

GREETERS FOR NEXT WEEK:

September 22nd Marie, Phoebe, & Charlie Richards

ACOLYTE FOR NEXT WEEK:

September 22nd Phoebe Richards

JUNIOR CHURCH FOR NEXT WEEK:

Jr. Church will resume in October

CHILDREN'S MESSAGES FOR NEXT WEEK:

September 22nd Hazel Almendinger

WORSHIP LEADER FOR NEXT WEEK:

September 22nd Rhonda Piper

FLOWERS

Today's beautiful flowers were given by The Frazier family in memory of loved ones.

BIRTHDAY AND ANNIVERSARY WISHES

A special and heartfelt congratulations goes out to all those with Birthdays and Anniversaries this week.

September

16th Andy Ward

17th Adam Eckstein

19th Katie Almendinger
Matthew Sayer
Danielle Cox

21st Daniel Almendinger
Rhonda Deeds

ANNOUNCEMENTS

September 15th, 2013

HAPPENINGS THIS COMING WEEK

Sunday, September 15 th	9:15am Sunday-School 10:30am Dress Down Worship Service With Rev. Oluf Kongshaug 11:30am Luau/Potluck
Monday, September 16 th	4pm Prayer Walk, Bike Path *weather permitting
Tuesday, September 17 th	9:00am Bible Study 1pm Tabitha Sewing Circle 5:30pm TOPS 7pm Fellowship Committee Meeting
Wednesday, September 18 th	5:15-6:45 Joy Ringers/Jr. Choir 7:30pm Adult Choir
Sunday, September 15 th	9:15am Sunday-School 10:30am Worship Service With Rev. Kevin Heckathorn

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Building Expansion Fund

I am pleased to report that your August contributions to the Building Expansion Fund have exceeded our monthly load payment. This is the first time in several months. Thank you for your support.

Scott Lockwood

Pre-School Notes



Pre-School is back in session. It is important to remember that the doors must remain locked when the children are present. If you come to the church and open the door, please remember to re-lock it behind yourself.

Thank you for helping us keep our children safe!

The staff at The Johnstown Christian Pre-School

Save the Date!!!

October 12th and 13th from 1-5pm

Johnstown Bicentennial Farm Heritage Day

At the Joe Almendinger Farm

Food-crafts-games-storytelling-contests-antiques



YOUNG AT HEART

We are going to wrap up our summer schedule with breakfast in New Albany. This will be Friday, Sept. 27, 9:30 AM at Bob Evans. Please let us know if you need transportation and if you plan to attend by Monday, Sept. 23. Call Mona 967-2101 or Ann 966-3074.



Youth Group Kick-Off

Middle and High School Youth Group's first meeting is **Sunday, September 22nd at Belt Park from 6pm-8pm.** We will start our year with a kickball kickoff. Mark your calendars now. Dinner will be provided. Just bring your friends



Fall Youth Rally

September 29th from 2-7pm at Geneva Hills there is a Fall Youth Rally. Activities include music, fellowship, hiking, canoeing, hayrides, food, fun, and worship. The cost is \$15 per youth. If you are interested in going, please contact Karen Blair the5blairs@embarqmail.com. This rally is open to all 6-12 grade students.



Adult Choir

It is with great excitement that Adult Choir will open it's much anticipated 2013-2014 season. The energy of the Spirit moving within our church is contagious! Catch the fever as we anxiously await the arrival of our new pastor! Rumor has it that he will be a "perfect fit"!

We encourage and welcome new members and are expecting all of our faithful past members to once again anchor this thriving ministry.

Come join us for our first rehearsal on Wednesday, September 11 from 7:30 until 8:30.

We will be singing the first and third Sundays of most months.

We will sing our hearts out as we celebrate God's many gifts to us and the arrival the pastor God has planned for us!

Now don't forget: Wed the 11th at 7:30.

This is YOUR personal invitation!

Musically yours, Barbara, Penney, Margie, Melanie, Jane, and Pat



Ladies Ladies Ladies

Reunion and Party

September 23, 7:00pm

All ladies of our church and their friends are invited to a very special reunion and Coffee/Tea Party at the Hot Spot Coffee House on Monday evening, September 23 at 7:00 p.m.

A very special surprise is being planned - details to follow in our bulletin and in our emails.

The fellowship of women is a powerful source of friendship, Spirit and strength in our church and our community.

