The Echo

THE MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF HILLSIDE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
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Friends, July brings many opportunities for growth and service, and I am excited to recommend them to you. First off, we have been expanding our work with Neighbor to Neighbor, a local ministry that designed to show love to the youth of our neighbors in the West Main Hill area.

We are looking for people who might be interested in spending time with neighborhood children (once or on a recurring basis) to: do a craft/art project, teach a skill, read a chapter of a book (and as questions about it, lead a Bible lesson, etc. There might also be a need to provide lunch for the children or dinner for the staff. Anyone interested in volunteering their time or talents, please plan on attending a volunteer interest meeting after worship on July 9th. Come see what you can do to get involved in this exciting ministry!

No less important, although often taken for granted, is the New Wilmington Mission Conference. People travel from around the world and all over the country to attend the longest-running mission conference in the U.S., and it is practically in our back yard. The conference will run from **July 22-29**. For full details, visit www.nwmcmission.org, but you can hear Rodger Nishioka (one of Andrea's doctoral mentors) every morning at 11. You can hear Jim Singleton (one of my doctoral mentors and our guest preacher on July 23) every morning at 8:45. Not to mention a different keynote speaker every evening at 6:45, including the summer service team on Friday, July 28. There are missionaries, national level ministry leaders, and disciples learning and growing together in Jesus' name. If you're interested in going all week, the conference has commuter rates available, but if you're just interested in going down to check it out for one or two events, it is absolutely free. The theme this year is "work for the well-being of the city where I have sent you," and I highly

Finally, I want to remind everyone once again that we have invited the folks at First Pres, Greenville to join us for worship at 11AM on July 23rd, where we will have the Rev. Dr. Jim Singleton, a nationally-recognized speaker and teacher (and my personal friend and mentor), as our guest preacher. We will serve refreshments before and after worship, and I am hoping that we can demonstrate what Hillside's legendary hospitality is all about. Please make plans to be there that Sunday for yet another exciting growth opportunity!

recommend you take the time to check it out at least once during the week!

In the love of Christ, Pastor Sean

FAITH NIGHT PIRATES GAME

You and your friends are invited to attend

"Faith Night" at the Pirates game
August 17, 2017.

Seats are in Section 201-205.

These tickets include "All U Can Eat" hamburgers, hot dogs, nachos, soda, popcorn, ice cream, fries, etc.

Tickets are \$45 for admission, food

and \$15 for transportation by

O. D. Anderson coach.

At the game, there is an open area for people to walk around, mingle, and fellowship.

The event is being repeated from previous years by popular demand.

So, don't miss out, come and join in!

There is a sign- up sheet in McPeak. It is requested that money be turned in by August 1st with checks made out to the church.



Promo Videos

Every group, committee, and organization in the church is encouraged to speak with the Communication & Technology committee about making a *brief* promotional video to highlight what your group does, and why others should consider joining you. We hope to make the videos this summer in advance of our fall kickoff.

MORNING CIRCLE

18 ladies met at the church for Circle. Hosts were Janet Kirk and Janie Lindemuth.

Rev. Ray Brugler taught the Bible Study, "Who is Jesus?". Ray feels it is time to give up teaching our Bible Study. He taught us faithfully for many years. We really appreciate all the time he sent teaching us. He will truly be missed.

Sue Mathieson chaired the business meeting. We are in need of a Bible Study leader. Please keep this need in your prayers. A motion was made and carried to send a \$100.00 donation to the Sudan.

Pies will be needed for the Presbytery meeting hosted by Hillside Church on June 27.

Sue closed the meeting with prayer.

Patricia Bees Manor Care Health Center Arcadia Unit Canton, OH 44718 330-492-7835



Joseph Bees (Living with daughter & son-in-law) 258 Orchard Hill Dr. N. Canton, OH 44702

THANK YOU

The Hillside Deacons would like to thank everyone for supporting our annual Strawberry Festival. There was a large turnout and each of us had the pleasure of enjoying many different strawberries dishes and desserts. Thank you again from the Deacons. We are already looking forward to next year.

THANK YOU! The Technology and Communications Team would like to thank everyone for your generous donations and participation in our All American Picnic. The donations we received will be put to good use, our first project will be to fix/update the projector in the sanctuary. Thanks again.

