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*Welcome Rev. Bishop
Richard Cox to our Special
Peace service.
He will be our guest
Worship Leader this
Sunday, Jan. 20th.*

Jan. 20 Sermon Bible reading is Luke 8:35

WORSHIP LEADER:
Rev. Greg King
GREETERS:
Meg Roalef

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Chapel Worship:
8:45 a.m.
Morning Worship:
10:45 a.m.

Sunday School Hour:
9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
Nursery - Adult

Ushers:
8:45 -
Gary Etter
Loren Houck
10:45 -
Greg Goodner
Kendall Cobb

2nd Annual

Peace Service - Jan. 20

The Social Action Committee is sponsoring our second annual peace service in conjunction with Martin Luther King Remembrance service, on Sunday, Jan. 20th at the 10:45 AM service. Our guest speaker will be, Bishop Richard Cox of the SCLC. Join us in our focus on Peace, we can all be instruments of peace.

A soup and salad luncheon will follow the service with a group discussion. All are welcome to join us. - Anna Slaidins, Social Action



"Peace Museum Tour"

Plans for gathering a group of people to go visit the International Peace Museum on Sunday, Jan. 27th have been made. Anyone interested may come along. Bring a sack lunch for after church and then we will carpool to the museum. Admission is free, however, they do accept donations (it is strictly a volunteer organization). - Social Action



Vital Statistics

Attendance Jan. 13, 2008

8:45 - 26

10:45 - 121

Sunday School - 42

Offering - General Fund

(monthly budget need - \$13,515)

<u>Offerings rec'd</u>	<u>+/- Amt.</u>
Jan. '07 - \$10,421	(-\$3,095)
Feb. '07 - \$9,473	(- \$4191)
Mar. '07 - \$12,483	(- \$1,182)
Apr. '07 - \$13,574	(- \$59)
May '07 - \$10,670	(-\$ 2,845)
June '07 - \$9,814	(-\$3,700)
July '07 - \$13,778	(+\$263)
Aug. '07 - \$10,225	(-\$3,290)
Sept. '07 - \$13,228	(- \$287)
Oct. '07 - \$11,947	(- \$1,568)
Nov. '07 - \$18,784	(+ \$5,269)

Happy Birthday

Dixie Archer - Jan. 20

George Sine - Jan. 20

Mary Marcum - Jan. 22

Elizabeth Sumner - Jan. 22

Jack Mobley - Jan. 23

JoAnn Moore - Jan. 25



In Our Prayers

Anna Beall

Mildred Berk

Buck & Joan Bockrath

Ginny Breckler - Heartland Kett.

Margaret Cobb - Walnut Creek

Margaret Dill - Masonic Home
Nancy Farren - Trinity
Jamie Geswein
Gene Gibson
Beverly Guffey
Darrin Harvey
Judy Hirshman
Opal Hunter - Liberty Woods
Sgt. Matt Kleinsorge - in Iraq
Lottie Jaeger
Dan Jones - Patriot Ridge Nursing
Howard Jordan
Holly Keltner
Ann Ketteman - Oak Creek Terr.
Dustin Knowlton
Peggy Lewis
Nancy Lyttle
Barbara Lyttle
Bob McCray
Marcella Miller
Mr/Mrs Patterson - Liberty Woods
Brande Reeves - in Iraq
Guy Robinette - Walnut Creek
Louis Romano
Mary Sampson - Liberty Woods
Sue Shroyer
Kathy Steele
Connie Swanson
Gloria Van Camp
Ed Volk
Flo Warner - no visitors
Marlene Wimpy
Vera Westfall
Roy Wright
Diane Yost
Megan Young





January Activities

Jan. 20 - 6PM, reg. meeting
Jan. 27 - 12 noon, bring packed lunch, go on Peace Museum tour.



Lenten Ecumenical Program Planned

Join us and our friends from Ascension Church in a Lenten preparation program on Sunday, Feb. 3 at 1:15 PM here at Greenmont-Oak Park Church. This program will help you and your family in understanding what the Lenten season means, through a brief service, music, children's activities, and refreshments. We will include the burning of the palms to use for the Ash Wednesday services. - the Ecumenical Committee

February Fellowship Carry-In

WINGS is sponsoring a carry-in luncheon for Sunday, February 17, following the morning worship services. So, mark your calendar to join us for lunch. So many delicious recipes and eating with friends help drive away the winter blues. - Loretta Liesch, WINGS



"We Want To Know"

Please call the church office and let the pastor or secretary know when:

- * You enter the hospital or know of someone from church that is hospitalized, please let us know.
- * You would like for the pastor to call on you (by phone or in person)
- * You are unable to attend church and would like to receive communion at your residence.
- * You face something that would be easier with extra support (illness, job loss, family crisis)
- * You celebrate something that would be great to share
- * You are interested in knowing more about Greenmont's church life, or you have any questions about something at the church.

