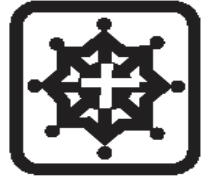


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**Don't Take
a Vacation
from Church**

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Chapel Worship: 8:45 AM

Morning Worship: 10:45 AM

Sunday School: 9:30 AM

Bible Adventure: 10:45 AM

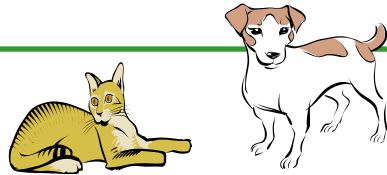
Ushers:

8:45 AM **10:45 AM**

Gary Etter Les George

Arlene Uldrich Pasko Evanoff

Charlene Brown Ron Dill



St. Francis was well known for his love of nature and God's creation. He was known for preaching to God's creatures, human and animals. Religious groups have placed an added honor to his name by setting aside a day for blessing of the animals. Our Roman Catholic friends designated October 4th as that day or a Sunday in October to celebrate that day.

We at GOPCC recognize that many of our families have pets, love their pets, and treat them as part of their family. When their pet is sick they feel horrible along with their pet. When a pet dies there is grief as painful as if a family member died. There is a real connection between family members and their pets.

We want to honor that connection by offering a "Blessing of the Animals" ceremony at our 10:45 worship service on July 18th. This is for any pet that you may have: cats, dogs, guinea pigs, hamsters, birds, snakes, lizards, even furry tarantulas. During our worship service you will be invited to come forward for a prayer of wellness or a blessing for your pet. This is something for the community too. So invite and welcome your neighbor to our service. It will be an outdoor service, weather permitting. If it does rain, we will hold our service in the Donut Room.

Your pastor and friend,
Greg King

Bible Readings for the Coming Weeks are:

- July 11 — Revelation 3:7-13
- July 18 — Revelation 3:14-22
- July 25 — Revelation 4 & 5

Join us for Worship as we study the book of Revelation this summer.



Please Keep our Missionaries in Your Prayers

Jacque & Jamie Fisher will be leaving soon for Two weeks in Berlin, Germany in July.

Everyone Counts— Statistics

Attendance—Jun 27 & July 4, 10

8:45 — 26, 18
10:45 — 77, 92
Sunday school — 20, 23

Offering—operating income

(Monthly budget need is \$15,850)

	Income rec'd	+/- Amt.
Jan. '10	- \$22,844	+ 6,986
Feb. '10	- \$12,189	-3,669
Mar. '10	- \$13,117	- \$2,741
April '10	- \$12,554	- \$3,201
May '10	- \$15,173	- \$677

Happy Birthday

- Lindsay Heath—July 16
- Kathy Richardson—July 18
- Molly Donovan—July 19
- Angie Brooks—July 20
- Iris Traylor—July 24

In Our Prayers

- Doris Alexander
- Robert Andino
- Cheryl Barnett
- Glenda Boddie
- Reagan Bradshaw
- Harriett Edwards
- Fran Ericson
- Jim Farra
- Donna Foskuhl
- Gene Gibson
- Jamie *Geswein*
- Judy Hirshman



- Linda George
- Dawn Gilmore
- Vern Hine

Bernadette Harawa

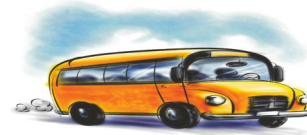
- Carol Hildebrecht Loren Houck
- Marilyn Jones Paul Jarusicwic
- Dustin Knowlton Eric Landing
- Mary Lehman Nancy Lyttle
- Barb Lyttle Mantia family
- Paul Marcum, Jr Bob McCray
- Lauren McClure Greg Moldovan
- Karolina O'Donnell Nancy Pratt
- Cindy Ramono
- Harriet Shawhan
- Iris Traylor
- Danny Tomaz
- Gloria Van Camp
- Larry & Gina Van Camp
- Charles Warren
- Flo Warner
- Evelyn Wheeler
- Vera Westfall

Those in Nursing Care

- Mary Lou Chaney – Bethany Vlg.
- Margaret Cobb – Walnut Creek
- Margaret Dill – Masonic Home
- Mildred Heath – Walnut Creek
- Opal Hunter – The Sanctuary
- Lottie Jaeger – The Oaks, West Kett
- Will Jaeger – Grafton Oaks
- Dan Jones – Patriot Ridge Nursing
- Lena Patterson – Liberty Woods
- Wilma Yost - Kingston of Miamisburg

Military

- Charles Barlow—Iraq
- Ian Beall – Iraq
- Michael Beall – Iraq
- Scott Certain – USA
- Andrew Hayden – Iraq
- Tyler Mantia – USA
- Michael Mantia – USA
- Ryan Stites – USA
- Kevin Stites - USA



“Stuff the Bus”

It is time to help fill our special school buses with school supplies for children in need. We will be helping children of pantry families and our local Greenmont Elementary school children. Donations can be placed in the yellow school bus boxes in the Gathering Place. Items needed are: loose leaf paper, spiral notebooks, pens, pencils, erasers, glue sticks, crayons, scissors, markers, rulers, highlighters, and 2-pocket folders.

