



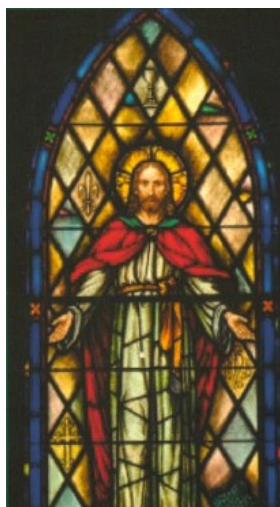
Greenmont Church is called to:

- S—Support families & youth
- E—encourage spiritual development
- R—Reach out with service & fellowship
- V—Voice the hope of Good News in Jesus Christ
- E—Envision a better world through Christ's example

Church membership is based on the affirmation of the

Biblical covenant:

"You shall love the Lord with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your strength. You shall love your neighbor as yourself. (Mark 12:30-31)



Scripture Readings for weeks:

July 5- II Sam 5:1-5, 9-10, Ps 48 Ezek 2:1-5. Ps 123
II Cor 12:2-10, Mark 6:1-13

July 12—II Sam 6:1– 5, 12b-19, Ps 24 , Amos 7:7-15
Ps 85:8-13, Eph 1:3-14, Mark 6:14-29



WE ARE HIS HOUSE.

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Organists:
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Chapel Worship: 8:45 AM
Morning Worship: 10:45 AM
Christian Education: 9:30 AM
Bible Adventure: 10: 45 AM

Ushers:

8:45 AM	10:45 AM
Gary Etter	Les George
Arlene Uldrich	Pasko Evanoff
Linda Oxley	Ron Dill

WORSHIP LEADERS:

Diana Knowlton—June 7
Anna Slaidins—June 14

GREETERS:

Elizabeth Sumner
Kay Rearick

Together Over 100 years of Christian Service Recognized



EVANOFF, Pasko



RICHARDS, Barbara

In June we were honored to recognize Pasko Evanoff and Barbara Richards for their combined service to God and our church with over 100 years of combined commitment to sharing the love of God with youth and children through their Christian Education service.

We were pleased to give them a standing ovation in thanks for their dedication to the Lord. They are examples of a life long humble walk with the Lord. They live our church's covenant. They love God and love sharing about God's love with others, especially the children.

Praise and Thanks

Good Things are happening around here! We are starting new fun activities and helping our church to go and grow.

We've cut some expenses and are working to be more "economically wise." Some of our members from long ago, who have moved away, have given some very generous gifts to help. Praise God!

Sign up across from the office for some fun! We have many special interests and talents to share. And why not invite a friend or family member to join in. All are welcome.



An extra gift in the offering helps us to meet our bills and do God's work. Keep giving and watch how God grows our church!

It's a Greenmont-Oak Park Community Church, UCC tradition.

Thanks and Glory to God!

- Finance and Stewardship

Attendance - June 21 & 28, July 5

8:45 service	28,	18,	24
10:45 service	85,	109,	___
Sunday School	20,	15,	16

Offering—operating income

(Monthly budget need is \$14,958)

	Income rec'd	+/- Amt.
Jan. '15	\$11,114	-3,844
Feb. '15	\$10,797	-4,161
Mar. '15	\$17,386	+2,428
Apr. '15	\$11,831	-3,127
May '15	\$15,068	+110

Happy Birthday

- Gregory King—July 12
- Jerry Archer—July 13
- Meg Roalef—July 14
- Molly Donovan—July 19
- Angie Brooks - July 20



In Our Prayers

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| Judy Admundson | Liz Ancil |
| Kevin Bader | Glenda Boddie |
| Ginny Breckler | Kara DePew |
| Robert Davis | Ahmad Doucet |
| Laura Etter | Marilyn Foskuhl |
| John George | Jamie Geswein |
| Jack Gilmore | Bob Karl |
| Lori Keltner | |

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| Ken Hambrick | Edna Holland |
| Sean Humphrey | Kristen King |
| Dustin Knowlton | Rosaline Lam |
| Kelly McRonney | Bob McCray |
| Phyllis McCray | Naysa Morgan |
| Delbert Newhouse | Ester Oxley |
| John Parnell | Sheri Parrett |
| Joyce Pratt | Gage Rayney |
| Cindy Romano | Calire Riccos |
| Deb Richey | Beverly Smith |
| Diana Smith | Wayne Stolic |
| Paul Stutz | Joe Trevan |
| Ray Urbanas | Gloria Van Camp |
| Gina Van Camp | Chloe Wakefield |
| Sue Wagner | Mark Webb |
| Pat White | |
| Diane Yost | |