"In Sympathy"

We extend our prayers and thoughts to Ray Urbanas and family on the passing of his sister Nancy Kincaid, last week. Rev. King will officiate at her Memorial service on Saturday, Jan. 19. May God comfort you at this time of loss. - Your GOPCC family



Comfort those in any trouble with the comfort we ourselves have received from God.
2 Corinthians 1:4

New Grief Support group to start at Greenmont Church

Rev. King and co-organizer Charles Warren will be starting up a thirteen week grief recovery support group. The group will meet on Thursday evenings, starting Feb. 21 from 6PM to 8PM. It is designed to help people recover from the deep hurt of loss. They will learn to walk through the path of grief and be supported on the way. This is the place where hurting people find healing and hope. For further information and registration, please call 252-6705.

"Thank You ALL"

Dear Greenmont-Oak Park Community Church:

I was very pleased when I received your gift of \$200. The generosity of the Conference and its member congregations is vital to our mission. Thank You!

In this strained economic environment, these gifts help ensure that we will continue to do our best to create better futures for children and families. You help us provide food, clothing, education, recreation, therapy, spiritual support, and so much more.

Crossroad celebrates 124 years of service in 2007. Founded as an orphanage in 1883, today we provide treatment for children who are suffering from severe emotional difficulties, often a result of abuse and neglect.

Recently we expanded our services to include six to nine-year-olds. We now work with boys and girls age six to twenty-one. We are also working with emotionally troubled children who have other complications. We have a strong mission and commitment to working with children with special challenges and combined challenges.

Thank you again for the tremendous gifts and prayers and support. God bless you all, Kyle Zanker, VP of Development



" 2008 Flower & Bulletin Charts"

New sign-up sheets are posted on the church bulletin board for donations of flowers for the altar and Sunday bulletins. If you care to donate any of these items please sign-up. Bulletins cost \$14.00 and flowers cost \$18.00 per Sunday. If two families sponsor the flowers on the same Sunday, split the cost in half. Payment can be dropped in the offering plate, please indicate what the payment is for. - Worship Committee



Offering Envelopes

New Offering envelopes are available in the church office. If you are out of envelopes please sign out a new box giving your name and envelope box number on the sign out sheet. - Nova Kigar & JoAnn Jay, Financial Secretary

"Lost & Found"

We have recently found two items, that may be missed. In late November a ladies watch was found, and last Sunday a ring was found. If you are missing an item like these, please call the church office.

We also have a lost & found box in the Gathering Place at the upper coat rack area. Older items of clothing, books, and misc. items are located there. Please check it out for any lost items.



"Submarine Sandwich Sale with Turkey sandwich option"

It is time for the Preschool submarine sandwich sale again. This year the church is going to work with us on the sale. The profits from the sandwiches sold by the Preschool parents will go to pay for many of our special programs and some new equipment. Last year the Preschool was able to purchase a new drinking fountain for the basement and some new tables. The profits for sandwiches sold by church members who are also Preschool parents will be equally divided between the church and preschool. Profits sold by church members will go toward the churches special projects. Last year 2,600 sandwiches were sold.

The sandwiches are really delicious! They are prepared with Pepperidge Farm buns. We are offering an option of salami, dutch loaf and pizza loaf with pizza sauce, cheese and mild peppers. You may order them with or without peppers. The other option is: turkey with provolone cheese and lettuce. They are individually wrapped. They cost \$3.50 each.

Orders are due by Sunday, Jan. 27. You may put orders in the offering plate, Church office or Preschool office. Then on Friday, Feb. 8 the sandwich preparation begins at 3:15 PM. We need many helpers, it is a fun group working activity. Baby-sitting is available if needed, please sign-up to help out.

The orders must be picked up on Friday night, Feb. 8 from 7:30 PM to 8:30 PM from the Donut room. We also require that you pay for all your orders at the time of pick-up. If you cannot pick up your orders, please notify Ruth Fulmer by Friday, Feb. 1. Any questions, call Ruth Fulmer, Preschool Director at 252-7840.

**Reminder -
The Official Board Retreat will be held at the 2932 Shakertown Rd. Retreat Center in Beavercreek, Ohio on Saturday, Jan. 19 beginning at 9 AM.**

2007 Annual Reports Due

All 2007 Official Board Chairpersons are to turn in their Committee annual reports before or on the 20th of Jan. Then the all Church 2007 Annual report will be compiled. - Thank You - Nova Kigar, Official Board secretary