We will collect our school items through Sunday, Aug. 8th. We again thank you for your support last year, we helped over 60 children with their school supplies. - Lori Keltner, Connie Sink



Thanks to you all for the support of the Rubate Clinic!

- Your Travel Team

(we just received this nice postcard from Kenya. What good mail service. The team is returning this week.)

“EGYPT” VBS was wonderful!!

This year we had 62 children attend our Egypt VBS. The weather was wonderful and beautiful and everyone had a good time.

As the children traveled through our market place they learned about life in Joseph's time in Egypt. Through the songs, crafts, and stories, they learned about how God gives us hope and faith and a family of God to share life with.

We thank everyone for the gifts of donations and ALL THE VOLUNTEERS who helped our Egyptian market place exist.

On the Wednesday Family night we had a total of 120 people sharing in the VBS experience. We had a light supper and then the children and parents or grandparents enjoyed themselves together visiting our market place.

- - Patti King

“We Need Greeters”



Please consider being a greeter at the 10:45 service. There are many openings for the rest of the summer and the year. If it is hard to remember to sign up on Sunday's please call me, and I'll put you on the list. Thank you so much, Joyce Kelley, 672-6931

**Lunch
Is
Served**



Kids Lunches are open to ALL children age 1—18. Any church families or neighborhood children.

Thank you to all who are volunteering their time and service to our children’s lunch program.
- Laura Von Holle , Marilyn

The Pantry’s Shopping List

- ◆ Canned peas
- ◆ Drink mixes, (Kool-aid, tea bags, lemonade mix)
- ◆ Bath soap, TP
- ◆ Paper bags

We Thank you for all the donations of food and support. The families appreciate you.—Mission Outreach

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New Summer Schedule

We will publish on weeks:
July 18, and Aug. 1 & 15

All promotion/ information articles for activities will have to be turned into the church office by the dates listed above to be included in these issues.

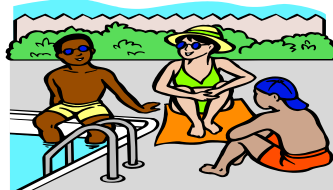


It’s summer again and we will begin to have special music during our 10:45 service. Everyone is invited to participate in this special time.

It can be a single, duo or several people to perform. If you sing or play an instrument please participate. There is a sign-up sheet across from the office.

- Music Committee - Toni Bailey
643-3795

Youth Swimming Pool Party!!



Youth Leader, Sheri Parrett, is inviting all youth from the Crusaders, Junior and Senior High to come enjoy some water fun at their home, 3117 Sudbury Dr., Kettering on Friday, July, 16th from 7—10 pm. Friends & Family are welcome too ! Please RSVP to 475-5724

“Thank You”

Thank you for the gift card, it will help with books for college in the fall. - Thanks, Jordan Erbes

**Sharing The Good News
In Germany**

Asking for prayers for Jamie and I during our trip to Berlin Germany. We depart on 6 July and return home 20 July. We are teaching children English and creating loving relationships as Christians. We hope to share the Good News when it’s convenient with our congregation. We are traveling with Hope Church (same as Zambia trip) and supporting Mission to the World. By the way, the church in Zambia was just dedicated and pictures of the robes are still being proudly worn by our Zambian brothers and sisters. —Jacque Fisher

*“Whatever
you did for
one of the
least of these
brothers of mine,
you did
for me.”*

M A T T H E W 2 5 : 4 0

“In Sympathy”



We extend our sympathies to the family of Lois Case, who passed onto eternal life last week. Rev. King officiated at her memorial service on Wednesday, July 7. May God comfort the family at this time of loss.

We also extend our sympathies and thoughts to the family of Mary Richley, who passed onto eternal life July 2. The service for Mary was held July 6, in Xenia. May God comfort the family at this time of loss.

Congratulations

Upon Your Wedding



We share in offering our congratulations to, church member, Kathy (Steele) & Danny Richardson, who were married here at Greenmont-Oak Park Community Church, on Saturday, June 19th. May God’s blessings be with you.

