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“How beautiful on the mountains
are the feet of those who bring good
news, who proclaim peace, who
bring good tidings, who proclaim
salvation, who say to Zion,
‘Your God reigns!’”

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WORSHIP LEADER:

May 27— Anna Slaidins

June 3 —

GREETER:

May 27 - Paula Geswein
& Barb LeBlanc

June 3— Anna Slaidins

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Brad Medlin

Choir Director:
Rob Duerr

Organists:
Jacque Fisher
Mary Jane McBride
Shelley Outlaw

Chapel Worship: 8:45 AM
Morning Worship: 10:45 AM
Sunday School: 9:30 AM
Bible Adventure: 10:45 AM

Ushers:

8:45 AM **10:45 AM**
Gary Etter Jerry Hager
Arlene Uldrich Frank Taylor
Charlene Brown

Search committee update

I would like to thank the members of the search committee for all of their hard work, and the congregation for their patience during this process. The process is moving along nicely and on time. This may not be visible to members of the congregation but please be rest assured that the committee is working very hard. I would encourage the church to support and encourage this process as I feel it will only make us a stronger better church in the future. The search committee reports to the board from time to time on their progress. I have requested that the minutes from all board meetings be posted on the bulletin board outside of the pastors office so that members of this church can see what the board and all committees are doing. I hope this will help people stay informed and know that the board and the committees are all moving forward with this process. I would ask anyone with any questions to please contact me and not anyone from the search committee. I can be reached at 416-6285 or bradleymedlin@sbcglobal.net. GOD bless Brad

Endowments Benefit the Ministry of Our Church

On Wednesday, May 16, the Official Board voted to allocate \$1000 to WINGS and \$1220 to the Youth Group Work Retreat taking place this summer. These funds were generated via the interest on the principal we have in the Endowment Fund. We are very grateful to the members and friends who have given to our Endowment Fund down through the years.

- Bob Beall, Endowment Committee



Remember those who gave the greatest sacrifice of service to our country
Memorial Day May 28

Attendance May 13, 20 2012

8:45 — 26, 19
10:45 — 87, 83
Sunday school —

Offering—operating income

(Monthly budget need is \$14,958)

	Income rec'd	+/- Amt.
Dec. '11	- \$ 32,991	+ \$18,033
Jan. '12	- \$12,947	-\$2,011
Feb. '12	- 10,593	-\$4,365
Mar. '12	- \$11,348	-3,610
Apr. '12	- \$13,679	- 1,279



Happy Birthday

- Ginny Breckler—May 30
- Helen Hager—June 1
- Jacob Bane—June 5
- Lisa Bleeke—June 6
- Dainis "D" Slaidins—June 8
- Mary Walker— June 8

In Our Prayers

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|----------------|------------------|
| Glenda Boddie | Angie Brooks |
| Ron Brown | Jim Coleman |
| Michelle Conn | DeAnn Decker |
| Cletta Dicks | CeCe (Cobb) Cole |
| Jerry Edwards | Marilyn Foskulhl |
| Jamie Geswein | Beverly Guffey |
| David Goldberg | Ken Hambrick |
| Chris Heine | |
| Vern Hine | Bill Hine |

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| Carol Hildebrecht | Ruth Ingles |
| Mollie Huggins | Nova Kigar |
| Don Keltner | Dustin Knowlton |
| Erik Landing | Mary Lehman |
| Nancy Lyttle | Bob McCray |
| Lauren McClure | Marcella Miller |
| Nancy Meyer | Karolina O'Donnell |
| Harriet Shawhan | Cindy Ramano |
| Calire Riccos | Herb Schafer |
| Tom Scheit | Wayne Stolich |
| Paul Stutz | Danny Tomaz |
| Gloria Van Camp | Flo Warner |
| Evelyn Wheeler | Mary Willett |
| Paul White | Pat White |
| Emily Wilson | |

Those in Nursing Care

- Ginny Breckler—Trinity Home
- Mary Lou Chaney – Bethany Vlg.
- Margaret Cobb – Walnut Creek
- Margaret Dill – Masonic Home
- Marion Farren—Trinity Home
- Ginny Hambrick—Walnut Creek
- Lottie Jaeger – The Oaks, West Kett
- Lena Patterson – Liberty Woods
- Charles Warren – East Moline, IL
- Vera Westfall—Elm Croft, Washington Tnsp.