Those in Nursing Care

- Margaret Dill – Masonic Home
- Doris Greenwood—Oak Creek Terrace
- Ginny Hambrick—Walnut Creek
- Vern /Betty Hine—St. Leonard Center
- Verdena Mardis—Sterling House

Military

- Adam Reeves
- Casey Ryan

Christian Education Schedule

The schedule :

- 9:30 AM—Confirmation
lead by Dave Roalef
- 9:30 AM—High School/College
lead by Bob Colvin/Meg Roalef
- 9:30 AM—Adult Bible class
lead by Frank Taylor/Gary Etter
- 9:30 AM—Adult Contemporary
- lead by Laura Von Holle
- 10:45 AM—Bible Adventure
(during worship - continues for
all 4yr. Olds to 5th graders)
Lead by Colleen Karl
- 10:45 AM—Nursery (babies to 3yrs)

Our Best Dad's Honored

On Father's Day Sunday we had an impromptu fun Best Dad contest before worship. 18 Father's from the church came forward and were recognized in honor of their day. Three father's came out as finalist: Pasko Evanoff, Mark Rayney and Ray Urbanas, and the winner for Best Dad was given to Pasko Evanoff. The competition was decided by the applause meter.

We hope all Dad's had a good Father's Day celebration.

\$10 Purchases a Directory

The new Pictorial Directories will be available for \$10 each (unless you had a professional picture taken by Lifetouch, then it is free). Please get your money and number of copies you want for you or your friends to the office or Cheryl Barnett by July 15 as we need to pay before they are printed. Thank you.



Summer Christian Education

Focus on Missions

Join us in the Donut room at 9:30 AM. Come and learn about what they do. We will continue with sharing about several missions throughout July.

July 12 Kettering Backpack program

This local program is fighting hunger one student at a time. 42% of school age children in Kettering are on free or reduced lunch programs. Over 520 students are being served by the Kettering Backpack program by providing food for the children over the weekend days, so they won't start their next week of learning on an empty stomach. This really impacts the students learning ability.

July 19—Gospel Mission - a local mission service group that is pointing everyone they meet to Christ. They have been serving the community for 103 years. They provide Bible study and computer technology skills training. They serve others through pantry and meal programs, providing other physical needs and they offer Camp Jabez for summer youth enrichment. They work to reach the inner city people. They work to help people find their way through the power of the Gospel of Christ to make transforming changes in their lives.

Meetings /Gatherings

July 21— 3 T's meet for lunch at MCL

July 28—Shepherds meeting at 10 AM
Anyone interested in visiting with shut-ins welcome.

God's Great Works Revealed again at VBS

June 22 to 26th we had a wonderful VBS experience with 58 students enrolled, most were families from the community and over 40 volunteers working at VBS.

We averaged 54 students each day, and two weeks before we only had 12 enrolled. Our God works in mysterious and wonderful ways. We had our mistrust issues, but continued to encourage each other in prayer together for the Lord to send us 42 children. God had bigger plans, and we grew in our trust to follow where we were being led.

Our teen age youth volunteers really stepped up this year. They held the Clue game and silent auction to raise funds, \$620 total, to help cover VBS costs and they volunteered to be crew leaders with the children. We had 19 youth help out, and they managed great responsibility and demonstrated commitment all the way through the week. **FANTASTIC YOUTH**

Along with the youth we had 21 adult volunteers. Several adults were new to the VBS experience, they stepped out of their comfort zone, and they were also great examples of servants of Christ. Those of us who would describe ourselves as veteran VBS volunteers felt a great teamwork and supportive and Spiritually positive atmosphere.

The children attending were also a key component of this year's VBS. They really seemed to connect to the songs and God sightings, and stories of God and Jesus that were shared throughout the week. Their energy and joy for the Lord is a good way to renew ourselves as adults in our faith walk.

Our Sunday, June 28th, closing program at worship continued in the same vein as the entire week of VBS. We had several families and children (18) attend worship with us, they enthusiastically shared a couple songs, a prayer, and a bible verse with us. During the week they collected for two Mission projects: Earthquake relief in Nepal (\$126) and food items for our Pantry.



Let us continue to lift prayers for these families and their children, that they may continue on their faith journey and building their relationship with God and Jesus.

