

# STONY GLEN NEWS

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## Seasons Come and Seasons Go...

Seasons come and seasons go just as pandemics, sickness, disease will come and go but those that believe in Jesus know that He will remain the same yesterday, today and tomorrow. (Hebrews 13:8) His steadfast love never ceases and nothing takes Him by surprise. Such a good reminder as we continue to navigate these ever changing times.

"Because of the Lord's great love we are not consumed, for his compassions never fail. They are new every morning; great is your faithfulness. I say to myself, The Lord is my portion; therefore I will wait for him." Lamentations 3:22-24 (NIV)

#### **Camp Update**

On March 13th Stony Glen's board of directors made the decision to close camp down in light of the pandemic and all the uncertainty. We remained closed until June 2nd when the State of Ohio opened up residential camps under certain guidelines.

However, our summer was quite different this year as our affiliate ministries, Brigade Camp and Cedarbrook Camp of Ohio, made the decision on June 1st to cancel their summer programs since residential camps had not been opened up. By the time the state made it possible for us to host overnight camping, with restrictions, it was too late to pull everything together.

Both Brigade Camp and Cedarbrook Camp of Ohio did manage to have one week of outdoor camp this summer and even though it looked quite different, according to all the staff it was well worth it.

We pray next years summer camps will be back better than ever!

C-Christ

O-Overcomes

V-Viruses &

**I-Infectious** 

**D**-Disease

Joshua 1:9



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#### **Update Continued...**

As we are now into our fall season of camping we are trying to get back into the swing of things with all the necessary changes that the pandemic has brought to how we operate--including new kitchen procedures and reduced room capacities.

We unfortunately have still had many groups need to cancel for the fall.

Our operating budget has taken a drastic hit this season but throughout Stony Glen Camp's history God has appointed wise board members who are good stewards. With your continued giving, reduced spending and some use of emergency funds, we see the Lord sustaining us through these times.

#### **Welcome Center**

We know we can have the best laid plan only to have it thwarted by any number of things. This is what keeps happening with the Welcome Center. The money for this project is set aside and will not be touched until we can start construction. We pray it works out to start building in the spring of 2021.

### **Keeping Busy**

This time of shut down has given us time to work on and complete a few projects, from finishing the renovation of Crusader Cabin, staining Scooter's Lookout, to building new furnace rooms on all the small cabins in order to give them a furnace upgrade, to fixing water lines, and maintaining the grounds.

We are truly thankful our Tuesday Guys are back and helping with all these projects.