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Weekly Bulletin

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A Thought From Mark...

DISCOVER GOD'S ANSWERS

J. Lee Roberts

WHERE, according to the prophet Jeremiah, would God have His new covenant written? Jer.31:33.

WHAT did the apostle Paul write about the fulfillment of Jeremiah's prophecy? 2 Corinthians 3: 1-3.

WHEN did Christ's new covenant become effective? Hebrews 9: 15-17.

WHO were never under the Law of Moses? Romans 2:14; Ephesians 2: 11-12.

WHOSE Spirit was in the Old Testament prophets? 1 Peter 1:10, 11.

HOW many of the prophecies concerning Jesus were fulfilled? Acts 3:18.

WHEN is the veil removed from some who cannot understand the old covenant? 2 Corinthians 3: 16.

WHAT results from continuing in the teachings of Christ? John 8:31.

WHO alone has the words of eternal life? John 6:63,68.

WHEN and by what authority were musical instruments used in Temple worship? 2 Chronicles 29:25.

WHAT was but a SHADOW of the good things brought by Jesus? Hebrews 10:1-10.

WHAT happens when one mixes keeping the Law and the Gospel at the same time? CF. Luke 5:36,37; Galatians 5:3-4; James 2:10.

HOW does faith come? Romans 10:17.

WHEN is faith barren or dead? James 2:26; 1 Corinthians 13:2.

WHAT motivates acceptable faith? Galatians 5:6.

WHAT birth is essential to enter God's kingdom? John 3:3-8.

WHEN was the promise fulfilled that Jesus gave to the 12 Galilean apostles when He told them he would send them all truth through the Holy Spirit? John 14:25,26; 20:22; Acts 1:1-5; 2:1-7, 38-42.

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Introducing:

Geoffrey Mwaura Njoroge

Charles Morris recently made a presentation to the congregation regarding support for Geoffrey Mwaura Njoroge, a native of Kenya, currently working with the South Sudan Project mission effort in Gambella, Ethiopia. His mentor with the project is Tyrone Mynhier, associated with the Porter church of Christ in Porter, TX.

Geoffrey received a Bachelor's Degree in Education from the University of Nairobi in 2005, and worked as a teacher and counselor in Africa until 2009, when he came to the U.S. to continue his education. He studied at West Virginia University and was baptized into Christ at the Morgantown church of Christ in 2012. Shortly thereafter, Geoffrey decided he wanted to be a preacher of the gospel, with the goal to eventually convert his home village of Meru, Kenya. He enrolled in the Sunset International Bible Institute and graduated in 2015.

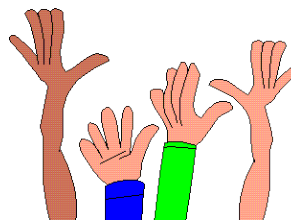
Our elders have decided that 36th Street will be the sponsoring congregation, providing the majority of Geoffrey's support as well as coordinating support from other congregations and individuals. Along with his daily needs, we hope to bring Geoffrey back to the United States to meet his supporters as we begin this work, and from time to time to report on his progress. We also hope to occasionally send a small delegation to Africa to encourage Geoffrey by working with him.

Geoffrey is currently working with brother Mynhier in Ethiopia to gain experience and maturity. When the time is right, he plans to return to Kenya and begin his dream of converting his village and the surrounding area.

We are currently soliciting other congregations to assist with Geoffrey's ongoing support.

Please keep Geoffrey and the South Sudan Project Mission Team in your prayers!

- 36th Street Missions Committee



**VOLUNTEERS
NEEDED**

Volunteers are needed for the Attended Nursery on Sunday mornings.

(This usually only involves serving one Sunday a month).

Please see Tracy Mason if you are interested.



When I was younger, it was not uncommon to leave every Bible class with a "Memory Verse". This was a selected text that normally corresponded with that week's lesson. It was a way of reinforcing the lesson in our lives as we worked on committing it to memory over the course of the week. What a tremendous and valuable practice this has been for so many people.

Unfortunately, this valuable practice has become a lost art. In our fast paced society of academics, athletics, entertainment, and technology; we have become more apt to not just neglect Scripture memorization, but Bible study as a whole.

It is my contention that Scripture memorization is more important now than it has ever been. With more demands on our time and greater temptation and access to sin, we must be all the more vigilant to follow the example of the Psalmist. (Psalm 119:11) says, "I have stored up your word in my heart, that I might not sin against you."

The stored up (memorized) word of God is a wonderful weapon to fight off the attacks of Satan. As we struggle with our temptations to sin, it is the stored up (memorized) word of God that will give us strength to overcome.

