

Childrens Ministry

Hi Kids!

I hope you're having a great day today! I am sorry to say that I forgot last time to report the perfect attendance list for Bible Discovery class in September, so I'll start by fixing that little mistake. Here ya go! **Daisy Gary, John Gary, Paul Gary, Violet Gary, Blake Hoggatt, Madelynn Hoggatt, Miles Howard, Madalyn Lewis, Ember Patterson, RJ Patterson, and Madi White.** Good job, guys! Since September was the first month of class, all of you are on track for perfect attendance for the whole year! Keep it up!! Also, in the last 2 weeks, I've heard verses or Bible facts from **Daisy Gary, Noah Hensley, Blake Hoggatt, Madelynn Hoggatt, Miles Howard, Madalyn Lewis, Paisley Meddings, and Liam Rossiter!** Thanks guys, you're all doing so well! While I'm at it, I should add that I was very impressed with Miss Daisy Gary, who, in a single class, recited the 10 Commandments, all the Judges, all the Kings of Israel, the books of both the Old and New Testaments in order, the Armor of God, the Fruits of the Spirit, the Days of Creation, and half of the Beatitudes! Way to go!

In other news, we are still working on our preparations for the **Fall Festival** party next week, and we can surely use all the help we can get! **Games start at 3:30 and Trunk or Treat starts at 4:30!** The signup sheet for games/crafts is posted on the bulletin board in the foyer. Besides that, if you might also be willing to stay and help put it all away after the end, that would be VERY greatly appreciated! I'm so sure that it will be a fun time for everyone, so be sure to come out with your favorite costume on (**no scary ones, please**) and have a blast!

Talk to you soon!

-Ryan



THANK YOU!

THANK YOU for the pretty wind chimes, cards, thoughts, and prayers at the recent passing of my sister. We appreciate it very much!

Also, we are sincerely grateful to our church family for all the expressions of your love, kindness, and support to us over the past several months of my illness. Your thoughts and prayers have helped to carry us through these difficult times.

With Love,
Lori & Dale Dye



CONGRATULATIONS to Michael & Kayla Forry on the birth of their son, Kooper Kenneth, who was born October 10. Proud grandparents are Dane & Stephanie Williams.

Journey into Eternity **THE BODY I HAVE ALWAYS WANTED!** I Corinthians 15:36-41

TWO _____?

_____ and _____?

- I Corinthians 15:35
- I Corinthians 15:50-53

_____ not _____.

- Philippians 3:20-21
- I John 3:2
- John 2:19, 21

THREE _____

Lessons from _____.

- I Corinthians 15:36-38
- John 12:24

Lessons from _____.

- I Corinthians 15:39

Lessons from _____.

- I Corinthians 15:40-41

FOUR _____

Sown in _____ / Raised in _____.

- I Corinthians 15:42

Sown in _____ / Raised in _____.

- I Corinthians 15:43

Sown in _____ / Raised in _____.

- I Corinthians 15:43

Sown a _____ body / Raised a _____ body.

- I Corinthians 15:44
- I Corinthians 15:55-57,58

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Ed Nice
Seth Rossiter



Richland Road

Church of CHRIST

October 15, 2023

Fall Festival



NEXT SUNDAY

GAMES & FOOD

3:30 - 4:30 PM

TRUNK-OR-TREAT

4:30 - 5:00 PM

Games • Crafts • Costumes • Hot Dogs • Popcorn

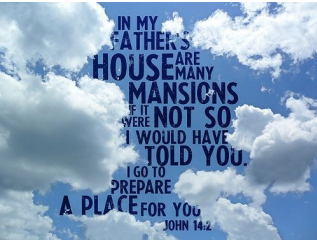
Staying Connected

WAYS TO BE INVOLVED! Here are a few ministries you can be involved and serve in: *Safety & Security*: they are looking for members who would like to serve while worship or Bible Classes are taking place. If you are interested, sign up in the foyer or see Nate Hildreth for more details. *Women's Ministry*: This Tuesday night, they will have a potluck meal here in the Fellowship Hall, followed by a planning session for monthly events. Please see Meagan White for more details! *Fall Festival*: Help with games, food, or Trunk-or-Treat next Sunday afternoon. Sign up in the foyer or see Ryan & Misty Hoggatt for more details! *Food Pantry*: Each week, we have between 12-24 families come for a bag of food from the church emergency food pantry. Please see the list of items needed and bring those in immediately, as the food is going out quicker than it's brought in.

TWO GREAT DAYS! Don't forget that next Sunday is our annual *Fall Festival* from 3:30—5:00 PM. On Sunday, November 5, we will have our *Fall FRIENDS DAY*. There will be no Bible Classes that day, but we will have a Pancake Breakfast from 9:30—10:45 AM in the Fellowship Hall. Invite your family and friends to join you for an awesome time of worship and fellowship!

