

HYATTSTOWN CHRISTIAN CHURCH NEWS

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If someone you know is in need of prayer or spiritual care please call the pastor, an elder, or one of our associate ministers. We cannot help if we do not know of a need or concern.



SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP

Services at 9am and 11am

This schedule will continue through the summer

MAY 14 Mothers Day & Social Hour 10-11
Adieu to Rick and Mary Lou Masters

JUNE 4 - PONTIAC SHOW
The Flocks will be on vacation, we will need lots of help

JUNE 11 - Social Hour

June 18 - Father's Day

Camp Starfish planning is in full swing. Get involved!

This newsletter is for May and June. A bit late, (sorry) we had "busy people" delays. The next newsletter will be for July and August. If there are additional activities or changes, Pastor Reister will send an email to his list. If you are not on his email list, ask him to add you. If you do not have email look for changes in the bulletin or they will be announced at service. Information for the July./ August newsletter is due on **June 25**. If you have church family news please email Teresa at tkhearl@adelphia.net or see her in church.



THE PASTOR'S PAGE

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The Hyattstown Church has so much to be thankful for. Recently we received a gift of \$2500.00 to enhance our ministry in Christian Education and Youth Ministry. This is a family that has invested this gift instead of a complaint. Janet Reister ,chairman of education and celebration, is already at work on the planning process. If you have ideas about what you would like to see happen for youth and children, please get in touch with her and co-chairperson Chris Moore.

Our scholarship Fund is operative again this year. We have received the application form from Chairman **Sharron Smith** and we will have it read for distributuion very son.

The **absolute** deadline is July 9th.

Any youth connected to our Church, going off to college (or any studies in advance of high school) is eligible. Contact **Robin Davis** for details. We have awarded thousands of dollars in Scholarships over the past ten or so years.

Starfish is coming along well,. and there is still room for you to come and help. **Pierrette McIntire** is the person to contact for details. She is very equipped to fill you in on Starfish details, and will serve as our camp Administrator. I will serve as director and we will need a lot of help to run this camp as smoothly as we did last year.

We have asked **Kurt Yankaskas** to install an additional microphone for our litugists and soloists. It will be the kind that is attached to the speaker, who can move around.

Summer here is exciting - don't miss it!

God bless you! *+Terry*



Sometimes your children
make you wonder.



But you always love them

We are called to Prayerful Consideration.

So many good causes. We are so blessed. Hyattstown Christian Church offers many ways for us to give. We must prayerfully consider how we are called to do the work of Christ in the world.

Here are some of the ways we serve. Special offerings help our denomination build churches, compassionately help persons in need, and toward education through camps and meetings like the Lay Institute. Our gifts to Malawi are a direct help for starving people through a missionary based there. Our Christmas gift to the Clarksburg Elementary School is a direct help to children in our community. Time and money that we give to Feed the Hungry blesses those who come for meals at the Frederick Rescue Mission. We are ministering to children at Camp Starfish. And there are other causes. We are called to individual missions as well. That mission may be intercessory prayer or building a church.

Yes, we are often asked to give. And we are richly blessed to be able to answer the call in our own way. **Christianity is not passive.** In our church we look to nurture our individual needs and challenge ourselves to look outward. Each of us has God-given gifts to use. God grant you grace and peace as you consider your contribution of money, time and prayer.



