

## HOSPITAL REPORT...

**CAMC TV:** Judy Lilly, Midge Hendricks

**CAMC Memorial:** Ron Copley, Bill Stewart (Donna's husband)

**Health-South:** Larry Chapman, Mavis "Dorothy" Byrnside

## OUR CONDOLENCES to...

**Ruth Halbert & Family** in the May 25th loss of her cousin, Kenny Seawright.

## Happy Anniversary!!!

BILL & JEAN DOTSON  
53 Years ~ June 14

## Shut-In Of The Week Emmadean Smithers

P. O. Bo 184, Bancroft, WV 25011



"Thank you, Fidelis & Harmony SS Classes for the 50th Anniversary cards. We love our church family and appreciate them all." —Pat & Vernon James

"We would like to thank our church family for all the prayers, cards, and visits during Jim's heart surgery. Special thanks to Jim McGehee for all the hospital visits and to Tom & Kim for the great meal! It was a great comfort to know you all were lifting Jim up in prayer. We have been blessed!"

—Jim & Dorenda Lee & Family

Remember, today is the tomorrow you worried about yesterday!

## T-SHIRTS

Orders will be taken for 150th Anniversary t-shirts. Cost is \$5.00 (S,M,L); \$6.00 (XXL); \$7.00 (XXXL); \$10 (XXXXL). Sign up in the Information Booth.

## FLOOR STRIPPING

No activities will be scheduled in the FLC June 7-12 due to the stripping and waxing of the floors.

## "SON" BEAMS...

"Son" Beams is a new program for 2-year olds. It offers your child a fun-filled summer with a curriculum designed for hands on learning. It incorporates a variety of activities to include art, science, music, and the strengthening of fine & large motor skills while learning to be a "Son" Beam for Jesus!



Registration is now open for the "SON" Beams and the **Summer in the Son** program (ages 3-grade 5). Classes begin June 7, and will run from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. For more information, contact Kim Ferrell at 304-562-0700.

**Substitutes Wanted: Like to earn a little extra money this summer? Why not call Kim and get your name on the substitute list.**

## Children's Cinema Sunday

Join us Sunday nights this summer for a snack and movie! Pre-school Cinema (for 3 year olds to Pre-K) will be showing movies in the Green Room in the preschool area. The Elementary Cinema (grades K-5th) will show movies in the Elementary Department. Showtime is at **5:30pm!** Bring a friend!

## NOW SHOWING...

This Sunday, June 6th, our preschool movie will be "TARZAN" and our elementary movie will be "Homeward Bound: The Incredible Journey." Movies begin at 5:30pm!

## UPWARD CAMP

Upward Basketball Camp is for girls and boys in grades 1-6. It will run from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Sunday through Thursday, June 27-July 1. It promises to be a fun week for all those who participate in the program. Registration forms are available in the church office.

## We need your help by...

- ...Praying for God to work in the lives of children and adults involved with the camp;
- ...Volunteering to coach or help during the camp; and
- ...Donating to provide scholarships for those who could not participate otherwise.

Call Ed Nicholson @ 757-6742, with questions.

## VBS "BIRTHDAY IN A BAG"

Help VBS gather items for their mission project. Children will be assembling "birthday bags" for the Community Cupboard to be distributed to less fortunate children. Items include large birthday bags, party plates/napkins, cake mix/icing, cake pans, birthday candles, balloons, table cloths, cake decorations, streamers & noise makers. Donations can be left in the Info Booth or Coffee Area.

## VIP MINISTRY

Please disregard the June 22 calendar event "Cincinnati Belle". That date has been canceled. See "Riverboat Cruise" below for details.

## Sight & Sound Theatre "Joseph"

June 4-6 ~ Cost \$175 (Double)  
Due to Cancellations,  
Six (6) Seats Available!!!

## Cruise Slides & C-D Dinner

Friday, June 11 ~ 6:00 PM ~ FH  
If you went on the Bermuda Cruise, you'll love seeing the slide show. Bring a covered-dish and join us in Fellowship Hall.

## Dinner Theatre

## "Church Basement Ladies"

Thursday, July 1 ~ 6:30 AM  
Cost \$42 (Limit 40)

It's a musical comedy! Don't miss it!

## Honey in the Rock

## Theatre WV ~ Beckley

Saturday, July 10 ~ 3:00 PM  
\$20 & C-D Picnic Dinner

## Visit the Amish Country

Saturday, July 24 ~ 5:30 AM  
\$65 (Chartered Bus)

## Riverboat Luncheon Cruise

Friday, August 6 ~ 10:00 AM  
Cost: \$33

## Creation Museum

Cincinnati, Ohio Area  
Saturday, August 28 ~ 8:00 AM  
Cost: \$25 Plus Lunch

## National Quartet Convention

September 16-19  
Cost: \$400 Per Person (\$50 Deposit)  
Chartered Bus/Lodging/Breakfasts/  
Dinner/Convention Admission/  
Sightseeing/Shopping

## VIP Retreat

October 6-8 ~ Heritage Farm  
Only 12 spots left!

