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Weekly Bulletin

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A Thought From Mark...

One of the blogs I check in on regularly is written by a brother named Jim Martin and can be found at www.godhungry.org. Recently he posted some advice for people dealing with discouragement. We are going to hear some great thoughts on this tonight in our Summer Series lesson from Dennis Menear, so I thought I would add some of brother Martin's thoughts here as well today (part 2 will come next week).

The following have been helpful to me:

Use your greatest resource which is prayer. Pray. Pray. You may be in a battle with the evil one for one of your children or for your marriage. Pray. Prayer is the greatest resource you have to deal with your problems. Go to your war room and do battle! Pray.

Run from the devil and his schemes. He is aiming for your defeat so that one less person on the earth gives glory to God. In your discouragement, you may be tempted to make an unwise phone call, lose yourself in an erotic novel, or justify yielding to a temptation. Know that yielding to temptation is the devil's fraudulent promise. Instead of life getting better, sin only digs a deeper hole.

Make a short list of the encouraging people in your life and begin calling these people regularly. Call several each week. Developing this habit can be energizing over time. Take the initiative to do this.

Get a clean piece of paper and begin making a gratitude list. Write down what you are thankful for and who you are thankful for. Consider sending notes to some, thanking them for what they have meant to you.

Read Scriptures that speak of God's love, care, and power (Psalm 16:8; 27:1; 37:39; 46:1-3; 55:22; 138:3; Isaiah 41:10; Matthew 19:26; 2 Corinthians 4:16; 1 Peter 5:7). Remember that Paul in a moment that could have been so discouraging declared that, "The Lord stood at my side and gave me strength" (2 Timothy 4:17-18).

(Five more next week!)

DRAW NEAR TO GOD

In James 4:7-8 we have a powerful description of how we can win against worldliness, by drawing near to God. *"Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. Draw near to God, and he will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners, and purify your hearts, you double-minded."*

From time to time we all need to be renewed in our relationship with the Lord. One of our great goals in the Christian faith is to maintain a close individual faith-filled relationship with God Almighty. After all, nearness to God is the basic call and claim of biblical faith.

It is truly amazing that we have opportunity to commit ourselves to the joyful task of drawing near to God. What a tremendous privilege to be invited to approach our Creator. Furthermore, he promises to approach us in this process of reciprocal drawing near, wherein the gap between us is daily diminished. As we consider this opportunity may we seriously commit to reaffirm our relationship with the Lord. God is not reached by roaming aimlessly, depending on luck to get us to him. Rather, we must deliberately go in the direction he has set for us in order to successfully reach him. Are you drawing near... or wandering away? Can you truly say, *"But for me it is good to be near God; I have made the Lord God my refuge, that I may tell of all your works"* (Psalms 73:28). When we are near to God, he is near to us, and the Devil doesn't stand a chance.

Paul Merideth

SAVE THE DATES

MOV Work Camp - **June 19-23**

Area Wide Sing at City Park - **June 24 (7:00pm)**

36th St. Love & Care Service - **June 26 (2:30pm)**

Young at Heart Trip to Canton, OH - **July 21**

KidFest - **July 23**

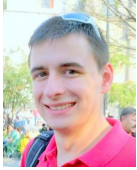
School Store - **August 1-3**

Happy
Father's
Day



You are invited to attend the **Weekly Youth Gathering** at the building.

The building will be open each Wednesday beginning at 4:30pm. This will be a time for our 6-12th graders to hang out, play games, and just spend time together.



Our Youth Intern, **Jared Shipley** will be organizing/supervising activities.
Dinner will be provided



the MOV WORK CAMP



JUNE 19 - 24

36th Street will again provide lunches for work camp participants.

Monday, June 20

Mary Lemley, Sarah Swisher, Brenda Carothers, Wilda Milhoan

Menu: Ruby Tuesday (Pulled Pork), Macaroni & Frozen Fruit

Tuesday, June 21

Tracy Mason, Sarah Swisher, Karen Case

Menu: Pepperoni Rolls, Salad & Applesauce

Wednesday, June 22

Alice Hale, Amanda Merideth

Menu: Burger King Whoppers

Thursday, June 23

Janna Menear, Sarah Swisher, Karen Case, Brenda Collins

Menu: Mexican

Prayer Requests

Hospital

Jean VanSickle, CAMC, ICU Stepdown Unit - Wednesday's surgery to remove additional blood clots went well and she is eating well and resting.

