

What Things?

Sunday, April 9, 2023

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by Doug Kashorek

It must have been very confusing for Jesus' followers on the day He rose from the dead. Though He had told them multiple times what must happen to Him, no one seemed to expect it, nor without the Holy Spirit poured out upon them for another seven weeks could they truly comprehend this pivotal moment in human history.

And yet, on this defining day when death was overcome and a way was made through the Way to the Father, Jesus revealed His resurrected self to ... women—who could neither own property nor testify in a court of law! Two of His inner circle, who would be instrumental in the spread of the gospel in those crucial first decades, were left examining the empty tomb and marveling at what had happened while Jesus *"that very day"* spent hours with two minor followers who had only secondhand knowledge and rumors as they walked to Emmaus.

That may have been precisely *why* Jesus spent His first resurrected day with them. Kept from recognizing Him until they broke bread later that day, Cleopas and the other discussed the events of the past several days and confusing news that those women had brought them. At this monumental time, when He had defeated the one who had held the power of death and freed mankind from the fear of death (Hebrews 2:14-15) gripping us since we were barred from the Tree of Life (Genesis 3:24, Romans 5:12), Jesus listened and then asked, "*What things*?"

How the newly-crowned King of Kings through whom all things had been made (John 1:3) who had just been given all authority in heaven and on earth (Matthew 28:18) must have been bursting with the completion of the *"good news of great joy."* But instead, He *"interpreted to them in all the Scriptures the things concerning Himself"* Luke 24:27. What a study that must have been! No wonder their hearts burned within them!

And thus, we who know His resurrection have a model for winning souls. We ask seekers a simple question and then reveal to them the things concerning Jesus.

<u>MINISTER</u> Doug Kashorek (M-Th. 8am-2pm) Office Hours

ELDERS Terry Garner

Tim Kirl Jim Shuman

DEACONS

Randy Craig John Eckhart John Garner Chuck Jones Jerry Lemley Dan Mincks Jim Taylor

SERVICE TIMES

Sunday Bible Class 9:30 AM Worship 10:30 AM Evening 6:00 PM <u>Wednesday</u> Bible Class 1:00 PM Bible Class 7:00 PM

FACEBOOK

36th Street Church of Christ (Public Page)

36th Street Church of Christ (private Group)

OUR PRAYER LIST

Gary and Judy Curkendall Jody Boone

Karen Hoover Jack Beckett, Jr

Ileene and Ed Lemley



Margaret Kashorek Ed Skeens (friend of Matthew Snyder) Elsie Smith (Ileene's 3 yr old family member) Kim Teel Feltner (George and Sue Teel's daughter) Donna Brandyberry (Sabrina Simms mother)

Our Long Term Care Residents:

(full addresses on foyer bulletin board) Betty Armstrong– The Pines at Glenwood Apt 124 Edna Cain The Willows room 115 Lola Hitzel Rockland Ridge room 301 Eva Leonhart Worthington Care Center room 33A Peggy Smith - Altercare of Summit Acres Unit home B room 15A

<u>Homebound:</u> Laura Menear, Betty Logan, Helen Sweeney, Phyllis Williamson, and Fred and Martha Nulter

Address for Kim Teel Feltner

(George and Sue Teel's daughter) Baptist Health, 5th Floor 2501 Kentucky Ave Paducah, Ky 42003



Vietnam Veteran of the Year

Mike O'Dell

March 29th was Vietnam Veterans Day and in Marietta there were various Veterans Organizations with

each one selecting one veteran from their membership for this award with this being the first time for this award. The Marine Corps League Detachment voted to award **Michael O'Dell as their Vietnam Veteran of the Year. Congratulations Mike!**

(FYI—Mike was wounded 3 times in Vietnam)

Celebrate Birthday and Anniversary

- 4/9— Chuck James birthday
- 4/10—Rick and Pam Kellar anniversary
- 4/12—Jay Houser birthday

Thank You

I really appreciate the get well and birthday cards from the congregation as well as those from individuals, during my recent surgery and rehab. I am home now and doing well.

Sincerely, Helen Sweeney

Thank you for our beautiful anniversary cards. They made our day wonderful! Love Jim and Rita Taylor

TEACHERS' MEETING

There will be a follow-up, informational teachers' meeting in the MPR on Sunday, April 16 following morning services. The curriculum we decided on will



be "The Life of Jesus", and it will be taught over the next 12 months. Please be sure to attend to choose your month and pick up your teachers packet.

Anna Hart's grandson-in-law, **Luke George**, is serving in the National Guard. He will be gone for a year, and has a wife with a 2 yr old and 4 yr old child. Please pray for him and if possible, send him a card/note of encouragement, as he will not be allowed to return home during this time. Anna said that it takes only 1 stamp to mail it, and that it takes approximately 1 month for him to get it.