More information on these outings can be found at the Info Booth.

## VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE

Sunday, June 6, 2010

## DEACON OF THE WEEK:

Clinton Sloan

## CHILDCARE:

## Nursery:

(8:40): Jay & Krista Wolf

(9:40): Jane Wade, OPEN

(6:15): Ginny Hart, Doris Lewis

## EARLY CHILDHOOD:

(8:40): OPEN

Orange Room: Kim & Rick Hunt,

Rebecca Bennett

Red Room: Lori & Doug James

## DOOR GREETER:

Clinton Sloan

## NURSE ON DUTY: Susan Hayslett

## Wednesday, June 9

## NURSERY (6:15): Mary Lou

Turner, Rachael Copley

## OUTREACH VISITATION: Jim &

Joy McGehee, Donetta Shirkey,

Shirley Casto, Clinton Sloan

## CAMP HAPPY VALLEY

Donations for Camp Happy Valley? Bring them by Sunday, June 6. Sorting and delivery will be done on Wednesday, June 9. If you are interested in helping to sort the items, you'll need to be here at 9:00 a.m.

## VIP BOWLING...

New summer bowling is open to anyone 55 & over. The cost is \$5 (includes ball and shoes). This is not a league--just bowling fun! The fellowship begins Wednesday, June 2. We'll meet at the church at 11:30.



## NEW MEMBER RECEPTION

In lieu of Sunday School, a **New Member Reception** will be held in the FLC at 10:00 o'clock on Sunday, June 13, in honor of those who have recently come into our fellowship. Come and meet them!

## STEWARDSHIP

Week of May 30, 2010

## ATTENDANCE

Early Worship	187
Sunday School	197
Worship	280
Evening Worship	-0-
Wednesday, May 26	170

## FINANCIAL REPORT (22nd Sunday of 2010)

### Unified Budget

This Week	\$ 13,359.40
Goal To Date	324,523.54
Received To Date	318,545.31
Percent Met	98%

### Building Fund

This Week	\$ 6,950.00
Goal To Date	66,265.98
Received To Date	66,061.50
Percent Met	99%

### Miscellaneous Receipts

Community Cupboard	1,260.00
(\$60 Honor of Sandra Lutz)	
Deacon's Fund	1,120.00
Love Gift	265.00
FLC Debt Reduction	200.00
(Memory of J. Andrew Basham)	
Teresa Thomasson Memorial	50.00
Youth Mission Trip	175.00
Sound System	100.00
(Memory of Charles & Ella Drake)	
(Memory of Kenneth & Eula Faulkner)	

## ~Camp Dates~



<b>Older Midler</b> June 6-9 Grades 3-4	<b>Younger Midler</b> June 11-13 Grades 2-4
<b>Jr. High I</b> June 13-19 Grades 7-9	<b>Outpost Camp</b> June 13-19 Grades 9-12
<b>Junior I</b> June 20-26 Grades 5-6	<b>Jr. High II</b> June 27-July 3 Grades 7-9
<b>Senior High</b> July 11-17 Grades 10-12	<b>Junior II</b> July 18-24 Grades 5-6

**Mid-High**  
July 25-31  
Grades 9-11

Age group is based on grade in Fall of 2010.

## CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

Week of June 6, 2010

### Sunday

8:50 AM Early Worship, Jr. Church  
10:00 AM Sunday School  
11:00 AM Worship, Junior Church  
12:00 PM Parents (Mission Trip)  
6:30 PM Evening Worship

### Monday

8:00 AM Summer in the Son  
9:00 AM VIP Golf  
7:00 PM HLBS, Eagle Scout Ceremony (Sanctuary & FH)

### Tuesday

8:00 AM Summer in the Son  
6:00 PM Softball  
6:30 PM CE, Deacon, Mission, Trustee Boards

### Wednesday

8:00 AM Summer in the Son  
11:30 AM VIP Bowling  
6:00 PM Prayer Time, Finance Committee  
6:15 PM Outreach Visitation  
6:30 PM Bible Study, BYF, Children's Ministry  
7:30 PM Celebration Choir

### Thursday

8:00 AM Summer in the Son  
6:00 PM Softball

### Friday

8:00 AM Summer in the Son  
6:00 PM Bermuda Cruise Pictures & Covered-Dish Dinner

