

YOUTH NEWS:

Sunday, August 28th: All youth will meet at Marie Hehr Park from 4:00 – 5:00 P.M.

Wednesday, August 31st: 4:00 – 5:00 P.M. – Jr. Chi Rho will meet at the church.

Friday, September 2nd, 7:30 A.M. – The Breakfast Club will meet at the church.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers are needed to help with children's church for Bible bowl Sunday and craft Sunday. If you would like to help you can contact Lourena Judy, Kyra Garrison or the church office.

CEDAR RIDGE SUNDAY

Sunday, August 28th 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.

MEMBERSHIP AND EVANGELISM COMMITTEE MEETING

The Membership and Evangelism Team will meet this Sunday August 28th at 9:30 in the church basement. We welcome Y'ALL to attend this first meeting of the 2016-2017 church year. In 15 minutes we will share our proposal of ministry activities, listen to your feedback, and consider any new ideas as to how we could improve our outreach. **"I am a minister, you are a minister, we are the minister's together!"**

Lee and Jane Stritesky

Green Chalice News You Can Use: As school starts and it begins to get cooler, staying in touch with nature is important for us and the environment. Outdoor time has changed dramatically in the digital age as adults and children are less connected to nature, which can cause us to care less about nature's condition. What we are seeing, hearing, experiencing at any moment is changing not only our mood, but also how our nervous, endocrine, and immune systems are working. Studies have shown children who spend more time outside are less likely to suffer from obesity, Attention Deficit Disorder, and depression. Research done in hospitals, offices, and schools has found that even a simple plant in a room can have a significant impact on stress and anxiety. Instead of plopping down in front of the T.V. or computer after school, encourage children to get outside for an hour each day and go with them. Use after-school time catching fireflies, exploring the neighborhood woods, making mud pies, and just having a good time running around outside. Take a family walk after dinner, devote some time each weekend to outdoor-only activities like biking and hiking, or start a nature club for your family.

DIACONATE, PLEASE NOTE: Hannah Matthews is the new chairperson for Diaconate and she is currently working on the schedule. If you would like to serve a certain month and have not let the church office know, you can email her at hannahcmatthews85@yahoo.com, or text her at 588-3180.

WEEK OF COMPASSION OFFERING

Sunday, August 28th and September 4th we will receive a special Week of Compassion offering to help those devastated by the recent flooding in Louisiana and fires in California. Envelopes will be in the pew pockets for your donation. Please make checks payable to Cynthia Christian Church.

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

An expression of sympathy is sent to the family of Geneva Lenox who died August 20, 2106.

U.K. Hospital: Sue Smith, mother of Cooch Hollar was admitted for tests and observation.

---**Liz Whitson** is at home following a stay at HMH last week.

NEW ARRIVAL

A note of congratulations is sent to Brett and Miranda Campbell on the arrival of a daughter. Caroline Christine Campbell was born August 18, 2016. Jeff and Debbie Beagle are the maternal grandparents, the late Benny and Doris Beagle and Christine Coy and the late Elmer Coy the maternal great grandparents. Steve and Tammy Campbell are the paternal grandparents. She is welcomed home by her sister Raeleigh. Congratulations to the parents and their families.

CONGRATULATIONS

A note of congratulations is sent to Mark and Mary Margaret McCord who were married August 13, 2016. Mark is the son of Gary and Cathy McCord, Mary Margaret is the daughter of Phillip and Lou Reynolds, Nashville, TN.

NOTES OF APPRECIATION

“Many thanks for all the prayers, cards and visits since my fall. The delicious food and meals we received were greatly appreciated. Being a part of a caring and loving church family means so much.” Wanda Marsh

Mary Beth McNutt would like to thank everyone for their cards, thoughts and prayers during her recent illness. A special note of thanks to Bish for being there.

CHURCH CABINET MEETING

The Church Cabinet will meet from 6:00 – 6:30 P.M. Tuesday, September 6th. Please note the change in date.

OFFICIAL BOARD MEETING, PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGE IN DATE!

The Official Board will meet at 7:00 P.M. Tuesday, September 6th. **The date has been changed due to the Labor Day holiday.**

PLEASE NOTE: THOSE SCHEDULED TO SERVE THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER:

Elders: George Frazier, George Jacobs, Brad Allison, Donna Jacobs

Diaconate: Robin Gray, Ch'm; Jay Brown, Mary June Bruner, Louis Kendall, Linda Ross, Mark Thomas, Luanne Wilson, Will Renaker

Greeters: Dale Matthews, Mattie Ammerman, Susie Miller, Charles Isaac

Communion Preparers: Rick and Susan Dycus

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LAST 1ST SERVICE
 Sunday, August 28th is our last 1st service for the year.

COMMUNITY PANTRY SUNDAY
 Sunday, September 4th is Community Pantry Sunday. Our church is asked to donate cereals (hot or cold). Donations of cash are always helpful to purchase needed food items. Please make checks payable to Cynthiana Christian Church.

CHURCH PICNIC
 Our annual church picnic will be held at Marie Hehr Park Sunday, September 18th beginning at 12:30 P.M. 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 bringing 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. More information will follow.

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAY CALENDAR (Sept. 1st – 10th)
Sept. 2nd: Steve Judy
Sept. 3rd: Mary Beth Alexander, Lourena Judy
Sept. 4th: Larry Carey, Hannah Matthews
Sept. 5th: Buddy Renaker
Sept. 6th: ♥M/M Ed Lanthorn
Sept. 9th: Joe Mike McDaniel, Kyle Foster
Sept. 10th: Larry Judy



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

**THE
 CYNTHIANA CHRISTIAN CHURCH
 NEWS**

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Minister’s Message:
 William Temple reminded us, “Humility does not mean thinking less of yourself than of other people, nor does it mean having a low opinion of your own gifts. It means freedom from thinking about yourself at all.” If we are keeping up with what is going on in the world in which we live, there is no way we cannot be aware of events in the lives of so many people around us. We are concerned about the floods in Louisiana, as well as the fires in California. That is not to mention people in other parts of the world who are suffering with different circumstances. We should be holding up all of these people in prayer. The best prayers are those that reflect a sense of action as well. Therefore we will be taking up a special offering for Week of Compassion this Sunday, as a part of our two worship services. As you are well aware, when these emergencies happen, your money from Week of Compassion is already on it’s way. When we take up special offerings we are putting funds back into the Week of Compassion program so other disasters can be responded to as quick as possible. We will take up a special offering for two Sundays, but we are highlighting this Sunday as important for you to respond to. I might also add that this Sunday will be the last one for two services. We will have only one service on Labor Day weekend. I will be out of the pulpit on a trip to St. Louis on this occasion, but Tim will be filling in for me.
 Please be present on Sunday morning and be prepared to not be thinking of our own selves, but thinking about the needs of those in different states who need our support and encouragement. Our sermon on Sunday will be entitled, “Winning Without Humility,” the scripture lesson taken from Luke 14:-1-14. Within this passage Jesus shares two parables regarding this important subject of humility. Abraham Lincoln once shared with us, ‘What kills a skunk is the publicity it gives itself.’”

.....Larry