to Vacation Bible School). For more information contact the office.



Damascus-Clarksburg Area School Supply Drive



Help needy students in our area have a bright start to the new school year by donating new school supplies.

We are collecting:

- Backpacks
- Lined paper (college and wide ruled)
- Spiral notebooks
- Composition books
- Pencils
- Pens (blue, black and red)
- Crayons
- Markers
- Colored Pencils
- Erasers and eraser caps
- Safety scissors
- Glue sticks (not regular glue)
- Dividers (5-7 subject)
- Pocket folders

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