## WORSHIP

Sunday, June 6, 2010

AM

**"WHAT MATTERS MOST"**

Galatians 6:1-6

PM

**"THE DEVIL'S  
BLINDFOLDS"**

II Corinthians 4:3-4

~Dr. James E. Lutz~

## Some Thoughts From Our Minister of Music cont...

While cleaning up my notes, I am able to muse over them. "How we practice on Wednesday is how we will worship/ (perform if you must), on Sunday!" If I come to my rehearsal opportunity with a million things on my mind, not a one of which is God, then give it about a half-try at best....guess what happens Sunday? I will come distracted, tired, pre-occupied, and not with God...and my ministry effort will receive a C+, at best, and that's when I grade myself. Good stuff for a choir member, right? Oh no! It doesn't end there.

You see I am a child of God, a follower of Christ, an ambassador to His world, long before I am a choir member, musician or even a pastor. Life for me as a believer isn't just about the Wednesdays and Sundays. In reality, it is more about the times in between. As I reflect on Christ's ministry on earth, His times of ministry in "the church" were far outnumbered by His ministry out in the world. Taking the above thought to more general terms, "How we live our lives (rehearse) spiritually, day to day, will prepare us or **not** prepare us for worship on Sunday!"

If my attitude toward my wife is sour, if my patience with others is limited, if my gratitude-meter reads negative, if my reactions to others is spiritually immature, if my love for God's church and the people with whom He has blessed me to fellowship is conditional, if my spirit is first, judgmental, if my beams (logs) vastly outnumber my motes (specks)...guess what is going to happen on Sunday with I come to worship – for me – absolutely nothing!

And for others who may need to experience the overflow of God in my life, in order to get a fresh starter of spiritual bread – ain't gonna get it from me! Jeremiah 29:13 says, "You will seek me and find me, when you seek me with all of your heart". Pretty well sums it up doesn't it? God's gonna meet me on Sunday, when I've met with him Monday through Saturday in every area of my life.

Thanks to Regi Stone, who led the worship conference, in challenging my life with these thoughts. A final thought from Regi. "Worship becomes a joy when we make it an attitude and not an event or activity." I desire that joy. So next Sunday, I'm not just gonna bring a song, I'm gonna bring an attitude that has focused on God all week long!

—Rev. Alan Bays

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June 1, 2010

## ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING...

In his final moments with his disciples, Jesus asks Peter, "Do you love me?" "Yes", Peter replies. Then, "Feed my lambs". Twice more, Jesus repeated the question and twice more he passionately repeated his instructions, "Take care of my lambs", "Feed my sheep". Jesus was pressing his followers: If you love me, take care of the people I love. Live your love for me by actively tending those for whom I have sacrificed everything. (John 21:15-19)



Today, **One Great Hour of Sharing** serves people in over 80 countries. Sponsored by nine Christian U.S. denominations and Church World Service, **One Great Hour of Sharing** makes sure that we can respond to needs as soon as they happen and that tens of thousands of people receive support for ongoing relief, rehabilitation and development.

Whether it's a community or region shattered by natural disasters, families driven from their homes and livelihoods by brutal expressions of war, or societies ground down by unrelenting hunger, disease and poverty, Jesus calls us to tend his sheep.

This coming Sunday, June 6, we will receive the **One Great Hour of Sharing** offering. In these challenging times, we often wonder how much we can afford to give to help feed Jesus' beloved sheep. Perhaps only our prayerful conscience can answer that. But remember the feeding of the 5,000: when Jesus asked his disciples to feed the crowd, the disciples despaired (Mark 6:34-44). The five loaves and two fishes seemed insignificant compared to the massive need. Yet when each gave sacrificially from what they had, through God's blessing, their gifts turned into a miracle for all. Please consider what your gift can be. Offering envelopes can be found in the church pews. Thank you for your response.

—Board of Missions

## Some Thoughts From Our Minister of Music:

A choir member and I recently had the privilege of attending a Worship Weekend. If God had wanted to rain upon my life, then I went with an umbrella. One of those big ones! If He wanted to show me things about Himself, I went with both eyes closed; and I wore sunglasses so no one would know. If He wanted me to hear from Him, I took spiritual earplugs; and kept my cell phone on so I wouldn't miss anything "important". Get the picture? I just really wasn't all that interested in God's agenda, which in reality was all about me. Not "all about me" in the sense that His world revolves around mine, rather all about re-opening my eyes to the wonder of Him. I heard some things that I have said before....but just because I said them, didn't mean that I understood and applied them. Hearing them from another voice allowed me to apply their truths personally.

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