Military

- Ian Bader - USA, (Brown's grandson)
- Scott Certain – USA
(Jo Anne Jay's son-in-law)
- John Meyer - Afghanistan
(Nancy Meyer son)
- Nathanial Nicholas—Afghanistan
- Brian Nicholas—USA (Nicholas family sons)
- Adam Reeves—USA (Edna's grandson)
- Sam Rogers—USA (Jen Roger's son)
- Casey Ryan - USA (Weyrauch son-in-law)
- Kevin Stites—USA (S Stites grandsons)
- Ryan Stites - Afghanistan



Memorial Day

Is it enough to think today
Of all our brave, then put away
The thought until a year has sped?

Is this full honor for our dead?

Is it enough to sing a song
And deck a grave; and all year long
Forget the brave who died that we
Might keep our great land proud and free?

Full service needs a greater roll,
That we who live give heart and soul
To keep the land they died to save,
And be ourselves, in turn, the brave!

- Annette Wynne

TRIVIA NIGHT—SAT, MAY 26, 7PM

Join youth and friends in a fun Trivia game night. We play as teams and had a good time at the last one. The Roalef and Karl families were the Grand Prize Winners in April.

There will be several door prizes to win. We have great food prizes: Mimi's Café, Bagel Café, Friendly's, Lees, Frisch's, Marion Pizza, and many more. The game admission cost is just \$3.00 and we have snacks for a nominal fee. Come with friends or we will help you join a team. - Sheri, Youth leader

All the proceeds benefit our June 3 workcamp trip to Kentucky, just a week away.

We have 20 kids planning to go on the trip, along with 5 adult chaperones.

Mildred Heath Memorial Service

A Celebration of Life Service for Mildred Heath will be held on Saturday, June 2 at 11 AM, here at the church.

All are invited to join the family in a lunch following the service.

On Sunday, June 3 there will be a burial service at Evergreen Cemetery in St Paris, Oh at 2 PM.

We're Looking for a Rocking Chair

If anyone has a rocking chair they no longer use, we could use one for the Hllyroom,. - Barbara Richards

Recipe for a Successful Tent Sale

Lots of donations from our generous congregation! Energetic volunteers, and we had over 30 people. See below. Lots of buyers and good weather (except part of Sat.) My hats off to al who made this successful, \$4,210.42 so far.

Volunteers: Charlene Brown, Phil & karen Brown, Ryan Brodowski, Bob Colvin, barb Etter, Brian Hager, Greg, Yevonne & Sara Goodner, Marilyn Foskuhl, Paula Geswein, Gage Rayney, Ruth & Roger Fulmer, Eric, Carol and Anna L:anding, Barb LeBlanc, Paul & Mary Marcum, Jonell & David Martin, Nova Kigar, Brad Medlin, Mike Robinson, Connie Sink, John Slaidins, Darlene Schafer, Arlene Uldrich, Ray Urbanas, Tom Wheeler, Rev. Bob Smitley, Ryan's two friends! I'm sure I missed someone, I apologize.

Your Faithful Servant, Gary Etter



Honoring Ruth Fulmer Upon Her Retirement— June 10

Greenmont –Oak Park Community Church & Green-Oak Preschool invite you to share in a Recognition service and Reception for Ruth on Sunday, June 10 at 2 PM.

Please come thank Ruth for her 35+ years of service to our Preschool and send her well wishes for her retirement.

We Can JOIN the NEW Kroger Reward Program Now

We have worked out enrolling Greenmont-Oak Park Community church in the New Kroger Community Rewards Program.

The next step is to have members (you) who want to participate in the program, go online and register your Kroger Plus Card Number and to designate our church as the program organization to support. The new program works through using the Kroger Plus Card. This new process is all done on-line.

