

TODAY'S SERVANTS AND HELPERS

	9:00 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
Greeters:	Bob & Bonnie Ring Barbara Smith	Jim & Tracy Taylor
Ushers:	Nancy Simpson & Kathy Meeker Ken & Bev Overstake	Damion Newman & Gail Strieker Jim & Tammy Jermer
Prayer Partner:	Mike & Pat Louiso	Steve & Gloria Cummins
Worship Leader:	Guy Bainum	Doug Chalker
Acolytes:	Courtney Hauck	Rachel Abrams Melissa Kuykendall
Nursery Helpers:		Doreen Lehn

Junior Church: Children age 4 through 3rd Grade are invited to go upstairs to **Room # 201:**
Kris Jurgens

Flowers for worship in honor of
Josh & Mary Beth (Christian) Tucker's wedding on July 28th



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WILLIAMSBURG EMERGENCY MISSION

Tuesdays, Wednesdays, & Fridays, 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.



*Williamsburg
United
Methodist
Church*

July 29, 2007

*** Our Vision and Mission ***

To be a healthy, growing spiritually vital, risk-taking center for making disciples of Jesus Christ for the purpose of transforming the world.

WELCOME TO WILLIAMSBURG UNITED METHODIST CHURCH: We greet you in the name of the Lord Jesus, the Good Shepherd, who knows you by name, cares deeply about you, and who wants you to live and work for him. Let us help you draw closer to him within this flock.

FRIENDSHIP REGISTER -Please pass the **Friendship pad** along your row, so each person can write his/her name, address & e-mail. When the pad has reached the end of the row, please pass it back - make a note of the names of those seated on your row so you can give them a warm personal greeting at the close of the service.

INFANT & TODDLERS CARE (under 4 years of age) is available in room #6, down the hallway from the Worship Center.

DONATIONS OF NON-PERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS may be placed in the Emergency Mission basket in the hallway near the office doors. Distribution is made through the "Emergency Mission" program of the Williamsburg area churches.

July 29, 2007

Welcome to Worship and Praise

9th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

*Items on the left margin are for 9:00 a.m. Items on the right margin are for 11:00 a.m.
Items that extend all the way across the page are for both services.*

THE PEOPLE GATHER

A CALL TO PREPARE OUR HEARTS AND MINDS FOR WORSHIP

MUSIC AS WE PREPARE FOR WORSHIP

Acolytes

“Dear Lord and Father of Mankind” by Thompson/Maker

RAISING OUR VOICES IN THANKS AND PRAISE - *Please stand if you are able.*

♪ **UMH 390 Forgive Our Sins as We Forgive** – Tune: CM, Azmon, 57
♪ **Open the Eyes of My Heart** (ppt)

..... **WORDS OF WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**
CHURCH ROOF REPLACEMENT PROJECT

HEARING AND EXPERIENCING THE GOOD NEWS

♪ **UMH 496 Sweet Hour of Prayer** (*seated*)
(*seated*) ♪ **You Are My All in All** (ppt)

WE AFFIRM OUR FAITH TOGETHER (*in unison*) *See Insert*

A READING FROM THE BIBLE Luke 11:1-13
“The disciples ask Jesus how to pray”

THE MINISTRY OF MUSIC
By the Bainum Family *Rising Tides*

◆ *Following the Ministry of Music, children age four through grade three are invited to go to Children’s Church, upstairs in Room #201.*

THE MESSAGE “PRAYER CHANGES THINGS . . . AND US”

RESPONDING TO THE GOOD NEWS

(*seated*) ♪ **UMH 405** **Seek Ye First**

THE PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE

.....**THE MINISTRY OF GIVING**.....

Your regular giving fulfills the mission and ministry of our church by –

- *Providing Office Supplies & Postage*
- *Supporting Habitat for Humanity*

We give our Tithes, Offerings, and Gifts

♪ Offertory “The Beautiful Garden of Prayer” by Fillmore ♪ Offertory
♪ "Praise God..." (*Please stand if you are able*) **UMH 94**
The Prayer of Dedication

♪ **UMH 130 God Will Take Care of You** ♪ **As the Deer** **FWS 2025**
Please stand, if you are able (Acolytes)
At the close of this service there is a time for those who have special prayer needs. You are invited to come to the front pew or to the kneeling step during this closing song. The pastor will meet you there.

