AMC YOUTH GROUP MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

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"I Need a Suitable Helper..."

⁴⁴The Lord God said, it is not good for the man to be alone. I will make a suitable helper for him." Genesis 2:18



HS Events

Aug 5th @ 6pm Rachel & Leah #2

Aug 12th @ 7pm Rachel & Leah #3

Aug 19th @ 10:30am Mission Trip Service

Aug 19th @ 6pm Rachel & Leah #4

Aug 26th @ 6pm Rachel & Leah #5

JrYouth Events

Since we're all gearing up for the school year, we're going to only meet once this month for a fun fellowship day before we start our new curriculum next month!

Aug 19th - 3-5:30pm Pool Day @ Chad & Maria Yoder's We'll meet at church van at 3pm, and arrive back to church at 5:30pm

(The Love Passage) that Paul wrote to the Corinthians. It gives us an exact list of ways we need to be loving our neighbors, not just significant others. But in Chapter 14:34, Paul brings up one thing I disagree with him on, it reads "Women should remain silent in the churches. They are not allowed to speak, but must be in submission, as the law says. If they want to inquire about something, they should ask their own husbands at home, for it is disgraceful for a woman to speak in the church."

I believe every word of 1 Corinthians 13

Just because I disagree with Paul here, doesn't mean what I read earlier isn't true. Paul was a human too, he didn't interpret everything right, just like I won't either.

But I do know that I need his leading in my journey, even though I disagree with him. I can't just rip all his words out of the bible 'cause these two verses and whatever else I don't think is right. Just like in life, I can't shun my brother just because he did something I don't agree with, I can't shun my cousin from my life who interprets God differently than I do. If I would start shunning people out, then I'd be standing alone in a woods, by myself. And that's not biblical.

Genesis 2:18 tells us that at creation, we were meant to work together and be in community with each other. God made wild animals and all the birds in the sky and Adam got to name them all the livestock, the birds and the wild animals. But a suitable helper could not be found in any of them.

So, God made a woman for the man to partner with and work together to care for his Kingdom. God doesn't make mistakes. He continues to enhance his creation with each one of us. There's a lot of humans in this world and if I'm being completely honest, I don't agree with most of them. I don't even agree with everyone in Arthur or in my own family! We experience life differently because of our uniquely crafted personalities and passions and gifts so our perspective is different and that will not change no matter how old we get, I'm told it just gets more different. So what can we do to cope with these differences?

Well, first off, flip open your bible to 1 Corinthians 13 and exchange the word "love" with your name, so it will read "Ashley is patient, Ashley is kind...." Every time I read that, I am reminded that I've got some work to do on how I'm loving my neighbor.

God created us to help each other, despite our differences. And if God created you, you are breathing and He decrees that you are made on purpose and for a purpose. If you hear anything different, you are listening to the wrong voice.

So, what's my job? What's your job? To be a suitable helper in caring for the earth and all living creatures in it until God calls you home. Time to get to work!



THE HUMBLE WILL EAT AND BE SATISFIED: THOSE WHO SEEK THE LORD WILL PRAISE HIM. MAY YOUR HEARTS LIVE FOREVER!



You, sir, are in MY pew!

Which 'father'?

father Good Good father Dad



Trying to impress the ladies at church like





BUT THERE'S THAT AWKWARD SILENCE



Prayed over the 8-piece Chick-Fil-A nugget I bought, then opened the box and found 12 nuquets. This is my testimony. 11/29/17. 1:57 PM



HOW TO PARALLEL

1. PARK SOMEWHERE

PARK:

ELSE

geography class

Teacher: When oceans rise,

ONY SOLE

WILL REST IN YOUR EMBRACE

Christian girl: *flips table* MY SOUL

OH, YOU DON'T HAVE TIME TO READ YOUR SCRIPTURES?

THAT'S COOL. I ONLY SPENT MY ENTIRE LIFE PUTTING THEM TOGETHER FOR YOU



RUN

(To Jesus)



EXCEPT YOU

Cats have 9 lives

You are not a cat

Buckle up

THEVIEW FROM THE CHURCH SOUND BOOTH

Funnies

If you have any funnies for next month's youth beat, text them to Pastor Ashley by August 27th!

THE WORLD IS A CAT



PLAYING WITH AUSTRALIA



YOU TELL THE WRONG PERSON ABOUT YOUR FAVORITE FISHING SPOT







Than my feet could ever wander

Take me deeper