Mark your calendar NOW so you do not forget!!!! Our goal is to have every woman of our church there!!! Please!!!

"I WAS THERE"

You say you will never forget where you were when you heard the news on Sept. 11, 2001. Neither will I.

I was on the 110th floor in a smoke filled room with a man who called his wife to say "Good-Bye." I held his fingers steady as he dialed. I gave him the peace to say, "Honey, I am not going to make it, but it is OK...I am ready to go." I was with his wife when he called as she fed breakfast to their children. I held her up as she tried to understand his words as she realized he wasn't coming home that night.

I was in the stairwell on the 23rd floor when a women cried out to me for help. "I have been knocking on the door of your heart for 50 years!" I said "Of course I will show you the way home - only believe in Me now."

I was at the base of the building with the Priest ministering to the injured and devastated souls. I took him home to tend to his Flock in Heaven. He heard my voice and answered.

I was on all four of those planes, in every seat, with every prayer. I was with the crew as they were overtaken. I was in the very hearts of the believers there, Comforting and assuring them that their Faith has saved them.

I was in Texas, Kansas, London. I was standing next to you when you heard the terrible news. Did you sense Me?

I want you to know that I saw every face. I knew every name - though NOT all knew Me. Some met me for the first time on the 86th floor. Some sought me out with their last breath. Some couldn't hear me calling them through the smoke and flames, "Come to Me...this way...take my hand."

Some chose, for the final time, to ignore Me. But, I was there.

I did not place you in the Tower that day - you may not know why, but I DO.

However, if you were there in that explosive moment in time, would you have reached for Me? September 11, 2001 was not the end of the journey for you. But someday your journey will end. And I will be there for you as well. Seek Me now while I may be found. Then at any moment, you know you are "ready to go." I will be in the stairwell of your final moments.

**Remember...
I love you.**

~God~



Prayer Concerns
9-12-2013
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Continued Prayers

- Our Governmental Leaders

Life Events and Praises

- Election of Rev. Kevin Heckathorn as our new minister.
- Beginning of this year's Sunday School Classes.
- Gary Weaver's (Ken Weaver's brother) surgery for a brain aneurysm is now at home.

Travelers

- Dick and Ann Moseley exploring Maine, Nova Scotia, and Prince Edward Island. They are returning this week.

Healing

- Mike Derenburger recovered from blood infection and is awaiting surgery for kidney removal on Sept 24.
- Bob Maibach had surgery to remove a brain tumor on August 14. He is now home.
- Barbara Haines has a serious autoimmune disorder.
- Trevor Purty recovering from a logging accident, broken back and leg.
- Barb Mitchell scheduled for surgery on Sept 18.
- Katie Miller broke her ankle while bowling July 21.
- Melody Frazier Dickens was in a car accident and was seriously injured. Moved to rehab center in Phoenix.
- Maxine Pardee myasthenia gravis. .
- Joan and Gene Shellenbarger —poor health
- Ron Goodman, latter stages of Parkinson's disease (brother-in-law to Jane Muller)

- Jane, (aunt of Susie Speck) stroke and failing heart
- Daniel Thompson—in therapy.
- Margaret and Tom Jolley
- Maryann Grimes (sister-in-law to Maxine Pardee) lung condition.
- Ron Schultz (Suzy Sayer's father) had shoulder surgery Aug 20th.
- Norma Duncan
- Josh Hall

Cancer

- David Irwin is having bi-weekly chemotherapy treatments for colon cancer.
- Brandin O'Keefe, aged 31, recent Fire Academy graduate, has been diagnosed with cancer.
- Colton Zigo, Northridge Senior. Second round of chemotherapy. Pray for success and his healing.
- Carl, Roger, Kathy, (Susie Speck's cousins)
- Amy Williams (Charlie Parker's daughter) finished with chemo treatments, will have reconstructive surgery.
- Brian Fisher, friend of the Miller's and the Frazier's, diagnosed with colon cancer. Had surgery and cancer has spread to lymph nodes.
- Megan Johnson Cervi, daughter of Bill Johnson and newlywed is being treated for two areas of melanoma.
- Diane Crooks and Nancy Wiseman, Suzy Sayer's friends, have ovarian cancer.

Those Shut in or Confined to their Homes

- Roy H. Sarbaugh (Carol Hoff's father)
- Alice Neibarger
- Ellen Howell (Hazel Almendinger's sister) is house bound. She is in pain management.
- Betty Ford