A BLESSING (*in unison*)

Now may God, who has given us the world and all that is in it, give us the grace to live in it this week as humble servants, alert to all of life’s possibilities, and attuned to the heavenly kingdom around us, in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen.

♪ **SINGING OUR BENEDICTION** . . **Sweet, Sweet Spirit** **UMH 334**

MUSIC TO ENERGIZE US AS WE GO TO REFLECT THE LIGHT OF CHRIST
“O God, Our Help In Help in Ages Past” by Bliss/Croft

An Affirmation of Faith Based on the Lord's Prayer

I believe in the kingdom of God and in doing God's will here on earth as nearly as possible in the way the angels in heaven must do it, preferring everyone else's good before their own and praising God constantly for the wisdom and beauty of God's indescribable Self.

I believe in asking God each day for the bread my body requires that day, and nothing else; for everything beyond the simplest food and drink is an extravagance of which I am not worthy, especially in a world where so many are hungry and so much of what I used to want now seems to me excessive.

I believe also in remembering my unworthiness before God and asking for forgiveness, not only for unkind words I've thought or spoken and for behaving ungenerously toward others, but also for all the things I should have thought or done or spoken, the little loving and encouraging signs that would have made the world a better place.

And I believe in praying to avoid the trial or temptation of my faith beyond my power to recognize and resist the Tempter, whose disguises are legion and whose facility for infiltrating my defenses is beyond the limited power of my imagination.

God is God, and I, well, I am only me, and I am grateful that the One whose power and glory and kingdom can never ever fail, has acted graciously in my behalf to save me from my own shortcomings, and give me a place in the eternal community, together with the saints of all the ages.

It is a gift beyond belief – which is why I must daily say, “I believe” and try to remember that it is so. Amen.

Schedule of Activities

TODAY: - 9:00 a.m. Worship and Praise

- 10:00 a.m. Classes and Groups

- 11:00 a.m. Worship and Praise

Crossroads Student Ministries Movie Night

TUESDAY: 7:00 p.m. Crossroads Student Ministries Bible Study in Youth Room.

- 7:00 p.m. Church Council meeting in Fellowship Hall

WEDNESDAY: 10:00 a.m. Bible Study on men of the Bible.

- 11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Quilting Ministry at the new High School

- 12:30 – 1:30 p.m. Youth Lunch Bunch at Wendy's on Half Acre Road

- 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. Youth Secret Service in Williamsburg Area

- 7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal Begins

THURSDAY: Last day for bulletin information to be turned into the office for this week.

Crossroads Student Ministries going roller skating

FRIDAY: Leave for Longs Retreat for a Church wide Campout

SATURDAY: Rising Tides practice in Worship Center

NEXT SUNDAY:

- 9:00 a.m. Worship and Praise

- 10:00 a.m. Classes and Groups

- 11:00 a.m. Worship and Praise

- 8:00 a.m. Men's Breakfast at Mama's Grill

Retuning from Longs Retreat from a Church wide Campout

(1) MINISTRY UPDATE - JULY 22, 2007

Christian Education Classes and Groups 77 Average YTD 81

9:00 & 11:00 a.m. Worship Services (90+81+7 Women of Faith Conf.= 178) Average YTD 196

Offering: July 22nd \$ 2,637.00 (Weekly \$ 2,213.00 S.S. \$ 64.00 Mission \$ 360.00)

Roof Replacement Project \$ 3,089.00

Year to Date Expenses as of June 26, 2007: \$123,633.21

(2) NEEDED: Baby Infant Car Seat, Microwave & Vacuum Sweeper please call Nancy Pontz 724-7138 for Emergency Mission Client

CROSSROADS STUDENT MINISTRY NOTES:

August 5th, August 12th Movie Night – Movie and location to be announced.

