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Weekly Bulletin

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**A Thought From Mark...**

What is it that the Bible says is "firmly fixed / settled / stands firm" forever in Heaven?

The Word of God.

Here is the verse -

**Psalm 119:89 - "Forever, O LORD, Thy word is settled in heaven" (NASV).**

Now, think about the implications. If God said it, it is settled. Forever, it is settled. Man can claim it is different, that it has changed, but man is not in Heaven - God is, and there - in Heaven - it is settled forever.

Some examples?

God said "I will never destroy the earth by flood again." Some alarmists say the earth will be inundated again. Who is right?

God's Word: "In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth." Some claim science has proven all that is came to be by purely natural processes. Who is right?

Scripture: Genesis 1:27 - "So God created man in his own image, in the image of God he created him; male and female he created them." The "wise" ones of our culture say people choose their own gender, whether it be male or female or some twisted combination thereof. What does Heaven say?

The Bible says "Therefore a man shall leave his father and mother and hold fast to his wife, and they shall become one flesh." One man, one woman, for life. The world says something different now. Has Heaven changed?

Jesus, the Word, said "He that believes and is baptized will be saved." The majority of the religious world disagrees. Which is settled in Heaven?

The Savior in the Word said, "Upon this rock I will build my church" (Matthew 16:18). Modern religionists assert there are many churches and that most any of them are as good as any other. So, are there many, or one? If you went to Heaven and asked, what answer would you get?

The Risen Lord said, "Go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature." We think "I think I'll just stay here and keep my mouth shut." How will Heaven react?

**"Forever, O LORD, Thy word is settled in heaven."**



Heard a sermon recently that you would like to see again - or refer to someone else? You can access video replays on the church's website (under 'Videos' tab) - or you can go to YouTube and access our channel (36th Street Church of Christ) and search for the title you want. If you just want to hear the audio, that is also available on the website (under the 'Media' tab click on 'sermons'). If you want a CD to play on a CD Player, you can fill out a form (on the board in the foyer). We can get you a CD copy in a few days.

**SAVE THE DATES**

- ◆ Don't Forget to "FALL BACK" - **November 6**
- ◆ Betty Ann Miller's Birthday Celebration - **November 12**
- ◆ Quilting Block of the Month (Room 2) - **November 12**
- ◆ YAH Thanksgiving Luncheon - **November 17**
- ◆ Special Thanksgiving Program - **November 23**
- ◆ Teacher Appreciation Dinner - **December 3**



**MARK'S BLOG**

Have you read Mark's blog on the website? If not, you need to go and check it out.

He posts on a regular basis and his topics are timely and interesting. His current blog is entitled "*Five Things You Should Never Look At*"

Just go to the website and click the tab "Mark's Blog" and you will find this and all of his posts!

**Praise God!**

We can only begin to truly praise God when we recognize His authority, understand that He is in control, realize that we rely on Him for everything, and begin to comprehend the concept of grace and the awesome love He has for us that culminated in the death of His Son for our sins. This knowledge motivated the early Christians to live as described in the second chapter of Acts - being devoted to God's word and to worshipping Him, and being devoted to one another. Luke tells us in verse 47 that while they were doing all these things, they were praising God.

When God's church conducts itself in this way, then God is glorified. It is a process that feeds on itself. When our relationship with God is right, we will not only want to praise Him, but we will also be devoted to Him and to our brothers and sisters in Christ. Better than any command could accomplish, this devotion will cause us to live lives that glorify Him.

It was obvious to the people around the first century Christians that there was something special about the church. God was the center of their daily life, and they lived to praise Him. Sharing the message of salvation with the lost was easy for them, because it meant more to them than anything. Let us not be ashamed of the gospel! Instead, let us allow our friends and neighbors to see us praising God!

