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Weekly Bulletin

91 Years of Service

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**A Thought From Mark...**

I saw a story this week that I just had to share with you. It is related in a book I have been reading through by sister Annie May Alston Lewis entitled Still Living By Faith – which I highly recommend, by the way. It would make an great read for anybody and I can especially see it being excellent material for a ladies' Bible class.

Annie May, long-time librarian at the Harding School of Theology in Memphis, TN and wife of Dr. Jack Lewis, relates the following in a chapter titled "The Gift of Encouragement":

*"One of the best examples I know of a second chance is the story of a boy, member of a street gang, who broke out a window in a church building. An elder of the church offered him the alternative of coming to Bible class or of being reported to the police. He chose the Bible class. He became one of the most successful missionaries to the Japanese after World War II and continues to make annual trips back to that part of the world. He is Joe Cannon, once head of Mission 1000 in Memphis. He and his wife in their retirement moved to Okinawa to continue mission work among the Japanese. What a tragedy it would have been had the elder not given Joe a second chance! Hundreds of people from the Far Eastern countries will be in heaven because of Joe Cannon" (page 249).*

Imagine the incredible impact of that one wise and merciful decision by that one shepherd in the Lord's church! In heaven, not only will Joe Cannon be thanked, but so will that Godly man who thought ahead and gave an erring child a chance to meet Jesus.

What we do and how we treat people on a daily basis, in our neighborhoods, truly has eternal consequences. Love your neighbor!

Mark Mason

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Last Sunday, I began a new series of Sunday morning lessons with you from the letters of the Apostle Peter in the New Testament: *"Living As the People of God: Lessons from the Letters of Peter."*

I hope you will be reading and praying through the book, and I promise I will do my best to share my study in a helpful and meaningful way on Sundays.

**CHRIST: YOU ARE THE CHRIST**

*Simon Peter replied, "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God." (Matthew 16:16)*

Christ was not Jesus' last name. There was no mailbox in front of a quaint Nazareth home announcing this is where the Christ family lived. The meaning of Christ is drawn from the Old Testament theme of a God-sent messiah who would come to enact ultimate deliverance. So, when Peter shouts his conviction that Jesus is indeed the Christ he is confessing his belief that Jesus is God's special Anointed One. Peter has come to the dramatic conclusion that Jesus is none other than God's Messiah who is on a mission of massive importance.

The term "Christ" means *anointed one*. In the Septuagint version of the Hebrew Bible, the word Christ was used to translate into Greek the Hebrew *messiah*, meaning anointed or chosen. The Old Testament air is heavy with anticipation of a coming messiah who would bring triumphant deliverance to God's people. This savior will have special favor bestowed upon him from God and divine empowerment. Just as God-chosen prophets and kings, like Isaiah and David, were anointed for special service, God will similarly raise up an Anointed One who will have a unique portion of God's Spirit.

Peter recognized this about Jesus. He understood that Jesus was indeed God's chosen means to enact salvation. When Jesus asked what "the word on the street" was about him and if people had an accurate glimpse of his true identity, he received a garbled response (Matthew 16:13-15). Others may have been confused about who Jesus was; "Some say John the Baptist, others say Elijah, and others Jeremiah or one of the prophets" (Matthew 16:14). But Peter confidently declared, "You are the Christ!"

How's our understanding of who Jesus is? Christ is a title not a name. It is a title earned and worn by Jesus based upon his status, position, and identity. He is God's Anointed One and he came with a mission to save.

**Today I will...** confess anew the name of Jesus and declare along with Peter that indeed he is the Christ, the Son of the living God! May God help me to understand more accurately who Jesus is and what he means to me in my life.

- Paul Merideth



**Terry & Paula Garner  
and  
Jerry & Mary Lemley**

*Invite you to help them celebrate their  
50th Wedding Anniversaries*

*Saturday, April 30, 2016  
2:00pm - 4:00pm (Come and Go)*

*Multipurpose Room  
36th Street Church of Christ  
No gifts, please*



## SUNDAY YOUTH SERVICE

**WHEN: Next Sunday, May 1 at 6:00 PM**

Note: We will ask everyone to sit in the main two sections of the auditorium.

All of the youth are invited to sit up on the front few pews. The songs and the devotional will have more of a youth focus, but this will be an afternoon that will be fun and beneficial to people of all ages!

*Hope to see EVERYONE there!*



**2016 MOV  
WORK  
CAMP  
June 19-24**



### From the 36th Youth Ministry Team:

*If there are any youth interested in attending work camp please see Jared Shipley for information.*

*If you would like to attend, all registration forms need to be turned in to Jared by **TONIGHT!***

36th Street is collecting the following items for donation to MOV Work Camp:

- \* Styrofoam Cups
- \* Coffee Cans
- \* 2" -4" Paint Brushes
- \* Drop Cloths

*These items can be placed in the labeled boxes in Room 2.*

### **ATTENTION: GRADUATES**

*If you will be graduating from high school, college, trade school, etc. this spring, please submit pictures, graduation information, and future plans to the office as soon as possible.*

  
**CLASS OF 2016**

## Prayer Requests

### Our Sympathy to the family of

**Roberta "Bertie" Monroe (cousin Ann Grimm)** passed away Friday, April 15<sup>th</sup>. The funeral was Tuesday, April 19.

