



# Mountaineer MINISTRIES



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WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

CHRYSTAL WALL  
GIRLS' CLUBS

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Your **Mountaineer Ministries** contributions assist the Church of God in West Virginia with the following ministries:

New Church Plants  
Evangelism  
Church Assistance  
Ministerial Development / Training  
Strengthening Small Churches  
State Meetings & Conferences

Thank you for your monthly donations. You are making a difference in the Kingdom!  
**MISSION STATEMENT:**  
"To develop and implement programs and ministries in soulwinning, church planting and church growth that will assist the local church to reach and reap the harvest of the 21st century."

June 2023

## Raising Up The Next Generation

**A**s you are aware by now our four areas of the Finish Focus are:

Prayer  
Strengthening Our Churches  
Planting New Churches  
Raising Up the Next Generation

In order to see a shift in our State, we have committed to these core areas of focus.

The greatest opportunity to raise up the next generation is coming up this month. That opportunity is Youth Camp. There is no other ministry that is more fruitful than Youth Camp. More students are saved, filled with the Spirit and called into ministry at Youth Camp than any other event. Most pastors received their call to ministry at a Summer Youth Camp. It can change the course of a student's life and of our State as well. As many of our ministers are getting closer to retirement, we must raise up those to take their place.

I encourage you to join me in doing several things:

1. Pray for the West Virginia Youth Camps. Pray for our students, workers, Directors J. D. & Chrystal Wall and the Youth and Discipleship Board.
2. Promote Youth Camp among your students, church, children and grandchildren.
3. Consider working and being part of a staff that will make a difference. Applications for staff and campers are available at [www.wvcog.com](http://www.wvcog.com).
4. Pray about sponsoring a child who may not be able to afford to come.

If you need more information about our camps, contact the Youth & Discipleship Department at 304.252.0622.

Having served as Youth and Discipleship Director for 26 years, I know first hand the power of Youth Camp. There is nothing like it! Youth Camp is the place of changed lives!

*David W. Jarvis*

# West Virginia Spotlight

## *Congratulations for New Members Added*

We celebrate with these churches for new members added to their congregation:

West Logan	<i>Scotty Dingess</i>	41
Regional	<i>Mitchell Bias</i>	30
Antioch	<i>Johnny Goldizen</i>	17
Princeton-Lifeline	<i>J. B. Hurt</i>	5
Overflow	<i>Jeremiah Bostic</i>	5
Bethesda Temple of Praise	<i>Chad Dingess</i>	5
Moorefield	<i>Douglas Bowers</i>	4
Petersburg	<i>Stephen Noel</i>	4
Stone Branch	<i>Jody Bias</i>	5
All Church	<i>Rick Knight</i>	3
Gatewood	<i>Jack Pittman</i>	2
Bruno	<i>Roger Frye</i>	2
Pie	<i>Brian Wellman</i>	1

## *Congratulations Mid State Church for a New Tithe Record*

Congratulations to the Mid State Church and Pastor Rodney & Melissa England for a new tithe record of \$19,735.00.

## *Congratulations Moorefield Church for a New Tithe Record*

Congratulations to the Moorefield Church and Pastor Douglas & Pam Bowers for a new tithe record of \$27,101.56.

## *Congratulations Williamson Church for a New Tithe Record*

Congratulations to the Williamson Church and Pastor Earl & Kathy Coleman for a new tithe record of \$11,259.40.

## *Congratulations New Pastoral Appointment*

Sean and Rebecca Ganoe	Living Word
Joyce and Clayton Hill	Paden City
Kevin and Diana Taylor	Mountain View

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# West Virginia Happenings

## Congratulations To Our Graduates

### CAM GRADUATES

Tina Gunnell (Randy)  
Danielle Gunto (Glen)  
Colton Labossiere  
Carter Lasick  
Douglas Muncy (Amanda)  
Jeremy Noel (Sarah Beth)  
Amy Smith  
Richard & Tammy Jeffries  
Nathan Williams (Leah)

### MIP GRADUATES

Steven Alley (Mikaleah)  
Daniel & Carrie Heavener  
Cynthia Patterson (Randy)  
Brian & Taylor Sexton

### SUPERVISING PASTOR

Bobby Carter  
Doug Bowers  
Tim Akers  
Harold Newsome

**SAVE THE DATE**  
**SEPTEMBER 9, 2023**



**Guest Artist**  
*Dr. Tim Hill*  
General Overseer

**NEW RIVER RANCH DAY**

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## 2023 Women's Projects

# *New River Ranch Ministries Center/Youth Camp*



## 2023 Women's Project

Partner with us to raise \$ 80,000 to update and renovate the bathrooms in the Gymnasium. Our students and workers for West Virginia Youth Camps and our people need nice, functioning restrooms available while they are attending our functions. Together, we can accomplish this goal.

