

# Covington Church of the Brethren Weekly News

June 30, 2022



**Dustin Angle** (son of Bonnie Seitz) - Dustin was injured in a construction site accident June 28th. Prayers for healing would be appreciated.

**Wayne Angle & Family** - Wayne is having heart issues and would appreciate prayers as he works with doctors to find answers.

**Dave & Linda Berrett** - Dave's heart procedure last week was cancelled due to a blockage. He will need a more extensive procedure at a later date. Dave & Linda are grateful for your continued prayers.

**Carol & John DiMatteo and Family** (including sisters, Kay McKinney & Jayne Hobbs). Carol has leukemia and is undergoing treatment. Carol and her family are grateful for your continued prayers.

**Jane & Terry Lavy & Family** - Jane is undergoing chemo. and is doing well so far. She has several more treatments left. Jane & Terry are thankful for your continued prayers.

**Kathy & Joel Miller** - Kathy has been taking chemo. Joel is experiencing health issues as well. Kathy & Joel appreciate your prayers and support as they work through this difficult time.

**Phyllis & Duane Rapp and family** - Phyllis' kidney stone surgery went well. She is recovering at home. Phyllis & Duane are thankful for your prayers.



## 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, Linda Dearth, Erick Delgado, Linda Gibson, Gregory (Esther Field's great-great grandson), Charlene Ingle, Bill Jackson, Elaine Kraus, Yvonne Lear, Regina Lewis, Bruce Martin, Larry Minnich, Dean & Martha Nevin and Tristen, Jim Perry, Mike & Carol Sawyer, Marie Stanfield, Jayne Strain, Sandy & Dave Wells, Norman & Virginia Wolfe, Sam Woods, Reece Wright, Mark & Roz Yantis, Sheron Zimmer, Carolyn Zorn. In the military: Tyler Lambert, Prayers for the people of Ukraine.

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

## To Share Prayer Updates:

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

**To Receive Prayer and Church Messages** via Text Message to your cell phone, please contact [covingtoncob@gmail.com](mailto:covingtoncob@gmail.com) or call Cindy at (937) 448-0100. The set up takes less than an minute and I will help you. - Thanks, Cindy

**The Men's Prayer Breakfast** will be held July 20, 2022 at 8:00 a.m. at Buffalo Jack's.

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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>

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## 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:

HOW was the prophet Jeremiah's purchase of a field documented and maintained to last a long time?

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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!

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## A Note of Appreciation

*A special thank you to the person who pulled weeds outside the church at the Wall Street side.  
It looks so much better!!*

*Answer to last week's Bible question  
a broken spirit, a broken contrite heart  
(Psalm 51: 16-17)*

**Children's Disaster Services** – Two S. Ohio/KY Children's Disaster Services (CDS) volunteers were part of the initial six-member team working in Uvalde, Texas, where they set up a childcare center in the Family Assistance Center. They provided specialized assistance to children and families impacted by the shooting. These volunteers are experienced and specially trained for critical responses that involve the loss of lives. This team has returned. They were replaced by other CDS volunteers, which includes one from S. Ohio.

**Join a BDM crew!** – Volunteers are needed for July 17-23, and Sept. 4-10 in Waverly, TN. The recovery is from flash flooding in August 2021. In addition to rebuilding, there may be opportunities for cleanup. Transportation, housing, food, and tools are provided. To volunteer, contact Burt Wolf at SouthernOhioBDM@gmail.com or call/text 937-287-5902. Click here for all the 2022 trip dates.

**Ice Cream Social** – The BDM Ice Cream Social will be held on Saturday, August 6, 4:00 – 7:00 PM at Happy Corner Church of the Brethren. Plan to come to this annual fundraiser for supper, pie, ice cream, and fellowship! All proceeds support S. Ohio/KY BDM as we help disaster survivors through rebuilding homes and with Church World Service kits.