Liturgical Schedule — also posted on bulletin board inside front door			
9 am Worship	Deaconate	Elders	Note Table Format And Single Elders for Second Service
May 7/ 14	T Hearl	F Hearl	
May 21/ 28	M Pierson	R Davis	
June 4/ 11	T Hearl	G Pierson	
June 18 / 25	A Blair	D Blair	
July 2/ 9	E Flook	H Howard	
11 am Worship	Deaconate		Elders
May 7/ 14	S Law	P McIntire	J Wilson
May 21/ 28	G Knott	L Huntzman	C Moore
June 4/ 11	J Reister	W Moore	J Seaman
June 18 / 25	B Yankaskas	M Cooley	S Wilson
July 2/ 9	B Dangler	P McIntire	B Turman
Liturgist	9 am Worship	11 am Worship	Scripture
May 7	Debbie Blair	Beth Sweeney	John 10: 11– 18
May 14	Sharon Duke	Sandy Law	John 15: 1– 8
May 21	Frank Hearl	Chris Moore	John 15: 9– 17
May 28	Sharron Smith	Bob Turman	Luke 24:44—53
June 4	Debbie Flook	Bill Huntzman	John 17: 6—19
June 11	Hugh Howard	Jessie Moore	John 3: 1—17
June 18	Pierette McIntire	Ginny Pierson	Mark 4: 26—34
June 25	Andy Blair	Sharon Turman	Mark 4: 35—41
July 2	Debbie Blair	Beth Sweeney	Mark 5: 21—43
July 9	Sharon Duke	Jerry King	Mark 6: 1—13
July 16	Teresa Hearl	Sandy Law	

<p>May / June Birthdays</p> <p>5/1 —Bryce Davis 5/7 —Clay Davis 5/7 —Eddie Flook 5/10 —Odelle McVey 5/15 —Rick Masters 5/19 —Grace Duke 5/19 —Colin Reitman 5/28 —Frank Hearl 5/31 —Gail Howard 5/31 —Brandel Johnson</p> <p>6/1 —Walt Moore 6/3 —Bill Duke</p>	<p>6/6 —Norman Burdette 6/12 —Terry Reister 6/18 —Jesy Memmott</p> <div data-bbox="667 426 924 537" style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <p>Please say a special prayer for these people on their special day!</p> </div> <p>If you have updates for the address and birthday database PLEASE tell Teresa Hearl. I am missing a lot of birthdays and anniversaries. If I miss yours please let me know.</p>	<p>May / June Anniversaries</p> <p>May 2 -Seldon & Janice Jackson May 13 - Andy & Debbie Blair May 17 - Frank & Teresa Hearl May 22 - Harry & Pat Griffith</p> <p>June 12 - Bill & LaQuita Huntman June 14 - Neil & Brandel Johnson June 15 - Eddie & Debbie Flook June 28 - Norm & Doris Horman</p> <div data-bbox="1089 646 1227 743" style="text-align: center;"> </div>
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Social Hour
Honoring
Rick & Mary Lou Masters

Sunday, May 14, 10:00-11:00am
(between services)
Join us in wishing them *bon voyage* in their move to Arizona.
We will miss you Rick & Mary Lou.
Come visit when you can. You'll always find smiling faces here to welcome you home.

Cookbook Staus — Slow but Progressing

We are still collecting recipes. We have a bunch, but we can use a bunch more!! The Disciples Women need your help. Please contribute recipes in the following categories: appetizers, beverages, food children can prepare or special foods for children, cooking on the grill (marinades too), soups, salads & dressings, sauces, meats, vegetables, breakfast dishes, cooking by men & desserts. And etc. We like etc.

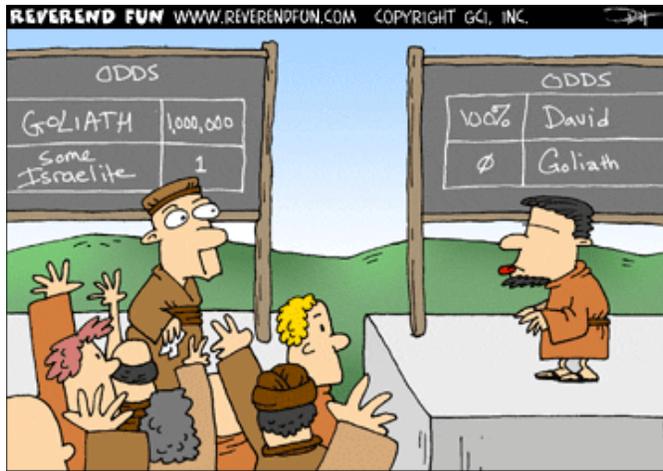
So many ideas!! We plan to include blessings in our cookbook. And how about recipes for kids? How about grilling recipes? Of course we need all your recipes, recipes, recipes! We can't do it without you. How many have you sent?