*"In the same way, let your light shine before men, that they may see your good works and praise your Father in heaven." - Matthew 5:16*

Dennis

**NOTICE REGARDING UPCOMING  
CHANGES IN MEETING TIMES**

Wednesday, November 2nd  
Start of 1:00 PM Adult Class in the Multipurpose Room  
(in addition to evening classes)  
Sunday, November 6th  
Start of 4:00 PM Evening Service Time



## SUNDAY EVENING YOUTH SERVICE

WHEN: NEXT SUNDAY—November 6 - 4:00 PM



*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 an afternoon that will be fun and beneficial for people of all ages!*

*Hope to see EVERYONE there!*



The FARNDALE AVE. HOUSING ESTATE  
TOWNSWOMEN'S GUILD DRAMATIC  
SOCIETY'S PRODUCTION OF

### A CHRISTMAS CAROL

November 3<sup>rd</sup> through the 5<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 PM  
*Special Matinee performance on November 3<sup>rd</sup> at 2:30 PM*  
Tickets are \$5.00 at the door, free with your OVU I.D.  
*Presented at the Erickson Theater*



**The elders have received requests  
for transfer from:**

**Bill and Betty Porter  
(to Camden Avenue)**

**Larry & Lisa Gibson  
(to Grand Central)**

### UPCOMING YOUTH EVENTS

MOV Traveling Youth Group  
Lower Paw Paw CoFC (Lower Salem, OH)  
Sunday, October 30, 2016

OVU Explore/Experience/Encounter  
(Register online at [ovu.edu/encounter](http://ovu.edu/encounter))  
Friday, November 4, 2016

2016 Alkire Road Youth Rally  
Grove City, OH  
November 4-5, 2016

2016 Belpre Youth Rally  
Belpre Church of Christ  
November 18-20, 2016

## Prayer Requests

### In the Hospital

- ◇ **Ron Grizzard - Marietta Memorial - Room 2276** has an apparent infection and elevated temperature. He was originally diagnosed with pneumonia when admitted.
- ◇ **Marilyn Kellar - Marietta Memorial - Room 2275** has begun her chemo treatments.
- ◇ **Arlene Snyder (Paula Garner's mother) - St. Francis Hospital - Charleston** continues rehab following hip replacement surgery.
- ◇ **Rob Luthringer (Phyllis Williamson's son) - Cleveland Clinic** was transported last week with a serious illness. He was unconscious with a breathing tube inserted.

### Prayer List

- ◇ **Dave Shreve (Jack & Carolyn Long's son-in-law)** - discharged from Cleveland Clinic after surgery and testing. He will return to Cleveland in January for major brain surgery to hopefully relieve his epilepsy.
- ◇ **John Beckett (Judy Beckett's brother-in-law) Worthington Center - Room 38West.** transferred from CCMH for rehab treatment. He goes to dialysis 3 times a week and continues cancer treatment.
- ◇ **Cathy Deem** was to go back to Columbus for minor surgery to repair her pain pump.
- ◇ **Glenda Hendrickson** is now at the Heritage Assisted Living Facility in St. Marys (Room 1).
- ◇ **Jordan Lee (13-yr old acquaintance of Judy Beckett)** has blood clots in his arm.

You Are Invited to  
**Betty Ann Miller's**

94th Birthday Celebration

Saturday, November 12, 2016

2:00 - 4:00 PM (Come and Go)

Multipurpose Room

Cards Only - No Gifts




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

(WTAP-TV Sundays @ 7:30 AM)

**November 6, 2016**

**"Citizenship As Christians"**

When it's time to elect government officials, should Christians get involved? Does the Bible have anything to say to the Christian citizen? What is the responsibility of the Christian as a citizen of his country.

Sun— Oct 30	Mon — Oct 31	Tues — Nov 1	Wed — Nov 2	Thurs — Nov 3	Fri —Nov 4	Sat — Oct 29
<i>MOV Traveling Youth Group @ Lower Paw Paw 6:30 PM</i>	Love & Care Sing 7:00 PM	<i>Ladies Bible Class 10 AM</i>	<b>Bible Study</b> (1 PM - P. Merideth; 7 PM - M. Moss)	<i>Bread Basket #3</i>	<i>Friday Night Sings @ Pennsboro, WV or Pickerington, OH - 7 PM</i>	 <b>FALL BACK!</b>
Sun — Nov 6	Mon — Nov 7	Tues — Nov 8	Wed — Nov 9	Thurs— Nov 10	Fri — Nov 11	Sat— Nov 12
<i>Early Men's Class 7:30 AM</i> <i>Daylight Savings Time Ends - 4PM</i> <i>Service begins</i> <b>YOUTH SERVICE</b>	Elders, Deacons, & Ministers Meeting 7 PM	<b>ELECTION DAY</b> <b>(NO LADIES CLASS)</b>	<b>Bible Study</b> (1 PM - P. Merideth; 7 PM - M. Moss)	<i>Bread Basket #5</i>	<b>VETERANS DAY</b> <i>Friday Night Sing @ Camden Avenue (last sing of year)</i>	<i>Quilting Session (Room 2) 9 AM</i> <i>Betty Miller Birthday Celebration (MP Room) 2-4 PM</i>

