

please PRAY for...

Victims of the earthquake in Haiti

Mary Schlemmer – in hospice; not doing well; family is requesting no visitors

Mike Greenwood – spot found in lung, not cancerous

Michelle Shoonmaker – (friend of the Clasby's) health

Marylou Geiger – (Hoban's neighbor) at Kettering in ICU

Naomi Shields – in hospital to regulate her medications

Hershell O'Dell – (friend of the Dougan's) biopsy confirmed cancer in kidney; second tumor found, biopsy to be scheduled

Tiffany Williams – in a neck brace; rheumatoid arthritis, going to Cincinnati again in early February

Mildred Walters – (Lakewoods) heart problems and general health

Charlie Campbell – (Lakewoods) part of leg/foot removed due to diabetes

Bob Henry – (friend of the Dougan's) was suspended at work, but was told he could return!

Crystal Souder – (Cecelia Smith's daughter) total hysterectomy, no cancer found; now home

David Carr – personal problems

Leighanna and Tim Jones – (friends of Tolu's) lost their only child, Isaiah, last month. He would have been 1 last week; they donated his organs and were able to save the lives of two children

John McAfee – (friend of the Dougan's, and member at Centerville CoC) recent double bypass surgery; doing well now

Bill McClain – recent procedure done

Wayne Sooy – (Margie Hubb's sister-in-law's brother in Indiana) cardiac arrest; now off life support and breathing with the help of oxygen! had pneumonia and also diagnosed with COPD

Nick Noe – (friend of the Dougan's) 100% hearing loss since skull fracture, but saw a specialist and he is a good candidate for a cochlear implant

Wade Hampton – Wade is still at Oak Creek Terrace Nursing Home

Clyde & Linda Johnson – personal struggles

Marie Biondi – back problems

Lesla Broyles – (recent visitor, friend of Karen Williams) awaiting biopsy results; also, prayers for her son to find a job so he can support his family

Donald Broyles – health problems, in his back down to his hips and knees

Darlene Weaver – (recent visitor) prayers for her family

Jim Patterson – not doing well

Jim Webb – broken shoulder & hip due to fall

ministry contacts

Elders

Gary Clasby 293-6290 (Home)

Wayne Hampton 429-9454 (Home)

672-2418 (Cell)

Please call an elder if you'd like to schedule a meeting.

Deacons

Shane Bowen Outreach/Missions

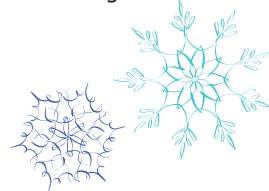
Bill Pittman Bldg. & Grounds

Minister

Interim – Shane Bowen

Prayer Requests

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Secretary's Office Hours

Monday and Tuesday – 9a.m. to 1p.m.

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.

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Sunday sermons may be heard on our website.

Samantha Dougan is our Webmaster.

Belmont church of Christ

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.

The Secret

Many books have been written about the search for the secret of life. Seminars are held by the Guru's on the subject of the secret to living a life of contentment and fulfillment. People want to know what the secret is so badly, they are willing to pay to hear an "Expert" tell them the secret that they are missing. Little do they know that the secret was discovered long ago and is explained in Philipians by Paul.

Paul says that, "I have learned the secret of being content in any and every situation, whether well fed or hungry, whether living in plenty or in want. I can do everything through Him who gives me strength." The secret does not lie with money, which comes and goes. It does not lie with people, as they can disappoint, leave, or eventually die. It does not lie in beauty, strength, or intelligence either. These things will fade or can be taken away. The secret is not found in anything that is of this world, but is only found in what is unchanging. Jesus is always there to love, comfort, and support you through every phase of life. We can do all things through Him. Jesus holds the secret to the full life for each of us.

– Shane Bowen

Today's Worship

480 – Blessed Assurance (1,3)

Welcome/Opening Prayer

578 – We Will Glorify (1-4)

633 – Throw Out the Life Line (1,3)

840 – I Will Pray (1-4)

Prayer

683 – I Am Mine No More (1-4)

Lord's Supper

(Release Carpenter's Kids)

781 – Thank You, Lord

Offering

Scripture Reading –

Matthew 28:16-20

659 – I Love to Tell the Story

Guest Speaker – Tyler Smith

945 – Kneel at the Cross (1,3)

Light the Fire

Closing Prayer



notes

family news & announcements

Earthquake in Haiti – For opportunities to offer aid to the earthquake victims in Haiti through the churches of Christ, go to <http://www.hhi.org> or contact the Mid-County Church of Christ at 937-335-1313. Donations can also be sent to Mid-County CoC at 1580 Dorset Rd., Troy, OH 45373.

Donation Items – Our shelves are now empty. But, we are continuing to collect items for the needy. So, whenever you have items you can spare, please bring them to the church building and put them in the collection boxes near the bulletin board in the central foyer.

