

## **YOUTH NEWS**

**Sunday, August 26<sup>th</sup>: To be announced.**

**Wednesday, August 29<sup>th</sup>:** Jr. Chi Rho will meet at the church from 4:00-5:00 P.M.

**Friday, August 31<sup>st</sup>: 7:30 A.M.** – Breakfast Club will meet at church.

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## **CEDAR RIDGE SUNDAY**

Sunday, August 26<sup>th</sup> is our Sunday at Cedar Ridge Health Campus. Please meet at Cedar Ridge at 2:00 P.M. for an afternoon of fellowship with the residents.

## **LAST FIRST SERVICE**

Sunday, September 2<sup>nd</sup> is our last 1<sup>st</sup> service for this year.

## **CHURCH PICNIC/VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL CLOSING PROGRAM**

Mark your calendars for our church picnic and Vacation Bible School closing program that will be held at Marie Hehr Park, Sunday, September 9<sup>th</sup> following the worship service. That Sunday will be “Dress Casual Sunday” and you go to the park following the worship service. You can bring your dishes to church that you will be taking to the potluck picnic. The ovens will be on, the warming unit will be ready to keep your dishes warm and you can put your cold dishes in the refrigerator. Chicken strips, hot dogs and drinks will be provided. **Youth**, make sure to bring your bathing suits as there will be a water slide and other activities.

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## **BARNABAS TEAM MEETINGS**

**Barnabas Team # IV** will meet Sunday, August 26<sup>th</sup>. Elders are Kathy Brown, George Frazier and Cathy McCord.

## **AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY HOPE LODGE**

The American Cancer Society Hope Lodge program provides a free home away from home for cancer patients and their caregivers. The Hope Lodge is in desperate need of items as their shelves are bare. Items needed are: toilet paper, laundry detergent, computer paper, coffee items such as ground coffee, creamer sugar, (they do not need artificial sweeteners), disposable cups, etc, disposable plates, napkins, utensils, toilet bowl cleaner, Clorox wipes. Please contact Kathy Brown if you would like to donate.

## **OUR CHURCH FAMILY**

An expression of sympathy is sent to Betty Arnold and family in the death of her husband Tom Arnold. Mr. Arnold died August 16, 2018.

---**Mary Jane Duckworth** is recuperating from knee surgery....**Ed Ratcliff** is recuperating from a fall....**Greg Kearns**, son of Eleanor Kearns was admitted to UK Hospital for tests and observation....**Doris Rose**, mother of Lisa Kendall was admitted to St. Joe East for tests and observation....**Ruby Letcher** mother-in-law of Judy Letcher was admitted to HMH for tests and observation....

## **NEW ARRIVAL**

A note of congratulations is sent to Nick and Lauren Matteola on the arrival of a daughter. Elizabeth Layne Matteola was born August 15, 2018. She is welcomed home by her brother Gabriel. Maternal grandparents are Cecil & Susan Hess, maternal great-grandparents, Julian & Peggy Gray and Clifford & Gloria Hess. Paternal grandfather is Jon Matteola. Congratulations to the parents and their families.

## **INSTALLATION OF NEW OFFICERS**

The installation of new Elders and Diaconate will be held during the 2<sup>nd</sup> worship service Sunday, August 26<sup>th</sup>.

## **CHURCH CABINET**

Due to Labor Day, the Church Cabinet will meet at 6:00 P.M., Tuesday, September 4<sup>th</sup>.

## **OFFICIAL BOARD**

Due to Labor Day, the Official Board will meet at 7:00 P.M., Tuesday September 4<sup>th</sup>

## **PLEASE NOTE: THOSE SERVING THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER:**

**Elder, 1<sup>st</sup> service, September 2<sup>nd</sup>:** Victor Colvin

**Elders:** Beverly Cooper, Marty Simpson, Jon Hoskins, Vicki Northcutt

**Diaconate:** Robin Gray, Ch'm; Mary June Brunner, Paula Burden, Rebecca Crowther, Sherry Judy, Louis Kendall, Bill McNutt, Linda Ross

**Greeters:** Dale Matthews, Mattie Ammerman, Charles Isaac, Hannah Matthews

**Communion Preparers:** Rick and Susan Dycus

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## SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAY CALENDAR

- Sept. 2<sup>nd</sup>: Steve Judy  
Sept. 3<sup>rd</sup>: Mary Beth  
Alexander,  
Lourena Judy  
Sept. 4<sup>th</sup>: Larry Carey,  
Hannah Matthews  
Sept. 5<sup>th</sup>: Buddy Renaker  
Sept. 6<sup>th</sup>: ♥M/M Ed Lanthorn  
Sept. 9<sup>th</sup>: Joe Mike McDaniel,  
Kyle Foster  
Sept. 10<sup>th</sup>: Larry Judy,  
Jon Taylor  
Sept. 11<sup>th</sup>: Jerry Dawson,  
Bryn Free  
Sept. 12<sup>th</sup>: Grady Lawson  
Sept. 14<sup>th</sup>: Robbie Cox  
Sept. 15<sup>th</sup>: Mike Wilson  
Sept. 16<sup>th</sup>: Tim Teater  
Sept. 18<sup>th</sup>: Kay Cox, Megan  
Gray McIlvain  
Sept. 20<sup>th</sup>: Hannah Thomas  
Sept. 21<sup>st</sup>: George Jacobs,  
Kaitlyn Swinford,  
Addison Moore  
Sept. 22<sup>nd</sup>: Mary Stewart,  
♥Anthony Little,  
Mary Bell  
Sept. 24<sup>th</sup>: Katelyn Gray,  
♥M/M Danny Marsh  
Sept. 25<sup>th</sup>: Max Ogden  
Sept. 26<sup>th</sup>: Brett Hines  
Sept. 27<sup>th</sup>: Gary Carter,  
Joan Lawson  
Sept. 28<sup>th</sup>: Nathan Helsabeck,  
Rebecca Jenkins  
Sept. 29<sup>th</sup>: Ben Dycus,  
Cathy McCord



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

## THE CYNTHIANA CHRISTIAN CHURCH NEWS

Dr. Larry Bishop, Minister  
Dr. Tim Teater, Assistant Minister  
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### Minister's Message:

As most of you know when sermons are prepared, as ministers we attempt to follow the lectionary lessons for that particular Sunday. This is a plan that gives to you a scripture from the Old Testament, one from the Psalms, one from the New Testament, and one from the Epistles. The lectionary cycle repeats itself every three years. Last week when I was looking at the lectionary lessons for this upcoming Sunday, I found none of them were ones that I was fond of in regard to using as a springboard for a sermon. Maybe it was a bad day for me, I don't know. So I looked at some other scriptural suggestions and came across the teachings made by Jesus in Matthew 10:24-39. I read the scripture over and over and for some reason selected it as the base for this week's sermon. After you read the scripture you will know what I mean. It is a very difficult one to interpret but the more I thought about it, the more compelled I felt to give it a try. The sermon will be entitled, "Jesus' Greatest Hits." The main theme of the scripture has to do with Jesus saying, "I have come not to bring peace, but a sword." As together we study the scripture I think we will find out that Jesus is suggesting to us that we be removed from parts of our lives that are keeping us from serving him in a more committed manner. It would be helpful for us to take a step away from parts of our daily routine that keep us from not only hearing, but fulfilling the mandates of the teachings of our master. It might be of assistance to us if we do one thing weekly that makes us feel uncomfortable for the sake of Christ. What if we did one thing outside our comfort zone, that goes against our lifestyle? Interesting questions that we will explore on Sunday.

.....Larry