



Burnside Camp

Meeting Newsletter

May 2025

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FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Camp website: www.burnsidecampmeeting.org or email danaamandanichole@yahoo.com

If you would like to receive this and future Camp Meeting Newsletters by email, Please email Amanda (above email).

Reminder for Camp Meeting July 26-Aug 1, 2025

Friday

- * *Arrival time: anytime after noon*
- * *no evening service (possibility of a sing-along depending on attendance)*
- * *no evening meal served (hot dogs will be offered in the Candy Stand at 5pm)*

Saturday morning

- * *official start of camp – Breakfast will be served*

- local pastors will preach for various services over the weekend
(Evangelist is asked to preach Monday – Friday Evening Services)

This year the Spring Business Meeting was held on Saturday, April 2, 2025.

Following is a summary of the meeting. (A full copy of the Minutes is available by request)

Programs

- Evangelist for 2025 Camp Meeting is Bro. Brad Epperson
- Bro. Harold Kelly is planned for 2026, and things are in the works for an evangelist in 2027.
- Camp meeting Youth: No report
- Camp Meeting Children: This year's theme, "Yeekhaw", is based on John 3:16.

Burnside Community Fun Fair

- The Fun Fair will be held at the campground this year again due to the building in Burnside being in disrepair.
- Scheduled for Sunday, July 27 from 2 to 4 p.m.
- Flyers will be passed around Burnside.
- Anyone interested in providing music or entertainment or who can help should contact Jennifer Crowe. jcrowe@atlanticbb.net

Crossroads Youth Camp

- Youth camp is June 22 – June 28, 2025.
- 2025 Theme: "Thrive in '25"
- For more information, contact Sister Regina. Call: (413)-358-5088 Email: rmking@earthlink.net
- Applications for both campers and staff are available online.
- Reminder that all clearances are needed and must have been done within the last three years.
- Anyone willing and available to be a worker is appreciated.

Publicity

- Thank you to everyone who posted flyers and shared the information about Camp Meeting.
- If anyone would like to submit an article for the Fall Newsletter, please give your article to Amanda by Aug 15, 2025. Danaamandanichole@yahoo.com

Financial Report

- There is much Appreciation to all who carry the burden of this camp and donate. We do continue to need your support
- * General Fund Balance: \$34,830.68 (of which \$17,443.43 are reserved funds)
- * Investment Fund Balance: \$1,418.94
- * Memorial Fund Balance: \$29,235.73
- *A full Financial Report is Available by request*
- **Donations may be made to the treasurer: Evelyn Booth, 404 Vineyard Drive, Gibsonia, PA 15044**
Payable to: Church of God Campground at Burnside, Inc.

Housing

- Angie stated she is always appreciative of those who are willing to help with the cleaning.
- She is also looking forward to the nursery move. Dean Shreffler has agreed to do the work (which is being paid by an anonymous donor).
- Reminder: Everyone who plans to stay on the grounds during Camp Meeting MUST MAKE RESERVATIONS!! Contact Angie Lewis: ae.lewis700@gmail.com (864) 979-9025
- The Washer and Dryer in the Kitchen are NOT Public!!! They are not to be used for any other reason but to wash KITCHEN items. Due to sanitation reasons please do NOT use the washer and dryer for any other items! This not only includes time during family and youth camp, but also work days and any other days as well. It is strictly for Kitchen use only.

Camp Management

- Jerry stated there is always a long to do list. No work days are scheduled, but as work days get planned, people will be made aware. If anyone wants to come to do work on other days, people are to contact him to make sure it will be okay to do so and to get the code to the electric house door.
- The playset blew over with recent high winds. Repairs will be forthcoming to make sure it is secured safely.
- Two men from Burnside have offered to move the nursery free of charge. The nursery will be placed by the boys' dorm as there is water available. In addition, the electric lines will be checked.
- A big thank you to Konrad and Regina for the repairs to the 6-row building. It is greatly appreciated.

