YOUTH NEWS

Sunday, January 13th: All youth will meet at the church from 4:00 - 5:00 P.M.

Wednesday, January 16th, 4:00 – 5:00 P.M. –Jr. Chi Rho meeting at church.

Friday, January 18th, 7:30 A.M. – Breakfast Club will meet at church.

Mark your calendars!! Church camp dates have been set! Forms are not yet available, but will be posted when they are available.

Mini Camp (3 rd grade)	June 7-9
CYF 1 (grades 9-12)	June 10-15
Eighters (8 th grade)	June 16-22
Chi Rho 2 (grades 6-8)	July 15-20

Junior Camp 2 (grades 4th & 5th)

July 22-26

Camp 101 B (1st & 2nd grade with an adult) July 26-28

MORNING CIRCLE

Tuesday, January 15th, 10:00 A.M. – The CWF Morning Circle will meet in Bish Hall to make Valentines for church members: All are invited to participate in this worthwhile and fun project. Please come!

BARNABAS TEAM MEETINGS

Barnabas Team #I will meet Sunday, January 13th. Elders are Brad Allison, Julie Edwards, Kandi Hines, Marty Simpson.

Barnabas Team # II will meet Sunday, January 20th & 27th. Elders are Charlie Brunker, Bruce Florence, Vicki Northcutt and Sandy VanHook.

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

An expression of sympathy is sent to Doug Miller and family in the death of his mother Alberta "Birdie" Miller who died December 29, 2018.

A note of sympathy is sent to Bill McNutt and family in the death of his aunt Ruth Harover, Maysville, KY who died December 26, 2018.

An expression of sympathy is sent to the family of Josephine Winkle who died December 28, 2018.

A note of sympathy is sent to the family of Gene Hisle who died December 30, 2018.

NEW ARRIVAL

A note of congratulations is sent to Sarah and Joe Spinks on the arrival of a daughter. Amelia Zoarina Spinks was born on December 7, 2018. Maternal Grandparents are Dr. George and Sonia Frazier & Mike and Monica Wilson of Georgetown. Paternal grandparents are Betsy and Raleigh Joseph Spinks III of Crestwood, KY. Great grandparents are Martha Frazier, Carolyn Palmer and Dorothy Haselbauer.

CONGRATULATIONS

A note of congratulations is sent to Jared and Jenna Wells who were united in marriage December 8, 2018. Jenna is the daughter of Carl & Charla Nunnelley, Jared the son of John & Marguerite Wells.

NOTES OF APPRECIATION

Thanks for the prayers, calls, food and cards following my recent surgery. The meal from Lord's Lunch was delicious. I am truly blessed with a church family "who care".

Cathy Brunker

"I would like to thank everyone for their prayers, cards and well wishes while I was recuperating from my knee surgery." Lois Isaac

"To the Cynthiana Christian Church, The Smith family would like to say "Thank You" for the wonderful meal and allowing us to have fellowship in memory of mom at the Cynthiana Christian Church Fellowship Hall. We understand that this is a service you provide to all church members, but it made the close of the day for our family so peaceful and joyous as we each met with you and spoke of memories we shared. Thank you and take care."

Stephanie Wright, Willie Smith, Andy Smith, and Owen Smith

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JANUARY BIRTHDAY CALENDAR

(January 11th – January 31st)

Jan. 11th: Debbie Kendall,

Addison Peak,

Keith Moore

Jan. 12th: Melissa Partin Jan. 14th: Harold Kendall,

Madison Coppage

Jan. 15th: Katie Duffie Jan. 16th: Reba Fuller,

♥M/M James

McKee

Jan. 18th: Jacob Kendall,

Jack Marsh

Jan. 19th: Judy Letcher

Jan. 20th: ♥Dr/M Tim Teater

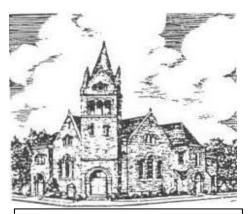
Jan. 21st: Maggie Dycus, Tammy Scott

Jan. 23rd: ♥M/M Steve Judy

Jan. 26th: Victor Colvin
Jan. 27th: Lisa Blackburn

Mr. and Mrs. David Batcheller 4595 Sabal Palm Rd Miami, FL 33137

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Sunday School 9:45 A.M. Worship Service 10:45 A.M.

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Minister's Message:

Sunday afternoon I decided to watch the N.F.L. play-off games. Because of a family member, I was rooting for the Baltimore Ravens. In the second game, because of a close friend, I was rooting for the Chicago Bears. Guess what? My fan support did nothing for family or friend, they both lost. In the Ravens game rookie quarterback Lamar Jackson had a difficult time of it. At the beginning of the 4th quarter fans were booing him rather loudly. They had forgotten he was the one who had gotten them in the playoffs. They were wanting a replacement, Joe Flacco to enter the game. The last time he was on the field, he was getting booed as well. It is rather unexplainable how fickle fans are in any sport or activity. The next game was even more painful as the rookie kicker for the Chicago Bears tried the go ahead field goal. His kick hit the side-bar of the goal post and then dropped down to hit the crossbar and then fall to the ground. As a father of a kicker I can easily identify with that moment. I must admit however that Jordan had many more up rather than down moments in high school and college. It has been reported that the kicker for the Bears has already received many death threats. I don't imagine the rookie kicker will be residing very long in the windy city. I believe there is enough booing going on in our world. What about the ministry of encouragement that belongs to each of us? What a great difference it might make in our relationships if we were to accentuate the strengths of those around us. It seems to be far too easy to see the points of weakness of others rather than their positive traits. The next time you are tempted to judge the performance of others, you might just stop and think about how many times we fall short of our goals. Isn't it wonderful to be a part of a group of people who are always there to support us, even in spite of? I think you call those people family, physical family, church family, or your family of friends. They make us all feel like winners.

.....Larry