



November 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.

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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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Those who need our Prayers

Barb Everson is having cataract surgery on December 4th at WVU.

Donna Newberry, Dave's sister, has begun chemotherapy. Please send cards to: 1910 Lower Bloomfield Rd, New Concord, OH 43762

Lizel Crider, at Arcadia

Cameron Lyon, is in Children's Hospital, abdominal hernia.

Camden Hunt, double pneumonia, friend of Tabetha Knotts.

David Lee, hernia surgery, Nov 23rd

Shirley Cooper, is home and doing better.

Mary Clem, knee problems

Baby Clifton Inman, open heart surgery still in Morgantown, friends of Mary Hennen.

Vicky Huffman, Nancy Gribble's sister has started radiation treatment.

Baby Noah Workman placed on ECMO machine and is not progressing well.

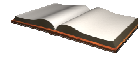
Tabetha Knotts, surgery on toes.

Bonnie Derenberger, Emily Knott's aunt, breast cancer.

Brian Cooper, ill.

Jan Holter, recovering from surgery.

Book of the Month



For November is Joshua

Pantry items

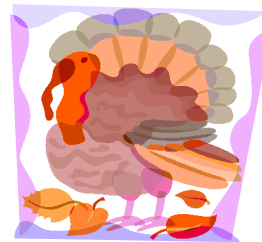
Canned chicken, sugar, mixed veggies, corn, canned potatoes, coffee. See Missy Fleak for assistance.

Ladies please mark your calendars. Care Baskets will be assembled, December 5th 9:00am with brunch to follow. See Rebecca Knotts for more details.

Please start bringing in poinsettias the last Sunday in November.

Gleaner Cans need to be at the church building to be picked up by Dec. 6th.

Missy Fleak is collecting items for a Christmas package for her Marine cousin, Ricky Woods, stationed in Iraq. Items may be donated until Nov. 29th. A list of needed items will be posted on the wall above the donation box. See Missy with any questions.



HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

Greetings from the Elders

Good morning and welcome to worship service this morning. As always we hope that you find every part of worship in accordance with Gods' Word. If you have questions please feel free in asking.

We are glad to see Dave and Mark safely back from their hunting trip. Wish to thank them for sharing their pictures and stories with us last Sunday. I am sure if you missed out on them, they will be happy to show you. At the time of this writing, I am assuming that Charlie is back and we want to welcome him also.

Was it murder or suicide? On March 23rd, 1994, the medical examiner viewed the body of a man. He concluded that he died from a shotgun wound to the head. The deceased jumped from a 10 story building intending to commit suicide. (He left a suicide note) As he fell past the ninth floor his fall was interrupted by a shotgun blast through a window, which killed him instantly. Further investigation showed that there had been a safety net put up on the 8th floor for the safety of some window washers. His attempt would have failed. Was this Murder or Suicide?

Under normal circumstances it would have been murder because the suicide attempt would have failed due to the safety net. But further investigation showed that the shotgun blast came from an elderly couple who seem to be always arguing. They always ended the argument with the man aiming the shotgun at his wife and pulling the trigger. The gun normally is always empty. A witness came forward stating he saw the son of the man and woman loading the gun. He had plotted to kill his mother and knew his father would use the gun. Luckily for the wife, her husband had a bad aim.

Seems as the son is up for murder, but in a strange twist on March 23rd, 1994 their son had jumped off a 10 story building and died from a shotgun blast as he passed by the 9th floor. They ruled it a Suicide.

We are commissioned to seek and save that which is lost. We all have a job to do. It is really sad when one teaches another and they turn their back. But it will be even sadder if they say you never mentioned him to me. Is it Murder or Suicide? If we do what God expects us to do and men reject his word, then we can call it suicide. But if we don't do the work that God has given us to do, then murder might be the verdict.

All have fallen short of the glory of God, (Romans 3:23) All have the right to repent and be baptized for the remission of their sins. (Matthew 7:24)(Acts 2:38)

Take a look around, be an encouragement, and have a good week.

In Christian love

Gary

