

THOUGHTS FROM BRAD ...

Hi everyone! Allow me to take a moment and thank Dan Brown and his team for the fabulous Easter breakfast. As usual, they each outdid themselves for our benefit and for God's glory. What a wonderful start to a great day as we spent time with family and friends celebrating Jesus' resurrection.



On May 5th, I have scheduled a trip to the Southeastern Ohio Food Bank in Logan. With your help, we will box enough food for over 1,500 families in Ohio. The food bank really appreciates volunteers and I promise you that the work is not too strenuous. You simply stand at a counter and put your particular food item in a box as it moves down the table. We will leave the church by 8:15 and will finish before noon. I hope you will join us. There is a sign-up sheet in the coat room if you would like to participate.

As I write today, I have some bad news to share. This past week as we were challenged by storms, the Mountain Mission School was also. A transformer blew on their campus, which caused a major power surge within the boy's residence hall, which caused a fire. They suffered major water and fire damage. One hundred twenty-five students and faculty have been displaced for temporary housing. Please keep them in your prayers. As of right now, we will still do our mission trip in July but our housing may be different than what you are accustomed to. We will know more in June as they are at the mercy of insurance, fire marshal, and repair work that needs to be done. We will keep you posted.

With all the storms recently, I have been pondering more and more as to why they happen. Storms are never easy! They impact everyone differently. No one is exempt from the storms of life. But just as the disciples who initially feared the storm later came to revere Christ more, so the storms we face can bring us to a deeper knowledge of God. "Who is this," the disciples pondered, "even the wind and the waves obey him!" (v. 41). Through our trials we can learn that no storm is big enough to prevent God from accomplishing His will (5:1). While we may not understand why God allows trials to enter our lives, we thank Him that through them we can come to know who He is. We live to serve Him because He has preserved our lives. So today, no matter the storm that passes by you, praise Him! Praise Him because "He is where your help comes from (Ps. 121)." Praise Him because He is faithful!

In His Service,

Brad

April 1, 2018	
Sunday School	77
Morning Worship	129
Evening Worship	n/a
Wednesday 3F Luncheon (04/04)	17
Weekly Budget	\$ 3,928.00
Budget Received	\$ 2,525.00
Senior Luncheon	\$ 20.00
Easter	\$ 896.00
Building Fund	\$ 370.00
Missions	\$ 70.00

SERVING SCHEDULE April 8, 2018	
At the Table	Fred Griffith and Patrick Wersell
Serving	Tim Huffman, Brad George, Dick Shumaker, Carmel Marsh
PM Deacon	Tim Huffman
COMMUNION	Larry King
GREETERS	Dick and Marg Shumaker
NURSERY	
Sunday School	Laura Wersell
Worship	Marie Huffman
VISITOR CENTER	
CHILDREN'S CHURCH	Sarah Brandt
SOUND BOARD	Fred Griffith
POWER POINT	Jonathan Mullett
VIDEO	John Baird
SECURITY	
Sunday School/ Worship	David Will
Evening Worship	Jeff Slicer

SERVING SCHEDULE April 15, 2018	
At the Table	Dick Shumaker and Ron Enlow
Serving	Larry King, Jon Music, Bill Kelly, Jeff Slicer
PM Deacon	Larry King
COMMUNION	Larry King
GREETERS	Ray and Margie Ayers
NURSERY	
Sunday School	Courtney Beiter
Worship	Jo George
VISITOR CENTER	Janet Brown
CHILDREN'S CHURCH	Elizabeth Edwards Mary Wampler
SOUND BOARD	Fred Griffith
POWER POINT	Jonathan Mullett
VIDEO	John Baird
SECURITY	
Sunday School/ Worship	Mike Bussey
Evening Worship	Carmel Marsh

Prayer List

Our Church	Leroy Shaner	George Lambert	Camille Stiverson
Brad George	Naressa Allen	Kasen Newman	Kenneth Dusthimer
Ruth Enlow	Forest Turner	Jodi Van Dyke	Veronica Hartmann
Jerry Wentz	Caleb Witham	Dori Greenlee	Delmar Severing
Our Troops	Marc Mooney	Betty Lambert	Richard/Bertha Boyer
Trina Barrell	Heather Baker	Jennifer Crook	Emmitt Masters
	Dick Seifert	Jeane Goldfarb	

CHURCH DIRECTORY

A new church directory will be published soon. If your address, phone number, or email address has changed, please make a note on the back of your Silent Roll Call Card. If you are not currently in the church directory, but wish to have your information included, please put this information on your Silent Roll Call Card or contact the church office.

Sunday School Classes for All Ages All classes are at 8:45 a.m.

Nursery (Birth through 3 years old) "Jesus Loves Me" Room 102	Upper Elementary Class (4 th -6 th Grade) "Daniel and His Friends Choose to Obey God" Room 106 Ron Enlow, Teacher	Adult Class "Independent Studies" Fellowship Hall Brad Seevers, Teacher
Preschool (Ages 3-6) "Bible Friends" Room 105 Marie Huffman, Teacher	Junior/Senior High 3 rd Floor Patrick Wersell, Teacher	Harmony Adult Class "International Sunday School Lessons" Room 204 Dave Tingler, Teacher
Early Elementary (K- 3 rd Grade) "Jesus, Our Example" Room 101 Deborah Will, Teacher	Ladies' Class "Becoming Myself" By Stasi Eldredge Room 209 Jean Azbell and Bev Puckett, Teachers	Philothean Adult Class "Parables" Room 208 Jim Love, Teacher

Upcoming Events

Wednesday, April 11th
Bible Study, 6:15pm

Monday, April 16th
Facility Management, 6:30pm
Book Nook, 6:30pm

Tuesday, April 17th
Deacons Meeting, 6:30pm

Wednesday, April 18th
Chartwell Bible Study, 2pm
Bible Study, 6:15pm
Elders Meeting, 7:15pm

Saturday, April 21st
Ladies Breakfast at IHOP



Book Nook
Monday, April 16th
6:30 p.m.

The Masterpiece
By Francine Rivers

SENIOR SAINTS

Each month we will spotlight one of our shut-in Senior Saints. The Senior Saint for April is Leroy Shaner. His address is on the bulletin board in the coat room. Please remember LeRoy with cards and visits. Contact Donna Cupler with any questions.

BIBLE STUDY

The next Bible Study at Chartwell will be Wednesday, April 18th from 2 to 3pm. It will be in the Rec room downstairs as soon as you walk into the building. Members of 5th Avenue and Pleasant View Place are welcome. This is a great chance for Christian Fellowship as we discuss the Bible. See you there!

POTLUCK

Our next Potluck will be Friday, May 11th, at 5:30pm at the church. Sign up and bring your favorite food for all to eat. It will be a great time again for good food and Christian fellowship.

