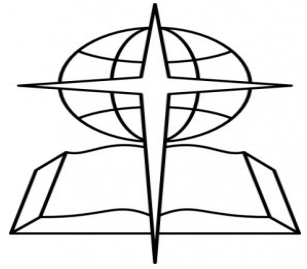


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Weekly Bulletin

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A Thought From Mark...

Jewish poet and storyteller Noah ben Shea tells this parable:

After dinner, the children turned to Jacob and asked if he would tell them a story. "A story about what?" asked Jacob.

"About a giant," squealed the children.

Jacob smiled, leaned against the warm stones at the side of the fireplace, and his voice turned softly inward. "Once there was a boy who asked his father to take him to see the great parade that passed through the village. The father, remembering the parade from when he was a boy, quickly agreed, and the next morning the boy and his father set out together.

"As they approached the parade route, people started to push in from all sides, and the crowd grew thick. When the people along the way became almost a wall; the father lifted his son and placed him on his shoulders.

"Soon the parade began and as it passed, the boy kept telling his father how wonderful it was and how spectacular were the colors and images. The boy, in fact, grew so prideful of what he saw that he mocked those who saw less saying, even to his father, 'If only you could see what I see.'"

"But," said Jacob staring straight in the faces of the children, "what the boy did not look at was why he could see. What the boy forgot was that once his father, too, could see."

Then as if he had finished the story, Jacob stopped speaking.

"Is that it?" said a disappointed girl. "We thought you were going to tell us a story about a giant."

"But I did," said Jacob. "I told you a story about a boy who could have been a giant."

"How?" squealed the children.

"A giant," said Jacob, "is anyone who remembers we are all sitting on someone else's shoulders."

"And what does it make us if we don't remember?" asked the boy.

"A burden," answered Jacob.



What: 22nd Annual
Wood County Life Chain

When: Sunday, October
4, 2015 from 2-3pm

Where: Grand Central
Avenue

The Life Chain is a peaceful and prayerful public witness of pro-life Americans for one hour praying for the nation to end abortion.

We will be joining thousands of pro-life individuals across America and Canada as we silently hold signs stating "ABORTION KILLS CHILDREN".



(Signs will be provided, you can bring a lawn chair if needed).

33rd Annual OVU President's Banquet

You are invited to the OVU President's Banquet on Saturday, October 3, 2015 at 5:00 pm. The guest speaker is David C. Nohe, former West Virginia State Senator. The banquet is free, please RSVP online at: www.ovu.edu/prezbanquetrsvp.com

CHRISTMAS FOOD DRIVE FOR MINGO COUNTY

The Ladies Sunday Morning Bible Class (and Della Poling) have begun collecting food items for Mingo County.

The following items are needed:

- Boxed Mashed Potatoes
- Cans of Green Beans and Corn
- Boxed Stuffing
- Cake Mix/Icing
- Canned Yams
- Cans of Evaporated Milk
- Canned Hams
- Canned Beets
- Christmas Bag Candy (one for each box)

Please place these items in Room 2.

(Also, please note that if you have clothing items for donation, PLEASE CONTACT DELLA FOR PICK-UP—DO NOT PLACE CLOTHING ITEMS IN ROOM 2)



TONIGHT'S LESSON: "AND GOD BLESSED THEM . . ."

Genesis 1:26-28 (ESV)

26 Then God said, "Let us make man in our Image, after our likeness. And let them have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the heavens and over the livestock and over all the earth and over every creeping thing that creeps on the earth."

27 So God created man in his own image, in the image of God he created him; male and female he created them.

28 And God blessed them. And God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply and fill the earth and subdue it, and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the heavens and over every living thing that moves on the earth."



SUNDAY EVENING YOUTH SERVICE

WHEN: October 4, 2015 - 6:00 PM

THEME: CREATION: God Made the Animals

SPEAKER: Mark Mason

SONG LEADER: Stephen Walker

NOTES: 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 a night that will be fun and beneficial to people of all ages! Hope to see EVERYONE there!

EnVision Conference

UNSHAKABLE
SOLID FAITH SOLID FAMILIES SOLID CHURCHES

October 23-25, 2015

On the campus of Ohio Valley University

Prayer Requests

Our Sympathy to the family of

Lois Swesey (sister of Norma Craig; aunt of Randy/ Michele Craig). She passed away early Wednesday morning. Her internment will be in Florida.

Hospital

Ruth Brookover, Harmar Place, is having physical therapy.

Kendall Harper (former elder at 36th St.) CMAC, fell last Thursday evening, Sept. 17, fracturing his hip and femur. He had surgery Friday, Sept. 18 at CMAC and then was placed in rehab in Kanawha County. He is back at CMAC due to a heart attack. He had two stents inserted Thursday, Sept. 24.

Prayer List

Tim Baillargeon will have surgery Thursday.

Jo Kress will return to Columbus on Friday for surgery.

Bernard Potter (father of Cindy Morris, a member who now resides in Minnesota) He lives in Parkersburg and is not doing well.

Pat Hill had same day surgery Wednesday morning.

