

June 1, 2008

Welcome to Worship and Praise

3rd 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

WORDS OF WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS *(please sign the friendship pads)*

WE SHARE MOMENTS OF FELLOWSHIP

A CALL TO PREPARE OUR HEARTS AND MINDS FOR WORSHIP

“Jesus, I Come” G.C. Stebbins/Lani Smith

MUSIC AS WE PREPARE FOR WORSHIP

Acolytes

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

♫ Blessed Be the Name of the Lord (ppt)

♫ UMH 77 How Great Thou Art

♫ I Sing Praises FWS 2037

♫ Thy Word UMH 601

HEARING AND EXPERIENCING THE GOOD NEWS

LET US PRAY TOGETHER (in unison)

You are indeed mighty in power, O God. You raised up the mountains and scooped out the ocean depths. You set the stars in their motion and brought forth life on this planet. You preside over the seasons of the year and the seasons of our lives. Yet you are also a God of love and caring, who mourns our unresponsiveness and agonizes over the suffering of the smallest child in the remotest village of the world. Fill us now with your Spirit, that we may see life as it really is and not as our culture has told us it is. Help us to follow the life and ministry of Jesus in our own lives, that we may know with him the joy and power of the resurrection. Instruct our hearts in tenderness and our souls in courage, that we may serve you well today and all our lives, through Jesus Christ our Lord, who taught us a way of praying, saying,

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

INTRODUCTION OF REV. WESLEY PUTNAM

..... **THE MINISTRY OF MUSIC**

The Chancel Choir

Rising Tides

“His Name Is Jesus”

by Wesley Putnam arr. Nate Carter

◆ Following the Ministry of Music, **preschool children** are invited to go to Children’s Church, upstairs in Room #201. Children in Kindergarten and up are invited to enjoy Rev. Putnam’s program here in the sanctuary.

THE MINISTRY OF GIVING

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

- Providing communications equipment and service for our church;
- Supporting 75 hospitals and health care facilities.

We give our Tithes, Offerings, and Gifts

The Prayer of Dedication

♫ Offertory

*dayspring:
the beginning of a brand new day*

Rev. Wesley Putnam

Evangelist, singer, & composer

♫ UMH 467 Trust and Obey

Please stand, if you are able (Acolytes)

♫ Madly (ppt)

A PARTING BLESSING (in unison)

Now may God, who has loved us and given us the Savior to die for our sins, give us life in his name and love for all created things, in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen.

♫ SINGING OUR BLESSING .. Sweet, Sweet Spirit UMH 334

MUSIC TO ENERGIZE US AS WE GO TO REFLECT THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

“Postlude: in B Flat” Colin Curtis

Week of June 1st



WE JOIN TOGETHER IN PRAYER:

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:

Evelyn Vannoy

George & Mary Vaughan

Dave & Ginger Vining: Stacy, Jamie, Samantha

Lois Volk

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 Harold (Pedro) & Janet Harry and family on the death of Pedro's brother, Raymond, of Mt. Healthy, OH. Raymond died May 18th and Memorial Services were held Sunday, May 25th, 2008.

ANSWERED PRAYER: I want to thank you for all your prayers. My daughter is doing better. Zachary is doing well and little Drew is doing much better, the cancer seems to be drying. All my family thanks you too. GOD IS GOOD – ALL THE TIME!