## Upcoming Events –

**School Kit Assembly**, Aug. 18, 6:30 PM, at Bullen  
**Ultrasonics Golf Scramble**, Aug. 20, 8:00 AM,  
at Beechwood Golf Course

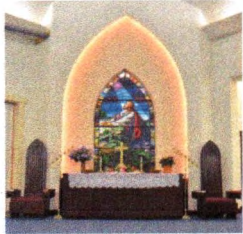
**Parking Fundraiser at Darke County Fair**,  
Aug. 19 – Aug. 27, at Orthopedic Associates  
(Volunteer to park cars, contact Burt Wolf, call/text  
937-287-5902)

**Cleanup Bucket Assembly**, Sept. 22, 6:30 PM, at  
Bullen Ultrasonics





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*Covington Church  
of the Brethren  
2022 Church Directory*

## **A Message from the Church Board.....**

During the Church Board meeting on June 15th, the members gave an enthusiastic thank you to those who worked on updating the Church Directory.

The committee's goal was to make information available for the current members' reference on how to contact others. This goal was completed and is accurate and complete based on the information made available to them; review of previous directory, new forms made available for all to complete and return to the committee, numerous phone calls, etc. This is an evolving work because our lives are constantly evolving. There are marriages, deaths, people moving, etc. everyday.

If and when there are any additions, corrections or changes, please contact Cindy' she will continue to give us updates in the Church Weekly Newslines.

Thank you Linda Berrett, Marilyn Helman, Jayne Hobbs, Lois Newman and Cindy Miller for all your hours of work and untiring efforts on the much- appreciated updated Church Directory.

Kay

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## **New 2022 Church Directories**

If you have not received a copy of the new church directory, there are additional copies in the church office. Please e-mail [covingtoncob@gmail.com](mailto:covingtoncob@gmail.com) or call the church office at (937) 473-2415. Thank you

## **A Note of Thanks**

The family of Henry Brumbaugh would like to thank Pastor Mike, Kitchen Helpers, and church friends of Henry for their prayers and support during his illness. It was much appreciated.

Blessings, The Brumbaugh Family

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## **Ukraine Crisis Report**

Thank you to everyone for generously supporting our Ukraine Crisis fundraiser. The final offering total came to \$1,230.00! The check has been cut and sent on its way to the Church of the Brethren's Emergency Disaster Fund for assisting, Ukrainian refugees fleeing from their war-ravaged country to board countries. Our denomination, a peace church, focuses on the greatest need for aid-safety, shelter and protection from physical harm.

This outreach project was fostered by the Witness Commission, under the auspices of our Church Board. And our donations have been bolstered by our prayers for the Ukraine nation. Thank you for care, sharing, and praying!

With loving appreciation,  
the Witness Commission.



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

Please call:

Office# (937) 473-2415

Cindy's Cell# (937) 448-0100

E-mail [covingtoncob@gmail.com](mailto:covingtoncob@gmail.com)

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## Looking Ahead:

This summer, we are exploring twelve stories of unraveling found in the bible. These stories hold the potential to help us see ways that God meets us in times of unraveling and forms us into something new.

July 3 – Jeremiah 29:1-7

“When Dreams Unravel”

July 10 – Pastor Mike & Belinda will be traveling to Annual Conference.

Guest Preacher will be Ralph Schaafsma.

July 17 – Pastor Mike will be on vacation.

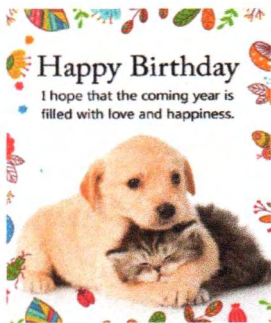
Guest Preacher will be Ralph Schaafsma.

July 24 – John 4:1-29

“Unraveled Shame”

July 31 - John 20:19-29

“When the Unimaginable Happens”



## Birthdays

07/02 Linda Berrett  
07/02 Rodney Stephenson  
07/03 John Beener  
07/03 Reiley Heck  
07/05 Nancy Thompson  
07/11 Brad Plank  
07/13 Matt Kraus  
07/15 Shirley Reasor

## Important Notice

*Covington COB Trustees have concerns about rerouted traffic on Wall Street (due to street work uptown) and our church family's safety. If it's possible for your personal situation, the Trustees would appreciate it if you would consider parking in the lot across from the Wall Street entrance. Thank you!*

# Feeling Happy

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- MERRY
- UPBEAT
- REJOICING
- BLISSFUL
- TICKLED
- BLESSED
- POSITIVE
- PERKY
- GIDDY
- JOLLY

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