So let's bring back the "Memory Verse". Let's commit to doing this together! Let's share this adventure with our families. PARENTS!!! I want to challenge you to make this a weekly activity with your children.

Each week, I will supply a memory verse and a few corresponding thoughts. There will be no test. You will not be asked to stand in front of the congregation and recite it. But, I would encourage you to recite these verses at home to each other within your families. Let's make God's Word our greatest defense against the temptation to sin!

MEMORY VERSE: (11/8-14/2015):

"I have stored up your word in my heart, that I might not sin against you." - (Psalm 119:11)

"If opportunity doesn't knock, build a door."

"Things are a lot easier if you plow around the stumps."

"If you want to have a good garden, give away your first fruits."

"If you don't know which way to turn, stand still!"

"Having money is a poor way to be rich."

"There is nothing worth having if you can't share it."

"The best helping hand you'll ever find is at the end of your own arm."

"Bite off more than you can chew and chew it!"

- selected snippets from Mary Simons

Prayer Requests

Our Sympathy for the family of

Charles Conaway, who passed away last Sunday. At his request, there will be no visitation or service.

Hospital

Ken Lamp, CCMH Room 320 - admitted Monday with fluid on his lungs. Has improved, but no visitors, please.

Prayer List

Cathy & Ed Deem had the surgical/anesthesiology consult and signed paperwork for Cathy to have the pain pump implanted. No date for surgery has been set.

Becca Simons has been referred to Cleveland Clinic for pain management and help for numerous symptoms of her illness.

Jo & Ron Kress - Jo is now home but will be house bound for a while and will begin a post-surgery series of chemo treatments. Ron's macular degeneration has improved but treatments continue. Ron will probably get the cast off his leg next week, but likely will be unable to walk for some time.

CHRISTMAS FOOD DRIVE FOR MINGO COUNTY

The Ladies Sunday Morning Bible Class (and Della Poling) have begun collecting food items for Mingo County. **The goal is to feed 100 families.** Each family will receive the following along with a canned ham:

- 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 by December 1st.

Della has been able to order 3 lb. canned hams at 7.95 each from Foodland (less than their cost). Thanks, Foodland!

If you would like to help with the cost of the hams, give your donation directly to Della by **Wed., Nov. 11th.**

She is to pick up the canned hams on November 14th. She will then have until December 1st to load the boxes with foodstuff for each of the families.




"In Search of The Lord's Way"

(WTAP-TV Sundays @ 7:30 AM)

Nov. 15 - "JUDGING"

Almost everyone knows the passage in Matthew 7:1, "Do not judge"; but do they know what else the New Testament says about judging others? Is it ever appropriate to judge others or to say sin is wrong?

Sun.—Nov. 8	Mon.— Nov. 9	Tues.— Nov. 10	Wed.— Nov. 11	Thurs.— Nov. 12	Fri.— Nov. 13	Sat.— Nov. 14
<i>Early Men's Class 7:30 AM</i>		Ladies Bible Class 10 AM—Mary Beth Full	Bible Class (1 & 7 PM—Dennis Menear)	Bread Basket #3	Friday Night Sing @Camden Avenue (Last one this year)	
Sun.—Nov. 15	Mon.— Nov. 16	Tues.— Nov. 17	Wed.— Nov. 18	Thurs.— Nov. 19	Fri.— Nov. 20	Sat.— Nov. 21
<i>Upreach Prayer Group Meets at 5 PM in Room 2</i>		Ladies Bible Class 10 AM—Mary Beth Full	Bible Class (1 & 7 PM—Dennis Menear)	Bread Basket #5  Thanksgiving Luncheon 11:30 AM		

☺ *We thank all who have called, sent cards, provided some delicious foods, and assisted Ron in getting to his doctor appointments. Jo is now home but will be house bound for a while and will begin a post surgery series of chemo treatments. Ron's macular degeneration has improved but treatments continue. Ron will probably get the cast off his leg next week, but likely will be unable to walk for sometime. Ron & Jo Kress*

☺ **Thank You Veterans!** Wednesday, Nov. 11th is Veterans Day, a public holiday that is dedicated to honoring anyone who has served in the United States military. The holiday began as a day to remember the end of World War I and was declared a holiday by President Woodrow Wilson in 1919. Originally known as Armistice Day, the holiday became Veterans Day in 1954.

➔ If all went as scheduled, **Evelyn Dadisman** moved this weekend. Her new address is: 300 Featherstone Dr., Charlotte NC 28213. She will be living with her son. Evelyn's granddaughter, Cora, and her family are moving to Monroe, NC due to a job change.