So the only thing left to say is:

THANK YOU ALL FOR A GREAT VBS WEEK!!! WE APPRECIATE YOU

Faces Art Workshop

There will be a Faces Workshop on Saturday, July 11th, 2:00 to 4:00 PM. At Doris Alexander's home, 3951 Maricarr Drive. The faces will be done in collage and can be humorous, glamorous, scary, whatever. This will not be any harder than the cards were. Again please bring scissors and glue sticks if you have them and leftover scrapbooking or wrapping paper for possible backgrounds. Other materials will be furnished. The cost will again be \$5 with all the money going to the church. You can sign up on the bulletin board or by calling Barb LeBlanc at 256-6490 or Doris at 298-4176 .





Pasko Art Exhibit in Hilty Room

Pasko has done it again! He has painted more watercolors which he is sharing with us in the Hilty Room. Stop in and have a look.

Pasko—298-3810, call if interested in purchasing a painting.

**Chimes Article Deadlines are:
July 20 & 30**



Please remember to turn lights out, turn air conditioners off and check locks when leaving the building.

Looking for Pumpkin Patch Coordinators

We are looking for 2-3 people to be Team Coordinators for the fall 2015 Pumpkin Patch fundraiser. We will work with the youth again in operating this year's fundraiser.

The plan is to share the work and responsibilities. Please let Bob Beall know if you are interested in being a leader for this event.

Remember Pastor Gabe's Q & A sessions will be held on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month following 10:45 AM worship.

Births—Congratulations

Gary & Barb Etter are new grandparents. A girl, Astara Marshall was born last week. Everyone is doing well.

Phil and Karen Brown became great-grandparents on July 2. Baby girl Harper Lynn Crause was born. Everyone is doing well.

Dear Church Family,

Thank you for the calls, cards and prayers received during my hip replacement surgery and recovery.

They are very much appreciated and have provided good moral support.

- Sincerely, Diane Yost

Dear GOPCC and Christian Education Comm.,

Thank you so much for the thoughtful gift card. I really appreciate it and it'll help me next year. Thank you for supporting me throughout the years. Love, Bethanne Bleeke

Pastor Gabe will be away on vacation June 29 through July 17.

While Pastor Gabe is away, Pastor Ward Tilton will fill our pulpit on Sundays, July 5th and 12th. Let us offer a warm welcome to Rev. Tilton.

The church office will be open for regular hours during this time, Monday–Friday, 9 AM to 3 PM. There will also be an on-call emergency Pastor available to our congregation.

Just call the church office or call Nova Kigar, 937-443-7491 for assistance.

Items we continually need are:

- * Cereals
- * TP
- * Bath bar soap (3 bars dial/\$1 at dollar tree is a good deal—all soaps welcome)
- * paper grocery bags

These nonfood items we cannot buy with our Meijer's gift card dollars.



Dear Members of Greenmont,

FISH Southeast Food Pantry thanks you for the \$100 donation. We appreciate your support of this local program.

- Sincerely, Janet Harris,
Pantry Coordinator

Dear Friends,

Thank you so much for your generous gift of \$350 to Pine Mountain Settlement School.

In our 102 year of service, PMSS remains dedicated to progressive education in the mountains of southeastern Kentucky and throughout the Appalachian region. We are grateful to you for supporting the important work of Pine Mountain settlement School. Thank you for your partnership in our cause!

In the spirit of Pine mountain,
Debra Callahan

Dear Greenmont-Oak Park Church,

We are very grateful for your gift of \$291.25 and your support of the ministries of the St. Vincent de Paul Gateway shelters.

The homeless are coming to us in record numbers. For the first quarter of 2015, the number of shelter nights we have provided has increased 31% compared to the same period in 2014. Our food pantries are likewise serving record numbers of families. The members of our 35 conferences, providing cash and other emergency assistance to their neighbors who are threatened with homelessness, are overwhelmed. Many of the conferences will exhaust their resources well before year-end.

Through it all, we remain guided by our faith. Our first duty is to serve the poor and the homeless—not to count them. The more we are called to do, the more privileged we are.

Our methods are simple. We welcome all who come to us. We extend to each of them a hand of assistance, shelter and hope. We help them see the possibility of their transformation. We link them to the human services they need to start that journey. We house them just as quickly as we can.

That's why your gift means so much. It give us the resources we need to do God's work. It gives our clients the support they need. Since 2012, more than 5,000 homeless men and women—and their families—have successfully exited shelter. That is the power of your gift. God bless you and your family. Thank you again for your support of St. Vincent de Paul.

Sincerely, David Bohardt, Executive Dir.