You can go to krogercommunityrewards.com to register your Kroger Plus Card. If you don't have a Kroger Plus Card account, click on SIGN UP TODAY, in the 'New Customer?' box. Once you have an account set up and confirmed you will select our church as the organization to support. Our NPO # is 80028. , then select the name of our church, then confirm.

Within 7 to 10 business days of successfully enrolling your Kroger Plus Card, you will see at the bottom of your Kroger receipt: "At your request, Kroger is donating to "GOPCC"

I have written instructions from Krogers on the process available in the church office, and can assist any church members who do not have computer access. If you would like to participate and need assistance registering, please contact me. - Nova Kigar, 252-6705, ext 0.

We're Getting Ready for VBS



**June 25—29, in the evening
6—8 PM**

Sky VBS is an uplifting discovery of TRUSTING GOD. Everything is possible!

Please see the sign-up lists for volunteers, and for snacks items or craft items to donate on the bulletin board across from the office.

If you have any questions—please contact Sue Smitley.

Call the church office to register your children and grandchildren age 3 to 5th grade. 252-6705

Summer Sunday School Plans
"If you could put some of the Bible people on trial who would it be?"



Beginning June 3, 2012 we will be combining the confirmation, high school and adult classes to do just that. Join us starting June 3.
June 3—Cain, Gary Etter
June 10—John the Baptist, Frank T.
June 17—Jonah, Dave Roalef
June 24—Nebuchadnezzar, Bob C.

Chimes Article Deadlines are:
June 4, 18, July 2

Those Graduating In Our Church



We have much to celebrate and give recognition for as we share in church families student accomplishments.

Our Third Grade Graduates are: **Julia Medlin, and Anna Landing.** Christian Education is presenting them with a Youth Bible as they move into their Intermediate Elementary school years.

High School Graduates:

Adam Donovan is graduating from Fairmont High School and will attend Wright State University in the fall, living on-campus in the Honors dorms, and majoring in Mechanical Engineering. Adam has accepted two merit scholarships from WSU, the first covers full tuition for four years, and the second covers room and board.

Zakk Donovan will graduate from Fairmont High School. He intends to further his education but has not decided on a school. He has worked part-time at Geez restaurant as a cook for 3 years.

Alyssa Erbes is graduating from Fairmont High School. Alyssa has received two scholarships for furthering her education. She will be attending the University of Cincinnati and majoring in Middle School Education.

Timothy Keltner is graduating from Fairmont High School and has been accepted to Morehead State University, where he plans to study Music Education. Tim has been involved in eleven different Band and Choral groups this year, which has kept him hopping, but he has enjoyed every minute. Tim also is a member of the German National Honor Society.

The Keltner family invite the church family to join them in celebrating Tim's graduation here at the church on Mon, May 28 between 1 & 5 PM.

Jacob Roalef is graduating from Fairmont High School and has received a scholarship from Kent State University, where he plans to attend and study Zoology and Biology.

Molly Hayden, Granddaughter of Edna Holland, is graduating from Springboro High School. She plans to attend Morehead State University.

College Degree Graduates:

Kathleen Chapman has earned her Bachelor of Science in Psychology and Bachelor of Science in Biology. She will be going to Eastern Mennonite University in Harrisonburg, VA—accepted into the Seminary for Fall 2012. She is in the process of admittance to the Master of Counseling Program and the dual degree.

Carl Chapman has received his Bachelor of Science in Religion. He will be going to Wesley United Methodist Seminary in Washington, DC in the fall 2012.

Jamie Fisher has earned her Bachelor's degree in Social Work from Wright State University.

Katie Goodner has earned her Associate degree in Early Childhood Education from Sinclair College.

Steven Keltner is graduating Magna Cum Laude from Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology with a degree in Mechanical Engineering and a minor in Electrical Engineering and Robotics. He has accepted an engineering position with Gentex Corporation and will be moving to Holland, Michigan in June. Steven will be getting married in November to Stephanie Owens.

Gregory King has earned his Bachelor's degree in Music from Heidelberg University.

Kristen King has earned her double Bachelor's degrees in French and Business from Elmhurst College.

Jon Roalef has earned his Bachelor's degree in Social Work from Ohio State University.



