Issue 27

WORSHIP ASSIGNMENTS

Sunday July 6, 2014 July 13, 2014 Prayer P. Danz R. Coss Scripture B. Castleman Chr. Middleton Communion M. Davidson E. Stewart P. VanHorn Assist T. Brooks Pass L. Montgomery B. Mullins Pass D. Mandernach T. Jarvis Usher B. Mullins D. Clav Usher D. Thomas J. Fronczak Prayer R. Coss N. Middleton Song Leader Chu. Middleton R. Alt L. VanHorn Nursery B. Fry **Evening Worship** Praver S. Lance M. Perrv Communion N. Middleton S. Lance Prayer R. Lyberg G. Maldonado Bible Time Will resume in the fall

Wednesday (Midweek Bible Study)

Prayer S. Danz D. Thomas
Song Leader L. Montgomery N. Middleton
Devotional M. Perry D. Smith
Prayer B. Morton R. Coss

Lincoln Park Church of Christ

O to be Like Thee - Full of Compassion

John 4:4-42

O to be like Thee! full of compassion, Loving, forgiving, tender and kind, Helping the helpless, cheering the fainting, Seeking the wand ring sinners to find.

Dana Scott is the sister of Rachel Scott, who was one of the students killed at Columbine High School. And one of the points of Miss Scott's message was that we need to be more compassionate toward those who are not like us, such as the social rejects, or physically challenged. Her sister had in the last couple of years become convinced that God wanted her to reach out to these some people. In the end, it was two of these people who took her life.

That message convicted me, and I asked God to show me what I could do in the same area, and how I could communicate that conviction to you today. And He brought to mind the story of the Samaritan woman in John 4.

The story is familiar to most of us, but allow me to recap it just a bit. We are going to be reading portions of it, but I want to just give you a quick overview. Jesus was on his way back to Galilee and felt like He should go through Samaria. When they got to a town called Sychar, the disciples went to find some food. In the meantime, Jesus sits at Jacob's well, and strikes up a conversation with a Samaritan woman. Now in those times, this was not a good deal to most people.

Love, Russ

CONGREGATIONAL NEWS

<u>SAMARITAN LADIES:</u> Every Wednesday at 10:00 am

PICNIC: Join us on Friday, July 4th



at Lion's Park in Southgate for our congregational picnic. Bring a dish or two to share. Invite your family and friends. We plan to eat at noon.

MEN'S BREAKFAST: Saturday, July 12 at 9:00 am at Charlie's in Lincoln Park



<u>E & D MEETING</u>: Sunday, July 13 at 4:30 pm in the fellowship room

HELPING HANDS: Monday, July 14 at 10:00 am

LITTLE DRESSES SEWING DAYS:

Two more sewing days are planned for



Thursday, July 24 and Thursday, July 31 from 4-8 pm in the fellowship room. We will be sending all of our dresses with

John Wallace, to be given to little girls in Ghana. We <u>do not</u> need any more pillowcases. We <u>do</u> need Extra Wide Double Fold Bias Tape (in pretty colors). If you are a sewer and have your own sewing machine, please bring it. We have jobs for everyone, even if you don't sew.

<u>LADIES' LUNCHEON:</u> Saturday, July 26 at 11:30 am at "On the Border" in Allen Park <u>LIFELINE OF HOPE:</u> Donations are due on Sunday, July 27. See Randy Alt.

<u>LOST AND FOUND</u>: A gold ring was found in the auditorium. Please contact the office for more information.

BACKYARD BBQ BARN RAISER: Michigan Christian Youth Camp is

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hosting a BBQ on August 2nd. Proceeds will benefit repairs and revitalization of the horse barn and equipment. See the

flyer in the lobby or post cards at the back of the auditorium for more information.

REMINDER: Visitor cards have been replenished. Please do not use them for scrap paper. Thanks!

IN OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS



CRYSTAL ZIMBALATTI has been diagnosed with kidney stones. Please keep Crystal in your prayers.

SABRE CADDELL, friend of the Tomaszewski family, delivered her baby 16 weeks premature. Please keep Sabre and baby Nolan in your prayers.

TAKEYSHA BECK, niece of Rhonda and Yolanda Joiner, is having tests and requests prayer on her behalf.