- ☺ *Terry & Paula express their thanks for your prayers for her mother, Arlene Snyder who is currently undergoing rehab in Charleston following hip surgery. Continue to pray that her recovery will go well.*
- ❖ The **Friday Night Sings** this week are at Pennsboro, WV and Pickerington, OH. The Camden Avenue bus will leave their building at 6:00 PM for Pennsboro.
- ❖ Love & Care Assisted Living is currently seeking a Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) to add to our staff. Anyone interested should call 304-863-8950 M-F between 9am and 3pm and ask for DeDe Cook or Sandy Penco.
- ❖ If anyone would like to be added to the list of people who visit or send cards to the shut ins on a regular basis, please give your name to Alice Hale. The assignments can be picked up in the library the first Sunday of each month.
- ❖ **Beginning next Sunday, November 6th, the evening service time will change from 6:00 PM to 4:00 PM in conjunction with the time change.**
- ❖ The next **Quilting Group Session** is tentatively scheduled for Saturday, November 12 at 9:00 AM in the Multipurpose Room. Have questions about the group - ask Debi Milhoan.

**Birthdays This Week**

**Thursday (11/3)**  
*Bud Nonamaker*

**Friday (11/4)**  
*Shirley Gilchrist*

**Saturday (11/5)**  
*Eva Leonhart*

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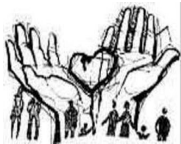
**Anniversaries This Week**

**Saturday (11/5)**  
*Mike & Margie Morris*

### Area-Wide Activities/Events

- November 3-5 OVU Theater presents "The Farndale Ave. Housing Estate Townswomen's Guild Dramatic Society's Production of: A Christmas Carol". 8:00 PM each evening. Tickets are \$5 at the door. Special matinee Nov. 3rd at 2:30 PM.
- November 13-16 Gospel Meeting at Bridge Street in New Martinsville, WV Speaker: Charles Pugh III
- November 4-6 Cold Harbor Lectures "Knowing God" - Cold Harbor Church of Christ, Mechanicsville, VA
- November 6-9 Fall Gospel Meeting at Mineral Wells - Speaker: Charles Pugh Theme: "What Is Life All About?"
- November 6-10 Gospel Meeting at Hopewell - Speaker: Wayne Miller (Joliet, IL) Theme: "Strengthening Our Faith"
- November 20 2016 Homecoming Celebration at Lower Paw Paw Church of Christ, Lower Salem, OH

### DELLA POLING'S OUTREACH MINISTRY



Della is currently asking for donations of blankets, gloves, hats, and socks (or a contribution of \$5 to purchase these) for those locally in need of help. Most of these people are quite secluded and embarrassed and most have families - they are not those you see begging on the street and she rarely sees them under the bridge, but they eat at the Salvation Army shelter. She truly loves helping them and she thanks you for donating!

She also continues collecting items (non-perishable food, clothing, toiletries, cleaning supplies) to be delivered to those in need in the poorer counties of southern West Virginia.

You can bring items and place in Room 2 - and please if at all possible discuss and coordinate your donations with Della, so we can ensure we are meeting actual needs.



