



Covington Church of the Brethren Weekly News

Saturday, November 12, 2022



Brenda Baker (daughter of Virginia & Norman Wolfe) tested positive for COVID October 31st. She is currently at home.

Kim Bridges (Brodrick) - Kim will be undergoing tongue surgery in the first part of November due to cancer. She graduated with Melody Richardson (daughter of Mel & Peg Longendelpher).

Rhonda & Ted Brumbaugh and family - Rhonda started chemo and radiation treatments 10/24 at Ohio State University.

Bernice Davis - Please pray for safe travels for Bernice as she relocates to Florida for the winter.

Carol & John DiMatteo and family (including sisters, Kay McKinney & Jayne Hobbs). Carol has been released from Miami Valley Hospital after having pneumonia to continue healing at home.

Connor (friend of Sylvia Warner's family) -Connor (a senior in high school) fell and hit his head. He was taken to Children's Hospital with a possible brain bleed.

Logan Heath (Dave Lentz' sister-in-law's co-worker's son) and family. Logan is 17 years old and has become paralyzed from a recent truck rollover crash.

Venus Hurt (Pat Lentz' sister) was recently hospitalized with congestion, sinus issues and RSV. Dave & Pat Lentz are thankful for your prayers.

Rick & Sherry Lavy and family- Rick is currently at Story Point in Troy. Sherry was in a auto accident recently where she broke her arm and wrist. She is improving and is home now.

Mel & Peg Longendelpher and family are thankful and relieved to know that Mel's cancer test came back negative. He will be undergoing a stress test December 12th. Mel & Peg are thankful for your thoughts and prayers.

Carol & Terry Minnich - Carol recently underwent OSU, Columbus.

Kathy & Joel Miller - Please continue prayers for Joel & Kathy Miller. After recently being in the hospital for 11 days, Joel was feeling good, was been discharged back to Piqua Manor for therapy, and was doing really well. Unfortunately, Joel went back at the hospital with a fever, low oxygen, and is slightly unresponsive. Joel & Kathy very much appreciate your continued thoughts and prayers.

Brooks Smith & family -Brooks is experiencing serious life difficulties and needs prayers for guidance, life direction, and safety. Brooks' step-mother is Angie Smith (Wayne and Sharon Marshall's daughter). Brooks' father is Angie's husband, John Smith. The Smiths and the Marshalls greatly appreciate your prayers.

Sandy & Dave Wells and family - Sandy (sister of Ed Wolfe) has been released from the hospital and is resting at home with oxygen. She and will be starting rehab in the near future.

Pam Williamson and family (sister Martha Nevin, husband Jack, daughter Brittany) has been diagnosed with cancer and will soon be starting chemo.

Continued Prayers:

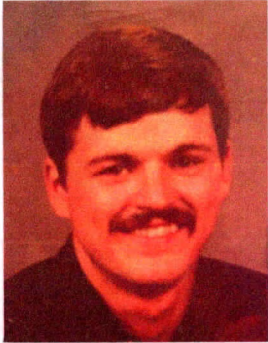
(In an effort to keep this continual prayer list active, we ask for your help in sharing prayer updates for your love ones and friends every 30 days.)

Scott Alexander, Beverly Beckner, Dave & Linda Berrett, Roberta Brock, Linda Dearth, Chad Davis, Courtney and their newborn baby boy. Erick Delgado, Bill Jackson, Kelly (Mike Alexander's sister), Regina Lewis, Bruce Martin, Larry Minnich, Linda Newman, Jim Perry, Dwane & Rose Ann Runyan, Mike & Carol Sawyer, Pastor Ralph Schaafsma, Marie Stanfield, Gregory Swob, Dave Thomas, Norman & Virginia Wolfe, Sam Woods, Mark & Roz Yantis, Sheron Zimmer. In the military: Tyler Lambert, Prayers for the people of Ukraine.

To Share Prayer Updates:

Please contact Cindy at (937) 448-0100 or e-mail covingtoncob@gmail.com. Thank you.

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David Wills

Our love, prayers, and sympathy are expressed to the entire Wills family at the death of David Wills (son of the late Lewis & Billie Wills), who passed away Friday, November 4, 2022 at Mary Scott Nursing Home, Dayton.

Graveside Service and Interment of Remains to be held at a later date at Highland Cemetery, Covington.

