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Weekly Bulletin

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A Thought From Mark...

The church is many things. One of the things it is, is a display case of true love among human beings. Our world has so corrupted the concept of love that that statement might sound a bit weird, even creepy. However, it is true. The church is to be a display case of true love among human beings.

“Love one another, for love is of God. He who loves is born of God, and knows God. He who does not love, does not know God, for God is love, God is love.” Or so that beautiful song says. The ESV translation of 1 John 4:7-8 is as follows - “Beloved, let us love one another, for love is from God, and whoever loves has been born of God and knows God. Anyone who does not love does not know God, because God is love.”

John is writing to Christians, obviously, and he is not writing for a Top 40 audience. These are not song lyrics designed to speak in glittering generalities and banalities. These words John wrote are where the rubber meets the road in church life, if we want to be the church of Christ, fulfilling the commission of Christ, which is great. What is it that we go into the world with? The gospel of love. A loving God, who loved His only Son, yet sent Him here to die for sinful humanity, whom He also loved – so loved!

What if the world looks at us in the church and does not see love? Oh terrible tragedy! Oh lost opportunity!!

But what if they look at us and see genuine love – Christian love – for one another? What then? Jesus told us what then. He said, “They will know you are my disciples, if you love one another” (John 13:35).

This really is where it is at. It is what will make us the people of God, and the church of Christ. And it is the key to being truly missional in our congregational life. Do we love one other?

- Mark Mason

“And they devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers.”

(Acts 2:42)



**Please note: Today begins our new Sunday
Evening start time of 4:00pm.**





36YM exists to **SHARE** the love of Christ with students, to **CONNECT** them with the Father, and to **UNITE** them with fellow Christians; as together we **COMMIT** our lives to His word and His service.



What: Family Game Night
When: Friday, January 22, 2016
6:30 PM

Where: Multipurpose Room
Who: 6th through 12th Graders
Bring a friend and your parents or grandparents.

Drinks will be provided.
Bring a snack to share.



Thinking about attending Ohio Valley University?
EXPLORE/EXPERIENCE ENCOUNTER

Winter 2016: Friday, January 22
Spring 2016: Friday, March 18

High school sophomores, juniors, seniors, college transfers and their parents are invited.

You must be a current applicant to OVU to attend Encounter.

Lunch Provided.
 Cost: Free!



Register online today:
www.ovu.edu/encounter

Attention Youth - Mark Your Calendars!

Monday Night Merge - The Journey - Sin, Savior, Saved

Feb 1 - Lower Paw Paw

Feb 8 - Waverly

Feb 15 - Rosemar

Feb 22 - North End

Feb 29 - Camden Avenue

March 1 - Ohio Valley University

All events begin at 7:00pm.
For more information, please contact Steve Haguwood at North End.

Prayer Requests

Hospital

Joe Newberry, UPMC Montefiore Hospital (Pittsburgh) was admitted with severe pain and diagnosed with a kidney stone. (Note: after testing it was determined that Joe and Angie's daughter Emilee could not be a liver donor for her father).

Prayer List

Isaac Garth (Grandson of Mike and Margie Morris) is recovering from viral pneumonia.

Ruth Brookover had hip replacement surgery and has returned to Harmar Place.

Bob Schott was released from the hospital and had a follow up appointment with his doctor Thursday.

Ken Lamp is home following a brief hospitalization. He had a dialysis treatment Wednesday.

Walter Mincks (Dan's father) has cancer and will undergo surgery soon.

Lois Miller & Family have multiple health and personal problems.

Ron Nonamaker is scheduled to return to Cleveland Clinic January 19-20 for additional testing and medication adjustment.



"In Search of The Lord's Way"
 (WTAP-TV Sundays @ 7:30 AM)

January 24, 2016

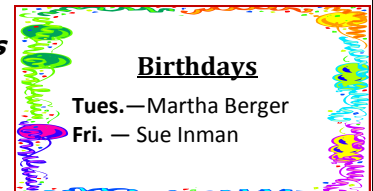
"THE RESTORATION PLEA"

Going back to the Bible is essential to true Christianity. Springs are purest at their source, and we want to restore our faith to its purest source found in the New Testament. We want to follow the Lord's way.