Kimberly Kellar Kirk (niece of Judy Curkendall)

Jean VanSickle is now at home.

Eva Leonhart is recuperating at home. Please no visits.

Bob Hill is at home recovering from surgery.

Fred Nulter

Joe Newberry

Quips and Quotes

Many a man gets a reputation for being energetic when in truth he is merely fidgety.

We are advised to turn a deaf ear to every scandal, but not many of us have deaf ears.

What chance can a man have to control his destiny when he can't control himself?

Spilling the salt might be bad luck, but spilling the beans is much more dangerous.



"In Search of The Lord's Way"

(WTAP-TV Sundays @ 7:30 AM)

October 4 – "HEARING THE GOSPEL"

God gave us ears to hear, but are we listening to His most important messages? The gospel is first and foremost a message to be preached and to be received. No message is more important than the gospel.

Sun.—Sept. 27	Mon.—Sept. 28	Tues.—Sept. 29	Wed.—Sept. 30	Thurs.—Oct. 1	Fri.—Oct. 2	Sat.—Oct. 3
<i>Early Morning Men's Class 7:30 AM</i>		Ladies Bible Class 10 AM—Mary Beth Full	Bible Class (7 PM—Paul Merideth)	<i>Bread Basket #1</i>	<i>Friday Night Sing @ Sunrush (Chillicothe OH) or Rosemar Rd.</i>	
Sun.—Oct. 4	Mon.— Oct. 5	Tues.— Oct. 6	Wed.— Oct. 7	Thurs.—Oct. 8	Fri.—Oct. 9	Sat.—Oct. 10
<i>LIFE CHAIN 2:00-3:00pm</i>	Elders & Deacons' Meeting 7 PM	Ladies Bible Class 10 AM—Mary Beth Full	Bible Class (7 PM—Jim Wright)	<i>Bread Basket #2</i>	<i>Friday Night Sing @ Winfield WV</i>	

- ☺ *We want to thank you all for the lovely anniversary cards. We really appreciate them and they made our day so special. Jim & Anna Hart (60 years)*
- ☺ *Thank you all for your prayers. Sandy Childs is cancer free. Sabrina Simms (Sandy Childs is Sabrina's aunt)*
- ☺ *I would like to thank you for the cards & well wishes that I received on my birthday. I appreciate you for thinking of me. Shirley Eckhart.*
- ☺ *Thank you for all the cards and prayers. I appreciate each one. I am now ready to have telephone calls, but have in-home physical therapy so calls are welcome in the evening only. Please no visits. Eva Leonhart*
- ➔ **Please note: Blanket and personal care donations for the homeless to be distributed by Della and nonperishable food items for Mingo County can be placed in Room 2. However for donations of clothing, text or call her at 304.834.7519 to arrange pick-up. Thank you for your donations and cooperation.**
- ➔ Paula and Randy Wooten have moved to Paducah, KY a few weeks ago. We have their address in the office if you'd like it.
- ➔ **The Privileged to Serve and October Calendar are included with this week's bulletin. Please check the PTS carefully and let one of the Ushers know if you cannot fulfill a scheduled service opportunity.**
- ➔ **The Monthly Sing at Love and Care is tomorrow evening at 7:00pm.**
- ➔ The monthly elders and deacons' meeting is next Monday, Oct. 5th at 7 PM in the multipurpose room.

Birthdays

Today—Diane Hartley
Tues.—Michael Rowand
Thurs.—Brenda Collins
Sat.— Mark Mason
Weston Wright

None this week.

Mission:	Donations go to:	Date needed:
Non-perishable food personal care items & blankets	Della Poling—Room 2	Ongoing

Area-Wide Activities/Events

See flyers on the bulletin boards.

Sept. 27-30 Gospel Meeting @ Mineral Wells with David Newberry—Theme: "Jesus is Wonderful"

Sept. 27-Oct. 1 Gospel Meeting @ Crum Ridge with Mark Bass

Sept. 27-Oct. 1 Gospel Meeting @ Chester, WV with Andy Robison

Oct. 3 Ladies Inspiration Day @ National Road (Wheeling, WV) with Sameea Collins

Oct. 4 Life Chain 2015 (2-3 PM on Grand Central Avenue)

Oct 4-7 Gospel Meeting @ Summerfield, OH with Wirt Cook

Oct 4-7 Gospel Meeting @ Weirton Heights with Raymond Seig

Oct. 18-21 Marriage Matters with Jerry & Lynn Jones (A Practical and Spiritual Guide for Marriage Seminar)

Sept. 21-Oct 26 2015 Round Robin Service Schedule Monday evenings at 7 PM—Theme: "Overcoming"

Oct 25-29 Victory Lectures—WV School of Preaching—Moundsville, WV

FRIDAY NIGHT SING
October 2

Rosemar Rd. & Sunrush in Chillicothe, OH

Camden Avenue's bus will not run this week.

