

# Covington Church of the Brethren Weekly Newsline

April 21, 2022

## REMEMBER IN PRAYER:

**Eric Delgado** - (cousin of Dave & Pat Lentz) is in the ICU fighting COVID and cancer.

**Charlene & Ed Ingle and family** - Charlene's knee recent replacement surgery went well. She is healing at home. Charlene & Ed are thankful for your prayers.

**Yvonne Lear** (daughter of Sylvia Warner) knee replacement surgery last Friday went well. She is healing at home. Yvonne & Sylvia are thankful for your prayers.

**Joel & Kathy Miller** - Kathy is dealing with some extremely difficult symptoms and is awaiting testing that is scheduled to take place in late May. Joel is experiencing increased pain and discomfort.

**Reece Wright** (great-grand-daughter of Lois Newman and daughter of Autumn Weatherhead and Tristan Wright). Reece has been released from Children's Hospital but needs continued prayers.

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## 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.)*

Roberta Brock, Henry Brumbaugh, Linda Dearth, Colton Foutz & Family, Linda Gibson, Gregory (Esther Field's great-great grandson), Mark Hyden, Bill Jackson, Dave & Pat Lentz, Regina Lewis, Bruce Martin, Carol Minnich, Larry Minnich, Jim Perry, Shirley Reasor, Mike & Carol Sawyer, Angie Shroyer, Marie Stanfield, Jayne Strain, Sandy & Dave Wells, Norman & Virginia Wolfe, Sam Woods, Mark & Roz Yantis, Sheron Zimmer, Carolyn Zorn. In the military: Matthew Carder, Tyler Lambert

Prayers for the people of Ukraine 

## To Share Prayer Updates:

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

## Congregational Business Meeting - *Date Change*

There will be a short Congregational Business Meeting on Sunday, May 15, 2022 immediately following the church service. Purpose of the meeting is for the congregation to vote on the Church Board's recommendation to amend the Constitution to include the Trustee Chairman on the Executive Board.

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**Honoring Our Mothers.....**May 8th is Mother's Day, a day set aside to honor our mothers, grandmothers, aunts, sisters or anyone who has been a mother figure to you.

I'm inviting each of you to give a picture or digital picture of your Mother to Charlie Nickel or myself by May 1st. Charlie will scan the pictures and they will be shown on the screen during the Church service on May 8th. Please put your Mother's name on the photo along with your name so the picture can be returned to you. If you are unable to bring the picture to Church, please call me at (937) 473-2767 and I will be glad to pick it up. Photos can also be e-mailed directly to Charlie at the following address: ncklchrls@gmail.com

Also, if you would like to share a 3 to 5 minute memory or tribute to your Mother during the Church service, please let me know.

Father's Day is June 19th and we will be asking for pictures of those special men after Mother's Day so they, too, may be honored in a similar way.

Start looking for pictures of your Mothers and Dads to share with your Church family on these special days!

Kay McKinney



*It's beautiful when someone prays for you without you knowing. It's the highest form of respect and care.*

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## Covington COB

### "A Little Walk Down Memory Lane".....

'Having many photos of the past in the office computer I thought it would be heart warming to visit some of those photos in a small area of the church news. If you have thoughts that you would like share from photos you have seen please e-mail the church at covingtoncob@gmail.com to possibly share in upcoming news. While I don't always know the exact date, the photos will tell the story of many of the good times in the history of our church. Cindy



### **Pet Prayer Chain - Prayer Requests:**

- **Darla**, 13 yr. old much-loved cat and fur child of Virginia Wolfe has health problems that Virginia is deciding how best to handle.
- **Irene & Roger Reynolds** would appreciate your thoughts and prayers for the passing of their much-loved fur child cat Taco due to having cancer under this tongue and inability to eat. Taco has been a part of their family for many years and will be missed very much.



