



May 9, 2010

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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<p style="text-align: center;">Those who need our Prayers</p> <p>Martha Jarvis, is home and very weak. Milfred would appreciate visits.</p> <p>Donna Newberry, Dave's sister, still needs our prayers, fighting advanced cancer.</p> <p>Brian Cooper, bronchitis.</p> <p>Noah Workman, 5 month old baby is in a step down unit and able to be off the respirator for up to 3 hour intervals.</p> <p>Tom Eckerd, Sherry Swain's uncle has cancer.</p> <p>Ava Nichols, 4 years old has an inoperable brain tumor, friend of Carla Flowers.</p> <p>Betty Morehead, pinched nerve.</p> <p>Remember those at Arcadia: Lizel Crider, Bun Caskins, Joan Cole, Martha Bailey and Betty Spencer.</p> <p>Ray Sargent, is still in a coma after a car accident. Both arms broken and one leg. He has been taken off the respirator. He had surgery on his leg. He is the son of Dennis and Kathy Sargent Ray is in Cabell Huntington hospital. Please send cards to their home address: 52895 Curtis Hollow Rd., Long Bottom, Ohio 45743.</p> <p>Sympathy to the family of Norma Ross on her passing last week.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>There will be a graduation picnic for Whitney Swain and Jesse Tunnell around 4:30/5:00 today at Hollie and Linda Daggett's. Please stop by. If you need directions please call or text Sherry at 740-516-8331.</i></p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>If you have any ideas for a VBS theme please give them to Gary Kehl or Brian Hall</i></p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Pantry Items needed are: canned potatoes, canned meat, rice, crackers and condiments</i></p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Please turn in names for those graduating K through college to Gary Kehl.</i></p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Congratulations to Mark and Missy Fleak on the birth of Garrett William! Everyone is doing well!</i></p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Visitation each Monday evening 7pm through May.</i></p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Men's meeting tonight after services</i></p>
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Good Morning and Happy Mothers Day,

Today is a special day set aside by our country to honor mothers everywhere. In Mark 10:17, when the rich young man asks Jesus what must I do to inherit eternal life?" Jesus answers (19) Thou knowest the commandments, Do not kill, Do not commit adultery, Do not steal, Do not bear false witness, Do not defraud, Honor thy father and mother.

It is not a question in anyone's mind that killing, stealing, committing adultery or being dishonest is wrong according to the will of God. We set these sins at the top of the list in our minds, Jesus said in verse 19 that it is just as important for us to honor our mothers to receive eternal life. Paul writes in Eph. 6:2 that it is a commandment with promise.

Eph 6:1-3 Children, obey your parents in the Lord: for this is right. (2) Honor thy father and mother (which is the first commandment with promise), (3) that it may be well with thee, and thou mayest live long on the earth.

My mother is 94 years old and lives in the nursing home. There have been times that when I visited with her that she didn't even know me. There are others times that she seems to remember very well. Even when she didn't, I know she loves me very much. From birth till today, she has been there in good times and bad. Even today she will ask how everyone is. My mother has done without so we children could have.

My mother can't do the things she used to. But that is not because she wouldn't like to. But God still has a purpose in her life. I often hear that she is a sweet lady. At 94, she can still be an example.

I am sure many can relate to this. We have several elderly in the congregation that are very active and are a great inspiration to me. We have many laid up at home and in nursing homes. Some have expressed their desire to come to service, some are wishing they could, but are unable to do so. Whatever situation they are in, they are striving to serve God to the best of their ability.

I am reminded when Bun Caskins was able, how he would worship here with us and take a hand full of bulletins to share at the nursing home. How Betty Spencer, being a resident of the nursing home, gave to the clothing give away and sent cards for missionary work. How Lizel Crider, when being visited, ask how others are doing.

I am encouraged by each one of you; I thank you for all you do to Honor God. Let us remember the words of Jesus to Paul. My grace is sufficient for thee: for *my* power is made perfect in weakness. Life here is temporary. Let us use this time to prepare for eternity.

Gary

