

PROBLEM PEOPLE

Occasionally in the church there are problems. Not problems with God's system, that's perfect. However, the people in the church are not. In fact, the church is an organization that in order to be a member you must be unworthy. Since the church then is a gathering of sinners, every member is a potential problem. But Peter hasn't qualified of love for one another based on how easy it is. We are called to love and serve one another, even when an individual is being difficult. 1 Thessalonians 5:14 is a great passage that says "We urge you,



brethren, admonish the unruly, encourage the fainthearted, help the weak, be patient with everyone." This short passage lists for us three groups of people. The unruly, the fainthearted, and the weak. But I love the way Paul summarizes it in the end, "be patient with everyone." So when you face problems, or difficult people, love them. Be patient with them. Gently lead them with the word of God.

FUNDRAISER FOR AIDEN

"Bring **Your Best Fundraiser**" for Aiden Bartley. Aiden is ten years old and has been battling pancreatic cancer. Children's hospital in Pittsburgh has exhausted all treatment options so the family is reaching out to Cleveland Clinic and Philadelphia to find alternatives. On **Sunday, September 10th** we will be hosting a chili/soup cook off. Bring a pot of your best recipe, and prepare some samples. You can sell your dish by the bowl or we will provide quart sized containers to go. If you stay and eat, a sandwich, drink, and dessert will be included with the bowl of your choice. Sign up sheets will be passed around.



Revelation 12:11 we overcome by the blood of the Lamb, and the word of our testimony. Some of you have experienced cancer in your own life or had a loved one with it. I'm asking those of you that can relate to what Michael Bartley (Aiden's father) is experiencing to write him a letter about your story and God's faithfulness in the valley. Any questions about the letters or the fundraiser see Michelle Cousins <u>mlcousins@outlook.com</u>

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CAMPING TRIP SEPT. 14~17



Come one, come all! Uniontown KOA in Connellsville, PA. It is on the river and the bike trail runs through the campground so bring your rafts, innertubes, kayaks, fishing pole, bikes and a bathing suit. You must call to reserve your spot that meet your requirements. Phone number is 800-562-7451 and you must specify which KOA (Uniontown). Looking forward to songs around the campfire and lots of good memories.

Please see Tammy Parasida for any questions or call her at 724-388-6723.

