
TODAY'S SERVANTS AND HELPERS

	9:00 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
Greeters:	Kathy Meeker & Nancy Sullivan Nancy Simpson	CrossRoads Student Ministries Youth
Ushers:	Allen & Betty Lu Heimbold Ron Balzhiser & Bill (Pete) Cooper	CrossRoads Student Ministries Youth
Prayer Partner:	Rosemary Malott	Doug Chalker & Group
Worship Leader:	Guy Bainum	Doug Chalker
Acolytes:		
Nursery Helpers:		Debbie Chalker
Junior Church: Children age 4 through 3 rd Grade are invited to go upstairs to Room # 201:		
	Kris Jurgens	Brenda Jones

Flowers for worship in memory of Chris Hall (Rita Abrams' son)

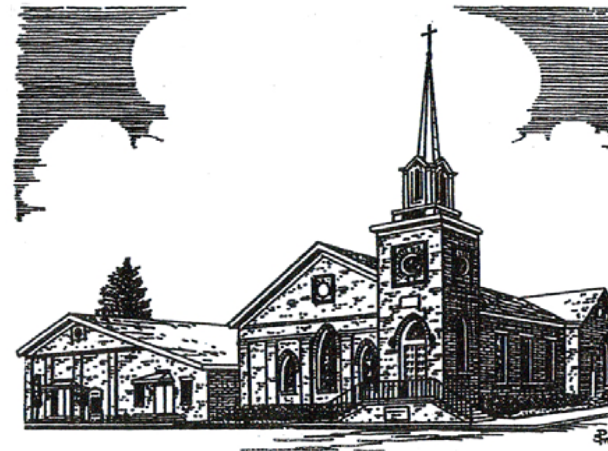
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WILLIAMSBURG EMERGENCY MISSION

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



Williamsburg United Methodist Church

July 27, 2008

Welcome To the **WILLIAMSBURG UNITED METHODIST CHURCH:**

Welcome friends!

Worship is to stop and reflect upon the majesty and love of God and to praise the One who created us all. Worship also enables us to take time to consider how God would have us act on behalf of the Kingdom of God. A warm welcome to one and all.

FRIENDSHIP REGISTER -Please pass the Friendship pad along your row, so each person can write his/her name, address & e-mail. If you are a guest to our church please fill out the card at the top of the friendship pad, then place it in the offering plate so we can get know you better.

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 blue tubs at each entrance of the sanctuary / worship center. Distribution is made through the "Emergency Mission" program of the Williamsburg area churches.

*** 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.

July 27, 2008

Welcome to Worship and Praise

11th 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

MUSIC AS WE PREPARE FOR WORSHIP Acolytes

“Open My Eyes” by Clara Scott

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

♪ My Life Is in You, Lord FWS 2032

♪ UMH 724 On Jordan’s Stormy Banks ♪ More Like You FWS 2167

♪ Surely the Presence of the Lord UMH 328

HEARING AND EXPERIENCING THE GOOD NEWS

Leader: Let us come together all who would serve the God of Abraham and Moses.

PEOPLE: AND BY WHAT NAME DID ABRAHAM OR MOSES SERVE?

Leader: The Great I AM, the Almighty God, Creator of all the universe!

PEOPLE: AND ARE WE, WHO ARE SO SMALL, KNOWN BY THE CREATOR OF THE UNIVERSE?

Leader: Hear the word Christ came to bring: God knows us and loves each of us.

ALL: BLESSED BE THE NAME OF THE LORD.

O Lord, often when life becomes so stressed, we can hardly stand it, we tend to forget that you are God, and we need only to lean on our faith and trust You. Forgive us, Lord, for you have given us your word that if we will only have faith, you will turn whatever comes — ultimately into good. Help us to have faith, God, and help our unbelief. In Christ’s name we pray. Amen.

..... COMMISSIONING TO SHORT TERM SERVICE (see insert).

A READING FROM THE BIBLE. Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43

“Parable of the weeds among the wheat”

Leader: The Word of the Lord PEOPLE: THANKS BE TO GOD.

..... THE MINISTRY OF MUSIC

“All The Heavens” (by Third Day)

2008 Youth Mission Team

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 “WHEN WEEDS APPEAR”

RESPONDING TO THE GOOD NEWS

♪ (seated) UMH 526 What a Friend We Have in Jesus

♪ (seated) The Heart of Worship (ppt)

CALL TO PRAYER Spirit of the Living God UMH 393

..... THE PRAYERS OF GOD’S PEOPLE

.....THE MINISTRY OF GIVING

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

- Providing repair for plumbing and electrical systems, heating and cooling units;
- Supporting the production of THE CIRCUIT RIDER, a bi-monthly professional journal and resource piece for clergy.