Focus Group – The members of the Focus Group are currently discussing the on-going web page updates and the donation drive for the needy. If anyone is interested in helping out with any of these things, please let one of the members know. The group consists of Joe Hampton, Ted Taylor, Fergus Lloyd, Kim Eric, and Samantha Dougan. Please send any of the members your thoughts and suggestions, and they will discuss in detail at the next meeting. Emails: Ted – tbaylor@ameritech.net, Kim – KimE1096@aol.com, Fergus – ferguslloyd@att.net, Joe – scubajoe9200@yahoo.com, or Sam – angelfish723@yahoo.com.

Thanks to Drivers – Many THANKS to all the drivers providing transportation for other members. This transportation includes bringing people to Church services, taking them to medical appointments, to buy groceries, or to run other errands. Some of you have been doing this without fanfare for years. Others have responded to our recent request for drivers. No matter how long you have been doing it, thank you so much to all the drivers providing this needed transportation. May God Bless You for your efforts.

Sharon Stafford – Her mother, Bonnie Houdieshell, recently passed away. We need to remember her family in our prayers and for cards of encouragement, Sharon's address is 1610 Springhill Ave., Kettering OH 45409.

Bill & Betty Pittman – Bill called Tuesday and wanted to say "hello" to everyone. He said they had a good 2-1/2 day trip to Florida and are feeling well and enjoying the 80 degree weather. They have a new Florida phone number which is 352-729-2198.

Mike Pittman's New Email – Mike and Nancy have a new email address. You can now reach them at mnpittman75@gmail.com

Belmont Youth Calendar

Schedules and other information are posted on the youth activity board.

class schedule

Sunday Morning

Adult (main auditorium) – Howard Carson
Youth (downstairs)
Kristy Bowen – Toddlers
Wayne Hampton – Grades 1 & 2
Melanie Hubbs – Grades 3 & 4
Cheryl & Sam Dougan – Grades 5 – 8

Sunday Evening

Dorsey Wooten

Wednesday Evening

Classes for Kids – (Carpenter's Kids Chapel)
– Wayne Hampton

Study of James

– Gary Clasby

birthdays & anniversaries this week

January 24 – Edith Lloyd
January 27 – Lou Copeland
January 29 – Leyanna Oster
January 29 – Aaron Stroop
January 30 – Lillian Null



To hear more of our guests minister's sermons, visit Belmont's website (www.belmontchurch.org) and click the link on the front page that will take you to "Recent Guest Ministers."

January 24

Toddler Room – Amanda Nichols
Booth – Kevin Nichols

January 31

Toddler Room – Christine Hampton
Booth – Joe Hampton

January Greeters

Bowens & Gutweins

January Communion Trays

The Hamptons



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Becky Creech – recovering from infection
John Kuenle – (son of a co-worker of Barry Stroop) leukemia
Don Clasby – having problems with chemo reactions
Amanda Curdette – (recent visitor) asked for prayers of guidance and strength for her family
Linda Ning – ill health
Lou Copeland – stroke
Linda Kirkbride – (friend of Cheryl Dougan) radiation after lumpectomy
Thelma Burns – broken arm
Marsha Barnett – (Jean Rayburg's daughter) surgery and possible heart trouble
Karen Williams – a lot of leg pain
Mary Armstrong – (Naomi Shield's mother) congestive heart failure; dementia; strength and peace of mind
Max Dillie – (friend of Bowen's) cancer; recent surgery
Celina Linville – (daughter of a co-worker of Dorsey's) 42 yrs. old; diabetic; losing eyesight
Amanda O'Dell – (student at Brookville H.S.) diagnosed with leukemia
Kate Killion – (Peggy Spear's niece) high blood pressure
Angela Scribber – (Lew Surber's co-worker) young mother with breast cancer, undergoing radiation

Expecting – Amanda Nichols (Aug.)

Traveling – The Taylors, Bill & Betty Pittman

Seeking Employment – Sandy Hogstrom, Tammy Paxton, John Wood, Jerry Smith, Cory Vokoun, Rebecca Dye, Gary Thurow, Ray Baker, Kenny Yancey

Please continue to remember... Jo Pugh, Tim Miller, Charlie Campbell, Jean Rayburg, Mike Greenwood, Belinda Miller, Sarah Oakes, Edna Smith, Mayra Waymire, Deanne Lawrence, Mark Crist, Mike Spoerl, Helen Nornhold, Don Sottoway, Lou Copeland, Edith Lloyd, Richard King, Frances Stroop, Norman Parker, Betty Kincaid, Glenda Thomas (Ursula's daughter-in-law), Betty Pittman

Our Shut-ins – Mattie England, John Miller, Ursula Thomas