➔ *If you haven't returned your **Personal Data Form**, please do so ASAP. We need to wrap this up soon!*

➔ The Stepping Stones are again selling nuts. There is a list of nuts available along with the cost of each on the foyer bulletin board. See Ginny Moss by Dec. 6th to place an order.

➔ Della Poling is collecting cash/check donations for canned hams for the food baskets for the families in Mingo County. (More details are on page 2.)

➔ The Upreach Prayer Group will meet Sunday, November 15th at 5:00pm in Room 2.

Birthdays

Today—Ileene Lemley
Pat Hill
Tiffany Wetz

Thurs.—Betty Miller

Sat.—Rick Fisher

No Anniversaries this week.

Area-Wide Activities/Events

See flyers on the bulletin boards.

Nov. 8-13 Gospel Meeting @ Pennsboro with Peter Ray Cole
Nov. 20-21 217 Faith Apologetics Training Camp @ Bridgeport church of Christ

Mission:	Donations go to:	Date needed:
Personal care items, hats, gloves and blankets for the homeless	Della Poling—Room 2	Ongoing
Non-perishable food	Della Poling—Room 2 (Mingo Co.)	December 1 for Christmas Food Baskets
Clothing	Various agencies/individuals	Text of Phone Della @ 304.834.7519

 **FRIDAY NIGHT SING**
November 6

Pennsboro, WV

Camden Avenue's bus will leave at 6:00 PM.



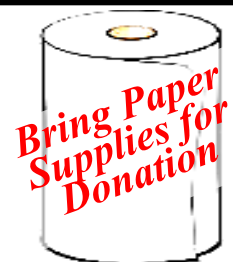
36TH STREET
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ACTIVITIES



Annual Thanksgiving Luncheon

Multipurpose Room
Thursday, November 19, 2015
11:30 AM

(Sign-up sheet in the foyer—please list what side dish you can bring)



ELDERS		TODAY'S SERMONS																														
Terry Garner	304-295-6029	A.M.— “Don't Miss Your Own Party” Mark Mason (Text: Revelation 19:6-9) (Reading: Acts 17:30-31)																														
Tim Kirl	304-489-1814	P.M.— “Jesus Our Passover” Mark Mason (Text: 1 Corinthians. 5:6-8) (Reading: 1 Peter 1:17-19)																														
Jack Long	304-295-6909	<i>Our Nursing Home Residents</i>																														
Mike Moss	304-699-4230	Betty Bibbee	Eagle Point	123																												
Jim Shuman	304-295-3138	Lois Miller	Ravenswood Care Ctr.	12																												
DEACONS		Jerry Page	Eagle Point	334																												
Tim Baillargeon	781-249-7469	Peggy Smith	Marietta Care & Rehab	408																												
John Eckhart	304-295-7450	Walter Wigal	The Willows	206																												
John Garner	304-295-0320	Myra Zinn	Cedar Grove	W 60																												
Chuck Jones	304-295-7709	<i>Our Members Who are Homebound</i>																														
Gerald Lemley	304-295-7509	Ruth Brookover	Gladys Frohling	Jim Hart																												
Dennis Menear	304-295-4228	Ron Kress	Laura Menear	Debbie Sherman																												
Troy Miller	304-295-6729		Robin Wilson																													
Dan Mincks	740-373-7013	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 niece), <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), <i>Jon Gregg</i> (husband of Sarah Shuman's niece Adreama)																														
MINISTERS		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), <i>Kimberly Kellar Kirk</i> (niece of Judy Curkendall)																														
Mark Mason	304-295-1068	Privileged to Serve Next Week (11/15/15—11/18/15)																														
Stephen Walker	304-550-7732	Announcements— Stephen Walker, Jim Shuman																														
INTERNS		Visitor's Table— Marilyn Kellar																														
Michael Rowand	864-385-4511	Ushers— John Garner*, Kelly Gibbs, Jeff Poling, Spencer Seeley																														
Luke Wolfe	304-615-9447	Table (Front) - Gary Carothers, Eddie Gray, Richard Kellar, Jeff Poling																														
Website: www.36thstreetchurch.com		Alternates— G. Curkendall, J. Newberry, G. Grimm																														
Email us at: Secretary36st@suddenlinkmail.com		Table (Rear)— Paul Butterfield, Randy Craig, Larry Gibson, Bob Hill, Mike Kerby, Sonny Williamson																														
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Join Us for Worship: 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. 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>																														