

YOUTH NEWS

Sunday, November 3: There will be no youth meetings.

Wednesday-November 6th: 4:00-5:00 P.M. -Jr. Chi Rho will meet in Bish Hall. This group is for grades K-5.

Friday-November 8th: 7:30 A.M.-Breakfast Club will meet at the church for all middle schoolers and high schoolers.

SHOEBOX MINISTRY

It's time to start collecting items for our annual contribution to the Samaritan's Purse, Operation Christmas Child project. This project provides Christmas gifts and other important items to children and families around the world. If you would like additional information on this ministry, you can visit SAMARITANSPURSE.ORG/OCC. Each shoebox should contain a "wow" toy-type gift appropriate for a boy or girl ages 2 years to 14 years old, in addition to hygiene or other useful items.

Please do NOT include the following: Candy; toothpaste; gum; used or damaged items; war-related items such as toy guns, knives, or military figures; chocolate or food; seeds; fruit rolls or other fruit snacks; drink mixes (powdered or liquid); liquids or lotions; medications or vitamins; breakable items such as snow globes or glass containers; aerosol cans. You can bring items to the Church any time from now through November 10th. At that time our youth will assist with assembling the boxes and making sure they are delivered in time!

Christian Womens Fellowship annual Christmas Banquet will be held Thursday, December 5th at 6:00 P.M. with the theme being “Winter Wonderland.” Food Network Star Jason Smith will be preparing the meal again this year. The menu includes Orange Spiced Winter Salad, Garlic Rosemary Chicken with Cranberry Stuffing, Country Bling Sweet Tater Casserole, Bacon Green Beans, Clover Yeast Rolls with Molasses Butter and Apple Stack Cake Bread Puddin’ with Caramel & Spiced Whipped Cream. Tickets are \$ 17.00 and will go on sale beginning November 3rd.

FOOD BASKETS

During the months of October, November and December all donations of food and/or cash will kept at the church to make food baskets that will be prepared in December. Items needed for the food baskets are instant potatoes, canned green beans, corn, peas, fruit, jelly, peanut butter, pinto beans, jiffy cornbread mix, cereal, macaroni & cheese and cookies. Donations of cash are always helpful to purchase other items. Please make checks payable to Cynthiana Christian Church.

HELPING HANDS

Helping Hands will meet at the church at 9:00 A.M. Saturday, November 9th. All volunteers are welcome to help get the church ready for the holiday season.

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

An expression of sympathy is sent to Beverly Cooper and family in the death of her brother-in-law Larry Ishmael, Independence, Kentucky who died October 21st.

---**Kristin Church** is recuperating from surgery...**Eva Renaker** is recuperating from back surgery.
Nancy Hayes, daughter of Jane Hayes is recuperating from knee surgery...

NOTES OF APPRECIATION

“We are truly blessed! To have such a supportive church for Dad & Elizabeth and our family is such a comfort! Larry is above and beyond the role of a minister – he is Love on Earth! No wonder Dad wanted to live in Cynthiana. You all breathe life into Dad! The Tanners and Greenes

“Dear Cynthiana Christian staff and congregation, We are so thankful for all you’ve done for Mom & Doc.. the visits, meals, cards, veggies from the garden, etc. Also, the funeral meal was greatly appreciated by our family and friends. May the Lord continue to bless you to bless others.”

Linda & Jim Latimer

“Dear church friends, Words can’t express how much I appreciate the beautiful cards I have received from you. Larry, thank you for the call and concern. Cynthiana Christian Church members are so thoughtful to remember me while I’m recovering from my fall.” With love, Jane Hayes

NEW MEMBERS

A cordial welcome is extended to Iris Warth who transferred her membership to our church Sunday, October 27th.

A cordial welcome is extended also to Kevin Buckler who transferred his membership to our church Sunday, October 27th.

CHURCH CABINET MEETING

The Church Cabinet will meet in the conference room at 6:00 P.M. Monday, November 4th.

OFFICIAL BOARD MEETING

The Official Board will meet in the new fellowship hall at 7:00 P.M. Monday, November 4th.

PLEASE NOTE: THOSE SERVING THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER:

Elders serving at the table: Julie Edwards and Donna Jacobs

Elders helping with shut-in communion: Ishmael Hopkins, Vicki Northcutt

Diaconate: John Dawson, Ch’m; David Gear, Ashley Peak, David Sledd, Shelbie Sledd, Luanne Wilson, Amy Woodrum, Charlie Woodrum

Greeters: Dale Matthews, Mattie Ammerman, Barbara Lanthorn, Judy Letcher

Communion Preparers: David Gear

Sound System: Will Renaker

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BARNABAS TEAM MEETINGS

Barnabas Team # IX will meet
Sunday, November 3rd & 10th.
Elders are: Shara Hoskins and
Debbie Kendall.

FALL BACK: It is time to “fall
back!” Turn your clocks back one
hour before you go to bed this
Saturday, November 2nd.

MORNING CIRCLE

Morning Circle will meet in Bish
Hall at 10:00 A.M., Tuesday,
November 19th. Our guest will be
Jill Morgan, co-owner of The Purple
House Press, located near Oddville.
As a publishing company, the
emphasis is on re-printing classic
children’s books. She will explain
the process of that business and will
also have several books on display.
Everyone is welcome to come and
learn about this unique Harrison
County enterprise. Call Martha
(859-684-5056) or the church office
(234-5332).



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

THE CYNTHIANA CHRISTIAN CHURCH NEWS

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Minister’s Message:

As I reflect on my forty-two years of ministry here at the Cynthiana Christian Church, I have so many pleasant memories of people whose lives I encountered on that journey. From the very first day we arrived in Cynthiana, Anna, Stacey and I were blessed with so many wonderful individuals and families. Through the years our family increased to include Jordan, and the special relationships continued to be around us. I was down visiting our newly organized library recently and found a whole stack of the old directories that Paula had put on the shelf. What a tremendous job Paula and others have done with the library. I sat down in one of the new chairs in the beautiful renovated sitting area, and looked through all those directories. I sat there for thirty or forty minutes and probably could have remained there longer. It was a trip of nostalgia. Our church legacy is based upon the lives of those who have gone before us. They were faithful people, caring people, and people that one could never forget. They taught Sunday School, prayed at the table, sang in the choir, cooked in the kitchen, cleaned the church, assisted with the baptisms, worked Vacation Bible School, shared in the Outreach programs of the church, visited nursing homes and hospitals, and ministered to grieving families. What a pleasure it has been to minister to you and with you, I will be forever grateful. I will also be grateful for those who have touched our lives in so many meaningful ways, people in our own families and people in our church family. Recently at a Harrison County football game, the youth football program was being introduced by Brad Allison. At the end of the reading, the announcer said, “We need to recognize Brad for reading more names in a shorter period of time than anyone thought possible.” Brad will be reading some more names on Sunday morning as a part of our All Saints Day. He does an excellent job doing that as well. I love to hear him read the names of those who have meant so much to us, the list could never be too long. We can never repay these people for all they have done for us, but we can listen reverently and with deepest gratitude.

.....Larry