IN SYMPATHY

WILSON SPARKS, uncle of Judy Stewart and longtime member at the Walled Lake Church of Christ, passed away on Saturday, June 28. Please keep the Sparks family in your prayers.



CONTINUE TO REMEMBER

Ida Akers, Eva Arbuckle, Virginia Bone, Ann Brooks, Virginia Clay, Estela Cuarezma, Mitchell Dybalski, Alice Gramley, Pat Gunter, Brian Harris, Dennis Johnson, Rhonda Jones, Michael Labowitch, Paul Lance, Pat Longoria, Gil & Glenda Maldonado, Rosie Mandernach, Randy Matthews, Landy May, Brooksy Milam, Leroy Moore, Jimmy Mullins, Betty Nixon, Pat Pugh, J.D. Roberts, Margaret Rodriquez, Brian Sandberg, Bill Saylors, Scotty Smith, Pauline Suggs, Val Toby, Jenny Vandenberg, Leila Wallace, Linda Weick, and Mary Young.



ELDERS' EDIFICATION & ENCOURAGEMENT CORNER

What God Hath Promised

Annie Johnson Flint



1866-1932

Annie's words have an unusual appeal to the human heart and reflect her love for God. She felt what she wrote and out of her suffering she was able to comfort others with the comfort she received from The Comforter. Read more about her and you will be inspired.

God hath not promised skies always blue, Flower strewn pathways all our lives through; God hath not promised sun without rain, Joy without sorrow, peace without pain.

But God hath promised strength for the day, Rest for the labor, light for the way, Grace for the trials, help from above, Unfailing sympathy, undying love.

God hath not promised we shall not know Toil and temptation, trouble and woe; He hath not told us we shall not bear Many a burden, many a care.

But God hath promised strength for the day, Rest for the labor, light for the way, Grace for the trials, help from above, Unfailing sympathy, undying love.

God hath not promised smooth roads and wide, Swift, easy travel, needing no guide; Never a mountain rocky and steep, Never a river turbid and deep.

But God hath promised strength for the day, Rest for the labor, light for the way, Grace for the trials, help from above, Unfailing sympathy, undying love.



WORDS OF WISDOM



¹² Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer.

Romans 12:12

PANTRY NEEDS



Syrup

Complete Meals

Hams

Tuna

Soup

Mac & Cheese

SERVICES

Sunday Bible Study 9:30 am Worship 10:30 am and 6:00 pm

> Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 pm

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SERVING THE LORD IN JULY

Communion Preparation: Rhonda & Yolanda Joiner

Care of Baptismal Clothing: Julie Moran

Closing the Building: Patrick VanHorn







THEME FOR 2014

People Reaching People

Taken from "Traditions of Men vs. the Word of God" by Alvin Jennings

MORMONISM

MORMON TRADITION

5. Some grammatical and language blunders and absurdities in the Book of Mormon:

1830 Edition

p. 192 "They was added"

p. 193 "the priests was"

p. 224 "and this he done"

p. 290 "they did not fight against God no more"

p. 351 "that all might see the writing which he had wrote upon the rent"

p. 506 "I have wrote them" "I were about to write" "that to teach baptism unto they"

p. 582 "this thing had ought not to be"

1949 Edition

2 Nephi 33:4 - " the words..it"

Words of Mormon 1:2 - "it supposeth me"

Moroni 9:5 - "it seemeth me"

I Nephi 6:2 - "We are a descendant of Joseph"

Alma 13:1 - "I would cite your minds forward to the time when the Lord god gave"

Alma 14:6 - "his soul began to be harrowed up"

Alma 24:17 - They did bury them up deep in the earth"

 $\label{lem:helman 9:6 - "Now, Immediately when the judge had been murdered-he being stabbed by his$

brother by a garb of secrecy" (a strange weapon!)

Ether 2:17 - "the length thereof was the length of a tree" (see verses 16-25)

Ether 3:1 - "the brother of Jared ... did molten" (adjective should be replaced by the verb, melt)

WORD OF GOD

God is not the author of confusion.

1 Corinthians 14:33.

Does this sound like the product of "the gift and power of God?"

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GOD IS NO SUCH IGNORAMUS!