Gals, guys too, get out those recipe cards and make a copy to give to Barb. Barb has graciously agreed to type your written contributions. Even better ,email your recipes to Barb or Teresa.
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 Tkheart@adelphia.net SEND NEWS!!



Thanks to Pam Winn (See [1Samuel 17](#)) 03-16-2004



(See [1Samuel 17](#)) 03-19-2004

I WANT TO GO WITH "GOLIATH", BUT SHE IS STILL LOOKING FOR A NAME THAT MEANS "ARGH"

Mark your calendar NOW!! Have summer's last hurrah at the beach, with really great people. And, the more of us who go, the cheaper it will be per person.

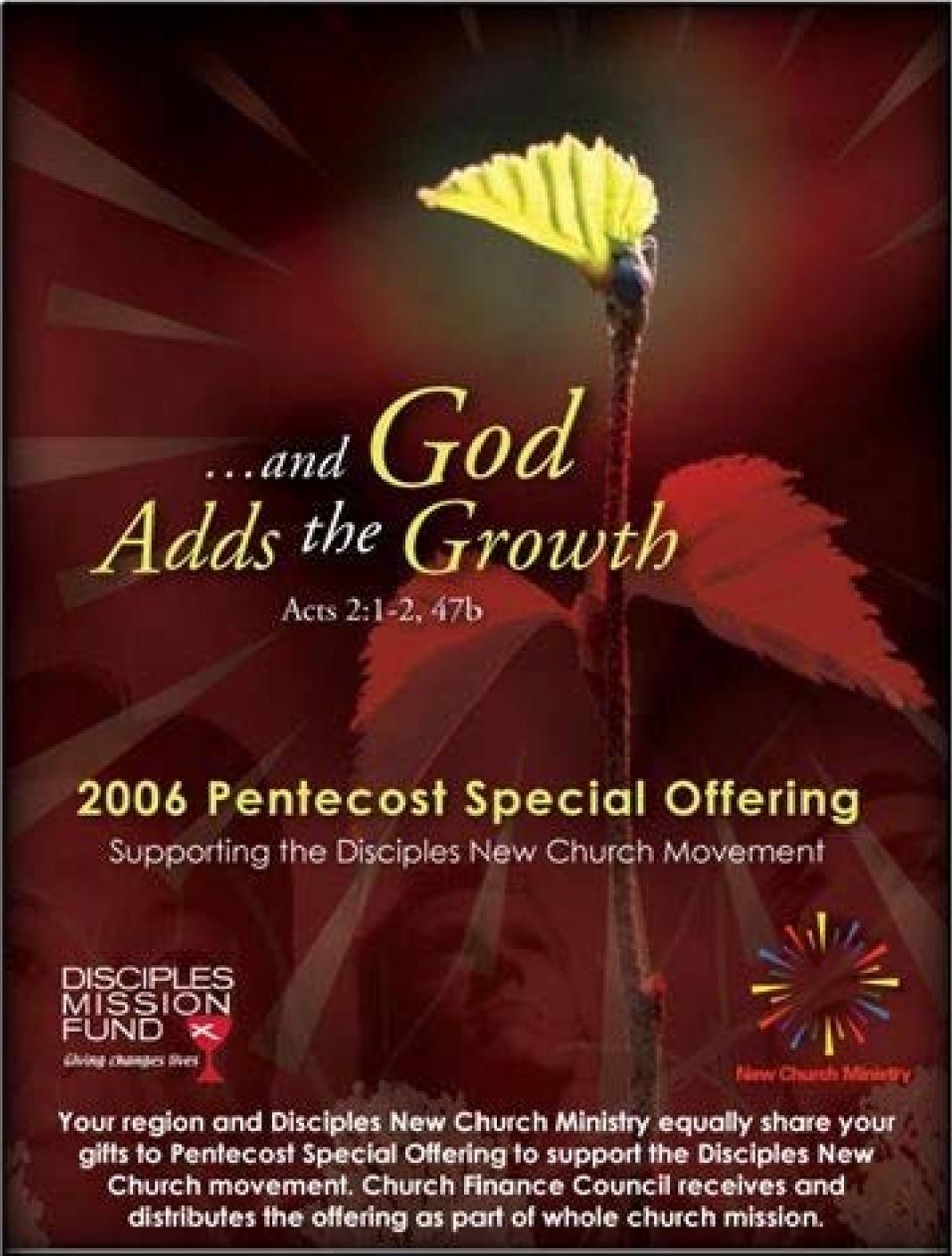
<p align="center">BETHANY BEACH WEEKEND September 8 to 10, 2006</p>			
<p align="center">Reservations include: Lodging for Friday and Saturday nights Three meals on Saturday Sept 9, 2006 Breakfast and Lunch on Sunday Sept 10, 2006</p>			
<p>We are asking for a \$25 deposit for adults and children attending. No deposit charge for pre-schoolers. The remainder of the costs will be collected at the Bethany Beach camp when you arrive. Total initial estimated cost to us: \$2794, with a 20% (\$558) deposit Note: In receiving this scheduled activity, the church Board, on 3/14/06, approved covering one third of the expenses from the 'Pontiac show' proceeds. The rates below show the 'full' rates and the adjusted rates our families should plan for. SEE HUGH HOWARD TO REGISTER.</p>			
PER PERSON		FULL COST	ADJUSTED COST
STONE HOUSE	Adult	\$126	\$82
	Children (5-	\$66	\$44
DISCIPLES	Adult	\$110	\$74
	Children (5-	\$55	\$37



