Issue 24

WORSHIP ASSIGNMENTS

		Sunday	
		June 19, 2016	June 26, 2016
	Song Leader	N. Middleton	R. Alt
	Prayer	P. VanHorn	D. Thomas
	Communion	M. Perry	E. Stewart
	Assist	T. Jarvis	M. Davidson
	Pass	D. Boze	D. Clay
	Pass	T. Brooks	B. Castleman
	Scripture	W. Lezotte	R. Castillo
	Usher	J. Fussell	D. Mandernach
	Usher	B. Hoffman	J. Fronczak
	Prayer	S. Lance	P. Danz
	Nursery	B. Fry	K. Tomaszewski
	Evening Worship		
	Prayer	R. Alt	D. Smith
	Communion	L. Montgomery	S. Lance
	Prayer	B. Morton	B. Benham
	Bible Time	begins again in	
		October	
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Wednesday Midweek Bible Study

	June 22, 2016	June 29, 2016
Prayer	T. Raupp	T. Brooks
Song Leader	L. Montgomery	D. Smith
Prayer	Z. Thomas	B. Smith

Lincoln Park Church of Christ

Listen to Instruction

What were the lessons that your parents tried to give you growing up? What nuggets of wisdom did they try to pass on to the next generation? Notice I say try. As children we don't always listen. And when we don't listen we tend to learn the hard way. There often comes a time when we say "huh, I guess my parents did know what they were talking about". But who knows what heartaches we could have avoided if we had listened earlier? God knows. So did many of the wise fathers in scripture. One of them told his children: "Listen, my sons, to a father's instruction; pay attention and gain understanding. I give you sound learning, so do not forsake my teaching" (Proverbs 4:1-2).

My prayer for parents everywhere is that they give their children "sound learning". That is, may every parent teach their child the Word of God! And my prayer for children everywhere is that they listen to this sound learning. I personally see no point in learning lessons the hard way. I know some people feel they have to learn that way, and that they can't learn any other way, but I don't believe it. I believe we can learn to listen to and obey the Word of God BEFORE we break God's law and make a mess of our lives. It just takes discipline.

We can't do anything about the mistakes we have already made. But in the future I would encourage you to soak up wisdom. If someone is telling you good advice you should listen to them. You should wisely add to your learning. We get into so much trouble when we think we know better than everyone else. "Do you see a man wise in his own eyes? There is more hope for a fool than for him" (Proverbs 26:12). Have the humility to believe that someone else just might be saying something that's useful to you. And if someone telling you a better way to live have the disciple to put that good way into practice. And then you will be wise. "Listen to advise and accept instruction, and in the end you will be wise" (Proverbs 19:20).

AM Sermon: How to Avoid Being a Fool - Listen to Correction

Scripture Reading: Proverbs 12:15 PM Sermon: Come To Their Rescue

ON THE CALENDAR AND CONGREGATIONAL NEWS

<u>SAMARITAN LADIES</u>: Every Wednesday at 10 am. ALL ladies are welcome.

<u>MEN'S GROUP</u>: Every Thursday at the Tim Horton's on Allen Rd. / Goddard Rd. in Taylor at 7 am AND 4 pm.

BLESSED HOPE DINNER: Friday, June 24. Teen group and any others interested in helping serve dinner, meet at Blessed Hope at 4:45 pm.

LADIES' LUNCHEON: Saturday, June 25 at 11:30 am at Charlie's.

TEEN NIGHT: Sunday, June 26 after the evening service.

ORPHANS LIFELINE: Donations are due on Sunday, June 26 to Randy Alt.

<u>GUEST SPEAKER</u>: ANDREW ARBUCKLE will be our speaker on Sunday, July 3 for the evening service. Andrew, his wife Kristin (Alt) and daughters will be moving to Denver where Andrew will attend preaching school.

<u>PICNIC</u>: Monday, July 4 at Lion's Park in Southgate at noon. Invite your family and friends.

MEN'S BREAKFAST: Saturday, July 9 at 9:00 am at Charlie's in LP.

E & D MEETING: Sunday, July 10 at 4:30 pm.

HELPING HANDS: Monday, July 11 at 10:00 am.

<u>VBS:</u> Saturday, July 23. Volunteers are needed. Check out the list at the back of the auditorium or see Leslie VanHorn or Brenna Fry.

MAGI BOXES: The Healing Hands International MAGI Project is starting. See Linda Coss for your MAGI BOX. We have until October 8, which is our Walk 4 Water Day, to return them.