Sun.—Jan. 17	Mon.— Jan. 18	Tues.— Jan. 19	Wed.— Jan. 20	Thurs.— Jan. 21	Fri.— Jan. 22	Sat.— Jan. 23
<i>Early Men's Class 7:30 AM</i>		10 AM - Ladies Bible Class	Bible Class (1 - Dennis Menear & 7 PM—Mike Moss)	<i>Bread Basket #2</i>	FAMILY GAME NIGHT 6:30 PM - MPR	
Sun.—Jan. 24	Mon.— Jan. 25	Tues.— Jan. 26	Wed.— Jan. 27	Thurs.— Jan. 28	Fri.— Jan. 29	Sat.— Jan. 30
	<i>Love & Care Monthly Sing 7 PM</i>	10 AM - Ladies Bible Class	Bible Class (1 - Paul Merideth & 7 PM—Mike Moss)	<i>Bread Basket #3</i>		

☺ **Ladies Bible Class: Thank you for the bag of "Christmas goodies!" It was very much appreciated. Love and Prayers, Helen Sweeney**

☺ **Thank you for the sympathy, prayers, beautiful cards and everything at the passing of my granddaughter, Rachel. Love, Betty Logan.**



Birthdays
Tues.—Martha Berger
Fri. — Sue Inman

- ➔ The **2016 Friday Night Singing Schedules** have been prepared. There are copies on the visitor desk in the foyer. For any information regarding the Singing Schedule you can contact Ed Lemley (304-834-3129) or John Rockhold (304-488-7041). The first singing is February 19th at Hopewell. Our singing is scheduled for June 10th.
- ➔ Mark your calendars and be praying for the **Mid-Ohio Valley Ladies Inspiration Day** here at 36th Street on Saturday, April 9th. The Planning Committee is working very hard to make this day a success.
- ➔ The **2016 Love and Care Worship Service & Bible Study schedule** has been published. 36th Street's service dates are March 20/24; June 26/30; and October 2/6. We are one of fourteen congregations in the Mid-Ohio Valley who participate in providing this service to the residents of Love and Care.
- ➔ The **Ohio Winter Lectures** will be held January 29-30, 2016 at Fishinger & Kenny Roads Church of Christ, 1130 Fishinger Road - Columbus, OH 43221. Theme: The Effective Church.
- ➔ Check out the latest news, event calendar, online media including sermons, Mark's Blog, and much, much more on our website: www.36thstreetchurch.com.
- ➔ The **Love and Care Monthly Sing** is scheduled for Monday, January 25th at 7:00pm.
- ➔ The **Winter Training Series at Dewey Avenue in St. Marys** continues each Thursday evening at 7:00pm during the month of January. Topics are Marriage and Family, 1 Thessalonians, Sermons from Songs and Bible Geography. Classes are recorded and can be downloaded from Dewey Avenue's website: www.deweyavenuechurchofchrist.com

Mission:	Donations go to:	Date needed:
Personal care items, hats, gloves and blankets for the homeless	Della Poling—Room 2	Ongoing
Clothing	Various agencies/individuals	Text or Phone Della @ 304.834.7519



MID OHIO VALLEY Ladies Inspiration DAY
SATURDAY, APRIL 9, 2016
36TH STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST
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36TH STREET YOUNG AT HEART ACTIVITIES

Thanks to all YAH members who participated in our planning breakfast last Thursday. We will be publishing a 2016 schedule in the near future.