*UKRAINE is the new Women With a Mission Project for the 2022-2024 period.*



UKRAINE...  
THE JOURNEY  
*Home*

Project Number  
**#020-8203**

Phone Number  
**423.478.7107**

[cogwomensministries.com](http://cogwomensministries.com)  
**#WWAMUkraine**

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# West Virginia GIRLS MINISTRIES

## GIRLS DAY OUT 2023

“Created: For Such A Time As This” was the theme for our Girls Day Out 2023. We started the day with music, fun, and games. We all then moved into worship and the girls went to two separate services for church. The teens enjoyed a service at the Barn/Café, where they could enjoy an iced coffee after service.

Girls aged 5 -18 enjoyed a mountain of activities from horseback riding and an obstacle course, to adding shimmer to their hair. It was a day filled with bounce houses, dress up stations, crafts, and shopping. An extra special touch were the many photo booths where the girls could take photos and record this special day with their friends.

I want to express my thanks and gratitude to all who had a hand in the preparation and success of Girls Day. So much hard work and dedication went into the planning and development of this grand event.

A special thank you to the WV Girls Ministry Board. Thank you for catching the vision, covering it in prayer, decorating, organizing, and for all your back breaking work!

Lives were touched, girls left feeling loved and leaders left with a renewed passion for ministries toward the daughters of West Virginia. I am overwhelmed by the goodness of God. We had over 160 in attendance! We had girls saved, rededicated, and one reported healing! All the fun that Girls Day brings is wonderful, but nothing can surpass the awesome work that God has done at Girls Day on May 6th 2023!

As always, I would love to hear about all the ways that you and your church are ministering to the young women of West Virginia! You can reach me through my email at Club@wvcog.com. I can't wait to see what God is going to do through Girls Ministries in West Virginia!

*Chrystal Wall*



**CHRYSTAL WALL**  
GIRLS' MINISTRIES  
COORDINATOR



### GIRLS MINISTRIES BOARD

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CHARITY SMITH  
BARBARA RIGGLEMAN  
JESS BRADLEY  
JENNIFER COLEMAN  
HEATHER CARISTO

**SEALED**

**TEEN & CHILDREN**  
SERMONS/LESSONS FOR AN ENTIRE YEAR!

\*Free Sample Available for Download!

Sealed for Teens	\$150
Sealed for Children	\$150
Bundle Deal: Both for	\$250

LEADER'S GUIDE  
DOWNLOADABLE  
GRAPHICS PACKAGE  
GAMES/ACTIVITIES  
PARENT RECAP  
AVAILABLE IN SPANISH

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# West Virginia Youth & USA Missions

## ELIJAH MOVEMENT

Elijah's movement is an intensive discipleship and mentoring program designed to equip the next generation of leaders in WV. We hope that the Jeremiah Generation will realize and develop their calling and grow in spiritual maturity. Elijah's Movement will provide students opportunities to gain confidence in their gifting and equip them to be a blessing to the local church and the Kingdom.

If you have students that would be interested in being part of this ministry, please see J.D. Wall for an application!



J. D. WALL  
YOUTH  
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DIRECTOR



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# FOR <sup>2023</sup> WARD

ADVENTURE  
COLOR RUN

WV YOUTH CAMP

ORPHAN RUN  
4HOPE



TEEN JUNE 15  
MIDDLE JUNE 22  
KIDS JUNE 28

**REGISTER NOW!**

[WWW.WVCOG.COM](http://WWW.WVCOG.COM)

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# FORWARD

Hebrews 12:1 Run with endurance  
the race God has set before us!

## YOUTH CAMP AT NEW RIVER RANCH

**Teen Camp**    Ages 14-19    June 12-16



**Lifeline Worship**



**Brian Yaun    Aaron Stepp    J. B. Hurt    Rod Justice**

**Middle Camp**    Ages 11-13    June 19-23



**Garrett Clyburn    Ben Riggleman    Israel Smith    Luke Luzier    Jeremiah Bostic**

**Kids Camp**  
Ages 6-10  
June 26-29

**B-Shoc**



**Isaac Oakes**



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**Online Registration at [www.wvcog.com](http://www.wvcog.com)**

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# West Virginia Youth & USA Missions

## Save The Date September 8, 2023



*Bridge Haven Golf Course  
295 Browns Road  
Fayetteville, W V 25840*

*West Virginia Church of God  
Golf Tournament  
9:00 a.m. Shotgun Start*



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*Haven of Hope Dream Center  
Project #102-9442-008*

Rhonda Jarvis loved children. Her love for Orphans and abandoned children was her passion in life! She made a difference in the lives of countless children at Smoky Mountain Children's Home and beyond. YWEA, for over 60 years, has shared the same passion. Spreading love and hope through missionary projects around the globe. West Virginia Churches of God have a unique opportunity to partner with both YWEA and honor the life of Rhonda.

