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You, Lord, give perfect peace to those who keep their purpose firm Isa 26:3

The Right Focus

Your life is like a camera; you've got to focus it right, to get the right results. Having the right focus brings four results: *It simplifies things.* When you are not clear as to your purpose, you try to do too much, and that causes stress, inner conflict and confusion. You have only enough time and energy to do God's will. Not getting everything done may be an indicator that you are doing far more than God ever intended. Focus leads to a simpler lifestyle and a saner schedule. Only when you keep your focus can you keep your peace: "You, Lord, give perfect peace to those who keep their purpose firm." *It gives you direction.* If you want your life to have impact, consult God, then do what He tells you. Don't confuse activity with productivity. Diffused light has limited impact, but when light is focused like a laser it can cut through steel. *It energizes you.* It's meaningless work, not overwork, that wears you down. George Bernard Shaw wrote: "This is the true joy of life; being used up for a purpose recognized by yourself as a mighty one; being a force of nature instead of a selfish little clot of ailments and grievance, complaining that the world will not devote itself to making you happy." *It determines your legacy.* When people recall your name, what will they associate with it? Ultimately, what matters isn't what others say about you, but what God says. So focus on the end game. The Word for Today.



This Tuesday morning table meets at Tom & Ray's in Damascus

Front—Charlie Dunn, Richard Ramsey, Gavin Dhaness, Richard Bagdonas

Back—Blake Dunleavy, Gary Johnson, John Baczewski, Charles Kim

Boyz Help out at Haven Good News Event

Many of the volunteers who helped out in the community Good News event in Mt Airy on May 1, are active in the Water Ministries. We helped out by setting up, tearing down, helping with field games and inflatables for families with special-needs members.



Paintball Report

Suppose you rounded a corner on a dark night and ran into this Paintball warrior? SCARY BUSINESS!! On May 11th more than 20 Men, young men, and boyz and 1 girl showed up for our annual Waterboyz Paintball adventure. Jordan Pefley represented all women kind well but her shining moment was taking out Paul Foss with a well-placed shot to the midsection. Rumor has it he is still milking the injury.....

This year we invited Goodwill Industries to bring some 'at risk' kidz to join us as our guests. The five young men and one father who showed up had such a great time that it was hard to get them in cars to take them home when it was over. The representative from Goodwill told us later what a Kingdom win it was, as the kidz couldn't stop talking about all the fun they had all the way home.

Next year we are definitely playing Revolutionary War for at least one round. So start preparing your strategy now!



Upcoming Events

June 6	8:00am	Waterboyz Golf Outing	Hope Valley, Mt Airy
June 9	7:00pm	Choir Dress Rehearsal	All Saints, Frederick
June 18	7:00am-3:00pm	Convoy of Hope	Frederick Fairgrounds
June 19	3:45—5:00pm	200 Man Choir Performance	Frederick Fairgrounds
July 10	10:30am—12:30pm	Faith Night Concert Performance	Keys Stadium
July 16	7:30-9:15am	Quarterly Breakfast	Monocacy Valley