

please PRAY for...

Larry Clark – (Steve Flanary’s nieghbor) spiritual health
Lorraine Sweitzer – (friend of Cheryl Dougan) 33 year old mom & wife, had surgery Wednesday for a tumor inside her heart
Francis Blank – (friend of Cheryl Dougan) kidney failure, dialysis 3 times a week, diagnosed this week with liver cancer
Ad Webb – (Jen Hoban’s uncle) needs liver transplant; moved in with daughter due to ice storms and power outages
Stephanie McAuene – (friend of Sydne Lister’s) shingles, pneumonia, and a collapsed lung
Family of Maxine Clevenger – (friend of Cheryl Dougan’s mom) passed away last week
Stephen Beach – (friend of Sarah and Mike Plaughter) recent seizure
Karen Williams – high temperature
Michelle Schoonmaker – (friend of Clasby’s) health issues
Steve Dougan – Lasik surgery went well
Gary Thurow – seeking employment
Mary Fay – (Naomi Shields sister) undergoing arm and neck surgery soon
John Johnson – (Clyde’s nephew) possible jaw bone cancer
Grant Felzien – doing well now
Marjorie – (Cecelia Smith’s sister) surgery
Claudia Lawrence – better vision in left eye
Dawn Frew – (friend of Gail Oakes) undergoing strong chemo; trouble with swelling
Mayra Waymire – cancer in one kidney, awaiting test results in the other
Juanita Carrell – (wife of former Belmont minister) MS has worsened; Hospice home care
Rook family – (friend’s of Wood’s) health & relationship
Caden Liles – pray for a successful recovery
Charlie Campbell – Lakewoods resident; back home, trying to prevent dialysis
Jennifer Sauder – (Cecelia’s granddaughter) needs teaching job in Nashville area
Lauren – (Bond’s daughter) pneumonia
Richard King – prostate cancer
Dave Cornett – (former member) very weak; now has Hospice home care
Heath Fields – (Krista Long’s friend) 22 years old; Leukemia; in very ill health
Naomi Shields – back pain; hips
Traveling – Lorna Dudley (visiting sick mother) Ted & Betty Taylor
Please continue to remember...
 Edith Lloyd, Clyde Parker, Wallace Parker (Clyde’s brother), Clyde Johnson, Nicholas Rook (friend of Wood’s), Thaim-Choy Pang (Yin-Fong’s father), Betty Kincaid, Glenda Thomas (Ursula’s daughter-in-law), Betty Pittman, Frances Stroop, Fay Young
Our Shut-ins – Mattie England, John Miller, Ursula Thomas

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WORSHIP TIMES

Sundays
 Classes 9:30a.m.
 Worship 10:30a.m.
 P.M. Worship 6:00p.m.

Wednesdays
 Classes for all ages – 6:30p.m.

www.belmontchurch.org
 Sunday sermons may be heard on our website.
 Mike Gutwein is our Webmaster.



*A Family of Faith,
 Glorifying God
 by Reaching Out to Others,
 Sharing the Good News*

To Our Visitors: Welcome! You are our honored guests! Please fill out a visitor’s card located on the back of the pews and place it in the collection plate.

Before the worship service, please check your cellular phones and other electronic devices to ensure they will not disrupt our time of worship.

**Duty to God
 Matthew 5:13-16 (NCV)**

Yesterday was celebrated by many as Valentine’s Day. Children gave cards to friends. Husbands brought flowers and candy home to their wives. (If you didn’t do that you are in serious trouble, and had better do something quickly to fix it... may I suggest the jewelry store at the Mall is open on Sunday’s.... Don’t get into deeper trouble... like debt.)

Folks often think of Cupid flying around shooting arrows, making people fall into love. “Love” at least is the core of the holiday. Jesus also raised the topic of love many times. Christ summarized our whole “duty to God” as, to love God with our whole being, and our neighbor as ourself (Matthew 22:34-40). But what is love?

Our study this morning looks at this question and the question of Jesus to Peter. Jesus asked Peter, “Do you love me?” Today, he is also asking you the same question, followed by the same follow up statement: “You follow me!”

Can you answer the question and respond to Jesus?

-- Dr. John R. Wood

Today’s Worship

42 – How Majestic Is Your Name (2X)

Welcome/Prayer

96 – I Stand In Awe (refrain 2X)

692 – Change My Heart, O God

801 – Where No One Stands Alone (1)

Prayer

369 – It Is Finished (1,2,no refrain)

*Lord’s Supper
 (Release Carpenter’s Kids)*

369 – It Is Finished (3,4,5 w/refrain)

Offering

449 – Thy Word

*Scripture Reading -
 John 21:15-22 (NCV)*

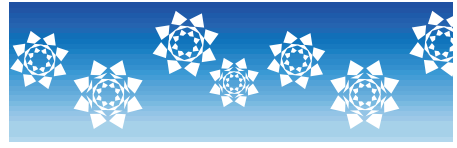
Sermon - “Do You Love Me?”

701 – My Jesus, I Love Thee

718 – We Shall Assemble (2X)

Closing Prayer

notes “Do You Love Me?” - John 21:15-22 (NCV – New Century Version)



family news & announcements

Operation Outreach – We have started “Operation Outreach”. Please check the back wall of the fellowship area (between the restrooms) to see material for that. This has a two-fold purpose - (1) a getting better acquainted with and encouraging our brothers and sisters here and (2) reaching out to those outside Belmont. Among material there, you will see lists giving suggestions on sending notes of encouragement to Belmont members. Of course, you do not have to limit your cards to those particular ones. Cards are provided there for your use. If you prefer to e-mail, that is fine, too. Please check with Jo Pugh if you have any questions or suggestions.