Prayer List

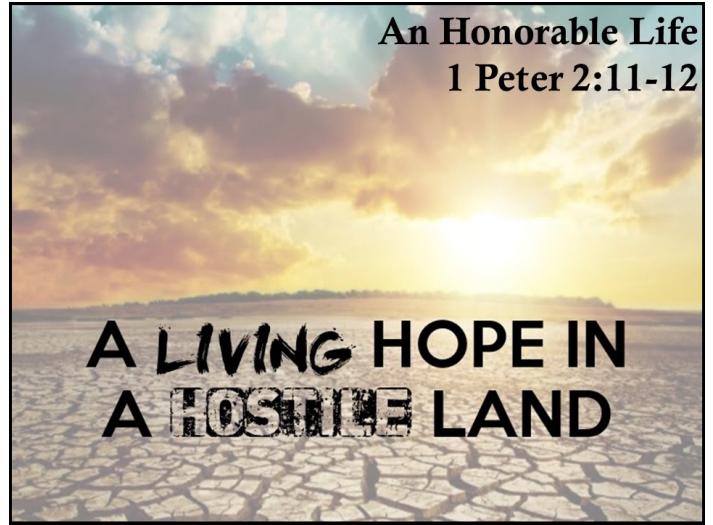
Jim Hart is now recuperating at home. **Today is his 81st birthday.**

Charles Morris is now home recuperating from surgery.

Thomas Merideth is undergoing further testing related to lower digestive issues.

Ron Grizzard will have knee surgery on June 27th.

An Honorable Life
1 Peter 2:11-12



A LIVING HOPE IN A HOSTILE LAND

Please join the family of
John & Shirley Eckhart

In celebration of their
50th Wedding Anniversary
June 25, 2016 2-4pm

Grand Pointe Conference Center
Vienna, WV

No gifts, please



Kidfest!	
SATURDAY, JULY 23, 2016 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM	
Field at bottom of 34th Street across from Vienna Community Building	
FREE	
Sponsored by: 36th Street Church of Christ, 36th Street Youth Ministry, & Rosemar Church of Christ	

Can you provide a GENERATOR, FAN, COOLER, or CANOPY for KidFest?

There are sign-up sheets on the foyer and youth bulletin boards. Sign up ASAP, please!



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

JUNE 26

"YOU CAN BE SURE"

While this world is filled with uncertainties and disappointments there are some things that are always true. You can be certain about them. Yes, there are some absolute truths that never change.

Sun.—June 19	Mon.— June 20	Tues.— June 21	Wed.— June 22	Thurs.— June 23	Fri.—June 24	Sat.— June 25
<i>Father's Day</i> <i>WORK CAMP BEGINS</i>	<i>WORK CAMP LUNCHES</i>	<i>WORK CAMP LUNCHES</i>	<i>Bible Class</i> (7 PM - D. Menear) <i>WORK CAMP LUNCHES</i>	<i>Bread Basket #5</i> <i>WORK CAMP LUNCHES</i>	<i>Friday Night Sing @ Pkbg. City Park (North End); Steer Creek CoC; & Alkire Rd CoC</i>	<i>John & Shirley Eckhart 50th Wedding Anniversary Party Grand Pointe 2-4 PM No gifts please</i>
Sun.—June 26	Mon.— June 27	Tues.— June 28	Wed.— June 29	Thurs.— June 30	Fri.—July 1	Sat.— July 2
<i>Love & Care Service 2:30pm</i>	<i>Love & Care Monthly Sing 7PM</i>		<i>Bible Class</i> (7 PM - Mike Moss)	<i>Bread Basket #1</i> <i>Love & Care Service 7:00pm</i>	<i>Friday Night Sing @ Valley Bend, WV</i>	

