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**JULY 2, 2024** NO.51 HE IS OUR GOD **WE ARE HIS PEOPLE** 

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## **VBS IS COMING!!!**





REGISTER AND LET YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS KNOW.
THIS YEAR'S THEME IS SCUBA VBS, WHERE KIDS WILL SUBMERGE THEMSELVES IN THE SCRIPTURES AND UNCOVER THE TRUE ESSENCE OF THE LIVING WATERS!

Dates: 7/14/24 - 7/18/24

Times: 6:15-8:30PM

Ages: Pre-K (3+) through 5th Grade

Location: Cornerstone Community Chapel

## RON'S REFLECTIONS

Life in Hartville continued...During this time of pursuing a degree as a non-traditional student at Malone, our two oldest boys, Derek and Kevin were enrolled in Lake Center Christian School. Derek began second grade and Kevin entered kindergarten. Derek caught the attention of the superintendent Matt McMullen with his achievement test scores and Matt called us in for a conference. I'll never forget when he asked us the question, "do you know what you have here with Derek?" I responded saying that I knew he seemed very bright. Matt then pulled out the test scores to show that Derek as a second grader was reading and understanding material at a post 12th grade level. Matt then wanted to know where he got such intelligence and concluded that it must have been from Wanda  $\odot$ .

Now Kevin, well let's just say, that he was into school too, but his goal was to embrace the social side of everything! His kindergarten teacher was concerned and recommended that he repeat kindergarten to master the academic fundamentals. We felt he would excel if he continued without being held back for a second run at it and praise God he did! In first grade Kevin grasped the academic side of things very well and had no issues going forward. During this time Kevin also battled chronic tonsilitis. Once we addressed that in our first year of living in Hartville, Kevin's health drastically improved for which we were so grateful!

Wanda had her hands full with four young children and me. She often helped me type up some of my papers that I was required to write, while keeping house, handling the many and varied needs of our four kids and even taking on a baby-sitting job for a young boy Crystal's age named Adam. Her work was nonstop, and I was and am still amazed to this day how she accomplishes so much and does it all so pleasantly.

Eugene Miller and Vernon Sommers took me under their wings and invited me to go with them deer hunting. Vernon gifted me my first buck hunting knife which I treasure to this day. It has come in handy multiple times for gutting and skinning the deer I've been able to bring down. Eugene showed me many things about the way of the deer, and the best way to either still or stand hunt them on their property down just off Poker Road. Those times with Eugene and Vernon, were some of my favorite times during those early years in Hartville. Vernon also took me and our two boys to see our first Cleveland Indians game.

Life on the farm on Andrews Street was an adventure for all of us! During that first year, we experienced our first tornado. One afternoon, the boys had come home from school, little 2-year-old Crystal was upstairs for her afternoon nap, and Wanda had taken the car and run to town for a few minutes out of the house, which was her way of catching a short break, to pick up a few needed groceries.

I remember looking out at the threatening greenish skies and wondering if we were in for a serious storm when suddenly, the wind in the open windows turned to a screaming sound like a freight train's whistle and the back door to the deck flew open. Torrential rain was moving horizontally past the opening. I ran to the door, and it was all I could do to wrench the door shut as the tornado took out the top of the tree next to the house and wrapped our new trampoline around the bottom of the next tree. The buggy barn about 100 feet east of the house took the full brunt of the destructive force of the tornado and large parts of it were scattered in a circular way up to a thousand feet out in the field. The only thing remaining was our little Simplicity riding mower parked undamaged on a small concrete slab in the center of where the buggy barn had been. The tornado continued to wreak havoc for a few miles as it moved east and left many twisted off trees and residential damage in its path.

Wanda was in the car coming home and the tornado crossed just in front of her. She was unable to see to drive so she stopped the car and waited for it to pass. To this day I am so thankful to God for her protection and that our house stayed together. Little Crystal slept through it all upstairs in her crib. Thankfully the roof was not taken off or she may have been injured or killed. God's angels certainly watched over our family that day. To be continued....