EASTER LILIES AND LOVELIES

Families and Music made Easter even more joyous.





*...and God
Adds the Growth*

Acts 2:1-2, 47b

2006 Pentecost Special Offering

Supporting the Disciples New Church Movement

DISCIPLES
MISSION
FUND 
Living changes lives



Your region and Disciples New Church Ministry equally share your gifts to Pentecost Special Offering to support the Disciples New Church movement. Church Finance Council receives and distributes the offering as part of whole church mission.



**GIFT FOR HYATTSTOWN CHRISTIAN
CHURCH**

An anonymous gift of \$10,000.00 was received in memory of George William and Mary E. Horman, designated for the Hyattstown Christian Church Building Fund. The Church Board at the March 14th meeting decided to use the majority of this gift to help paint the exterior of the church. What a difference this has made! By Easter, the outside of the church looked as well-dressed as the congregation within its walls.

May 2006

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 7pm Bible Study	2	3 9:30am Bible Study	4	5	6
7 9 & 11 Worship	8 7pm Bible Study	9	10 9:30am Bible Study	11	12	13
14 Mother's Day & Social Hour 10am 9 & 11 Worship	15 7pm Bible Study	16	17 9:30am Bible Study	18	19	20
21 9 & 11 Worship	22 7pm Bible Study	23	24 9:30am Bible Study	25	26	27
28 9 & 11 Worship	29 Memorial Day 7pm Bible Study	30	31 9:30am Bible Study			

June 2006

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4 PONTIAC SHOW 9 & 11 Worship	5 7pm Bible Study	6	7 9:30am Bible Study	8	9	10
11 SOCIAL HOUR 10am 9 & 11 Worship	12 7pm Bible Study	13	14 9:30am Bible Study	15	16	17
18 FATHER'S DAY 9 & 11 Worship	19 7pm Bible Study	20	21 9:30am Bible Study	22	23	24
25 9 & 11 Worship	26 7pm Bible Study	27	28 9:30am Bible Study	29	30	



News in the Pews

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Dear Friends,
We had an inspiring Holy Week & a blessed Easter. The painters finished the Church exterior; **Eddie & Debbie Flook** contributed a new over-the-door light fixture. A number of people from Church attended the Frederick Camerata's Palm Sunday concert. As we said to founder & director **Phil Day**, it really helped set the tone for Holy Week. The music this season was awesome, attendance was up (including numbers of visitors), the younger children enjoyed Easter candy & we had our best-ever Easter offering for Disciple Mission Finance.