Part of the YWEA 2023 project Connexion is Haven of Hope Orphanage in Santa Cruz, Bolivia. At the Haven of Hope, a new dormitory in the memory of Rhonda Jarvis is currently under construction. Daily, our Bishop and First Lady receive reports and pictures of the progress that is being made! The new facility will include new beds and living quarters for children, along with new restrooms and showers for the girls and boys. The dormitory will also house a laundry facility. What a tremendous and exciting opportunity to bless children at risk and honor one who spent her entire life loving them!

LATIN AMERICA

**YWEA23**



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# West Virginia Ministerial Development

## CALLING AND MINISTRY STUDIES

Calling and Ministry Studies (CAMS) is a process that help the applicants determine if they are called to clergy ministry, as well as providing knowledge about ministry.

There are two sections in CAMS - seminars and individual study. The five seminars provide tools so that the applicants can identify if they are called to clergy ministry. The seminars also offer an explanation of ministry.

The individual study for applicants included three activities:

1. Conducting personal devotions about calling and ministry.
2. Completing five training courses.
3. Writing papers about their calling and understanding of ministry.

If you are interest in enrolling in CAMS, talk with your pastor. Your pastor will contact the State Office for the application.

## MINISTERIAL INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

The purpose of the Ministerial Internship Program(MIP) is to provide ministerial preparation by practical training on the local church level, academic self-study, and monthly training seminars, focusing on vital topics for spiritual leadership and effectiveness.

MIP is required in order to advance from Exhorter rank to the status of Ordained Minister.

MIP is comprised of three parts:

- ❖ Studies on the Bible, doctrine and leadership
- ❖ A supervised practicum with a pastor
- ❖ Nine monthly seminars

The assignments of MIP candidates to supervising pastor are made on the basis of personal training needs, geographical factors and availability. The seminars complement and add to the experience of the supervised practicum.

To apply for the Ministerial Internship Program, contact Sarita at the State Office 304.252.0622 or email [sarita@wvcog.com](mailto:sarita@wvcog.com).

**NOTE: Application MUST BE received in the State Office by June 30, 2023.**



**RAY HURT**  
CAMS COORDINATOR



**SCOTTY DINGESS**  
MIP COORDINATOR

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# Mountaineer Ministries Giving

## April 2023

Alderson - River of Life  
All Church - Martinsburg  
Athens  
Bayard  
Beaver - Fountains of Liberty  
Bolt  
Bradshaw  
Brenton  
Buckhannon  
Burnsville  
Campus  
Chapmanville  
Chesapeake - Abounding Grace  
Clarksburg  
Cornerstone Moundsville  
Cumberland Road  
Davis  
East Lynn  
Eleanor - New Vision  
Family Worship Center  
Fort Gay  
Gatewood  
Glen Fork  
Glen Jean - New Beginning  
Glen White  
Job  
Kellysville  
Kenova  
Keyser  
Laing  
Lincoln  
Lost Creek  
Marlinton  
Mullens  
New Beginnings Ministry Center  
Northfork  
Paden City  
Page  
Parkersburg - 19th Street  
Parsons  
Petersburg  
Phillipi  
Piedmont  
Pine Top  
Prichard  
Princeton  
Ravenclyff  
Regional  
Robinette  
Sophia  
St. George  
Summersville - New Beginning  
Welch  
Weston  
Whitman  
Wilcoe  
Williamson

## Prayer Ministry Opportunities

National and State Leaders, our churches, Health & Wellness, Finances, Jobs, Marriages, Family, Salvation of Prodigals.

Continue to pray for Tim Epling, Rabun & Joyce Haddock, Joe & Donna Hubbard, Joyce Pennington, Lisa Wayman.

## Upcoming Dates

June 4-7, 2023

June 12-16, 2023

June 19-23, 2023

June 26-29, 2023

**Come Home** Camp Meeting Family Worship Center, Beckley

Teen Youth Camp

Middle Youth Camp

Kids Youth Camp

New River Ranch

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# Harvest '24

**FINISH** COMMISSION

LABORERS TOGETHER FOR GREAT COMMISSION COMPLETION



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