Pastor Ron



## **SCHEDULE**

## WED JULY 3

8:00AM - SENIOR MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

6:15PM - PRAYER GATHERING

#### 7:00PM - FAMILY NIGHT

Youth Group - 6th - 12th Grade Woman's Bible Study - Worship Center Men's Bible Study - Fellowship Hall

class descriptions later in bulletin

## WEEKLY

MON, TUES, THURS, FRI 12:00-1:00PM - PRAYER GATHERING

TUESDAYS 6:00PM - WORSHIP PRACTICE

FRIDAYS
9:30AM - SENIOR COMMUNITY
GROUP

## SUN JULY 7

8:30AM - PRESERVICE PRAYER 9:00AM - COFFEE & FELLOWSHIP 9:30AM - SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:30AM - WORSHIP SERVICE

## **JULY** 1-7

## LIFE GROUPS

### JASON & CHELSEA BREDA'S

1st & 3rd Sunday 12:30-2PM @ the Church

### **BRIAN & CHRISTIE JOHNSON'S**

1st & 3rd Tuesday 6:30PM @ their home

#### STEVE & AMY ROSS'

Every Other Friday 6:30PM @ their home

#### **CLAY AKINS' YOUNG ADULT**

Every Other Friday 7PM @ his house

small group details on Page 4 in the bulletin

## FOR THE RECORD

Attendance for June 30, 2024: 119
Giving total: \$4,427.00

Total Need for Approved Budget: \$5,340

## COMMUNITY SMALL GROUPS DISCIPLES MAKING DISCIPLES

#### Jason & Chelsea Breda's

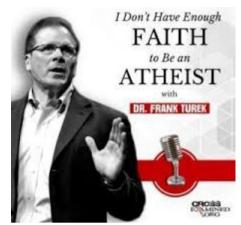
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**JUL 21** 

**JULY 12** 

**JULY 26** 

Join us in **Apologetic Potluck!** Bring a snack or side dish for after church service to share as we embark in a 12-week course that teaches you how to combat the 7 most common objections to Christianity. Join us **every 1st & 3rd Sunday every month** @ **the church from 12:30PM - 2PM**. All ages welcome!



#### **Brian & Christie Johnson's**

JULY 2
JULY 30
Meeting every other Tuesday we are currently watching and discussing the 2nd Season of the Chosen. This group meets at Brian & Christie's home: 336 King Church Ave, Hartville Ohio 44632. Pastor Ron leads this group. We would love to have you join us!



#### Steve & Amy Ross'

In Matthew 28:16-20, Jesus gives His apostles the great commission which is to go and make disciples. This small group focuses on discipleship, with an emphasis on relationships. We meet *every other Friday* @ *their house* (5821 Manchester Rd New Franklin 44319) @ 6:30PM. Bring your Bible and a side dish!



#### Clay Akins'

JULY 12
JULY 26

Are you a young adult looking for a small group to join? You are welcome here! This group is connecting every other Friday @ Clay's house (8632 Wedgewood Ave North Canton 44720) @7PM.



INTERESTED IN JOINING? CONTACT PASTOR RON OR KATIE HARSH 330-877-1250 | 330-685-2689

## WEDNESDAYS.

## **FAMILY NIGHT | 7-9PM**

#### CORNERSTONE YOUTH GROUP

Our youth group ranges from 6th grade through 12th grade. They are led by our wonderful youth leaders, Ivan & Carolina Venegas. Each week has the potential for God to reveal new things to the kids as they look closely at each Bible story.





#### **MEN'S BIBLE STUDY**

Come join a wonderful group of men of all ages where we discuss how to interpret the Bible (hermeneutics). We also discuss what the Bible has to say of things going on in the world and our lives, pray and worship. We will continue our study of Jude this week. Pastor Ron leads this group.



#### **WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY**

Current Bible study is in the book of Colossians. So many good and practical truths for our lives. The woman are learning how to apply these wonderful truths to their life. Woman of all ages welcome. We pray for each other and share our hearts together.

## VOLUNTEER SCHEDULES



Children's Church Director: Nicole Miller

Children's church is taking a break for June & July. Quiet boxes are available in the back of the sanctuary.

**Nursery Director: Rachel Beachy** 

This week: Barb Miller & Izzie Beachy

Next week: Erma King & Christie Johnson

## **Bread Ministry**

This week: (7/1-7/5)- Dorman Kuhns Next week: (7/8-7/12)- Jerry W. Miller

## **Worship Leader**

This week: Scott Miller Next week: Austin Yoder



If you'd like to be part of one of these ministries please see the leader of the ministry or Katie Harsh.

## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

## **Multiply Conference**

Greetings from the Rosedale Network office! Multiply 2024 is quickly approaching (August 2-4 in Greenwood, DE) and we are excited about the program that has taken shape around the theme "Follow Jesus." This call to keep Jesus and His kingdom front and center seems particularly pertinent during this election year when so much attention in our culture is focused on the kingdoms of this world. For more information and to register, visit <a href="https://rosedalenetwork.org/rosedale-network-events/annual-conference/">https://rosedalenetwork.org/rosedale-network-events/annual-conference/</a>. Due to it being peak tourist season in Greenwood, registering for the conference and booking your lodging accommodations as soon as possible is highly recommended!

## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED - OHIO MENNONITE RELIEF SALE - EGG ROLLS

The Relief Sale will be held on Friday, July 12 and Saturday, July 13 at the Mt. Hope Event Center. We have the opportunity to help with preparing, rolling and manning the egg roll stand. Kindly consider giving some of your time on one or more of the following days:

Wednesday, July 10th - Prepare the filling at Hartville Kitchen Thursday, July 11th - Roll egg rolls at the Hartville Kitchen Friday, July 12th - Volunteer at the stand - Mt. Hope Saturday, July 13th - Volunteer at the stand - Mt. Hope

\*\*Sign up sheets are hanging on the bulletin board, or you may call Pam Blough 330-705-4720.

Thanks for your consideration! It's a fun opportunity - good fellowship, good cause!

# NEED PRAYER OR HAVE A QUESTION ABOUT THE BIBLE?





## PRAYER REQUESTS

Please consider writing a card, sending a text, making a call, or visiting some of our church family members that are going through a rough time. There are cards available in the church office if you need some. If you need additional info, please contact Katie Harsh or Pastor Ron Embleton.

Mary Ellen Yoder- 850 Sunnyside St. SW, Hartville 44632; 330-904-2105

Eva Kuhns Potts- 1420 Smith-Kramer St. NE, Hartville 44632; 330-453-0748

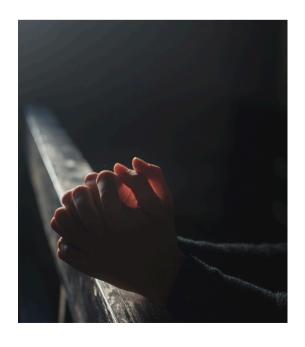
Kathleen Patterson- 1976 Gulf St. NW, Uniontown 44632; 330-877-1606

Audrey Ritter- 11750 Klinger Ave, Alliance 44601 Altercare of Alliance Rm 406; 330-823-8263

Susie Boyd– St. Luke's Lutheran Community Rm 107 Pinehurst; 220 Applegrove St NE, North Canton OH 44720; 330-498-5539

Ruth DeLong- 4900 Massillon Rd. Apt. 19, North Canton 44720; 330-697-5323



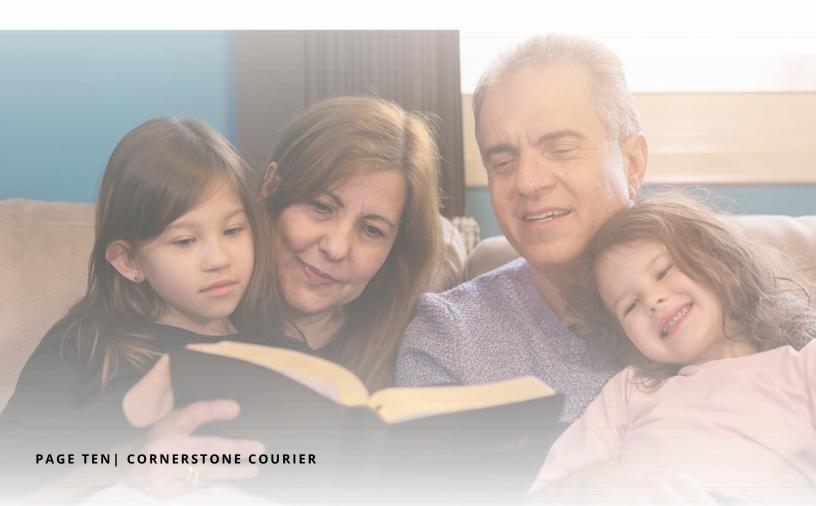


# READ THE BIBLE IN A YEAR

THIS YEAR'S BIBLE READING PLAN GIVE US A LITTLE MORE FLEXIBILITY. INSTEAD OF 7 DAYS, IT IS ONLY 5, THAT WAY IN CASE YOU MISS A DAY YOU'RE NOT BEHIND. WE HOPE IT HELPS YOU READ THROUGH YOUR BIBLE IN A YEAR! HAPPY READING!

## Week 26

- 1 Kings 6; 2 Chronicles 3; 1 Timothy 1
- 1 Kings 7; 2 Chronicles 4; Psalm 44, 1 Timothy 2
- 1 Kings 8; Psalm 30; 1 Timothy 3
- 2 Chronicles 5-7; Psalm 121; 1 Timothy 4
- 1 Kings 9; 2 Chronicles 8; 1 Timothy 5





## **Bible Word Search**

## Apostles / Disciples



## Word list:

PETER
ANDREW
JAMES
JOHN
PHILIP
BARTHOLOMEW

THOMAS
MATTHEW
JAMES
THADDAEUS
SIMON
JUDAS