The music this season was beautiful & very moving. **Peter & Kelly DeLameter** sang a duet on Palm Sunday, **Teresa Hearl** sang a haunting solo at the Maundy Thursday service. Our choir sang Palm Sunday, Holy Thursday & at both services Easter Sunday. We were especially pleased to have **Brenda, Michael & Christopher Yankakas** play their violins with the choir & **Becky DeLameter's** flute playing that has accompanied the choral benediction has been lovely. Thanks to

music director **Phil Day**, organist/choir member **Barbara Lang** & choir members **Gail Howard, Teresa Hearl, Becky DeLameter, Debbie Flook, Debbie Blair, Peggie Hatton Peter DeLameter, Kelly DeLameter, Guy Memmott & Joe Reister**. And many said that **Peggie Hatton's** recent solo, "*I know that my redeemer liveth*" brought tears to their eyes with its purity & beauty. We deeply appreciate the time & energy that our friends & members devote to rehearsals as they prepare for what we hear on Sundays at worship.

Moving on up: **Betty Jane Loeb** announced on Easter Sunday that she had sold her condominium in Germantown & was moving to Connecticut to be near her daughter. We will miss BJ & her enthusiasm for the Church. **Rick & Mary Lou Masters** are having a home built in Arizona & will be leaving their home in Potomac & their Church family in mid-May. We're trying to figure out how to have a virtual Bible Study on Monday nights so that Rick can still participate. We expect to see regular photos from Mary Lou displaying her new quilts, especially with some of those great Southwestern fabrics. They will be greatly missed by everyone. We will provide their new address & e-mail information later in the bulletin. **Beth Sweeney's** parents, **Bob &**

Joyce Cook have moved into their apartment at Homewood. Their new address is: **7401 Willow Road, Frederick, MD 21702.**

KEEPING UP APPEARANCES:

The weather on workday focused efforts indoors. The pews were wiped down & cleaned, the organ/piano/choir area was cleared out & nearly every room at Church got lots of special attention. Some furniture was moved, light fixtures were debugged & trash was discarded. The Disciples Women provided pizza that was quickly consumed. We are thankful for the help we received from: **Sharon Duke, Grace Duke, Martha Cooley, Barbara Dangler, Frank Hearl, Eddie Flook, Debbie Flook, Bob Turman, Joe Reister, Barbara Lang, Hugh Howard & Terry Reister.** (*My apologies if I missed anyone.*)

But, some of our members weren't content enough with the workday held on Saturday, April 8, they worked overtime! **Barbara Dangler & Martha Cooley** spent a day doing yard cleanup. **Joe Reister** mulched & mulched some more around the Church signs, bushes, trees, & lighting on Easter Saturday. **Hugh Howard** repaired & painted the old shed. It has 2 doors again & the roof was painted for the first time in 20+

years. Thanks to all of these people for giving up their limited free time to improve our curb appeal.

On the road again:

Andy, Debbie, Meghan & Ben Blair spent spring break at Deep Creek Lake in western Maryland. Andy said that the reading was terrific. **Walt & Chris Moore** have been splitting their weekends with Chris' dad in West Virginia & Walt's mom in Harrisonburg, Virginia. Clara Moore had surgery in April & continues with her recovery. **Marian Meyers** spent a very busy nine days on the road visiting family & friends in Chicago, Illinois & then Cincinnati & Cleveland Ohio. **Pierrette & Chuck McIntire** spent Easter with her parents in North Carolina's Outer Banks. **Teresa Hearl** traveled to Morgantown, West Virginia to spend a week with daughter Renee's family. Renee & Tyson Rieke are preparing to welcome a son in July. Teresa reported that granddaughter Lily is getting excited about having a little brother. **Bob & Sharon Turman** enjoyed a quick trip to visit their grandson Harper (along with his parents) in Pennsylvania. **Phil Day** enjoyed his vacation in Texas where he spent time with his sister. **Bill & LaQuita Huntman** were in Dayton, Ohio for a conference that Bill chaired.