### Prayer List

**Judy Beckett** has an appointment with a neurosurgeon for a consult this Thursday, April 28.

**Glenda Hendrickson** has not been well lately. Keep her in your thoughts and prayers.

**George Teel** will not have chemo unless his white count makes it necessary. He is recovering from his reaction to the first dose.

*God has led two lives  
To take one path  
On our wedding day  
A new life has its start  
We'll share with each other  
One love, one dream, one heart  
Please join us,*

*Jaylah Somerville  
and  
Cory Jones*

*To share in the celebration of love  
As we exchange our marriage vows  
Saturday, The Fourteenth of May  
Two Thousand Sixteen  
Two-Thirty in the Afternoon  
36th Street Church of Christ*

*Reception following the ceremony*



**"In Search of The Lord's Way"**

(WTAP-TV Sundays @ 7:30 AM)

**May 1, 2016**

**"Were You There?"**

A spiritual song asks, "Were you there when they crucified my Lord?" Have you considered the part your own sins played in the crucifixion of Jesus Christ? Have you thought about how you should respond to the cross?

Sun.—Apr. 24	Mon.— Apr. 25	Tues.— Apr. 26	Wed.— Apr. 27	Thurs.— Apr. 28	Fri.— Apr. 29	Sat.— Apr. 30
<i>Early Morning Men's Class 7:30am</i> Upreach Prayer Group 5 PM Deadline for Work Camp registration	<i>Love &amp; Care Monthly Sing 7 PM</i>	<i>Ladies Bible Class 10:00am</i>	<i>Bible Class (7 PM -Mike Moss)</i>	<i>Bread Basket #5</i>	<i>Friday Night Sing @ Sunrise or East Liverpool. OH</i>	<i>P &amp; T Garner and J &amp; M Lemley 50th Anniversary Party MP Room 2:00-4:00pm</i>
Sun.—May 1	Mon.— May 2	Tues.— May 3	Wed.— May 4	Thurs.— May 5	Fri.—May 6	Sat.— May 7
<b>KIDFEST</b> Meeting @ 5 PM		<i>Ladies Bible Class 10:00am</i>	<i>Bible Class (7 PM -Mike Moss)</i>	<i>Bread Basket #1</i>	<i>Friday Night Sing @ Dewey Ave. in St. Marys, WV</i>	

☺ **Marybelle Ice will celebrate her 94th birthday on Thursday, April 28. If you can, please send her a card to: One Wyngate Dr. Apt. 132, Vienna WV 26105. She has been unable to attend service due to health issues and would appreciate cards. Thank you, Martha Berger (her daughter)**

- ➔ The **playground key** is missing. If you have it, please return it to the coat rack by door 3.
- ➔ Today is Ben Colantoni's 92nd birthday. Send him a card: 4305 Sandalwood Place Vienna, WV 26105.
- ➔ The **Friday Night Singing** this week is at Sunrise. Camden Avenue's bus leaves their building at 6:30 PM.
- ➔ We are beginning to get applications for the various **Youth Camps**. The WVCYC for Athlete is June 26-July 1 for ages 10-18. Applications for this camp is in the foyer spinner.
- ➔ **KidFest** is being planned for Saturday, July 23 this year. The next planning meeting is scheduled for *Sunday, May 1st at 5 PM*.
- ➔ The **Early Men's Class** will meet May 8th at 7:30am. This will be the last class until September.
- ➔ **Troy and Anita Miller have been preparing communion for quite a long time. They would like for someone (preferably a couple) to volunteer to take over this important ministry. If interested, please talk with Troy and/or Anita and they will explain what is involved.**

**Birthdays**

TODAY — Ben Colantoni (92)  
Tue.— Linda Butterfield

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**Anniversaries**

Friday  
G & M Lemley (50)  
T & P Garner (50)

### Area-Wide Activities/Events

- Apr. 24 Sermons @ St. Albans church "Creation-Evidence From Human Anatomy" & "There is a God"
- Apr. 24-27 Gospel Meeting @ S. Main Church in New Lexington, OH with Willie Franklin from Aubrey, TX
- Apr. 28- May 1 Gospel Meeting @ Pennsville Church in Stockport, OH with Willie Franklin from Aubrey, TX
- May 1-4 Gospel Meeting @ Bridgeport, WV with Rick Tincher
- May 9-13 Gospel Meeting @ Crum Ridge with Sam Bartrug
- May 15-19 Gospel Meeting @ Harmar Hill in Marietta with Ed Melott of New Martinsville, WV
- May 12 6th Annual Spring Apologetics Lectures "WORLDVIEW" @ Grand Pointe Conference Center, Vienna (RSVP by May 1st @ 1.877.350.9222 or [www.warrenapologeticscenter.org](http://www.warrenapologeticscenter.org))

Mission:	Donations go to:	Date needed:
Personal care items	Della Poling—Room 2	Ongoing
Clothing	Various agencies/individuals	Text or Phone Della @ 304.834.7519