### **"Pet Friendly Prayer Chain"**

Please call:

Office# (937) 473-2415

Cindy's Cell# (937) 448-0100

or e-mail covingtoncob@gmail.com

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## Covington Outreach Association (COA) "Summer Stock-up Program"

The COA has started a new stock-up program in which they are asking parishioners to purchase taxable items for Covington families in need. Covington Church of the Brethren has been asked to donate 12 each of both shampoo & conditioners. Please bring them to the church May 8 or May 15th. *(The Meijer Gift Card Program does not allow families to purchase taxable items.)*

If you cannot shop and/or would rather donate to the COA, please send a check to P.O. Box 125, Covington, OH 45318. Thank you



### Birthdays

04/19 Katherine Dunton  
04/19 Marilyn Helman  
04/26 Dolores Mutzner  
04/29 Steve Root

### Please Note:

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

#### Trustees

Carolyn Wolfe  
Home# (937) 526-4852  
Cell# (937) 418-3034

Dave Lentz  
Home# (937) 773-7079  
Cell# (937) 606-1104

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

Terry Minnich  
Home# (937) 473-5183

## Who, What, When & Where?

Here's a fun and interesting way to become more acquainted with your Bible. So keep it close at hand because we believe you're going to enjoy searching for the answers to our weekly Bible question. Some questions may be easy to answer, but some might be more challenging for you. Use any means in your search. There will be a new question every week!



### Question:

WHAT proverb did God say was not true?

### Write Your Answer in this Space:

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*Look for the answer in next week's Newsline.*

Brought to you by your Witness Commission, Dean Nevin, Lois Newman, Linda Berrett and Marilyn Helman. Happy hunting. God bless you all!

*God knows you're tired.  
God knows it's difficult for you.  
But, you must also know that God  
would never place you in a  
situation that you can't handle.  
May God listen to all  
your prayers and bless  
everyone who's reading this.*

*Amen* ❤️

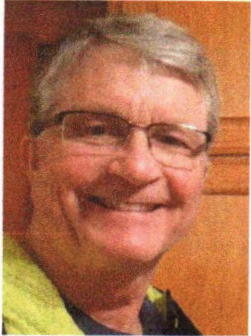
*(Answer to last week's Bible question)*

*Peter  
(Acts 12:13-14)*

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Our love, prayers and sympathy  
are expressed to following families:



## Mark Benjamin Ashworth

Janet Ashworth (wife) and Mary & Mike Caldwell and family at the death of Mary's brother, Mark Benjamin Ashworth, who passed away Easter Sunday, April 17, 2022 in Greenville Ohio.

Funeral service at the convenience of the family, burial at Palestine cemetery, Palestine, Ohio. A Celebration of Life service will be held at Beech Grove Church – 3420 Harrison Rd, Hollansburg, Ohio 45332- on April 30, 2022 at 2 pm.

To read the complete obituary:

<https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/greenville-oh/mark-ashworth-10714980>

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## Janet Gilbert

Mauriena (Dan) Cain and many family members at the death of Janet Gilbert (Mauriena's mother) who passed away Monday, April 18, 2022. Private services will be held at the convenience of the family.

To read the complete obituary:

<https://www.stockerfraley.com/obituary/Janet-Gilbert>

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## Covington Church of the Brethren Morning Worship Service

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

## The Weekly Newsline:

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



## Matthew Ault

Michael & Susan (Snider) Ault and many family members at the death of their son, Matthew Ault, who passed away Monday, April 18, 2022.

A celebration of Matthew's life will be held at 11:00 AM on Monday, April 25, 2022, at Melcher-Sowers Funeral Home in Piqua, OH, with Pastor Matt Harbour officiating. The family will receive friends from 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM on Sunday, April 24, 2022, at the funeral home.

To read the complete obituary:

<https://www.melcher-sowers.com/obituaries/Matthew-Ault?obId=24620072#/obituaryInfo>

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## Mid-Week Reflection

Please join us on-line every Thursday morning for our 12-15 minute website video. We are invited to be still and know that God is God, as Pastor Mike briefly reflects on the many ways scripture shines the light of Christ on our day-to-day living. (e-mailed Thursday mornings at 9:00 a.m.) Thank You!

**The Southern Ohio District Office** encourages us to be in prayer this week for Potsdam Church of the Brethren.

**The Men's Prayer Breakfast** will be held May 18, 2022 at 8:00 a.m. at Buffalo Jack's.

## Church Meetings: *(in the church library)*

May 18, 2022

Trustees Meeting - 6:00 p.m.

Church Board Meeting - 7:00 p.m.

# Some Things to be Thankful for

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- FAMILY
- PLACE TO SLEEP
- CHURCH
- ART
- FREEDOMS
- FRIENDS
- MUSIC
- HOPE
- JOB
- FLOWERS
- WAKING UP
- GOOD HEALTH
- A HOME
- LOVE
- DEVOTION
- SMELL
- HAPPINESS
- ELECTRIC
- SUNSHINE
- FOOD
- PRAYER
- SIGHT

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