OMRI-LAND! How would you define greatness? Would you define it in terms of some great accomplishments, earning millions of dollars, being famous, or making an important discovery? Too often, we define greatness solely in material terms, but that is not how God defines it. This is illustrated in the case of King Omri. Never heard of him. If you had lived in Israel or the Middle East in the 9th and 8th centuries B.C., you would have known about him. Omri was the king of Israel from 885 -874 B.C. Archaeologists have discovered entire cities and palaces built by him. He was a rich and powerful king who established a long line of kings after him. So influential was he that other kings of the period referred to Israel as Omri-Land, even long after his death. Even today, the modern state of Israel regards King Omri as a national hero. But if you read God's evaluation of him in the Bible, you will realize Omri was not a good king after all. His reign is mentioned in one chapter of the Bible (1 Kings 16). Here is what God said about him in 1 Kings 16:25, "Omri did evil in the eyes of the Lord, and did worse than all who were before him." King Omri's wasted life illustrates Jesus' teaching in Matthew 16:26, "What good will it be for someone to gain the whole world, yet forfeit their soul? Or what can anyone give in exchange for their soul?"

POEM OF LIFE! Life is but a stopping place, a pause in what's to be, a resting place along the road, to sweet eternity. We all have different journey's, different paths along the way, we all were meant to learn some things, but never meant to stay. Our destination is a place, far greater than we know, for some the journey's quicker, for some the journey's slow. And when the journey finally ends, we'll claim a great reward, and find an everlasting peace, together with the Lord.



-Matt

INFORMATION & EVENTS

LIFEGROUPS

MEET TODAY



SAFETY & SECURITY TEAM—If you are interested in serving on the Safety and Security Team sign up in the foyer today. If you have any questions, please see Nate Hildreth.



LEADERSHIP CLASS—Beginning today at 3:30 PM in Room 11, we will be offering a class on leadership. See an Elder for more information.

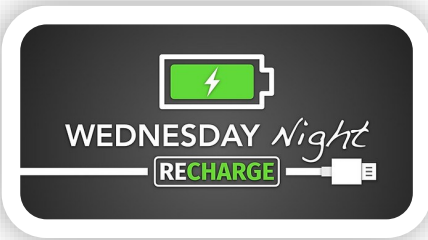
QUILTING MINISTRY—The Quilting Ministry will meet this Tuesday @ 9 AM in the Fellowship Hall.



WOMEN'S MINISTRY—This Tuesday there will be a Potluck and Planning Meeting at 6:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall for the Women's Ministry. Sign up in the foyer. See Meagan White for more details!



ELDERS & MINISTERS MEETING—This Wednesday the Elders and Ministers will meet in the Fellowship Hall @ 9 AM. If you want to address anything with the Elders, all are welcome to attend!



WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY
Acts
Russell Howard & Matt Dahm
@ 7 PM in the Auditorium

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY
“Winning the War in Your Mind”
Taught by Teresa Sharp



EMERGENCY FOOD PANTRY—In the month of October, we are asking for donations of: Spaghetti Noodles & Sauce, Boxed Sides, Canned Soup

Bible Hour and Junior Worship will be offered at the 2nd service.

FOR THE RECORD - October 8, 2023

BIBLE CLASS.....	52	WEDNESDAY.....	82
SUNDAY AM.....	221	CONTRIBUTION.....	\$6,005.00
SUNDAY PM.....	n/a	BUDGET.....	\$6,788.00



NEXT SUNDAY
Games & Food
3:30—4:30 PM
Picnic Shelter / Fellowship Hall (bad weather)
Trunk—or—Treat
4:30—5:00 PM
See Ryan & Misty Hoggatt for details!



THE WOMEN OF PURPOSE will be meeting Wednesday, October 25 @ 11:30 AM in the Fellowship Hall for a sack lunch.



HELP UNLOAD MID-OHIO FOOD Thursday, October 26 @ 11:00 AM in the Fellowship Hall.

FOOD GIVEAWAY Saturday, October 28 @ 9 AM. (Be here @ 8:00 AM to help.) Contact Josh Ball to volunteer to help.



CLOTHING GIVEAWAY—The Clothing House will be open from 9—11 AM on Saturday, October 28.



CHURCH CAMP WORK DAY—There will be a work day up at NWOCYC on Saturday, October 28. See the list posted in the foyer of jobs that need completed.



5TH SUNDAY GUEST SPEAKER—Our special guest speaker for Sunday, October 29 will be Josh Ball!



FALL FRIENDS DAY—On Sunday, November 5, we'll be having our Fall Friends Day with Pancake Breakfast! Begin to invite your family and friends to join you! Worship will be at the normal 8:30 and 11:00 AM times, with no Bible Class. We will be having a Pancake Breakfast from 9:30—10:45 AM.

PICK UP AN OCTOBER PRAYER LIST IN THE FOYER

TIMES OF SERVICE : Sunday—8:30 AM and 11:00 AM

Sunday Morning Bible Classes —9:45 AM Sunday Life Groups: 12:00 PM and 6:00 PM

Wednesday Evening Bible Study—7:00 PM