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Rainy Weekend

The forecast for this weekend is rain. Normally I would be bummed about this. I love a good sunny weekend. And the potty training is definitely benefitted from the Peanut running around the backyard naked peeing with the dog. But not today. Today I am hopeful for the rain. Rain makes grass grow.

It is inconvenient, rain. It makes people stay inside and ruins thier plans. Rain makes everyone in the city of Atlanta drive like an idiot. Seriously, light showers will make everyone turn on their blinkers and drive thirty miles an hour on the interstate. And when you pass them they honk at you like you are the moron who can't drive. No one is excited that there is rain.

But I am. Because rain is beneficial to making things grow. All of those tiny seeds need rain.

A month or two ago I tweeted this "Take my pride oh Lord, steal it from me." And the Lord is faithful and is answering that prayer. It is hard and sometimes inconvenient. It is a little gloomy and doesn't feel nice all the time. Sometimes I had other emotional plans that get rained out.

But without rain there is no growth. So I am learning to be thankful for the rain. Hopeful about the promise of growth in it.

Abby Norman
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For our national leaders and world leaders as they lead their respective nations.

For our troops in Afghanistan, Bosnia, Korea, Iraq, Liberia, Haiti and other places.

For the "people in the box"-- the lost in our families and community.

For those who are being martyred and persecuted for Christ in our own time

For marriage to stand in our laws as God ordained it.

For the church in Siliguri and Naresh Chhetri and Ashok Basfor

For the churches in Honduras and Haiti who partner with us in the gospel

Jim Young (Terri Young's husband) some decline over last few weeks.

Peggy Hollback still waiting for more evaluations and approvals from the transplant doctors.

Loren Riley (Jamie's brother) diagnosed with rare form of lung cancer. Cards to 4219 Beaver Pike, Beaver 45613.

Price Gammon (Bill's brother) diagnosed this week with advanced cancer.

Garnet Lindeman having problems with mini strokes.

Sawyer Grashel recovering from recent surgery.

Ronnie Hardin is confined to bedrest for several weeks while a fracture in his hip heals.

Mark Dever (Merritt and Helen Hayward's son-in-law) diagnosed with colon cancer.

Ruth Miller now at Elbrooke Pavillion ,Room 521.

Al Graff continues oral therapy for cancer.

Vivian Woodworth had successful hip replacement surgery Wednesday, now recuperating at Harding Place, Rm E-100, 801 S Benton Ave, Searcy, Arkansas 72143.

Bud Coriell Stage 4 cancer. Cards and prayers appreciated. 791 Coriell Rd; Portsmouth 45662.

Henry Mason now home after recent hospitalization.

Jeanie Williams (P J McGaughey's mother) having stem cell transplant at OSU James Cancer Center Rm 1510, 410 10th Ave, Columbus OH 43210.

McCray Family now in China to get Kensley and bring her home. Kensley having problems with pneumonia, breathing, etc. Applying for an expedited visa, best possible scenario is a flight out of China on Wednesday.

Praise Report: Anastasia Osbourne (friend of Greg & Nikki Coriell) 4 month old who was scheduled for surgery to correct a problem with her skull. Most recent CT Scan shows no problem at all. PTL!

Emmett & Robert (premature twins, grandchildren of Mark & Cheryl Villinger) admitted to Dayton Childrens with RSV.



Coming Events

3/1-22	Home Groups
3/15	TODAY —Deacons Meeting 4:30 PM
3/28	Winter Jam in Lexington
4/4	Easter Egg Hunt, 11 pm
4/5	Easter at Sunshine
4/12	Grandparents Honored
4/20	Skating 6-9
5/13-20	Honduras Trip
6/4-8	Family Honduras Trip
6/14-20	Youth Mission Trip
6/22-26	Sunshine VBS
7/12-18	Sunshine at Fort Hill Camp

Other Area Events

4/26-29	Gospel Meeting at Flatwoods church with Jerry Carmichael
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Worship Leaders Class

Suspended during home group meetings.