Technology and Communications Team

The Men of Hillside would like to thank Hillside's Women's Association for the thoughtful and delicious breakfast, complete with a baseball theme and an interesting an humorous presentation by Jim Patterson, a local baseball expert. A good time was had by all, young and old alike. Again, thanks!

We extend a grateful thanks to Jerry Gill for continuing to take care of our lawn. Your time and diligence in maintaining its wonderful appearance is very much appreciated.

Hometown Heroes

Please continue to pray for these loved ones who are serving our country. Keep them, their families, our country, and our world situation in your constant prayers.

HANNAH BATTLES
RAYMOND PELSH
JASON COATS
JOSH PIPP
PATRICK DANGROW
MICHAEL PSCHIRER
KENNETH BUCKLEY

JUSTIN SMITH
CRAIG TRUMBULL JR.
KRISTOPHER HIRSCHMANN
DAVID TURNER
JON LEXINGTON
BRIAN GEARHART

Recipe Corner

AVOCADO BACON SALAD

- 1 lb. bacon, chopped
- 1 cucumber, diced
- 1 cup quartered cherry tomatoes
- 5 avocados, peeled, pitted and diced
- ½ cup seasoned rice vinegar
- salt and black pepper to taste
- ½ cup chopped cilantro
- 4 green onions, chopped

Cook bacon over med high heat, until evenly browned, about 10 minutes.

Stir cucumber, tomato, vinegar, salt and pepper together.

Gently stir in avocado, cilantro, and green onion. Serve on a bed of leafy greens



AUGUST ECHO DEADLINE: SUNDAY, JULY 16

July Good Shepherd Item: Personal Care Items/ School Supplies

Worship Leader Training



There will be Worship Leader Training on Sunday, July 16th following worship.

A light lunch will be provided.

All current and prospective worship leaders are strongly encouraged to attend, and everyone who is interested in learning more about worship is invited.

OPPORTUNITY FOR SERVICE

The Echo features an "OPPORTUNITY FOR SERVICE" each month.

Hillsiders always step up to the plate to volunteer when the need is known.

Please submit your volunteer needs to the Echo.

Our "Opportunity for Service" focus:

Good Shepherd Dinner

The Good Shepherd is an nonprofit that we support, which works, as one of its goals, to feed those who are hungry as part of its food pantry ministry. Volunteers are needed to serve and deliver meals. If anyone is interested in cooking or coordinating cooks, your help would be greatly appreciated.

The dinner will be **Monday August 7th**, at 4PM.

Sign-up sheets will be in McPeak hallway (off the sanctuary).

ConGRADulations!

LEVI GILL Levi is a graduate of Greenville High School and plans to attend a 10-month Americorp program, following up with college intending to major I Sports Broadcasting. He was a member of Greenville Singers, Chamber Choir, as well as participating in Honors Chorus and District Chorus. From a very young age he has participated in many sports including baseball, football, soccer, and softball. He is a member of Hillside's softball team as well as several other area churches and was recently inducted into the Jr. Bowlers Hall of Fame and bowls at Celebrity Lanes. Levi is the son of Julie Gill.

ROSALEE SEPELLA Rosie is a graduate of Commodore Perry High School and is planning to attend Penn State Behrend to major in MARKETING Management with plans to transfer to the main campus after 2 years. Her accomplishments include multiple music awards in addition to receiving a \$3,000 academic scholarship, was a \$2500 scholarship recipient, as well as a \$5,000 essay contest winner. Rosie was formerly a foster child of Lee and Karyn Kirchhoffer



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7/9 Zachary Titus
7/11 Scott Hillard
7/12 Shelly Ferguson
7/15 Cheryl Crawford
Kerri McCowien
Giovanni Dick

JULY

7/16 Catharine Crawford
7/20 Annie Kiser
7/21 Pat Herrick
7/25 Bonny Sheesley
Jessica Dick
7/28 Pat Battles

Anniversaries

7/1 Sarah & Brian Stubbs7/5 Kerri & Jim McCowien7/8 Jim & Onnalee Patterson7/21 Scott & Sherry Hodge7/24 Connie & Jim Greenfield









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