



February 22, 2009
Little Hocking Church of Christ

The Little Hocking Church of Christ Welcomes You All!

You are invited to study the Bible and
worship God with us each week.
We hope you enjoy being with us today.

Elders:

Bob Swain 315-5346, Gary Kehl 667-6735, Charlie Cramlet 989-2262

Deacons:

Harry Miller 989-2813, Bill Fisher 667-3491, David Eaton 667-6224
Brian Hall 989-0137, Jeremy Kehl 667-6735, Mark Fleak 551-9859

Meeting Times: Sunday Morning Worship 9:00 am, Bible Classes 10:15 am
Evening Worship 6:00 pm
Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

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Our Sick List

Nathaniel Hall, Recovering from surgery.
Mary Wallace, Continues to fight infection.
Eleanor Douglas, Waiting on tests results.
Bun Caskin, Had cataract surgery.
Denver and **Sandy Collins**
David Lee, To have heart catheterization this week. Stress test showed some blockage.
Ron Eastman, Recovering from surgery and advised not to drive.
Larry Fleak, Mark's uncle, recovering from prostate cancer surgery.
Tiffany Cochran, Had surgery, and is having tests for a spinal fluid leak. see Sherry Swain
Jack England, Came home from the hospital Friday; To have out-patient procedure Wednesday.
Maxine Thompson, Recovering from mini strokes.
Candace Dibble, Granddaughter of the Fords, Complications following birth of her baby; 1931 Pacific Mist Rd., San Diego, CA 92139
James Gribble, Gary's father
Audry Rowan, Evie's mother

CONGRATULATIONS

Jerrad and Amanda Nickell in the birth of their daughter, Abigail Lynn, Feb.2.

50th Anniversary

Congratulations to Terry and Irene Boop, March 6. Send your cards to 12109 Fisherman Lane, Okeechobee, FL 34974; or P.O. Box 626, Belpre, OH 45714; or Boop50th@yahoo.com

MILITARY ADDRESS

Benjamin E. Gribble, 2nd Platoon
Alpha Co. 3-13th Inf. Rgt.
5422 Jackson Blvd.
Fort Jackson, S.C. 29207

Many THANKS for all your prayers and support, while Dave, Jean, and I were in Guyana. Posted on the bulletin board is a letter from the Ladies of the Church at Kwakwani. your sister, Robin

Family Fun & Game Night

FRIDAY, Feb.27th, 6:00-9pm
At the church building. Bring \$ for pizza, games, and favorite snack to share. See Brian & Nerissa for more info.

CONDOLENCES to David Eaton and family, in the death of his uncle, Kenneth Weber, in Missouri.
Our SYMPATHY also, to the family and friends of Robert Ash. His funeral was Friday.

FOOD PANTRY

Rice, Sugar, Drink mixes, Beef stew, Canned meat

Friday Night Sing, 7:00pm

Feb.27, Riverside, Williamstown

WINTER YOUTH SERIES

Check the list on the hall bulletin board.

'Book of the Month'

to read for February is **LUKE**.

CLOTHING GIVE-AWAY

Reminding you to bring in clothes for the spring giveaway. Tentatively scheduled for April 23rd.



Greetings from the Elders,

Good morning to ALL on this Lord's day. Your presence is meaningful to each one here today! To our visitors we sincerely say **Thank You** for worshipping with us. We pray that you were blessed by meeting with us as much as our congregation was blessed by having you here. Please meet with us anytime you can.

Welcome back Dave, Jean and Robin from your trip to Guyana! You were certainly missed by all of us the past two weeks and we are happy to have you safely back. We look forward with great anticipation to your report on the ongoing work there. We know the church there was blessed to have you work with them and we are sure you were blessed as well. On behalf of our congregation we simply say **Thank You!** We ask our members to keep praying for our brothers and sisters in Guyana **every** day.

A Christian's life is certainly one of **giving** and we are encouraged that our members here at Little Hocking faithfully have that attitude. We know that there are many ways for the Christian to **give** besides our financial support of the Lord's work. We give our time, our talents, our prayers, and our encouragement just to name a few. Most importantly we give "ourselves" to our Lord. When we give "ourselves" to Him we in turn also give "ourselves" to each other. That certainly is a comforting realization that should help all of us overcome any obstacle, however great or small! It doesn't matter how rough the sea becomes, how high the waves are, or how dark the night is.....because as fellow brothers and sisters we are **NEVER ALONE!!** Somebody once said "*Am I my brother's keeper?*" That is a question we should never ask. May we continue to meet the needs of each one here both spiritually and materially with our Lord's help and guidance. We all have one goal...HEAVEN!

In closing, we had our second elders and deacons meeting this past Thursday evening. It was very fruitful. Our deacons gave their reports on their specific areas of work and gave the elders much needed input as to what finances they needed this year to meet our needs and for the work our congregation will be doing, Lord willing. We are happy to report that the budget for this year was completed with their help and with yours. More details will be forthcoming soon. We would like to thank our deacons for their work this past month in preparing these reports. As the saying goes...LET'S PLAN THE WORK AND THEN WORK THE PLAN.....**TOGETHER!**

In Him,

Bob

Gal 6:2