Grandparents Honored

Grandparents, mark your calendar for Sunday, April 12, 4:30 pm. The 2nd and 3rd grade class will be honoring you with a light meal and program in the Annex.



Singing

Singing on Sunday evening before Bible study is temporarily suspended during home groups.

Home Group News

Home groups began last Sunday evening and are now in full swing. It is not too late to join in with one of the groups. Sign up for a particular group on the table in the foyer.



Hosts, please record the number in attendance at your group each week on the chart on the bulletin board in the foyer.

Next Skating Date

Sunshine has the Skating Rink in Wheelersburg reserved for Monday, April 20, 6-9 pm. \$1 rental for skates. All in the congregation and their guests are invited to come and have a good time.



Shepherds Prayer

Thursday evening the elders and ministers will be meeting for special prayer time for the members and families in the congregation. If you have something that needs to be included in the prayer, please give it to one of the elders right away. These requests are held in confidence unless you ask that they be included in the announcements or bulletin.

Egg Hunt

The annual Egg/Candy Hunt is scheduled for Saturday, April 4, 11 pm at the building. We need lots of individually wrapped candies to put inside the eggs. Details are available from Kristin Riley.

Sympathy Extended

To the family of Pete Kouns whose mother passed last week. The funeral was Tuesday in Ashland, Ky.



HIDDEN TREASURE

A heavy ceramic crock with a wooden cover sits on our front porch. Recently, my husband was working on the porch and moved the crock out of the way. He heard something clatter, removed the cover, and found an old tin can filled with stones. A note inside the can read, "To Dad, with love from Jenna."

Our daughter, Jenna, is now 27 years old. When I told her what her father had found, she said she had no memory of writing the note or placing the can of stones inside the crock. But the handwriting was definitely hers. We wondered what had led her to hide her treasure in the crock. Whatever Jenna's reason, finding the treasure brought joy to my husband. He could picture Jenna searching for perfect stones and carefully writing the note to him. Her note was a sweet reminder of her love for him.

In a similar way, we can find sweet reminders in the Bible, treasures God has placed there for us. If we don't open our Bibles, we never find those treasures. But when we do and a verse speaks to us in a deep way, we know we have found a love note from our Father.

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"Commit to the Lord whatever you do, and your plans will succeed."

Proverbs 16:3



Sunday, April 5, is Easter Sunday, a perfect opportunity to invite that person you have been praying for to come with you to services. Many people who do not ordinarily go to church are looking for some place to go on this particular Sunday. Maybe your person is looking. Easter is only 3 weeks away. Give them their invitation right away.



WORD SEARCH SOLUTION

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THOSE WHO SERVE



Sunday Morning

Welcome & Prayer
Song Director
Worship Leaders

Message

March 15

Wayne Gampp
Nick Davis
Dale Kuhn
Pete Kouns
Steve Miller

March 22

Tom Kelley
Shaun McCray
Tim Gampp
Tyler Jones
Jamie Riley

Sunday Evening

Song Director
Scripture Reading
Lord's Supper
Assist
Prayer

Home Groups



Jacob Miller
Josh Coriell
Jason Foster
Greg Shepherd
Mike Gampp

Wednesday Evening

Song Director
Prayer

Mark Gampp
Mike Coriell

Spike Ferrell
Caleb Miller

Regular Service Times

Sunday

Worship - 10:00 am
Bible Study - 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday

Bible Study - 7:30 p.m.

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ADVERSARIES PAUL
A GOOD WORK PEACE
BISHOPS PHILIPPI
BOLDNESS PRAISE OF GOD
CONFIDENT REJOICE
CONFLICT REMEMBRANCE
DEACONS RIGHTEOUSNESS
EXCELLENT SALVATION
FELLOWSHIP SERVANTS
GLORY SINCERE
GOD OUR FATHER SPEAK THE WORD
GOSPEL TIMOTHEUS
GRACE TO DIE IS GAIN
JESUS CHRIST WITHOUT FEAR
JUDGMENT

WORD SEARCH

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