AWARDS NEWS:

Peter DeLameter passed the Board of Review to become an Eagle Scout! Parents **Paul & Becky DeLameter** were proud to see Peter being recognized for all of his hard work. Peter had help from **Kurt, Michael (a fellow Eagle Scout) & Christopher Yankaskas, Joe Reister,** Peter's whole family & others in completing his Eagle project. April was a busy month for our members as many hosted family & friends for the Easter holiday: **Jessi Moore** & a friend from James Madison spent a short weekend at home with **Walt & Chris. Kurt, Brenda, Michael, Christopher & Julie Yankaskas** had a houseful (& several pews at Church too!) of family who came down from New Jersey. **Martha Cooley** served almost 20 people at her annual Easter dinner & she only spent 2 days cooking. **Frank & Teresa Hearl** hosted most of daughter Heidi Lucas' family (except Heidi who couldn't get off work). Five year old twins Hannah & Miranda were joined by dad Randy & bother John for a busy week that included a trip to see the pandas at the National Zoo, nacho time at Target & lots of playtime.

Milestone Birthday:

Christopher Yankaskas turned 15 on Easter Sunday -sister

Julie made sure everyone knew about it by announcing it in Church on Palm Sunday.

People to remember in prayer:

Norman & Doris Horman, Hannah Matlock, Jerry & Cherry King, Bob & Joyce Cook.

A family in our Church has contributed \$2,500.00 for Christian Education aimed at children & youth. We are very grateful to them for their generous contribution. Initial discussions will take place at the May Board meeting & we will be inviting anyone who is interested to join us in a brainstorming & planning session. The youth will have a voice in this too & we will be meeting with our middle schoolers & high schoolers (ages 10-18). We will be asking for volunteers to serve as drivers, chaperones & leaders.

Grace & peace, +Janet

Late breaking news!

The editor just learned that **The Delameters** received several Boy Scouts awards on the last weekend of April.

Not only did **Peter** make Eagle Scout, he was also inducted into the Brotherhood of the Order of the Arrow.

Kelly and Becky were inducted into the Order of the Arrow. What a weekend! Congratulations!

Our Deepest Sympathy



Is extended to **Pat & Harry Griffith** in the passing of Pat's stepfather following a long, protracted illness.

The sudden death of **Bill Huntman's** brother Dan Huntman was a deep shock to the entire family. **Bill & LaQuita** traveled home to Oklahoma for the services.

Anna Hoyle Scholarships

The Hyattstown Christian Church provides scholarships that are funded by a bequest from Anna Hoyle. Anyone associated with the church who is pursuing post-high school education is eligible to apply.

Applications are available at the church and must be received by 9:00 am on July 9, 2005. For information & an application, contact Sharron Smith, Robin Davis or Pastor Reister.

Applications can be given to Terry Reister or Sharron Smith (2817 Rhoderick Road, Frederick, MD 21704). The awards will be presented at a coffee hour between services in August.

Members of the scholarship committee are: Sharron Smith (Chair), Terry Reister, Doris Horman, Robin Davis and Hugh Howard.

Rev. Reister emphasizes that the deadline is absolute.



SNAPSHOTS By **Dana Appleton Reitman**

"Is there someone in the congregation you would like to know more about? Is someone you know involved in something really interesting? Do *you* want to tell your story? Please call or email Dana Appleton Reitman. 301-846-0654 or reitman@adelphia.net"

For this month's interview I went to talk with Marian Meyers. Not only did she invite me for lunch, but she made my life-long favorite meal: tomato soup and grilled cheese sandwiches- on rye bread, no less. Marian said she doesn't really like to cook but she did a great job with lunch, it was delicious!

As we ate lunch Marian told me about her earliest childhood memories. "I remember going to my grandparent's house in Cincinnati, Ohio, which was only six blocks from the house where I was born and raised."