Board of Directors

- Three board members' terms expire this year: Tom Hannold, Jennifer Crowe, and Martie Jones. Nominations and voting will occur at the summer meeting during the week of family camp
- Current 9 Members of the Board of Directors are as follow.
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| -Thomas Hannold, President | -Jennifer Crowe | -Evelyn Booth, Treasurer |
| -Jerry Crowe, 1st Vice President | -Angela Lewis | -Andrea Deible, Secretary |
| -Addison Hockins, 2nd Vice President | -Martie Jones | -David Bish |

Other Topics

- Letter received from the Advisory Council commenting on the committee structure of Church of God Campgrounds at Burnside, Inc. and specifically the relationship and interaction of committees one with the other and with the Board of Directors. (Tom stated the Advisory Council is a standing committee and are "silent partners" unless something comes up.) In response to this letter, **Tom asked each individual in charge of the various areas on the ground to compile a procedural manual for their particular area. He would like these manuals returned to him by the end of May.**

- **By-laws** Addison made a motion to have ALL versions of the bylaws (present, revisions, and proposed) be made available for everyone to view and compare. They will be posted on the website. Physical copies will be granted upon request and will be available at candy stand during family camp. Anyone with questions, suggestions, changes, or concerns are to contact Addison (hockins1114@gmail.com). Addison will compile all submissions and present them at the next Board of Director's meeting who will then take it to the General meeting for voting purposes during the summer meeting this year. The old bylaws will need to be annulled, and then the new bylaws will need to be voted in.
- **Jenny Bowen spoke of having a "Heritage Day" this year at family camp, which will look at the camp's mission statement and focus on legacy. Pictures and artifacts through the years will be on display. This Heritage day will be Wednesday, July 30, 2025.**
- Gene and Rose Garber from downtown Burnside spoke of their non-profit group: "Burnside Community Committee". Their goal is to revitalize the town and help the community. Several of the things they've already done include: upgrades to areas around the town, holding community events, providing meals, and more. [more information attached] Ten percent of the profits are given to the borough. The Garbers said they are currently working out of a concession stand, but the borough may be taking it back. For this reason, they are in need of a community building that can be used in bad weather, a place for monthly events, and as a disaster relief center. They have insurance, certificates, and licenses. Everyone thanked the Garbers for their efforts, and Tom stated this would be discussed at another meeting.



CAMP CROSSROADS YOUTH CAMP 2025

AT BURNSIDE CHURCH OF GOD CAMPGROUND

Camp Crossroads is for youth ages 9-18.

June 22-June 28, 2025



For almost fifty years Camp Crossroads has had a positive impact on so many-- both adults as well as youth.

Join us this year and Let us not just survive the ordinary, mediocre life but thrive, grow, prosper, and flourish as we progress to our goal of eternity in Heaven with our Lord. Let us show the joy and love of the Lord as we live our lives and love the life He gives us remembering He is control of all.

THRIVE ~ GROW ~ PROSPER ~ FLOURISH

Youth Camp Applications can be found at www.burnsidecampmeeting.org under the Camp Crossroads tab. For all other information please Contact PASTOR REGINA KING at RMKING@EARTHLINK.NET OR TEXT (413) 358-5088



Church of God Camp Meeting

Burnside, Pennsylvania

Saturday, July 26 – Friday August 1, 2025

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SCHEDULE

7:30 Prayer Meeting
8:30 Breakfast
10:30 Morning Service &
Youth/Children Classes
12:30 Lunch
2:30 Afternoon Service
5:00 Dinner
7:00 Evening Worship Service



2025 Nightly Evangelist

Pastor Brad Epperson

*Pastor of Clay City First Church of God
in Clay City, KY*

Various other Ministers for the
Morning & Afternoon Services

MEALS

Three meals a day are provided
on a free-will offering basis.

Candy Stand opens after lunch each
day (closed during services)

**Camp Meeting is
for the whole
family!!**

**There are special Children &
Youth Classes and Activities
throughout the week**

LODGING

RESERVATIONS TO STAY OVER
NIGHT AT THE CAMP ARE
REQUIRED*

Contact the housing manager:
Angie Lewis: (864) 979-9025
ae.lewis700@gmail.com

*Accommodations available
*Camper Spots available

Physical address:

(use this for GPS)

**9 Gospel Lane
Cherry Tree, PA**

15724

(Please do not send mail to this address.)

Donations can be mailed to:

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404 Vineyard Drive
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