> AREN Luke George PSC/64 Box 426 APO AE 09908

Would you like to send a card?

You may place cards in the basket by the Deacon's desk & we will mail them out. Extra cards are also there for your use.



<u>April 15(Sat</u>) — Mid-Ohio Valley Ladies Day hosted by Lubeck Church of Christ with speaker Marsha Robison. Registration begins at 8:30 AM with light breakfast. Program ends at noon with lunch following.

April 16(Sun)—Brief teacher's meeting right after morning services in MPR to pick up packets

<u>April 16(Sun)</u>— Yearly Area Wide Church Service at Camden Avenue at 3PM. Speaker Doug Wells— *Together We Stand*

<u>April 16-19 (Sun-Wed)</u>— Gospel meeting at North End Church of Christ with Phil Sanders. 7PM weeknights.

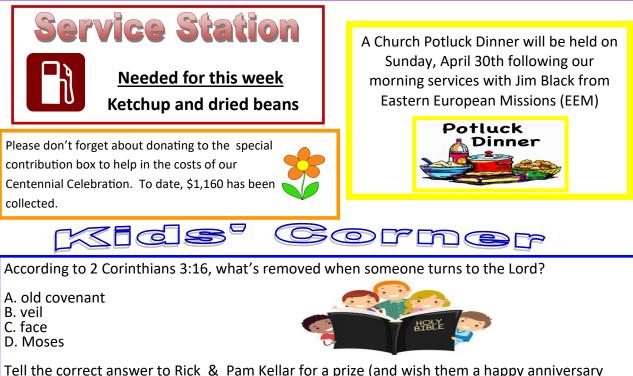
April 20(Thurs) - Red Cross Blood Drive here in MPR. 1-6PM

April 30(Sun)—Church potluck following morning services with Jim Black (EEM) speaking

Youth Events

Traveling Youth will be at the Rockport congregation on April 30(Sun) at 6PM.

Riverboat Cruise On The Nile—Formal Night/Prom Alternative— Free event on **May 6** from 6-8PM aboard the Valley Gem Sternwheeler. Packets with info and registration forms (due by Apr 10) are on table in foyer. This is for grades 9-12 only.



Tell the correct answer to Rick & Pam Kellar for a prize (and wish them a happy anniversa tomorrow!)

Hey moms, dads, grandparents and KIDS! There is a new activity packet for school-age or younger children in the foyer on the first Sunday of every month.

	Privileged to Serve			
Sunday, April 9, 2023 10:30 AM		4/16/2023	4/23/2023	
TODAY'S WORSHIP SERVICE	Song Leader	J Houser	J Shuman	
Opening Song Song Leader: Charles Doyle	Welcome/Prayer	T Kirl	K Gibbs	
	Table Speaker	J Houser	J Eckhart	
	Read Scripture	T Cramer	J Poling	
Welcome & Opening Prayer John Garner	Speaker	D Kashorek	D Kashorek	
	Closing Prayer	T Garner	J Carrico	
Song After Prayer	Evening Services			
Song Before Communion	Song Leader	K Gibbs	S Mason	
Table Speaker: Tom Butterfield	Welcome/Prayer	J Shuman	T Garner	
	Read Scripture	F Newberry	S Wigal	
Scripture Reading: Ray Hoover Luke 24:19-23	Speaker	D Kashorek	J Shuman	
	Communion	R Craig	J Taylor	
Speaker: Doug Kashorek	Closing Prayer	T Garner	J Carrico	
"Who Said that He Was Alive"		<u>Ushers</u>		
Invitation Song	Head Usher	J Lemley	J Lemley	
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Announcements & Closing Prayer: Joe Carrico	Usher 2	M Hale	M Hale	
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		Attendance & Contribution Week of 4/		
6:00 PM Service	Sunday AM Bible Study: 68			
	Sunday AM Worship: 111			
Song Leader: Mike Hale	Sunday PM Worship: 58			
Welcome Prayer: Matthew Snyder	Wednesday Bible Study: 64			
Scripture Reading: Rick Kellar Mark 16:5-7	Contribution: \$6,705.05			
	Weekly Goal: \$4,250.00			
Speaker: Doug Kashorek "Christ the Lord is Risen Today	Direct deposit contributions can be made here: https://tithe.ly/give?c=1322070			
"Christ, the Lord, is Risen Today	PRAYERS for Our Military:			

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



PM Communion

Jerry Lemley

Announcements / Closing Prayer:

Joe Carrico

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

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE!