



Summer Communion
August 14



Dear Church Family,

The summer months are here...a time to rest, refresh, and relax while enjoying the sunshine and the warmer temperatures! But please don't rest from worship on Sundays! The summer months also give us the opportunity to worship the Lord throughout the week as well...maybe just finding a quiet place on a warm day on your back porch or deck to pray and read your Bible...or taking a walk in the park praying as you walk or riding a bike and praying...hopefully with your eyes open!!! Maybe for you it is sitting on the beach or hiking in the mountains where you feel you can be closer to the Lord. Take advantage of these sweet summer months! These are all good ways to draw closer to God!

I always enjoy preaching through a book of the Bible as it helps us to delve deeper in to the Word of God with consistency during Sunday morning worship. Since I have been here I have preached through Philippians (2015), Colossians (2017), Galatians (2018), 1 Peter (2020 during the pandemic), and for over 20 weeks - Acts (2021-22).

This summer we are going to tackle 1 & 2 Thessalonians! So I would encourage you to read through those two letters that Paul wrote to the church in Thessalonica. I would also encourage you to be present in worship..we miss you when you are not present in the sanctuary! I know vacations, etc. will be popping up for people during the summer months, but with the livestream you don't have to miss a Sunday!

So let's make this summer extra special by drawing closer to God!

Love being your pastor!

Love and Blessings in Jesus!
Alice

Upcoming Meetings

Trustees met June 12 and July/Aug if needed

Deacons met June 12 and July/Aug if needed

Session June 15 at 7 pm here and online July/Aug as needed



Keep these folks and their caregivers in your prayers for healing and recovery from hospitalization or recent illness.

Jerry Smith
John and Pat Jordan
Larry and Pat Myers
Bob and Suzanne Merkle

Thank You's for the Month



- Thank you to the Deacons for coordinating the funeral dinner for the Gordon family. Thank you to everyone who donated food for the event and helped set up and serve.

- Thank you to everyone who gave to the Gordon Love offering. It was a real help for Janell and the family.
- Thank you to the Deacons who set up and served at the Russell Celebration of Life Event.
- Thank you to the Women's Circle for sponsoring the Senior Tea and recognizing our graduating Seniors.
- Thank you to Suzanne Merkle for doing the calligraphy on the Bible dedication for the senior gifts.
- Thank you to all those who participated in the National Day of Prayer.
- Thank you to everyone who participated in supporting our local police on the night of the Police Parade.
- The Deacon's want to thank the congregation for their generous love offering which will help continue their mission of service.
- Thank you to the Congregational Life Committee for preparing the Pentecost decorative balloons.

WELCOME BACK!

We also welcome back to our congregation:

Barbie Scheiderer
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Plain City, OH 43064
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bsbarbie52@aol.com.
Birthdate: Feb. 17

We are glad you are worshiping with us!



Nancy Patterson and Rod Russell and their entire families would like to express their sincere thanks for all the love and support shown during the loss of their father, Ray Russell. Thank you

for your prayers, kind words, cards, memorial donations and shared stories and memories. Thank you to everyone who helped with the recent Celebration of Life service, the Deacons with help with the meal, Dave McCray for help with the slide presentation, Rev. Alice for the memorial service and Ailene Albrecht for the beautiful music. Thank you to everyone who supported us in any way during this time of loss. Your loving care was very much



Sympathy to the family and friends of Willy Gordon who passed away on May 12. Keep Janell and Willy's children and extended family in your

thoughts and prayers during this most difficult time.



Join us for Adult Sunday School beginning July 17 for six sessions!

From 9:10 until 9:50 Sunday mornings.

Beginning July 17
July 17, 24, 31, August 7, 14. 28

Bible Study Opportunities:

Weekly Monday night prayer and Bible study wraps up in June .July and August on break..

Men's Bible Study Will be on a break until the Fall. Enjoy your summer!

New Member Welcome! On Pentecost we welcomed 4 new members to the congregation.

Henleigh Reed is ten years old and will be going into 5th grade. She is the daughter of Whitney and Chris Reed. Henleigh loves soccer, reading, art, playing outside with her cousins, collecting Pokémon cards, and her favorite class at school is history, specifically learning about World War II.

Morgyn Craney is ten years old and is a rising 6th grader. She is the daughter of Brynn and Chad Craney. She loves music and has been playing piano for almost five years and clarinet for one year. She is currently in her second year of 4H. Morgyn is an avid reader, artist, animal lover, and rock collector! She also enjoys spending time with her family and playing games.

Sophia Manring will be going into the 9th grade. She is the daughter of Leanne and Shane Manring. She enjoys school and her favorite subjects are art and math. Sophia has been in Girl Scouts for nine years, and is in the Hilliard Bradley Color Guard for marching band. Her hobbies are bike riding, reading, and camping.

Heidi Beachy has two sons, Skylier (23) and Zayvier (21). She is a Paralegal at Standley Law Group. In her spare time she enjoys going to baseball games, dinner with Skylier, hanging out with her pitties, spending time with family and watching TikTok.



VBS is COMING!!

JUNE 27– JULY 1 10-12 AM

Ages 3 through Grade 6



Come join in the fun this year as we continue our planting theme from last year but moving toward harvest. The outside setup worked so well that we are using it again. Rosemary Anderson needs your help in making this another successful year. If you can volunteer or support in any way, please let her know. Call the church office at 614-873-5011 to register or go on-line at <https://pcpresbyterianvbs.mycokesburyvbs.com/>

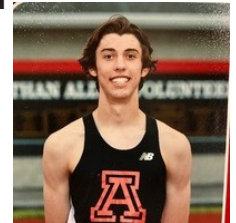
ON MAY 22 WE CONGRATULATED OUR GRADUATING SENIORS! Best wishes to each of you for continued success in your future endeavors!

Hannah Beach- During her JA years, she has been a member of both the varsity volleyball and basketball teams. She has recently served as a camp counselor for the 6th grade camp. She will be attending West Virginia University this fall majoring in Ag. Business.



Eric Manring- Eric will be graduating from Hilliard Bradley High School. While in high school he was involved in E-Sports (Gaming), Marching Band, Teaching Assistant, and most recently a final 4 contender in Senior Tag. He worked part time at a bike shop, and completed Eagle Scout. He participated in the 2019 Mission Trip with the church. In August Eric will attend Ohio Northern University to study Computer Science and continue with E-Sports.

Joey Walker- He has been a star athlete at JA in both basketball and track & field. He was the 2021 State High Jump Champion for Div. 2. He will be continuing his track career at Penn State this fall.



So many of you have participated in Operation Christmas Child!

Here's an idea! Why not start packing your Operation Christmas Child box early rather than during the Christmas rush? You might see items on sale this summer. (i.e. summer toys).

BOXES ARE HERE!!! We have some children's crafts and other items from Barbara Berry's daughter Jill that you can also add to your box. You can pick them up at church!

PLEASE NOTE: FILLED Boxes will not be turned back in until the beginning of November!



If you are interested - right now limited to 15 people! I would encourage everyone to have her own room for private quiet/devotional time. If you would like to share a room especially if mother/daughter (high school age and older) are going there are single and double occupancy listed.

Cost includes lodging and all meals per individual and facility use. Friday light dinner, Saturday breakfast, lunch, and dinner, Sunday breakfast and lunch. All rooms have private bathroom.

Basic room - 2 double beds

single occupancy \$219.50
double occupancy \$199.50

Studio room (includes TV, microwave, and small refig) - 1 double bed

Single occupancy \$227.50
Double occupancy \$207.50



Women's Fall Retreat

October 7-9, 2022

John XXIII Pastoral Center
Charleston, WV

NURSERY



Calling all individuals who would enjoy volunteering in the nursery on Sunday's during worship service.

As a volunteer, we ask that you arrive in the nursery no later than 9:45AM on your Sunday. If there are no "little ones" to care for, you may join worship service at 10:10AM. If you are willing to volunteer, try to secure a buddy, as we need 2 adults for every service. If you are unable to find a partner, I will pair you with another volunteer. Let me know if you would like to serve in this way and what Sunday that would be convenient for you. The Christian Education Committee thanks you for considering this request!

Rita McCray text: 614-634-8197
email: teawithrita@yahoo.com

The Recycling Dumpster has finally been removed!!! Local recycling sites are still available at the High School and the Catholic Parish Activity Center.



REMEMBERING OUR SHUT-INS

Being shut-in during the pandemic should have given us a better appreciation for those on our shut-in list. Please take a moment to remember our shut-ins. Drop them a card or give them a call!

Our Shut-ins

- Bob Schlitz—Home
- Connie Zimmerman—Arizona home
- Dick Harper—Home
- Marian Thomas & Pat Stenner & Bruce Keiser—Dublin Retire Village Assisted Living
- Chuck Stoker—Home Pat Stoker- Bluebird Retirement, Marysville
- Bryan Becker—Home
- Arlene Perkins, Paul and Donna Gibson— Walnut Crossing Assisted Living, Marysville
- Charlotte Lambka, - Edgewater Assisted Living
- Mary Lou Rihl- Glenwood

Church Treasurer Report for May 2022

The general fund balance for the end of May remained close to the beginning balance only due to five weeks of donations being made during the month. The quarterly insurance premium payment will take up most of the general fund balance in early June. The Major Church Repair Fund was depleted due to the payment for the exterior stucco work on the new part of the church building. Additional expenses came in for various one-time smaller items.

General Expenses Fund

Beginning Balance 05/01/2022	\$ 2009.09
Income	11,985.00
Expenses	<u>(11,652.42)</u>
Ending Balance 05/31/2022	\$ 2,341.67

If there are any questions, please let me know.

Best Regards,

Gary Gibeaut, Treasurer



LOOKING FOR A WAY TO SERVE THE CHURCH ? CONSIDER VOLUNTEERING FOR THE AV TEAM.

The AV Team needs **MORE** volunteers. Dave McCray, Jim Kaufman Don McKelvey, Ian Reed and John Rihl have been our ever faithful camera men . They are need of some more volunteers to train. Please consider helping with this important service to the church family. Contact Dave or Jim if you are willing to learn and help.



Next FILL UP Sunday is July 3! FIRST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH IS FILL UP SUNDAY!

What is needed? All packaged food in boxes, cans, or pouches. NOTHING that needs refrigeration! Also remember this is a small area to fill so small boxes

are good. If you bring the food/items, we will get it in the pantry.

PLEASE BRING ITEMS TO CHURCH AND LEAVE IN BOXES ON THE WAY INTO THE SANCTUARY.

- For example: Canned goods - vegetables/fruit
- Peanut butter, Jelly, Crackers
- Cereal (small box ...or individual serving)
- Spaghetti and sauce, Pouch size tuna



06/01	Chic	Foust
06/01	Judy	Walker
06/06	Sophia	Manring
06/09	Charlotte	Lambka
06/10	Bill	Bowen
06/11	Teri	Salyer
06/15	Graham	Johnston
06/16	Nick	Stapp
06/17	Gary	Gibeaut
06/20	Bob	Schlitz
06/20	Junior	Moody
06/22	Donna	Rihl
06/22	Gladys	McCabe
06/24	Wendy	Walker
06/25	Paul	Gibson
06/26	John	Rihl
07/02	Elizabeth	Collins
07/02	Jane	Denhardt
07/02	Randy	Collins
07/06	Linda	Erdman
07/11	Nancy	Patterson
07/14	Harley	Bodenbender
07/17	Melissa	Erdman
07/21	Rita	McCray
07/21	Vicky	Pettibone
07/29	Leanne	Manring
07/30	Michael	Wilcox
08/01	Kim	Moody
08/04	Connie	Zimmerman
08/06	Daniel	Sperling
08/06	Angie	Lester
08/09	Henleigh	Reed
08/11	Beau	Stapp
08/12	Roy	Woods
08/12	Austin	Beltz
08/13	Paula	Ferguson
08/13	Keitha	Lear
08/19	Stewart	Walker
08/19	Nathan	Ferguson
08/23	Sally	Petznick
08/24	Frank	Smith
08/29	Suzanne	Merkle
08/31	Paula	Williams
08/31	William A	Wilcox
08/31	Connor	Johnston

06/09	Leonard & Donna	Rihl
06/12	William A & Jon-	Wilcox
06/13	Frank & Jerry	Smith
06/16	Paul & Donna	Gibson
06/17	Chris & Janet	Johnston
06/17	Dick & Kathy	Wilson
06/19	John & Pat	Jordan
06/21	Bill & Cindy	Bowen
06/28	Jane & Jeff	Denhardt
06/28	Jim & Karon	Kaufman
07/11	Madelyn & Kyle	Cook
07/20	Steve & Nancy	Patterson
07/25	Elaine & William	Wilcox
07/28	Bob & Suzanne	Merkle
08/03	Chad & Brynn	Craney
08/10	Richard & Joyce	Harper
08/31	Kim & Junior	Moody

HOSPITAL VISITATIONS
Things are opening up for clergy...finally! Some are limiting visitors to just two visitors per patient at a time. So if you are in the hospital or a loved one is and want a visit...please call or text Rev. Alice 740-391-2531

Card donations

Do you have unused and unwanted greeting cards laying around? Birthday, Get Well, Sympathy, Thinking of you, or Blank ones. We can put them to good use. Drop off on the table by the offices. Thank you!



FOURTH OF JULY PARADE
 We will be having a float in the 4th of July Parade. (Possibly in the Steam Threshers also). We would love to have folks of all ages ride along on the float! More details coming!!