Marjorie McCollum

CURRENT CONCERNS:

REQUESTS FOR PRAYER FROM LAST SUNDAY'S PRAYER CARDS:

For **Tim Chadwell** submitted by Bev Overstake

For **Steven Curtis Chapman Family** submitted by a friend

REQUESTS FOR PRAYER FROM ONLINE SOURCES:

For **Melanie Root** (Kathy Meeker's daughter) submitted by N. Simpson

ON GOING CONCERNS LONG TERM:

Jerry Burger

Barb Parker

Kitty & Jack Arwine

Bob Cummins

Wade Lytle

Dick Forney

Mary Vaughan

Gene Wilson

Betty Lykins

Hazel Cox

Ed Wright

David White

Karen Whitaker

Jessie Abrams

Nancy Hance

Marian Truske

Darlene Weisbrod (Dorothy Lewis' sister)

Mollie Dreher (Herb & Sandy Rowan's daughter)

Drew (Great Nephew of Marge McCollum)

Chris Hall (Rita Abrams' son)

Thelma Jeffers (Tim's mother)

Mike Proud (Kim Jeffers' and Cassie Lefker's Dad)

Shirley Smith (Mary Ann Lefker's Mother)

Allyson Clark (Randy & Dana Clark's daughter) (<http://allyupdates.blogspot.com>)

Tom Brown (Munch Brown's Father)

NURSING HOMES AND HEALTH CARE CENTERS:

Bill McManus – Eastgate Spring of Cincinnati Health Care Center

Verna Burger - Locust Ridge Nursing Home

Mary Bare – The Arbors of Milford Room #315A

Eleanor Piffer - Eastgate Spring of Cincinnati Health Care Center

Sam Maham – Villa Georgetown Nursing Home

Lloyd Frodge (Don Frodge's Father) - Locust Ridge Nursing Home

Wayne Roundy (Carolee Grehan's Father) Otterbein

RETIREMENT CENTERS:

May Marshall - Eastgate Village

Geneva Carter (Dave Carter's Mother) - Eastgate Village

Fred Dyer (Jim Dyer's Father) – Veterans Home in Georgetown, Ohio

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

A1C Patrick Fender

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AMN Stephen Jordan

Brian Cramer

Paul Wabnitz

Ryan Frazee USAF

1Lt. David McCollum

Jacob Kidd

Zach Cluxton

Zachary Albasin

SR Jacob Albasin

Lt. Col. David Parr

Lt. Col. Liza Parr

Isaac Meese

Bryan Carmean

John Stone

Christopher Palmer USAF

Michael Frischhertz

Jason Pollard

Ben Zsabo

NC, USN Craig L. Duncan

Jeff Brown

Bob Fee

SSgt. Mark Gatch

Shannon Bibbee

Brandon Reid

Nick Richards USAF

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

Schedule of Activities for the Week of June 1st – June 8th, 2008

TODAY 1st: 3rd Sunday after Pentecost

- 9:00 a.m. Worship and Praise
- 10:00 a.m. Classes and Groups
- 11:00 a.m. Worship and Praise
- 5:00 p.m. Worship Team Seminar with Wesley Putman Anyone who is a part of our Worship Team that would like to learn more is invited to join us in the Fellowship Hall for a time of discussion with Wesley. We will have sandwiches and chips to follow this meeting.
- 6:30 p.m. BibleQuest (for Kindergarten thru 6th grade)
- 7:30 p.m. Revival Services

MONDAY: 2nd: 12:00 p.m. Song Writing Seminar with Wesley Putman

Wesley has been an active songwriter for many years. His music has played on many different contemporary Christian radio stations. Songs from his three albums have topped the charts in several major cities. He will share some of his inspiration for writing and answer questions about the songwriting process.

- 6:30 p.m. BibleQuest (for Kindergarten thru 6th grade)
- 7:30 p.m. Revival Services

TUESDAY 3rd: - 6:30 p.m. BibleQuest (for Kindergarten thru 6th grade)

- 7:30 p.m. Revival Services

WEDNESDAY 4th: 10:00 a.m. Bible Study in Fellowship Hall

- 6:30 p.m. BibleQuest (for Kindergarten thru 6th grade)
- 7:30 p.m. Revival Services

THURSDAY 5th: Last day for bulletin information to be turned into the office for this week

- 6:00 p.m. CrossRoads Student Ministries Hosting MRDD Bingo
- 7:00 p.m. Evening Prayer Service in Chapel
- 7:30 p.m. Rising Tides Practice