We give our Tithes, Offerings, and Gifts

♪ Offertory “This is My Father’s World” by Martin The Prayer of Dedication

♪ "Praise God..." (Please stand if you are able) UMH 95 ♪ Offertory

The Prayer of Dedication

♪ UMH 384 Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

♪ Prince of Peace (ppt)

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)

May God give us the joy of divine fellowship and the hope of everlasting life in Christ, that our days may be inexpressibly full, 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

“Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah” by Thomas Hastings

Schedule of Activities for the Week of July 27th – August 3rd, 2008

TODAY 27th: 11th Sunday after Pentecost

- 9:00 a.m. Worship and Praise
- 10:00 a.m. Classes and Groups
- 11:00 a.m. Worship and Praise
- 9:00 p.m. CrossRoads Student Ministries **Movie Night** at the Kent & Angie Royer's, 3562 Creeknoll Lane Williamsburg, Phone 724-3394.

TUESDAY 29th: Noon – 3:00 p.m. Asset Builders in Fellowship Hall
7:00 p.m. Church Council Meeting, The minutes from May 27th meeting in the mailbox next to the pastor's office

WEDNESDAY 30th: 10:00 a.m. Bible Study in Fellowship Hall

THURSDAY 31st: Last day for bulletin information to be turned into the office for this week
- 7:00 p.m. Rising Tides Practice in Worship Center

NEXT SUNDAY 3rd: 12th Sunday after Pentecost

- 9:00 a.m. Worship and Praise
- 10:00 a.m. Classes and Groups
- 11:00 a.m. Worship and Praise

Tonya Bellingham, Logan Blanton, Michelle Lewis, Stephen Lewis, Bonnie Olds-Carson, Lisa Smith, Angie Royer, Rachel Royer, Debbie Comer, Erica Comer, John Houchin, Lisa Houchin, Jon Houchin, Harold Houchin, Corey Phillips, Peggy Bender, Hannah Capps, John Wells, Kyle Jeffers will be going on a Missions Encounter to serve displaced Haitian refugees in Nassau, August 3 – 9. The team will be flying into Nassau to participate in this mission experience. They will be joining with youth from other United Methodist Churches and other denominations to work with the established churches in Nassau to reach out and lend a helping hand to displaced Haitian population.

- 7:00 p.m. **WESS ADAMS** Country Gospel Music in Concert

(1) WESS ADAMS Country Gospel Music in Concert: Wess Adams will be appearing in the Worship Center on Sunday, August 3, 2008 at 7:00 p.m. He will be ministering and sharing his testimony and love of the Lord through song. He is a great individual and vocalist and his new country gospel CD "God's Country" is uplifting and inspiring. He will be singing songs from his new CD as well as a few favorites from his first CD. Mark your calendars and plan to enjoy an evening of being ministry through music.

(2) THANK YOU Dear Friends, As I regain my health, I keep in mind all of the cards, flowers, prayers and words of encouragement so many of you sent my way. I am truly blessed to have such good friends who care about me. Many blessings to all of you. Love, Clara Mae Hundemer

(3) EMERGENCY MISSION: The Mission is in need of Jello, pudding & peanut butter.



(4) FAMILY FUN DAY FESTIVAL OF HOPE: The Festival of Hope will be held on Saturday, August 9th, 2008, from 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. at the Clermont County fairgrounds, 1000 Locust Street, Owensville, Ohio. This is a family fun day for both young and old consisting of games, craft booths, free entertainment and a dinner served from 2:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Admission is \$5.00 per carload. This is a wonderful value and all the proceeds go to Hospice of Hope, Ohio Valley located near Mt. Orab, Ohio. See bulletin board in fellowship hall for more information.

(5) MEMORIAL GIFTS: On the altar in the sanctuary are four new tables. Two of the tables are in memory of Harry & Ruth Lindower. The Bible Stand on the Communion Table is in memory of Don & Margaret Lawrence. The baby beds, sheets and crib blankets are in memory of Marjorie Taylor and a donation of money to the United Methodist Women in memory of Ruby Hiller, sister of Betty Rice. Precious memories, how they linger!

(6) BETTY WRIGHT DAY AT CLERMONT YMCA: Come; join the fun on Sunday, August 10th from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., at the Clermont YMCA. Non-members are welcome. Delicious food will be sold at the pool area. There will be a raffle. Cost is \$1.00 per ticket, 6 tickets for \$5.00. ALL proceeds will go the Betty Wright YMCA Kids to **Camp Scholarship Fund**. Come, this will help send some child to a day camp in Betty's name. (Rain date is August 17th)

(7) WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT: David King and Amber Hollins were married Saturday, July 12th in LaJolla, CA. Oceanside! Congratulations to this young couple.