ELDERS		TODAY'S SERMONS																														
Terry Garner	304-295-6029	A.M. — "God Is Love" Mark Mason (Text: 1 John 4:7-12) (Reading: Luke 10:25-28)																														
Tim Kirl	304-489-1814	P.M. — "Evangelistic Suffering" Mark Mason (Text: Philippians 1:12-14) (Reading: James 1:2-4)																														
Jack Long	304-295-6909	Our Nursing Home Residents																														
Mike Moss	304-699-4230	Betty Bibbee	Eagle Point	123																												
Jim Shuman	304-295-3138	Ruth Brookover	Harmar Place	307																												
DEACONS		Lois Miller	Ravenswood Care Ctr.	12																												
Tim Baillargeon	781-249-7469	Jerry Page	Eagle Point	334																												
John Eckhart	304-295-7450	Peggy Smith	Marietta Care & Rehab	408																												
John Garner	304-295-0320	Walter Wigal	The Willows	206																												
Chuck Jones	304-295-7709	Myra Zinn	Cedar Grove	W 60																												
Gerald Lemley	304-295-7509	Our Members Who are Homebound																														
Dennis Menear	304-295-4228	Jo & Ron Kress	Gladys Frohling	Jim Hart																												
Troy Miller	304-295-6729		Laura Menear	Debbie Sherman																												
Dan Mincks	740-373-7013		Robin Wilson																													
MINISTERS		Prayers for Those with Cancer: <i>Chuck Doyle, Jo Kress, Walter Mincks (Dan's father), Delena Joy (Judy Beckett's friend), Ron Robey (Judy Beckett's brother), Donna George (Eva Leonhart's neighbor), Dorothy Saunders (friend of Martha & Dave Berger), Faye Williams (Glenda Hendrickson's niece), Sharon Pugh (wife of Charles Pugh), Edwin Williams (Glenda Hendrickson's nephew), Brenda Nulter (Fred Nulter's sister-in-law), Mary Thompson (friend of Shirley Gilchrist), Emily Friar (10 yr. old niece of Jim & Rita Taylor), Troy Rae and Brandon Lynch (Mary Lamp's nephews), Josh Beckett (Judy's great nephew), Linda Beihl (Luella Pickrell's niece), Cassie McGinnis (daughter of the late Howard Dowler), Rosalee Poling (sister of Laura Menear), Mike Taylor (Cousin of Sarah Shuman), Donald Kelley (Jim's brother), Jon Gregg (husband of Sarah Shuman's niece, Adreama)</i>																														
Mark Mason	304-295-1068	Ongoing Health Problems: <i>Helen Sweeney, Ruth Brookover, Ben Colantoni, Don Bibbee, Ron Kress, Jim Kelley, Ken Lamp, Norma Craig, Glenda Hendrickson, Joe Newberry, Betty Miller, Jim Hart, Ed Lemley, Bud Nonamaker, Lois Miller, Peggy Smith, Jody Boone, Ann Grimm, Cathy Deem, Robin Wilson (Mary Simon's daughter), Becca Simons (Mary's granddaughter), Joyce Dotson, Carter Nichols (Curkendall's Grandson), Wayne & Sherry McCray (Brother and sister-in-law of Judy Curkendall), Marybelle Ice (Mother of Martha Berger), Tracy Sullivan & Tina Nichols (Lois Miller's daughters), Travis Parsons (friend of Shirley Gilchrist), Wayne Hall (Karen Case's brother), Ed Porter (brother of Bill & cousin of Judy Curkendall), Hadassa Williams, Kimberly Kellar Kirk (niece of Judy Curkendall), Edna Cain (mother of Sarah Shuman)</i>																														
Dennis Menear	304-295-4228	Privileged to Serve Next Week (1/24/16—1/27/16)																														
INTERN		Announcements —Dennis Menear, Mike Moss																														
Luke Wolfe	304-615-9447	Visitor's Table — Alice Hale																														
Website: www.36thstreetchurch.com		Ushers — Jerry Lemley*, Dwain Hartley, Mike Hale, Duane Smith																														
Email us at: Secretary36st@suddenlinkmail.com		Table (Front) - Gary Grimm, Paul McDaniel, Jim Hall, Richard Kellar																														
Join our Facebook groups: <i>36th Street Church of Christ</i> <i>36th Street Youth Group</i>		Alternates —Aren Lappin, Doug Dotson, Kelly Gibbs																														
Join Us for Worship: Sunday Morning Bible Study 9:30 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. Sunday Evening Worship 4:00 p.m. <i>(Jan. 17 through March 27, 2016)</i> Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m. <i>During Standard Time (Nov.-Feb.), we also have a Wednesday Bible Study at 1:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall.</i>		Table (Rear) —Tim Baillargeon, Mark Carpenter, Mark Furner, Larry Gibson, Ethan Kirl, Joe Newberry																														
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		Ryan Bemish (son of Debbie & Dan Sherman) <i>Army</i>																														
		Chris DePuy & wife Melanie (Jeff & Julie's son) <i>Air Force</i>																														
		Brad Gibbs & wife Amber (Grandson of Kelly & Genny Gibbs) <i>Navy</i>																														
		Joshua Rebholz (Son of Max & Grandson of Hiram & Nina Rebholz and Fred & Martha Nulter) <i>Marines</i>																														
		Chad Williamson & wife Julie (Pat Williamson's grandson) <i>Marines</i>																														
		Anthony Worst (Nephew of Michelle Hershman) <i>Marines</i>																														