To read the complete obituary:

<https://www.stockerfraley.com/obituary/David-Wills>

Thank you from Lifewise Academy:

Dear Covington Church of the Brethren

Thank you for your generous donation of \$400 to LifeWise Academy. We truly appreciate your support to the children in your community.

With your help, the program is committed to reaching children with biblical truths that will introduce and instill character traits such as respect, forgiveness, patience and kindness that will benefit them through their lifetime.

Again, thank you. This program could not be accomplished without your help.

Sincerely, Ashley Renner, Vanessa Tipps, Kelli Bitner

Dave and I send our gratitude and appreciation to Pastor Mike and all of you for your prayers, cards and concern. It means more than you know. Dave is doing better and continues heart rehab exercise program several times a week at the hospital. I'm improving and moving forward as I learn more about management for my condition. God bless each of you. Dave and Linda Berrett

**Covington Church of the Brethren
Morning Worship Service**

[https://www.covingtoncob.org/
livestreaming-worship](https://www.covingtoncob.org/livestreaming-worship)

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<https://www.covingtoncob.org/newsline>

All Church Christmas Carry-In Dinner

Sunday, December 4th, after church in the lower level (no Sunday School). Table service and beverage will be furnished. Come and enjoy good food and fellowship. We will have some fun games also. Hope to see you. Bring a dish or two with your favorite food for all.

The Men's Prayer Breakfast will be held Wednesday, November 16, 2022 at 8:00 a.m. at Buffalo Jack's. No reservations are required. Please join us.

Next Church Meetings - December 14, 2022

5:00 p.m. - Trustees Meeting

6:00 p.m. - Church Board Meeting

The Southern Ohio District Office encourages us to be in prayer this week for Southern Ohio/Kentucky District Board of Church of the Brethren.

Looking Ahead:

November 13 - Luke 20:27-38

"For All Eternity"

November 20 - Our Guest Preacher will be Nick Beam

(Interim District Executive).

Pastor Mike will be on vacation
11/14 - 11/20.

November 27 - First Sunday of Advent - Our Advent theme is:

"From Generation to Generation."

Matthew 1:1-17 | Isaiah 2:1-5 -

There is Room for Every Story

**Love Feast with Foot or Hand
Washing & Communion will**

**be held on the lower level
following worship.**



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To Receive Prayer and Church Messages via Text Message to your cell phone, please contact covingtoncob@gmail.com or call Cindy at (937) 448-0100. Thank you, Cindy *(this is very simple to set up and you will receive the messages as soon as posted)*

Please Note:

If you have any Repair & Maintenance concerns for the church please contact one of the following people:

Trustees

Carolyn Wolfe
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Cell# (937) 418-3034

Mel Longendelpher
Home# (937) 753-1198
Cell# (937) 776-3812

Terry Minnich
Home# (937) 473-5183



“Pet Friendly Prayer Chain”

Please call:

Office# (937) 473-2415

Cindy’s Cell# (937) 448-0100

E-mail covingtoncob@gmail.com

Upcoming Birthdays

11/14 Larry Huffman
11/16 Michelle Alexander
11/16 Dan Hobbs
11/20 Crystal Yingst
11/24 Lois Newman
11/24 Jessica Yingst
11/29 Kay Nickel
11/30 Jerry Longendelpher

Annual Thanksgiving Dinner

Covington Christian Church will again this year be preparing the annual Thanksgiving Dinner drive thru on Wed., Nov 23rd. Our church will be furnishing some of the needed dinner rolls.

The general public will need to pick up tickets on Monday thru Thursday between 9:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. There will be a limit of two tickets per person. These tickets will then be presented on Wed., Nov. 23rd between 5:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m.

The Christian Church would like to have the list of names and the number of meals that our Church would like to reserve for the elderly and shut-ins. Please call Kay at 937 473-2767 or 937 570-8931 so your meals can be reserved.

Meals will be delivered by our church members to the elderly and shut-ins. Please be sure to call as they plan to prepare 225 meals this year. We will need to get our list to them early to reserve your meals.

If you have any questions, please call Kay.
Thank you.

Things to be thankful for

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GOOD HEALTH
 EDUCATION
 PETS
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 WATER
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 FRIENDS
 WARM BLANKET
 FOOD TO EAT
 FRESH AIR
 APOLOGIES
 FREEDOM
 RAINBOWS
 THE BIBLE
 CARING
 WARM HOME
 FAMILY
 DESSERT
 HEARING
 LOVE
 INCOME

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