

YOUTH NEWS:

Sunday, April 24th: All youth and families will go to El Paricuten Mexican Restaurant in Harrison Square following the worship service.

Wednesday, April 27th, 4:00 – 5:00 P.M. – Jr. Chi Rho will meet at the church.

Friday, April 29th, 7:30 A.M. – The Breakfast Club will meet at the church.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST(NEW DATE): The Cynthiana Christian Church Relay for Life team will host their annual pancake breakfast Saturday, April 23rd from 7:00 A.M. – 11:00 A.M. Proceeds will go to the Harrison County Relay for Life.

BLESSING OF CHILDREN SERVICE

The Blessing of Children service will be held during the worship service Sunday, May 8th. If your family would like to participate, please contact the church office.

Green Chalice News You Can Use: Be sure to check out the bulletin board in the fellowship hall created by children's church during our Earth Sunday service. It documents their "Hands of Creation Stewardship". There are some spaces for you to add what your hands do, or can do, for God's creation. Thank you to Dr. Teater and the Bel-Lairs for the wonderful musical selections and their "Hands of Stewardship" that indeed celebrated God's wonders. Additionally, as you begin to clean and plant your flower beds, don't toss your plants that are outgrowing the landscape. Our plant exchange will be Sunday, May 8th. Bring-one-take-one or donation.

WHY PLANTING A TREE IS A SPIRITUAL THING

Every time you plant a tree, you help God show and provide His love for generations to come. Here, as requested, are some claims reported which Tim used in his Earth Day sermon:

1. Hospital patients tend to recover from surgery more quickly when their hospital rooms offer a view of trees.
2. Most people report feeling serene, peaceful, restful and tranquil in a grove of trees.
3. Students studying for exams report a relaxing effect of views of trees.
4. One mature tree sets in motion the eventual cooling effect of as many as 10 room size air conditioners operating 20 hours a day.
5. Loss of heat from a house in the winter can be reduced from 10 to 50% by evergreen trees planted in the path of wind blowing on the house.
6. Dust, pollen and smoke levels in the air can be reduced by as much as 75% on the sheltering side of a mature tree.
7. A mature tree can supply a day's worth of oxygen for four people.
8. A mature tree can remove 13 pounds of carbon each year from the environment.
9. An acre of trees can store 2.6 tons of carbon dioxide a year.
10. 15 mature trees can remove all the carbon dioxide a car getting 20 MPG driven 10,000 miles.

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

An expression of sympathy is sent to Larry and Anna Bishop and their family in the death of Larry's mother Gladys Bishop. Mrs. Bishop died April 11, 2016. A Celebration of Life service for Mrs. Bishop will be held at the church at 3:00 P.M. Sunday, May 1st. Visitation will be held from 1:30 – 3:00 P.M. A time of fellowship will follow in Bish Hall. In lieu of flowers, the family graciously requests donations to Marie Hehr Park Fund, c/o Cynthiana Christian Church, P. O. Box 236, Cynthiana, Kentucky 41031.

A note of sympathy is sent also to Greg and Candy Bolin and family in the death of Candy's mother Fern Workman. Mrs. Workman died April 10, 2016.

----**Freida Mullins** is at home following a stay at HMH.....**Charlotte McCarty** will undergo surgery Friday....**Layne Tussey** is recuperating from surgery for a broken leg she sustained in a fall.

NEW ARRIVALS

A note of congratulations is sent to BJ and Rachael Cook of Lexington, Kentucky on the arrival of twin daughters. Alexandra Alaina (Lexi) and Zara Elizabeth Cook were born October 1, 2015. Phillip and Elizabeth Cook are the paternal grandparents.

A note of congratulations is sent to Jennifer C. Owen, Fairfax, Virginia on the arrival of a son. Ryan Patrick Owen was born April 17, 2016. Robert Owen is the grandfather and Mary Owen the great grandmother.

CONGRATULATIONS

A note of congratulations is sent to Andrew Grisham and Karrie Gear who were married April 3, 2016 in Topsail, North Carolina. Karrie is the daughter of David and Kathy Gear, Andrew is the son of Charlie and Rosemary Grisham.

NOTE OF APPRECIATION

"Hope you know how warmly you're thought of and how much you're appreciated for all you do. A warm thank you to everyone for the cards, calls and posts following my surgery. I love my church family."
Cindy Davidson

"Thank you for all the kind words and prayers leading up to and the passing of my mother Fern Workman. The love and compassion my family and I received from our church family has helped tremendously during this time of sorrow." Candy Bolin, Greg, Taylor and Amelia.

CABINET MEETING

The Church Cabinet will meet Monday, May 2nd at 6:00 P.M. in the conference room.

OFFICIAL BOARD MEETING

The Official Board will meet Monday, May 2nd at 7:00 P.M. in Bish Hall. All members are asked to be present.

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MAY BIRTHDAY CALENDAR

- May 1st: Jacque Brown,
Donnie Cooper
- May 2nd: John Bond
Alexander
- May 3rd: Taylor Bolin, Becky
Northcutt
- May 4th: Kenneth Hobday,
Jim Snodgrass,
Taylena Burgan
- May 5th: Jennifer Renaker,
Julie Wiley,
♥M/M Chris
Lunsford
- May 7th: Savanna Neace,
♥M/M Paul Foster
- May 8th: Peggy Dunn,
♥M/M Steve
Alexander
- May 9th: Vickie Stakelin
- May 12th: Larry Bishop,
Mattie Ammerman,
John A. Feeback,
♥M/M John Lair
- May 13th: Ruth Smith,
Ben VanHook,
Macy Yearsley
- May 15th: Mary H. Partin



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

**THE
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Minister’s Message:

My family and I would like to extend a note of appreciation to all of you for the support offered to us during mother’s death last Monday. Your cards, calls, prayers and presence have been such a positive gift in the midst of our loss. However our minds are filled with memories of her that will forever strengthen and sustain us. Living a meaningful life for ninety-eight years is a source not of grief, but of celebration. Mother not only cared deeply about her family but also her family of friends, including those in our church and those in her residence, Cedar Ridge. We are so blessed that she and dad were able to spend their aging years with us. Anna and I have been with you for some thirty-nine years, so has mother, and a few shorter for dad. They loved this church as we all do and I am so grateful that you always made them feel like family, which they were. Words seem inadequate to thank you for what you have meant to us over the years. You have shared with us your kindness and compassion, I will be forever grateful. I will also remember the concern you expressed last week and continue to do so. As a congregation you set the bar for excellence.

We were able to celebrate mother’s life in Pulaski, Virginia, with friends from there and here. It was a beautiful day to pay tribute to a beautiful life. On Sunday May 1st we will have a Celebration of Life service for mother in the sanctuary beginning at 3:00 p.m. Visitation will be prior from 1:30p.m. until the time of the service. Desserts and fellowship will follow in the fellowship hall. We thought this might be an appropriate gesture for those unable to attend her service in Virginia, including her special friends and family from Cedar Ridge. I will look forward to being with you on Sunday morning in worship as we talk about Jesus leaving his friends after the resurrection. The sermon will be entitled, “Being the Polos for the Marcos!”

..... Larry