"On birthdays or holidays, if the weather was nice, they would just turn us kids out. There was a park next door. Back in that time we went everywhere, nobody would check on us. If they told us to be home by suppertime we would be home. If it was wintertime the adults would put their hats and coats on the bed and we would get in there and play dress-up with all the hats and coats." She also remembered going to her aunt's one time and walking to a train trestle; just as her cousin had convinced them they could all walk across,

"Whoo-whooh! And here comes the train!" Marian exclaimed. Luckily, they had not walked out!

"I had one girl cousin, but I always chummed around with all the boy cousins. We did the 'nature stuff'. My brother was 8 years older than me and my sister was 10 years older, so I got away with a lot more than they ever did."

Marian attended Carthage Elementary School in Cincinnati, Ohio. Mary Dill was the Principal, and she was also a member of Carthage Christian Church, which was Marian's home church until she joined HCC.

Another of Marian's earliest experiences, a harbinger, was from the time when Marian was just a toddler. The family lived about a block from the main street in town, Vine Street. Marian's mother put her in a baby walker but no one was keeping an eye on her and she "walked" down to Vine Street where someone found her later. Marian said "They still kid me about how much I liked to travel even back when I was a baby!"

One trip that Marian fondly remembers is a cruise to St. Thomas, Puerto Rico and the Bahamas that she went on with her sister and brother-in-law. Marian really liked to travel with them. She still travels to Chicago; when she lived in Ohio she would go to Chicago to visit every three months.

Marian also has fond childhood memories of traveling to the hills of Kentucky where her father was raised. There was no electricity there then and the houses were lit at night with kerosene lamps. "One time they made ice cream using just a bucket and two spoons."

When she was in high school, Marian started working at the local soda fountain. "Everybody who was anybody worked there! When I graduated from Hartwell High School I was offered a job doing the bookkeeping for the drugstore. I worked there for a total of 20 years. When I finally decided to get another job I went to the steel mill where my father had worked as a foreman. I worked in accounting. We had a lot of snacks! Someone was always making something good," she laughed. "Then I came here when my daughter was sick. I helped take care of her, and then I helped my son-in-law with his Aunt Mertzie. I just never went back to work. I don't regret it."

I asked Marian to tell me about her mom. "My mother was a homemaker. She was very frugal and she could sew unbelievably well. My sister Barbara and my mother knitted wonderfully! They sewed and knitted and I was the baby so I never had to do that! I learned, but I never kept up with it because they were both so good at it." Marion claimed she was "spoiled". I pointed out that she was not



spoiled, but simply "well loved", and she agreed.

Marian was married and had one daughter. Sadly, Laura passed away in 1988 after a 5 year valiant battle with cancer. "Laura had a real rough time, yet she was such an inspiration. That convinced me that the Lord has his hand in everything that happens."

"When I moved here I brought my mom, who was completely bedridden, so I took care of her until she passed away. When I bought this house there was no running water, no kitchen and no bathroom. The house needed a lot of work; I had the interior entirely redone." I commented after we walked up the very steep hill to where the outhouse had been located that I was glad she had an indoor bathroom put in before she moved into the house!

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“I moved here because Laura wanted me to come here after she found out she had cancer. I wanted to get 20 years in at the plant, but then my mom and I came here and I helped with my grandchildren, Joshua and Sarah.” Laura and her family had been attending HCC and that’s how Marian came to attend as well. She started the day she arrived and has been attending for twenty years. “I joined the church after two years. I think Terry was shocked because I don’t think anyone thought I would switch my lifetime membership from Carthage.”

Marian shared with me that even though she had been a life-long Disciple it took her daughter’s death to make her realize how much her faith meant to her. Another wonderful thing Marian shared was that after even her daughter died and her son-in-law Bill remarried, they remained close. Marian grew close to Bill’s second wife, Susie, as well. Susie and Bill combined their families and raised their 5 children together, right up the hill from Marian’s house. Marian’s grandchildren are now grown and on their own: Joshua is 29 and married to Karen, Sarah is 25, and married to Tom Penna.

After lunch Marian showed me around her adorable house; we looked at all the artwork, antique family furniture and family photos. Since it was a gorgeous afternoon we then walked around her property.

