



# Burnside Camp

## Meeting Newsletter

### May 2023

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#### FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Camp website: [www.burnsidecampmeeting.org](http://www.burnsidecampmeeting.org) or email [danaamandanichole@yahoo.com](mailto:danaamandanichole@yahoo.com)

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

*This year the Spring Business Meeting was held on Saturday, May 6, 2023 (The Meeting was rescheduled from April 22, 2023, due to the passing of Bro. Jennings Wood and his funeral taking place on that day.)*

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

President Tom Hannold stated he is glad to have been a part of Burnside for 60+ years and expressed his desire to keep it going. He appreciates the younger people coming up and caring for the grounds. In reading the history of this campground, it was a slow start in 1931, but it continues to develop. Maintaining this camp is important to have a gathering spot for those needing to be fed spiritually. Souls need saved; and Jesus is still Lord.

#### **Programs**

- Evangelist for 2023 Camp Meeting is Bro. Harold Kelly
- Camp meeting Youth: 2023 theme is: "Holiday? or Holy Day?"
- Camp Meeting Children: The 2023 Children's theme is "Twist & Turns, Following Jesus Changes the Game, Psalm 25:4". If anyone has any board games to donate, please contact Jennifer Crowe.

#### **Burnside Community Fun Fair**

- Discussion will be held with Jennifer to determine the day of the Fun Fair

#### **Crossroads Youth Camp**

- Youth camp is June 25 – July 1, 2023.
- 2023 Theme: "The Kingdom of God; The Kingdom of Heaven" Bro. Ed Beck will be the Evangelist
- For more information contact Sister Regina. Call: (413)-358-5088 Email: [rmking@earthlink.net](mailto:rmking@earthlink.net)

#### **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 it to Amanda by either mailing or emailing the info by Aug 10, 2023

#### **Financial Report**

- Evelyn expressed her appreciation to all who carry the burden of this camp and donate. We do continue to need your support
- \* General Fund Balance: \$31,496.37
- \* Investment Fund Balance: \$1,383.42
- \* Memorial Fund Balance: \$29,261.73
- *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.

## **Camp Management**

- List of projects needing done for this year.
  - \*Replace toilets in upstairs ministers building
  - \*Roof on cabin #2
  - \*Exterior emergency exit door upstairs in Ministers building needs to be fixed
  - \*Back doors on 6 row need attention
  - \*Check all railings/porches for safety and make repairs if needed
  - \*The rest of Wooden porches, ramps, railing, and outside wood needs stained and sealed. (David Bish?)
  - \*Girls dorm releveled & blocked
  - \*All 5 Storm doors on the dining Hall need attention
  - \*New roof on the van garage
  - \*New roof on Electric house
  - \*Boys dorm needs to be rewired
  - \*Lots of trees need professionally trimmed (and a few need to come down)
  - \*Skirting around the 6 row needs to be completed
- Dana presented a sign-up sheet for those who would be willing to help mow. Mow dates occur every other week. A mower is available on the grounds.
  - Call/Text Dana Sherry if you are willing to come help Mow 814-229-3125
- Clyde Bish spoke to a local mowing company who would mow the property for \$200/time (\$100 extra to weed eat). The company would provide their own equipment and fuel. Bro. Bruce & Sis. Anne have agreed to cover the cost of having the mowing company come 8 times this year. Anyone else wishing to help contribute towards this can send Sis. Evelyn your donations marked “MOWING”
- Work Days scheduled for 2023 (anyone wishing to work on other days should arrange with Dana Sherry):
  - \* May 20 (Dana) → water turned on
  - \* May 27-29 (Jerry) → work weekend
  - \* June 17-19 (Jerry) → work weekend/youth camp prep
  - \* June 24 (Dana) → working till noon only
  - \* July 15 (Dana) → family camp prep
  - \* September 2-4 (Jerry) → work weekend
  - \*September 30 (Dana) → Winterizing

## **Board of Directors**

- Three board members’ terms expire this year: Evelyn Booth, Dana Sherry, Angie Lewis. Voting will take place at the Fall General Business Meeting. August 3, 2023
- Current 9 Members of the Board of Directors are as follow.
  - Pastor Tom Hannold – President
  - Dana Sherry – 1<sup>st</sup> Vice-President
  - Jerry Crowe – 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice-President
  - Evelyn Booth – Treasurer
  - Andrea Deible – Secretary
  - Jennifer Crowe
  - Angie Lewis
  - Addison Hockins
  - Martie Jones

## **Other Topics**

- Numerous and very generous donations have been received in memoriam of Janet Lovich. Discussions will occur at a later date to determine how to best use the monies that would honor Janet. We would like to express our Gratitude to the Lovich Family for all their donations!
- A Letter was received from the Executive Committee of the Ministerial Council of the Church of God stating intent of the Council after this year (2023) to no longer conduct Camp Crossroads at Burnside Church of God campground.

