



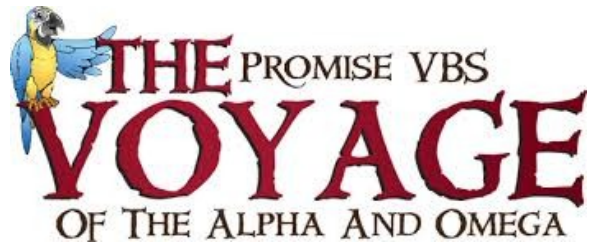
# The Weekly News of the Northeast Church of Christ

June 19, 2016

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## ESPECIALLY FOR OUR GUESTS ...

- Please pick up an information packet from our welcome table in the lobby. We also have a small gift for our first-time guests.
- We are grateful for your presence today. Please fill out an attendance card (please indicate both your first and last names) so we can have a record of your presence.
- About halfway through the service, the children kindergarten through the 4th grade will be dismissed for their own class downstairs. For those 4 years old and under, there are classes on the main level throughout the entire service. We encourage the use of our attended nursery class for those who need it.
- If you have any questions concerning our services or the church or the Bible, we encourage you to speak to one of our elders or our minister.



At VBS this year we will help our children explore the power of Jesus through the "I Am" statements of John's Gospel, and help them to value a relationship with Jesus as a treasure that blesses them now and for eternity.

### **REGISTRATION**

Registration forms for our **members and their family and friends** are located in the lobby. We need you to fill out a separate one for each child that will be attending VBS and place them in the box in the lobby.

### **HELPERS NEEDED**

Volunteers are still needed to help in many ways. The sign-up list is in the hallway. Take a look at the list and see where you can fit in.

## PLACING MEMBERSHIP

David Anderson



Sonya Henney

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY



Ollie Bateman will celebrate her 96th birthday this Wednesday.

Let's show our love for her with a card (no gifts, please). Here's her address:

Ollie Bateman

Church of Christ Assisted Living D-206

23621 15 Mile Rd.

Clinton Twp MI 48035

## THANK YOU

Colleen Kaganac and her family wish to thank everyone in the congregation for their heartfelt prayers, cards, and flowers with the passing of her sister, Gail Wray.



## THANK YOU

We want to give a BIG thank you to Mike & Lynn Messier for their hospitality in opening their home to us last week for our picnic, and for all their work preparing and cleaning up.



## FREE BOOKS



There are some surplus library books on a table in the back of the auditorium for anyone to take - free of charge! They will be gone soon so hurry and get yours today. Next Sunday will be your last chance to take advantage of this great opportunity.

## NEW ADDRESS



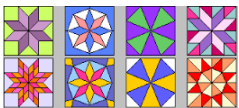
Mark Nelson family

## ELDER CHAIRMAN

Mark Wilson is the chairman of the elders through June. You can contact him if you have any questions or concerns.



## LADIES RETREAT



Our Northeast Ladies Retreat will be **Sept. 17-18**, at the Hyatt Place in Auburn Hills. Our guest speaker will be Delores Nelson, mother of our very own Mark Nelson. This plans to be a time to share with each other and grow together as we strive to increase our unity. Our goal is to become **“Quilted Together.”** This promises to be an exciting and motivational time for all of our Northeast ladies. It's our hope that all ladies, ages 18 and up, will be part of this inspiring time. If you have interest please sign up on the bulletin board in the hallway. Registration forms will be available soon. There is a committee of six gals (Cindy Wilson, Megan Thomas, Deanna Graves, Sara Nelson, Pam Stewart and Vicki Loftis) that are working diligently and planning many motivational, inspiring, and fun activities for the weekend. We request that you keep this time in your prayers, that the ladies will all come together and unite in their love for God and each other.

## FAITHFUL FATHERS

By Terry R. Townsend

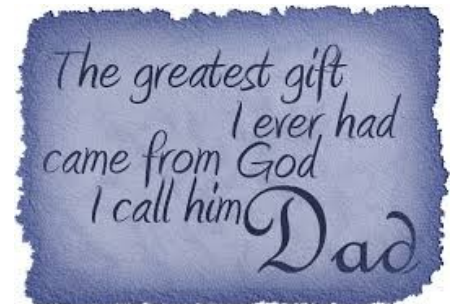
*“Lo, children are a heritage of the Lord; and the fruit of the womb is his reward.  
As arrows are in the hand of a mighty man; so are children of the youth.  
Happy is the man that hath his quiver full of them: they shall not be ashamed,  
but they shall speak with the enemies in the gate” (Psa. 127:3-5).*

What an awesome blessing, as well as responsibility, rearing children is! If only more fathers and mothers had a greater appreciation of this gift and took more seriously their God-given roles as parents (cf. Deuteronomy 6:1ff; Proverbs 22:6; 31:1ff; Ephesians 5:22ff; 6:4).

“Father’s Day” is a day set aside each year to honor our fathers for a job well-done. In addition, it is a day to remind fathers of the influential impact they have on their children as well as society. It is true, “as the home goes, so goes the nation (society).” A strong nation is comprised of strong godly homes; homes led by strong and faithful fathers who...

- ◆ **love the Lord** (Mark 12:30; Matthew 6:33).
- ◆ **love their wife** (Ephesians 5:25-26).
- ◆ **love God’s Word and shares it with family** (2 Timothy 2:15; Ephesians 6:4; Acts 10:33).
- ◆ **are faithful to the Lord and His church** (1 Corinthians 15:58; Revelation 2:10).
- ◆ **communicate well** (James 1:19).
- ◆ **provide for their family** (1 Timothy 5:8).
- ◆ **pray fervently and without ceasing** (James 5:16; 1 Thessalonians 5:17).

May all men strive toward these teachings of scripture,  
and thus build strong homes and a strong nation!



## TIMES OF SERVICES

Sunday

Bible School - 9:30 a.m.  
Worship - 10:30 a.m. & 5:00 p.m.

Wednesday

Bible Study - 7:00 p.m.

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## WORSHIP ATTENDANTS

June 19, 2016

Opening Prayer - Dean Stewart  
Song Leader - Mark Nelson  
Sermon - Brian Poe

### Communion servants for June

Craig Sims                      Mike Yuchasz  
Steve Karwowski      Jay Kramer

### Audio visual servitors for June

Dean Stewart                      Craig Sims

## FOR THE RECORD

June 12, 2016

Bible School	78
Sunday Morning Worship	134
Avg. attendance for 2016	140
Sunday Evening Worship	picnic
Mid-Week Bible Study	40
Contribution	\$3,351.00
Avg. contribution for 2016	\$4,185.90
Budget	\$3,725.00
Shults-Lewis	\$82.00
Total for 2016	\$1,202.62

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