The people next door own an old school house which is right next door to Marian’s property; the Browningsville School has sadly become so run down that the historical society says it is too far gone for renovation. We walked over to Bill and Susie’s to meet the three barn cats Marian takes care of, and then we visited with another neighbor, Fran.

Marian is a clearly a ‘people person’. When I asked her what she liked best about the church she said “Weekly communion and the people.” Marian is very close to and hangs out with Barb Dangler and Martha Cooley. She taught Sunday school at HCC and has always helped with the Bazaar. She also enjoys going to Bethany Beach. We discussed how fortuitous it is that this year Senior Camp and the church’s annual beach weekend are going to be back to back, so that only one long drive will be required for the folks who are attending both.

Marian also told me that she goes to the Senior Center every day that it’s open, and she takes the Senior Exercise class which is exercise equal to walking a mile with weights.

I couldn’t have asked for a better concluding sentence than what Marian said as I was leaving: “I have always been a Disciple and I intend to die a Disciple. That’s my main theme!”

Camp Starfish 2006 August 13, 14, 15, 16



More information to come Please mark your calendar now

This year the warden has asked to include children of inmates for the past year, not just children of the current inmates. We are pleased that the program is so well received.

I was with the Advisory Committee at the Jail. I was surprised to learn that **St. Mark's Methodist Church** in Boyds. (Recently vandalized as you may remember) has heard of our Starfish Camp and is volunteering to **PICK UP ALL THE CHILDREN** with their bus and take them to the Metro Station in Shady Grove. From there we will transport them to Mary-Mac with a MCPS bus. This should help a great deal with our transportation problems.

The **inmate council of the jail** has advised me that they will support CAMP STARFISH up to **\$2,000.00**. I am not comfortable taking their money, but it is there if we need it and the inmates want to help.

If you have not yet enlisted, and want to be with us for all or part of CAMP STARFISH, please , let us know. **We need men** and women who can spend a night or all three nights at the camp.



Pierrette has the information sheets on Camp Starfish

The following was clipped out of the minutes for the Montgomery County Correctional Facility —Community Advisory Group from the March meeting

STARFISH CAMP

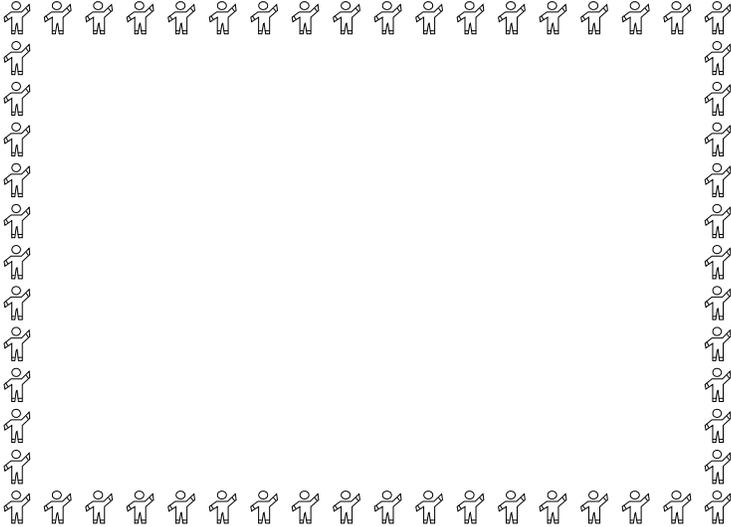
Rev. Reister reported that his church's Camp Starfish will be four days instead of three days this year (August 13, 14, 15, return on August 16). The camp is designed to allow the child of an incarcerated inmate the ability to participate in a structured summer camp at no cost to the family. Mary Saxon-Clipper stated that her church will be providing transportation for the children from their homes to the bus pickup location. The Inmate Council has donated \$2,000 to the camp. Flyers and applications will be distributed to the inmates at MCCF

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Worship with your church family this Sunday. Our doors are open and you are always welcome in God's house. We look forward to seeing you.



COME JOIN US THIS SUNDAY!