36TH STREET
YOUNG AT HEART

ACTIVITIES

October 17—5:00pm

Weiner Roast at Gary & Brenda Carothers

Butcher Bend Road

(meat/buns provided; bring side dish, drinks, lawn chairs)

(sign-up sheet is on the foyer bulletin board)

ELDERS		TODAY'S SERMONS		
Terry Garner	304-295-6029	A.M.— “My Lord—My Friend” Mark Mason (Text: John 15:9-17) (Reading: Daniel 2:44)		
Tim Kirl	304-489-1814	P.M.— “And God Blessed Them...” Stephen Walker (Text: Genesis 1:26-28) (Reading: Genesis 1:26-28)		
Jack Long	304-295-6909	Our Nursing Home Residents		
Mike Moss	304-699-4230	Betty Bibbee	Eagle Point	123
Jim Shuman	304-295-3138	Charles Conaway	Woodbridge Assisted	3
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	Ruth Brookover	Gladys Frohling	Jim Hart
Troy Miller	304-295-6729	Ron Kress	Laura Menear	Debbie Sherman
Dan Mincks	740-373-7013		Robin Wilson	
MINISTERS		Prayers for Those with Cancer: <i>Delena Joy</i> (Judy Beckett's friend), <i>Ron Robey</i> (Judy Beckett's brother), <i>Donna George</i> (Eva Leonhart's neighbor), <i>Dorothy Saunders</i> (friend of Martha & Dave Berger), <i>Faye Williams</i> (Glenda Hendrickson's niece), <i>Sharon Pugh</i> (wife of Charles Pugh), <i>Edwin Williams</i> (Glenda Hendrickson's nephew), <i>Brenda Nulter</i> (Fred Nulter's sister-in-law), <i>Mary Thompson</i> (friend of Shirley Gilchrist), <i>Hope Parente</i> (friend of Ronnie & Danielle Nonamaker), <i>Emily Friar</i> (10 yr. old niece of Jim & Rita Taylor), <i>Troy Rae</i> and <i>Brandon Lynch</i> (Mary Lamp's nephews), <i>Josh Beckett</i> (Judy's great nephew), <i>Linda Beihl</i> (Luella Pickrell's neice), <i>Deloris Newberry</i> (John Eckhart's sister), <i>Cassie McGinnis</i> (daughter of the late Howard Dowler), <i>Rosalee Poling</i> (sister of Laura Menear), <i>Mike Taylor</i> (Cousin of Sarah Shuman), <i>Lisa Moore & Lori Flies</i> (daughters of Mac McDonald), <i>Donald Kelley</i> (Jim's brother), Jon Gregg (husband of Sarah Shuman's niece Adrema)		
Mark Mason	304-295-1068	Ongoing Health Problems: <i>Ruth Brookover, Ben Colantoni, Don Bibbee, Ron & Jo 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</i> (Mary Simon's daughter), <i>Becca Simons</i> (Mary's granddaughter), <i>Joyce Dotson, Carter Nichols</i> (Curkendall's Grandson), <i>Wayne & Sherry McCray</i> (Brother and sister-in-law of Judy Curkendall), <i>Marybelle Ice</i> (Mother of Martha Berger), <i>Tracy Sullivan & Tina Nichols</i> (Lois Miller's daughters), <i>Joseph Capobianco</i> (Nephew of Carol Cavalier), <i>Travis Parsons</i> (friend of Shirley Gilchrist), <i>Wayne Hall</i> (Karen Case's brother), <i>Ed Porter</i> (brother of Bill & cousin of Judy Curkendall), <i>Hadassa Williams, Peggy Morris</i> (friend of Ruth Fox), <i>entire Ty Elliott family</i> (Ruth Fox' son), <i>Karen Rippeto</i> (Keith's mom)		
Stephen Walker	304-550-7732	Privileged to Serve Next Week (10/04/15—10/07/15)		
INTERNS		Announcements— Stephen Walker, Mike Moss		
Michael Rowand	864-385-4511	Visitor's Table— Mary Lemley		
Luke Wolfe	304-615-9447	Ushers— John Garner*, Troy Miller, Keith Jones		
Website:		Table (Front) - Jim Taylor, Jeff DePuy, Paul McDaniel, Mike O'Dell		
www.36thstreetchurch.com		Alternates— Doug Dotson, Rick Kellar, Bob Schott		
Email us at:		Table (Rear)— Luke Wolfe, Tim Kashorek, Steve Shelene, Daryl Nonamaker, Richard Kellar, Hiram Rebholz,		
Secretary36st@suddenlinkmail.com			Sun. a.m.	Sun. p.m.
Join our Facebook groups:		Song Leader	C. Morris	Zack Jones
36th Street Church of Christ		Prayer	D. Menear	Dg. Dotson
36 th Street Youth Group		Table Speaker	D. Hartley	D. Smith
Join Us for Worship:		Table Assist.	Kelly Gibbs	C. Jones
Sunday Morning Bible Study 9:30 a.m.		Scripture	G. Curkendall	Gary Grimm
Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.		Closing Prayer	Jack Long	J. Wright
Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.				
Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.				
During Standard Time (Nov.-Feb.), we also have a Wednesday Bible Study at 1:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall.				
		Pray for our Military		
		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>		