36<sup>TH</sup> STREET  
YOUNG  
AT HEART

ACTIVITIES

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AT FORT BOREMAN PARK

Underwood Shelter

Friday, May 20th

11:30am - 1:00pm

<b>ELDERS</b>		<b>TODAY'S SERMONS</b>		
Terry Garner	304-295-6029	<b>A.M.— “Chain Reaction Salvation” ..... Mark Mason</b> (Text: 1 Peter 1:3-9) (Reading: Psalm 96:1-4)		
Tim Kirl	304-489-1814	<b>P.M. — “When A Rude Interruption Isn’t So Rude” ..... Mark Mason</b> (Text: Luke 15:20-22) (Reading: Luke 15:11-13)		
Jack Long	304-295-6909	<b>Our Nursing Home Residents</b>		
Mike Moss	304-699-4230	Betty Bibbee	Eagle Point	123
Jim Shuman	304-295-3138	Lois Miller	Ravenswood Care Ctr.	12
<b>DEACONS</b>		Jerry Page	Eagle Point	334
Tim Baillargeon	781-249-7469	Peggy Smith	Marietta Care & Rehab	408
John Eckhart	304-295-7450	Jean VanSickle	Worthington Manor	W 28B
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			
Dennis Menear	304-481-1433	<b>Our Members Who are Homebound</b>		
Troy Miller	304-295-6729	Ben Colantoni	Gladys Frohling	Jim Hart
Dan Mincks	740-373-7013	Jo & Ron Kress	Laura Menear	Robin Wilson
<b>MINISTERS</b>		<b>Prayers for Those with Cancer:</b> <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 &amp; 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 &amp; 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	<b>Ongoing Health Problems:</b> <i>Jean VanSickle, Bob Schott, Helen Sweeney, Ruth Brookover, Ben Colantoni, Don Bibbee, Ron Kress, Jim Kelley, Ken Lamp, Norma Craig, Glenda Hendrickson, 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 &amp; Sherry McCray (Brother and sister-in-law of Judy Curkendall), Marybelle Ice (Mother of Martha Berger), Tracy Sullivan &amp; Tina Nichols (Lois Miller’s daughters), Travis Parsons (friend of Shirley Gilchrist), Wayne Hall (Karen Case’s brother), Ed Porter (brother of Bill &amp; cousin of Judy Curkendall), Hadassa Williams, Kimberly Kellar Kirk (niece of Judy Curkendall), Edna Cain (mother of Sarah Shuman), Rob Shuman (Jim’s brother), Brenda Butterfield (Mark’s sister)</i>		
Dennis Menear	304-481-1433	<b>Privileged to Serve Next Week (05/01/16—5/04/16)</b>		
Paul Merideth	502-533-4550	<b>Announcements</b> —Dennis Menear, Timothy Kirl <b>Visitor’s Table</b> — Shirley Gilchrist <b>Ushers</b> —Troy Miller*, Kelly Gibbs, Jeff Poling, Spencer Seeley <b>Table (Front)</b> - Gary Carothers, Richard Kellar, Eddie Gray, Ron Grizzard <b>Table (Rear)</b> —Paul Butterfield, Randall Craig, David Berger, Aren Lappin, Larry Gibson, Ethan Kirl		
<b>INTERNS</b>				
Jared Shipley	443-810-9339			
Luke Wolfe	304-615-9447			
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Email us at: Secretary36st@suddenlinkmail.com				
<b>Join our Facebook groups:</b>  36th Street Church of Christ 36 <sup>th</sup> Street Youth Group				
<b>Join Us for Worship:</b>  Sunday Morning Bible Study 9:30 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.  Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m. <b>During Standard Time (Nov.-Feb.), we also have a Wednesday Bible Study at 1:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall.</b>				
		<b>Pray for our Military</b>		
		<b>Ryan Bemish</b> (son of Debbie & Dan Sherman) <i>Army</i>		
		<b>Chris DePuy &amp; wife Melanie</b> (Jeff & Julie’s son) <i>Air Force</i>		
		<b>Brad Gibbs &amp; wife Amber</b> (Grandson of Kelly & Genny Gibbs) <i>Navy</i>		
		<b>Joshua Rebholz</b> (Son of Max & Grandson of Hiram & Nina Rebholz and Fred & Martha Nulter) <i>Marines</i>		
		<b>Chad Williamson &amp; wife Julie</b> (Pat Williamson’s grandson) <i>Marines</i>		
		<b>Anthony Worst</b> (Nephew of Michelle Hershman) <i>Marines</i>		
		<b>Sun AM</b>	<b>Sun PM</b>	<b>Wed</b>
<b>Van Driver</b>	Jeff Poling	Jeff Poling	J. Garner	
<b>Song Leader</b>	Jeff Shuman	YES	Jack Long	
<b>Prayer</b>	Dwain H.	YES	C. Doyle	
<b>Table Speaker</b>	P. Merideth	G. Carothers		
<b>Table Assist</b>	Tim Kashorek	Tim Kirl		
<b>Read Scripture</b>	Bob Schott	YES		
<b>Closing Prayer</b>	Jack Long	R. Grizzard		