<u>BABY NEWS</u>: Congratulations to JENNY SHELTON on the birth of another granddaughter. MAISIE is wel-



comed by her proud parents, Brian and Heather, and big sister, Madelyn.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER

STEVE BANULES

SHERYL PROSISE

MARGIE FROST



IN SYMPATHY

JAMES W. ENNIS

CONTINUE TO REMEMBER

Aaron Alt, Carl Bachor Sr., Shiho Benham, Roberto Castillo, Virginia Clay, Ramona Douglas, Laura Farr, Debbie Henson, Ed & Gera Ingle, Dennis Johnson, Yolanda Joiner, Jimmy Jones, Scott Lance, Ernie Leimstoll, Pat Longoria, Gil & Glenda Maldonado, Don Mandernach, Randy Mathews, Dave McClure, Ben & Peg Morton, Evelyn Mullins, Betty Parsons, Faye Porter, Brenda Prosise, Margaret Rodriguez, Cosper Ruphard, Garry Ruphard, Meredith Schugg, Josh Smallwood, Tammy Teague, Elizabeth Thomas, Maria Tolbert, Val Toby, Rebecca Vaughn, Leila Wallace, Jerry White

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ELDERS' EDIFICATION & ENCOURAGEMENT CORNER

Connect With God First

And Moses went up to God, and the Lord called to him from the mountain, saying. "Thus you shall say to the house of Jacob, and all the children of Israel: "You have seen what I did to the Egyptians, and how I have bore you on eagles' wings and brought you to myself. Now therefore, if you will indeed obey my voice and keep my covenant, then you shall be a special treasure to me above all people: for the earth is mine. And you shall be to me a kingdom of priests and a holy nation." Exodus 19:3-6

Have you ever noticed how God introduced the Ten Commandments? Before he spoke His laws to the people in Exodus 20, he took time to remind them of these vital truths:

- The love He had for them.
- The victories He had won for them.
- The future He planned for them.

God spoke about how he intended to bless Israel as His children, and he warned them of the boundaries to keep. Only then did he give them his commandments to obey. Do you see the genius of this sequence?

Leaders touch a heart before they ask for a hand. Before God demands that his people keep his rules, he reminds them of their relationship with him and his blessings. This gave the Israelites all the incentive they needed to follow through on their commitment. What wisdom we can learn from Moses and the relationship he had with God! We can have this same relationship with God if we continually turn to him first in all of our decisions. God knows what we need and has planned such a bright future for each of us, not just in this world but in eternity worshiping at his feet. Connect with God first.

Love, Chuck



CALL TO WORSHIP

Sing to God, sing in praise of his name, extol him who rides on the clouds; rejoice before him—his name is the LORD.

A father to the fatherless, a defender of widows, is God in his holy dwelling.

Psalm 68:4-5



SCRIPTURE READING

The way of fools seems right to them, but the wise listen to advice.

Proverbs 12:15

SERVICES

Sunday Bible Study 9:30 am Worship 10:30 am and 6:00 pm Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 pm

OFFICE INFORMATION

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> MINISTER Doug Wells

ELDERS

Russ Bone Randy Coss Chuck Middleton Louis Montgomery

THEME

"Surrender to God in 2016"

SERVING THE LORD IN JUNE



Communion Preparation: Elaine Dimtson & Bill Berry

Care of Baptismal Clothing: Jenny Shelton

Closing the Building: We need a volunteer.

JUNE BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES



Brandon Smith Valerie Tomaszewski Gina DiCarlo Nick Middleton Jenny Shelton Jeff Fronczak Adrian Montgomery Ioshua Nance Bill Samu Elaine Dimtson Lisa Perry



Patrick & Nicole Danz Iuan & Linda Mendez Bill & Karen Danz Bob & Jackie Benham Doug & Moira Clay Russ & Fran Bone Alfonso & Pat Longoria Sam & Pam Fiori Kirk & Ramona Douglas

DAILY BIBLE READING SCHEDULE FOR JUNE

1) Ezra 9-10

- 2) Nehemiah 1-3
- 3) Nehemiah 4-6
- 4) Nehemiah 7-8
- 5) Nehemiah 9-10
- 6) Nehemiah 11-13
- 7) Esther 1-3
- 8) Esther 4-7
- 9) Esther 8-10
- 10) Job 1-5
- 11) Job 6-10
- 12) Job 11-15
- 13) Job 16-21
- 14) Job 22-28
- 15) Job 29-33
- 16) Job 34-37

17) Job 38-42

- 18) Psalm 1-9
- 19) Psalm 10-17
- 20) Psalm 18-22
- 21) Psalm 23-31
- 22) Psalm 32-37
- 23) Psalm 38-44
- 24) Psalm 45-51
- 25) Psalm 52-59
- 26) Psalm 60-67
- 27) Psalm 68-71
- 28) Psalm 72-77
- 29) Psalm 78-81
- 30) Psalm 82-89

CONTRIBUTION

WEEKLY BUDGET

\$3,400

06-05-16 \$3,467

\$3,118 06-12-16

FOOD PANTRY

Pancake Mix

Syrup

Jelly



Soups