- Saturday, June 24, Bro. Ed Beck will be presenting a workshop on “Cancel Culture & Wokeism” and encouraged all to attend. Service starts at 2:30 p.m.
- Discussion ensued about the benches around the grounds being quite unsafe. Tom stated “new” benches were donated to the campgrounds from a local church that was sold. These pews will be used in the tabernacle. The dilapidated benches will be disposed of and older pews/benches in the tabernacle can then be used around the grounds.
- The new playground has been ordered and received. Installation is included in the cost. Greg and Andrea Deible prepared the area with black landscape fabric (near where the old swing set was located). Communication is ongoing with the company to secure an installation date. Once that is complete, ground cover will be necessary. After discussing the various options, it was agreed that pea gravel] would be the best option. The perimeter will be outlined with 4x6x10 treated lumber. Andrea brought up that we need to be thinking of how to winterize the playset once camp is over. Covering it will not only protect it from the elements but will deter passersby in disturbing it. Further discussion on potential solutions will occur in future meetings.
- Cook House: A much needed can opener was provided through the Betty Edmonds memorial funds. Betty had worked in the cookhouse for several years so she would be quite pleased to see the monies used in this way. • Some new additions are in the works for this year’s menu. Looking forward to another good year in the cookhouse. The crew in place are invaluable. • A new toaster has been obtained.
- Inquiries have been made from others regarding taking over cabins or building their own cabins. An antiquated housing agreement was found. Only items 1-8 pertained to housing. The other items on the agreement pertained to “rules” and even they were rather outdated. The agreement needs to be redone/updated then taken to the Advisory Council for further recommendations/approval. Angie Lewis agreed to do work on the updates.
- Tom stated discussions will be necessary in the future in regard to shortening the number of days of camp. The length of camp will remain the same this year, however, it may be shortened for next year (possibly Sunday through Friday night).
- It was previously said that voting to accept the updated bylaws would occur at this Spring meeting. However, Bro. Glenn’s email expressed concerns with removing the old bylaws and replacing them with new ones. His expectation is that they be amended not annulled. Addison Hockins stated he agreed completely and explained that it is not the intent to completely overhaul the bylaws. He explained the wording has simply been updated and the arrangement has been reorganized according to Robert’s Rules of Order. Evelyn’s friend, who is well versed in the proper ways of writing bylaws, made further corrections. It was discussed that Addison Hockins complete the updates and compile everything so that it can then be presented to the Advisory Council and Board of Directors for consideration and input.

## **Dates to Mark on your Calendar for 2023**

**Special Workshop: June 24 @2:30pm**

**Crossroads Youth Camp: June 25-July 1**

**Camp Meeting: July 28 – Aug 5**

**Work Days: May 27-29, June 17-19, June 24, July 14, Sept 2-4, Sept 30**

# CAMP CROSSROADS YOUTH CAMP 2023



*The Kingdom of God*

*The Kingdom of Heaven*

**JUNE 25<sup>th</sup> - JULY 1<sup>st</sup>**

**For all kids ages 9-18 years old**

**Youth Camper Application can be found at [www.burnsidecampmeeting.org](http://www.burnsidecampmeeting.org) under the Camp Crossroads tab. For all other information please Contact**

**PASTOR REGINA KING @ [RMKING@EARTHLINK.NET](mailto:RMKING@EARTHLINK.NET)**

**OR TEXT (413) 358-5088**

## **CANCEL CULTURE "Wokeism" WORKSHOP**

*John 17:14-21*

*How do we share our Faith in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century amidst a culture that denies God?*

**COME JOIN US FOR A WORKSHOP LED BY REV, DR. ED BECK**

**SATURDAY, JUNE 24, 2023 @ 2:30pm**

**AT BURNSIDE CHURCH OF GOD CAMPGROUND**

*(Workshop is for older teens and adults. Activities will be provided for younger children.)*

**RSVP by June 1, 2023**

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**OR TEXT (413) 358-5088**

*There will be a meal after the workshop,  
please let us know how many are planning on attending.  
There will also be an evening service at 7 p.m. on Saturday  
and a Sunday morning service at 11 a.m.*

*This workshop is of no cost but a free will love offering would be appreciated.*





# Church of God Camp Meeting

Burnside, Pennsylvania

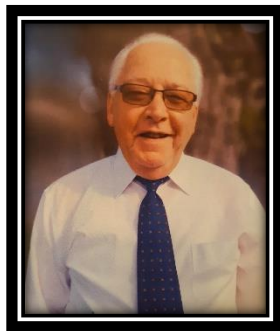
**Friday, July 28 – Friday August 4, 2023**

Begins Friday, July 28<sup>th</sup> 5pm

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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



## 2023 Nightly Evangelist

**Bro. Harold Kelly**

*Pastor of the  
Christian Fellowship Church of God  
in Clay City, Ky*

## MEALS

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

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

Various other Ministers for the  
Morning & Afternoon 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  
a.lewisxxi@gmail.com

\*Accommodations available

\*Camper Spots available



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**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:**

Evelyn Booth

404 Vineyard Drive

Gibsonia, PA 15044

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