**Young at Heart**  
**Thanksgiving Luncheon**  
*Thursday, November 17, 2016*  
12:00 PM - Multipurpose Room  
**(Additional details to follow)**



## TODAY'S SERMONS

A.M. — “Does Religion Save?” ..... Mark Mason  
(Text: Acts 10:1-8) (Reading: Luke 17:20-21)

P.M. — “When Bad Guys Are Good Guys ” ..... Mark Mason  
(Text: Acts 10:1-48) (Reading: Matthew 8:5-13)

## ATTENDANCE & CONTRIBUTION

(week of 10-23-2016)

Sunday AM Bible Class	109
Sunday AM Worship	186
Sunday PM Service	106
Offering	\$4,286.25
Wed. 1 PM Class	
Wed. 7 PM Class	119

### ELDERS

Terry Garner  
Tim Kirl  
Jack Long  
Mike Moss  
Jim Shuman

### DEACONS

Tim Baillargeon  
John Eckhart  
John Garner  
Chuck Jones  
Jerry Lemley  
Dennis Menear  
Troy Miller  
Dan Mincks

### MINISTERS

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### INTERNS

Jared Shipley  
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## PRAYERS FOR:

### Our Nursing Home Residents:

Betty Bibbee  
(Eagle Point Rm127)

Edna Cain  
(The Willows Rm115)

Lois Miller  
(Ravenswood Care Ctr Rm12)

Jerry Page  
(Eagle Point Rm334)

Peggy Smith  
(Marietta Care & Rehab Rm408)

Jean VanSickle  
(Worthington Manor Rm W28B)

Walter Wigal  
(The Willows Rm206)

Myra Zinn  
(Cedar Grove Rm W60)

### Our Military:

Ryan Bemish  
U.S. Army  
(son of Dan & Debbie Sherman)

Chris Depuy & wife Melanie  
U.S. Air Force  
(son of Jeff & Julie Depuy)

Brad Gibbs & wife Amber  
U.S. Navy  
(grandson of Kelly & Genny Gibbs)

Joshua Rebholz  
U.S. Marines  
(grandson of Hiram & Nina Rebholz & Fred & Martha Nulter)

Chad Williamson & wife Julie  
U.S. Marines  
(grandson of Pat Williamson)

Anthony Worst  
U.S. Marines  
(nephew of Michelle Hershman)

Steven White  
U.S. Navy  
(friend of Ashley Chichester)

### Our Homebound Members:

Ruth Brookover  
Ben Colantoni  
Gladys Frohling  
Jim Hart  
Ron & Jo Kress  
Laura Menear  
Becca Simons  
Robin Wilson

### Those with Cancer:

*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), 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), Cassie McGinnis (daughter of the late Howard Dowler), Mike Taylor (Cousin of Sarah Shuman), Donald Kelley (Jim's brother), Jon Gregg (husband of Sarah Shuman's niece, Adreama), John Beckett (Judy's brother-in-law)*

### Ongoing Health Issues:

*Bill Butterfield, Mary Beth Full, 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, Kathy Lancaster (Bruce & Sandy Goodno's daughter), 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), Kimberly Kellar Kirk (niece of Judy Curkendall), Edna Cain (mother of Sarah Shuman), Rob Shuman (Jim's brother), Brenda Butterfield (Mark's sister).*

## Privileged to Serve Next Week (11/06/16—11/09/16)

### Announcements:

Dennis Menear, Mike Moss

### Visitor Table:

Alice Hale

### Ushers:

Kelly Gibbs\*, Jeff Poling, Spencer Seeley, Troy Miller

### Communion Table (Front):

Rod Seeley, Rick Kellar, Gary Carothers, Eddie Gray

### Communion (Rear):

Matthew Butterfield, Mike O'Dell, Sonny Williamson, Dave Berger, Hiram Rebholz, Bob Schott

	SUN AM	SUN PM	WED
Drive Van	N/A	N/A	John Garner
Song Leader	Charles Morris	Youth Service	Kelly Gibbs
Prayer	Bill Butterfield	Youth Service	Ethan Kirl
Table Speaker	Tim Kirl	Dwain Hartley	
Table Assist	Joe Carrico	John Garner	
Read Scripture	Jim Taylor	Youth Service	
Closing Prayer	Jack Long	Jerry Lemley	

### Join Us for Worship:

Sunday Morning Bible Study  
9:30 AM  
Sunday Morning Worship  
10:30 AM  
Sunday Evening Worship  
6:00 PM  
Wednesday Bible Study  
7:00 PM

*During Standard Time (Nov-Feb), there is also a Wednesday Afternoon Bible Class at 1:00 PM in the Multipurpose Room*