- ☺ *Thank you Dear Church Family, Fred and I want to thank you all for our many beautiful cards, gifts and the many good wishes on our 60th anniversary. They meant so much to us. We love you all. Fred & Martha Nulter*
- ☺ *If only you could know how much your many expressions of greetings for our 55th Anniversary meant to us. The beautiful cards had such thoughtful wishes, especially those written by the senders. Bless you. Gary & Ann Grimm*
- ☺ *Mike and Ginny Moss are in Romania. Keep them in your prayers as they serve in the mission field. They express their thanks for your kind donations to provide needed commodities to the Romanian people.*
- ➔ **Summer Series** - will continue this evening with **Dennis Menear** speaking on the topic of "**Overcoming Discouragement**". There will be a different speaker each week through the month of August. The theme is "Becoming Overcomers". If you need a copy of the complete Summer Series schedule, you can pick one up at the information desk.
- ➔ **Activities for the July calendar are needed in the office by Wednesday.**
- ➔ **3...6...5 Pray Every Day:** Hopefully you are continuing to pray for the person you have chosen to pray for this year and you are keeping a record of your efforts. "**You also must help us by prayer, so that many will give thanks on our behalf for the blessing granted us through the prayers of many.**" (2 Corinthians 1:11)
- ➔ **The school store will be by appointment August 1-3. We will begin collecting supplies the beginning of July.**
- ➔ **Mark Butterfield** is collecting donations to take **kids from Rolling Hills** to lunch and the movies again this year. Give your donations directly to Mark.

Birthdays

TODAY - Donna Dixon
Jim Hart (81)

Mon. - Sarah Baillargeon

Thurs - Jo Kress
Wanda Darnold
Nina Rebholz

Fri. - Paul Merideth
Tim Kerby
Cassidy Wetz

Sat. - Luella Pickrell

Anniversaries

Today

Duane & Sandy Smith

Monday

Charles & Nancy
Sams

Friday

Mike & Cheri Kerby
Max & Elaina Rebholz

Area-Wide Activities/Events	
June 24	Area Wide Singing - Parkersburg City Park Bandshell [formerly held at Point Park] (7pm)
July 12	VBS Kid's Day (Ages 4-12) @6th & Washington - Marietta, OH (9:00am -3:15pm) Lunch provided.
August 6	Teachers, Elders, and Deacons Workshop at OVU. Registration is \$15 per person and includes lunch.

Mission:	Donations Needed:	Date needed:
Summer Collection for the Homeless Della Poling (304-834-7519)	Baby Wipes, Deodorant, Neosporin, Band Aids, Antibacterial Hand Sanitizer	Ongoing
Various Needs/Agencies	Personal Care Items/Clothing	Ongoing

**36TH STREET
YOUNG
AT HEART**

ACTIVITIES




Trip to Canton, OH
Wm. McKinley Library/Museum
First Ladies Nat. Historic Site

July 21, 2016

ELDERS		TODAY'S SERMONS																																		
Terry Garner	304-295-6029	A.M.— “Living Transforming Lives” Mark Mason (Text: 1 Peter 2:11-12) (Reading: Luke 13:18-21)																																		
Tim Kirl	304-489-1814	P.M. — (Summer Series) “Overcoming Discouragement” ... Dennis Menear (Reading: Proverbs 3:1-8)																																		
Jack Long	304-295-6909	Our Nursing Home Residents																																		
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	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	Our Members Who are Homebound																																		
Dennis Menear	304-481-1433	Ruth Brookover	Ben Colantoni	Gladys Frohling																																
Troy Miller	304-295-6729	Jim Hart	Glenda Hendrickson	Jo & Ron Kress																																
Dan Mincks	740-373-7013	Laura Menear	Becca Simons	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>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 & 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), Rob Shuman (Jim's brother), Brenda Butterfield (Mark's sister)</i>																																		
Dennis Menear	304-481-1433	Privileged to Serve Next Week (06/26/16—6/29/16)																																		
Paul Merideth	502-533-4550	Announcements —Dennis Menear, Mike Moss Visitor's Table — Shirley Dotson Ushers —Joe Carrico*, Doug Dotson, Bob Hill, Tim Collins Table (Front) - Rick Kellar, Gray Grimm, Paul McDaniel, Chuck Jones Table (Rear) —Mike O'Dell, Blaine Duncan, Hiram Rebholz, Todd Joes, Tim Collins, Bob Hill																																		
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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.		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>																																		