Wednesday Evening Meal – Please join us for dinner Wednesday night this week before services. We are in need of more help with the preparation of these meals. If you are interested in helping, there is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board out front.

Belmont Polo Shirts – Shirts are in! See Cheryl Dougan to pick up your order.

Items for the Homeless – Thanks to everyone for the good participation in the collection of items for the homeless. We have chosen the House of Bread, an organization that feeds the homeless and needy meals 6 days a week. We still need toothpaste, tooth brushes, small shampoos, men’s and women’s socks, and back packs. So PLEASE keep bringing items for the homeless and needy. The deadline has passed, so please bring any items that you have available for the needy. May God bless your support.

Communion Preparation – If you’d like to volunteer to help out with communion preparation, there is a new sign-up sheet on the bulletin board for 2009. We are still in need of volunteers for quite a few months: June, July, August, September, October and December.

Save the Date! – Ladies, as you make your new year’s plans, please save Saturday, April 25, 2009 to join the ladies of Alkire Road Church of Christ at their annual Ladies Day. **This year they will welcome the Editor of *Christian Woman* magazine, Janie Craun.** More details to follow!

Congratulations to:

Leyanna Oster on the birth of her son, Mason Scott Feb. 4th. He was 8lbs. 2oz. Everyone is healthy and happy!

Steven McCoy for graduation basic training for the Army in Oklahoma. He is now in Texas for AIT Training.

Family Fun Night – March 7th at 4pm... we will be bowling at BeaverVu Lanes. It will be \$10 per person, which will get 2 and a half hours of bowling, a pizza, pitchers of pop, chips and pretzels to share per lane. This price will include shoe rental if needed. Please sign up on the bulletin board out front if you are interested,

Winterfest

Schedules and other information are posted on the youth activity board. We will be leaving at 7:00 am Friday morning to get there in time to attend the early session. We will get back in Dayton around 4:00 pm Sunday afternoon.

If you are signed up and have not paid for your passes, please do so today. Passes are \$31. Spaces are filling up fast. Lodging will be \$40 per person for the weekend. This is due the morning we leave. Additional money will be needed for 3 lunches and 2 dinners and any extra spending. Breakfast will be free at the hotel.

There will be a meeting today, right after worship to work out room assignments and driving arrangements.

Please contact Monty at lilesml@sbcglobal.net or 427-9517 if you have questions. You can get additional information at the Winterfest website: www.winterfest.org

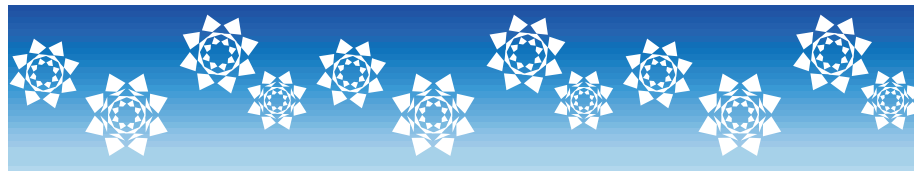
Belmont Family,

A few of our teens need help with registration, lodging and food expenses. If you would like to help, please see Monty.

and see Joe Hampton for any questions.

Dinner and a Movie – Diana and John Wood wish to host a dinner and movie night at their house on Friday March 6th and/or Saturday March 14th for young Adults. Please RSVP to Diana to let her know how many meals to fix and which evening you prefer. Call 256-1940. The evening will be oriented to strengthening relationships.

Thank You - from the Liles – Caden spent 25 days in the Cincinnati Children’s Hospital and during that time the “Belmont Family” showed such great love for him and the rest of our family. Thank you so much for the prayers, numerous emails, cards, hospital visits, phone calls, and the prayer chain put in motion on Caden’s behalf. Caden would also like to thank you for the “Big Card” that everyone signed, (thanks to Howard Carson for taking care of that). Also Caden really liked his “Party in a Bag” from the kids at Belmont. This bag came complete with food, decorations and balloons, (thanks to John and Diana for bringing it to Caden)! We would also like to thank Lisa Strawser for making sure Carpenter Kids and Friends ran smoothly; and for all the teachers that taught so that we could completely focus on Caden. We are grateful for you. ~ The Liles



class schedule

Sunday Morning

Adult (main auditorium) - Dave Bond
The Life of David (fellowship hall) - Diana Wood
Jr. & Sr. Teens - Barry Stroop
Youth (downstairs)
Kristy Bowen – Toddlers
Christine Harris – Ages 5 & 6
Wayne Hampton – Grades 1 & 2
Melanie Hubbs – Grades 3 & 4

Sunday Evening

“An Inspired Bible”

– Dr. John R. Wood

“The Purpose Driven Life” by Rick Warren

– facilitated by Clyde Johnson

K.A.B.O.O.M.! – for kids of all ages

Wednesday Evening

The Parables of Jesus

– Dr. John R. Wood

February 15

Carpenter’s Kids – Monty & Shelly Liles
Toddler Room – Nancy Clasby

February 22

Carpenter’s Kids – Joe Hampton
Toddler Room – Amanda Nichols

February Greeters

Joe & Wayne Hampton Families

February Communion Trays

Hampton’s

birthdays & anniversaries this week

February 17 – Marie Biondie

February 18 – Ed Beckley

February 19 – Krissy Truex

February 20 – Carl Crist

items needed: (for Hands & Hearts)

- * Dollar Store Toy
- * Fruit Snacks
- * Card Games