NEXT SUNDAY 8th: 4th Sunday after Pentecost

- 9:00 a.m. Worship and Praise
- 10:00 a.m. Classes and Groups
- 11:00 a.m. Worship and Praise
- 7:30 p.m. Pathway Youth Choir from Thomson First UMC

June 8-10 We are pleased to announce that we will be hosting **Pathway Youth Choir from Thomson First UMC** from Thomson, Georgia. The youth choir from the Atlanta area will perform a special concert at church Sunday night the 8th at 7:30 pm. Please plan to come and join in this special event. We will have an ice cream social following the concert. We are looking for folks who would be willing to host pairs of the students in their home. They will be staying 2 nights in Williamsburg so they can spend a day enjoying Kings Island Amusement Park. If you would be willing to host a pair of students or sponsors, please contact Bonnie Carson, 724-3856 or bonnie@wumy.org

(1) GOD'S BIG BACKYARD IS THE THEME FOR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL:

Sunday, July 13th – Thursday, July 17th. Bible School theme is about Service. In God's Big Backyard, Bible stories of service come to life through activities and projects where kids will serve their families, friends, neighbors, community, and Jesus! Come join us. We need help, if you are able to help please sign-up by putting your name and phone number on the Sign-up Sheet in the lobby.

(2) CPR CLASSES RESCHEDULED: CPR class is being offered in the Fellowship Hall on Thursday, June 19th & Friday, June 20th, 6:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. You must attend both days. Cost is \$25.00 per person. You must pay for class at the time you sign-up. Make checks payable to YMCA. The last day for sign-up is Sunday, June 15th. If you have any questions please contact Debbie Comer at 724-8228. We must have ten people registered to offer the class. (If less than ten registers we will reschedule and recruit.) SIGN-UP ENVELOPE AVAILABLE IN THE LOBBY

(3) ADULT MINISTRIES TEAM: The Adult Ministries Team is looking for a few volunteers to help organize two focus groups to be held this summer or early fall. The objectives would be to gather information from young families as to what they are looking for in a church and secondly to see what needs are in the community for ministry outreach purposes. If you are interested in helping please call Tracy Taylor at 724-3368.

(4) IT'S TIME TO PLAY BALL: W.U.M. Church has two teams playing ball at Ogden Fields. One team is all male and the other is mixed couples. The mixed couples team need more ladies on their team! The men's team play every Monday at 7:15 until the last Monday in July. The mixed couple will play every Friday (various times) until August 1st. Look for schedules on the table by the office door for the players and those who want to attend and support our team. For more information contact: Jim Murphy, 724-2298 or Jason Pollitt, (513) 388-6300.

(5) ATTENTION YOUTH! Youth we will be joining in the fun at Kings Island, as well on June 9th. If you order tickets on line before we go, they are more reasonably priced – check it out! We will also need help with a farewell breakfast for the choir on Tuesday morning, June 10th. If you are willing to help, please see Bonnie. Ichthus is almost here! We will be leaving for Wilmore, Kentucky and the Ichthus Music Festival on Wednesday, June 11, and returning Sunday, June 15th. Cost for the event is \$120.00 that will cover all of your meals, ticket to everything, gasoline, etc. There are always t-shirts and cd's for sale. If you are planning to go, please contact Bonnie ASAP! For more info about **Ichthus**, go to

www.ichthusfestival.org

(6) MINISTRY UPDATE – May 25, 2008

Christian Education Classes (Children 10, Youth 7, Adult 54)	71	Average YTD	93
9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. Worship Services (72+67)	139	Average YTD	190
Received Last week for the Budget:	\$3,098.00	Received last week for other purposes:	\$ 151.00
Budget Goal Year to Date:	\$ 104,265.00	Received for the Budget YTD:	\$ 90,399.00
Budget Expenses YTD:	\$ 103,760.15		

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