August 9th Bowling



An investment in good stewardship

TOTAL SO FAR: \$19,115.50

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LET US JOIN TOGETHER IN PRAYER
CHURCH FAMILY

Confess your trespasses to one another, and pray for one another, that you may be healed. The effective, fervent prayer of a righteous person avails much.

James 5:16

PRAYER FOCUS:

Kurt Heimbold
Chad & Krysa Hess

Bill & Sharmon Hensley: William, Rachel
Mark & Nancy Herron: Nicholas, Lucas, Jared

Join us as we pray our way through the membership of the congregation. Some week, it will be you.

BEREAVEMENTS: The church extends prayers and heartfelt sympathy to Bob & Melissa Wagers and family at the death of Bob's father Larry Wagers of Loveland, Ohio.

CURRENT CONCERNS:

Frances Sullivan is a patient at Mercy Hospital of Clermont Room 232. She has chosen to discontinue radiation treatments and dialysis and is in palliative care.

ON GOING CONCERNS LONG TERM

Hazel Cox
Dick Forney
Gene & Ruby Wilson
Betty Lykins
Kitty & Jack Arwine
Mary Vaughan
Verna Burger
David White
Kim Ireton
Charles (Bill) Kirk

Marcy DeBoard
Janice Ruonavaara (Nancy Pontz's Sister)
Shirley Smith (Mary Ann Lefker's Mother)
Ruby Hiller (Betty Rice's Sister) Cancer
Robby Kelly (Jim & Donna Dyer's nephew)
Drew (Great Nephew of Marge McCollum)
Jim Bennett - (Marjorie McCollum's brother)
Mike Proud (Kim Jeffers' and Cassie Lefker's Dad)
Karis Kellerman

REQUESTS FOR PRAYER FROM LAST SUNDAY'S PRAYER CARDS:

For **Frances Sullivan** by [Nancy Sullivan](#)
For **Mary McIntosh** by [Margaret Coleman](#)
For **Soldiers in IRAQ**

REQUESTS FOR PRAYER FROM ONLINE SOURCES:

For **Keith Hale** by [Prayer Chain](#)
For **Bill Freeman** by [Prayer Chain](#)
For **Indian Hill Firefighter Matt** by [Prayer Chain](#)
For **Wagers Family** by [Prayer Chain](#)
For **Indian Hill Firefighters** by [Prayer Chain](#)

NURSING HOMES AND HEALTH CARE CENTERS:

Nancy Sinkking – Eastgate Spring of Cincinnati Health Care Center – Room 164
Wanda Merkle – Batavia Nursing & Convalescent Inn
Mary Bare – The Arbors of Milford
Eleanor Piffer - Eastgate Spring of Cincinnati Health Care Center
May Marshall - Eastgate Village
Ramona Edwards - Eastgate Spring of Cincinnati Health Care Center
Betty Hooper (Brenda Jody's Mother) - Corbin, Kentucky
Wayne Roundy (Carolee Grehan's Father) - Otterbein
Fred Dyer (Jim Dyer's Father) – Veterans Home in Georgetown, Ohio
Geneva Carter (Dave Carter's Mother) - Eastgate Village

OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN WHO ARE NOW SERVING IN THE ARMED FORCES:

AMN Patrick Fender	AMN Stephen Jordan	Brian Cramer
Paul Wabnitz	Ryan Frazee USAF	1Lt. David McCollum
Jacob Kidd	Zach Cluxton	Zachary Albasin
Lt. Col. David Parr	Lt. Col. Liza Parr	Isaac Meese
Norman Saunders	Ryan Horner	Ian Adams
Christopher Palmer USAF	Bryan Carmean	John Stone
Michael Frischhertz	Jason Pollard	Ben Zsabo
NC, USN Craig L. Duncan	Jeff Brown	Bob Fee
SR Jacob Albasin	Sgt. Mark Gatch	Shannon Bibbee
Brandon Reid		

Pray for our service men and women as they leave the military to go back to civilian life.