# Happy FATHER'S DAY

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## HAPPY FATHER'S DAY, NOW LEAD YOUR FAMILY

**I have been doing an ongoing study through the book of Genesis. In that study, I have seen something very appropriate for today. In Genesis 18 God has come to visit Abraham. God is telling Abraham that Sarah will have a son about this time next year. God then tells Abraham what is about to happen to Sodom and the cities in the valley. Genesis 18:19 says, "For I have chosen him (Abraham) that he may command his children and his household after him to keep the way of the LORD by doing righteousness and justice." Abraham was chosen by God and given a promise by God, then for 25 years Abraham longed for and tried for, and had faith for that child. This passage tells us that God chose Abraham to "command his children." What a great reminder on Father's Day. The role of a father is not to be your kid's best friend or to always give them what makes them happy, it's to command them. The verse then gives us details as to what those commands are. A father is to, "command his children…to keep the way of the LORD." The role of a father is a serious one. There's a duty to instruct and require obedience to God's word from your children. Spiritually healthy churches are made up of spiritually healthy families. Therefore, fathers must step up and lead their families, which includes commanding their children to do what pleases God.**

## NORTH STREET CHURCH YOUTH

The youth are meeting every other Wednesday at Pastor Jake's house for the summer. We will have fires, and food, with lots of fun. You can swim, play corn-hole, and enjoy one another. We will spend some time looking at the Bible and grow together. All youth are welcome, bring your friends, and let's try to build a group. Travis will be there. We will meet from 6:30-8:30; if everyone is having fun, we can stay longer. See Travis or Pastor Jake for an address and any questions you may have.

June 26th ~ July 10th ~ July 24th ~ August 7th ~ August 21st

## NORTH STREET CHURCH PICNIC

**Mark your calendars, on Sunday, July 21st we will be having our Annual Church Picnic. The church picnic will be at Connoquenessing Borough Park. We will be having church at the park that morning. There will be no Sunday School, but we will do our regular service there. Plan accordingly, and plan to attend. More information concerning food and activities will come soon.**

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| HAPPY FATHER'S DAY<br>9:00 Sunday School<br>10:00 Worship<br>6:30 Bible Study | 6:30 Men's Bible Study | 6:30 Women's Bible Study | 6:30 Rooted | 10:30 Senior Bible Study<br>7:00 20's & 30's Bible Study | 7:00 Friday Bible Study | 8:00 Men's Breakfast<br>5:00 Community Meal (2nd & 3rd of every month) |