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August, September, October 2010

Upcoming Atlee Events

Orientation to Atlee

Orientation is for those that are new to Atlee and would like to learn more about our purpose, vision and structure.

Mechanicsville Campus: **AUGUST 1, SEPTEMBER 5 and OCTOBER 3** after each service

West End Campus: **AUGUST 8** after service at Short Pump Middle School

JumpStart

JumpStart is a brief one-time class giving parents the tools for meaningful dialogue with children about beginning their spiritual journey. If your K-5th grader wishes to be baptized, sign-up for JumpStart at the Information Center. This class is required for child baptism.

Mechanicsville Campus: **AUGUST 15 and SEPTEMBER 19** after 2nd service in room 204.

Baptism is scheduled for **SEPTEMBER 26**.

West End Campus: **SEPTEMBER 12** after service at Short Pump Middle School. Baptism is scheduled for **SEPTEMBER 19**.

DivorceCare

DivorceCare is a valuable resource for those dealing with divorce or separation. The kick-off dinner is **AUGUST 20**. The weekly support groups meet Tuesdays 6:30-8:30pm for 13 weeks starting **AUGUST 24**. Group meets at the **Mechanicsville Campus**.

Vacation Bible School

Vacation Bible School is **AUGUST 23-27** from 6:30pm-8:30pm at the **Mechanicsville Campus**. Children who have completed kindergarten through 5th grade are invited to come and spend the evenings with Misfit Brigade in "Chase the Light". Kids will learn how things can be seen more clearly when they have a relationship with Jesus. Online registration for VBS is now open. Volunteers are needed in all areas. Information can be found at www.atleechurch.org or by contacting Mary Beth Ayres at mary.ayres@atleechurch.org or the office at 730.3676.

Membership Class

Everyone who wants to become a member of Atlee must attend this class. Sign up at the Information Center or email the_church_office with your interest to attend.

Mechanicsville Campus: **SEPTEMBER 19** in room 203 from 6:00pm - 8:00pm

West End Campus: **AUGUST 23** at 6:30pm - 8:30pm at Wyndham Clubhouse

Financial Peace University

FPU is Dave Ramsey's life-changing program that teaches you to achieve your financial goals by eliminating debt, saving for the future, and giving like never before. More than

one million families have attended FPU with amazing results. On average, they pay off \$5,300 in debt and save \$2,700 in just 90 days. Registration is open now.

Mechanicsville Campus: Free previews are AUGUST 29 and SEPTEMBER 5 at 1:00pm in room 203. Class starts **SEPTEMBER 12**.

West End Campus: Class starts **SEPTEMBER 12** at 1:00pm in Glen Allen.

Leadership Essentials

Everyone is invited as we celebrate what God is doing at Atlee on **SEPTEMBER 15** from 7:00pm - 9:00pm at the **Mechanicsville Campus**. Each one of us is a leader in some way or another and we hope you choose to participate in this very special time. Also, Pastor Jeff will be outlining the church-wide small group curriculum so all small group leaders are expected to attend this important session.

Baptism Class

Baptism Class explains the purpose for baptism and is designed to answer all your baptism questions. Attend this brief class if you are considering baptism.

Mechanicsville Campus: **SEPTEMBER 19** after each service in room 101

West End Campus: **SEPTEMBER 5 & SEPTEMBER 12** after service at Short Pump Middle School

Baptism

Baptism is one of the most important steps you will ever take in your Christian walk. If you have accepted Christ and want to be baptized, sign up at the Information Center or email [the church office](#).

Mechanicsville Campus: **SEPTEMBER 26** at 6:00pm in the Auditorium

West End Campus: **SEPTEMBER 19** at 6:00pm at Shady Grove YMCA

2010 Mission Trip to Ecuador Meeting

Take a Mission Trip to Ecuador and experience a life changing adventure. By expressing God's love to new friends, you'll never be the same! Come serve the Lord in Ecuador in February 2011. Attend one of the informational meetings after each service on **SEPTEMBER 26** in room 105 of the **Mechanicsville Campus**. Contact Paul or Linda Warden at 746.7136 or fundrazr4u@aol.com for details.

First Fridays presents KidStuf - SEASON OPENS!

Bring family and friends on **Friday, OCTOBER 1** from 6:30pm - 8:30pm for this free community event at the **Mechanicsville Campus**. KidStuf teaches something profound for the entire family to take home. Nothing is more important than understanding how to have a relationship with God and Atlee wants to partner with you in helping your child grow up to believe that nothing is too big for God to handle.

Parent-Child Dedication

This is a special time for parents to dedicate their children and themselves to God. If you are a parent and would like to participate in this dedication being held on **OCTOBER 1** at KidStuf (**Mechanicsville Campus**), please register at the Information Center. We would like to have pictures of your child/children and your family for a media presentation to be shown on that evening. Please bring photos by the church office or email to office@atleechurch.org.

Ongoing Atlee Events

all event locations are at the Mechanicsville Campus, unless specified

Celebrate Recovery

Celebrate Recovery is a faith based support group for anyone battling with the hang-ups of life that cause you to stumble or doubt. Issues ranging from alcoholism, divorce, sexual abuse, codependency, domestic violence, addictions, anger, depression, loss of job, loss of a loved one and more are all appropriate, and Atlee desires for you to find freedom

from those hurts and habits. This is an opportunity for you to enjoy fellowship with others that may share the same challenges of life with you. Registration is not required.

Mechanicsville Campus: Wednesdays 8:00pm - 9:00pm

Current Atlee Opportunities

DivorceCare

Have you healed from divorce? Would you like to help others do the same? Consider helping out with childcare during DivorceCare. Attendees will receive the help they need to deal with the pain of the past and rebuild their future. Be a part of their healing by volunteering to watch the children during the weekly meetings. You can make a difference. Volunteers needed Tuesdays 6:30pm - 8:30pm at the **Mechanicsville Campus** beginning **AUGUST 24**.

Hilliard House Volunteers

Volunteer at Hilliard House, a homeless shelter for women and children that have been victims of domestic or substance abuse. On the **3rd Wednesday of each month**, small groups of volunteers are needed to provide and serve a meal to the residents. Contact **Mary Walker** for more information. Families are encouraged to participate.

Greeters and Ushers

The Greeters and Ushers Team would love to have you join the team! Contact Nadine Peel at 779-8022 if you would like to serve.

Fall Small Group Leaders and Apprentices

If you have led a group in the past and would like to lead again, our ministry needs you! As you know, the rewards are huge! Contact **Mary Walker** at 730.3676 if you are willing to serve in this ministry.

Thanks for taking the time to check out our events.
You can check www.atleechurch.org anytime for
a current list of events.

See You Sunday!

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