(8) MINISTRY UPDATE – July 20, 2008

Christian Education Classes (Children 28, Youth 5, Adult 59)	87	Average YTD	90	
9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. Worship Services	(90 + 98)	188	Average YTD	180
Received last week for the Budget:	\$ 2,576.00			
Budget Goal Year to Date:	\$ 143,985.00			
Received for the Budget YTD:	\$ 124,324.00			
Budget Expenses YTD:	\$ 140,176.13			

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Week of July 27th



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:

Larry & Brenda Amerine: Ashley Barthel
Tony & Lynn Arnold: Brandon, Deavon

Hazel Arnold
Jack & Kitty Arwine

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 Rita & Roy Abrams & Family on the death of Rita's son, Chris Hall from Stafford, VA. Chris died on Wednesday, August 23rd. Services: Visitation is Friday, August 1st from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. at Lewis-Sullivan Chapel 18029 St. Rt. 247, Seaman, Oh. On Saturday, August 2nd at 2:00 p.m. a contingent from Fort Campbell will provide gravesite Military Honors at Mount Leigh Cemetery in Seaman, Oh.

REQUESTS FOR PRAYER FROM ONLINE SOURCES:

For **Vickie Pedigo** submitted by Pat Scott
For **Patty Ridner** submitted by Pat Scott
For **Karen Craig** submitted by Donna Boothby
For **Chis Hall Family** submitted by e-mail prayer chain
For **Kelly Sylvester** submitted by Carolee Grehan

ON GOING CONCERNS LONG TERM:

Clara Mae Hundemer	Barb Parker	Wade Lytle	Will Lytle	Jerry Burger
Dick Forney	Mary Vaughan	Gene Wilson	Betty Lykins	Hazel Cox
Ed Wright	Kitty & Jack Arwine	Jessie Abrams	Bob Cummins	David White
Darlene Weisbrod (Dorothy Lewis' sister)		Drew (Great Nephew of Marge McCollum)		
Thelma Jeffers (Tim's mother)		Tom Brown (Munch Brown's Father)		
Mollie Dreher (Herb & Sandy Rowan's daughter)		Ken Newman (Tom & Pat Fisher's Son in Law)		
Shirley Smith (Mary Ann Lefker's Mother)		Allyson Clark (Randy & Dana Clark's daughter)		
Mike Proud (Kim Jeffers' and Cassie Lefker's Dad)				

NURSING HOMES AND HEALTH CARE CENTERS:

Marilyn Whiteman - Locust Ridge Nursing Home
Verna Burger - Locust Ridge Nursing Home
Mary Bare – The Arbors of Milford Room #315A
Eleanor Piffer - Eastgate Spring of Cincinnati Health Care Center
Lloyd Frodge (Don Frodge's Father) - Locust Ridge Nursing Home
Wayne Roundy (Carolee Grehan's Father) Otterbein

RETIREMENT CENTERS:

Bill McManus – Eastgate Village Room #204
May Marshall - Eastgate Village Apt # 110
Geneva Carter (Dave Carter's Mother) - Eastgate Village
Fred Dyer (Jim Dyer's Father) – Veterans Home in Georgetown, Ohio
David Hutchens (Susan King's Father) – Mt. Pleasant Retirement Community in Monroe, Oh.

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

A1C Patrick Fender	patch_fender@yahoo.com	Air Force	Guam
Capt. David McCollum		Army	Ft. Leonard Wood, MO

Please help us update our list of Service Men & Women now serving in the armed forces.

If you have someone to include on our list –

Please contact Bill Lewis with the following information:

Full name; rank; mailing address with city, state, and zip or APO; email; what branch of service; where currently stationed; and your name as a contact for this person.

Bill's home phone: 724-7285, work phone: 724-7283 and email: info@eastforkwelding.com

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

AN ORDER FOR COMMISSIONING

TO SHORT-TERM CHRISTIAN SERVICE

**The leader briefly describes the work trip or project
and then says to the congregation:**

All who take upon themselves the name of Christ
are called into ministries of love and service by the example of Christ.
As these members of our community begin their work
among the displaced Haitian refugees in Nassau,
we pray the blessings of God and this community upon their endeavors.

Congregation:

**We recognize you as ambassadors of this congregation
in ministry with the displaced Haitian refugees in Nassau,
and dedicate you to service in the name of Jesus Christ.
Through our prayers we will be united with you in your work.
May God richly bless your labors.**

Leader:

Let us affirm our belief in the responsibilities of Christian service.

*The congregation may join those being commissioned in saying the following
abbreviated version of The United Methodist Social Creed:*

**We believe in God, Creator of the world;
and in Jesus Christ, the Redeemer of creation.
We believe in the Holy Spirit, through whom we acknowledge God's gifts.
We commit ourselves to the rights and dignity of all persons
and to the improvement of the quality of life.
We dedicate ourselves to peace throughout the world
and to the rule of justice and law among all nations.
We believe in the present and final triumph
of God's Word in human affairs,
and gladly accept our commission
to manifest the life of the gospel in the world.**