

LOOKING AHEAD

Sept 4th		Last Day of the 40 Days of Prayer
Sept 13th	6:00 pm	Women's Ministry Meeting
Sept 15th	6:00 pm	Mom's In Touch Prayer
Sept 18th	10:30 am	Homecoming w/ The Southern-Aires
Sept 22nd		Pumpkin Rolls
Sept 23rd	6:00 pm	Family Night w/ games, pizza, movies & more
Oct 28th		Miami Valley Women's Center Gala
Oct 31st	6–8 pm	Trunk and Treat



We*

CELEBRATE our Lord's love through worship

DEMONSTRATE His love through ministry

COMMUNICATE His love to the uncommitted

INCORPORATE believers into the church family

MOTIVATE all believers to spiritual growth

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On Wednesday, July 27th, 2011 we started our 40 days of prayer. The Sanctuary has been opened nightly from 7 pm to 8 pm for anyone wishing to come in and pray. We have chosen specific groups to pray for each night. Following is the list of groups we have prayed for:

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| 1. Kettering Churches | 11. U.S. Marines | 21. The Homeless | 31. Kettering Construction |
| 2. Kettering Fire & Police | 12. U.S. Coast Guard | 22. The Unemployed | 32. People with Cancer |
| 3. Kettering City Employees | 13. Kettering Fathers | 23. The Missionaries | 33. People w/Alzheimer's |
| 4. Kettering Hospital Staff | 14. Kettering Mothers | 24. Kettering School Board | 34. People w/ Diabetes |
| 5. Kettering Churches | 15. Kettering Grandparents | 25. Kettering Principals | 35. People w/Heart Disease |
| 6. Kettering City Council | 16. College Students | 26. School Counselors | 36. Stoke Victims |
| 7. U.S. Congressmen | 17. U.S. President | 27. Kettering Teachers | 37. Dug Addicts |
| 8. U.S. Army | 18. U.S. Vice-President | 28. Kettering Students | 38. The Economy |
| 9. U.S. Navy | 19. The Unsaved | 29. School Bus Drivers | 39. The World |
| 10. U.S. Air Force | 20. The Shut-Ins | 30. School Lunch Ladies | 40. YOU |

COMMUNITY COLLECTION CENTER

- * We collect glasses for the Lions Club. Donate any glasses you no longer wear.
- * Food Pantry: Our food drive is ongoing so please continue to donate food, cleaning supplies or personal hygiene items to assist people in our community.
- * Pull Tabs off pop cans for the Ronald McDonald house. They house parents while their children are in the hospital.
- * Box Tops for Education: We will give the collected box tops to Kettering Middle School (KMS) for their special needs class.
- * Campbell Soup Labels: Will be given to a local elementary PTA.
- * We collect and recycle cell phones, any ink jet or laser jet cartridges. Drop them off in our collection box. We send the phones and cartridges off to Recycle Rewards. It helps the environment as they don't end up in a landfill.

Look for our Collection Center outside the Fellowship Hall of the church, located in the lower level of the building.

What's Cookin' in the Kitchen

by Pam Black



Easy and Fun snacks to make at home with kids.

Got kids? Then you got picky eaters or really good eaters. Being a busy mom of two kids - both great eaters I look for easy and fun snacks to make with them that they love to eat and are healthy for them!

PB& J cracker sandwiches.

6 Ritz crackers

1 tbs. peanut butter (creamy)

1 tbs. jam or jelly (strawberry and or grape)

Lay the crackers out on a plate, give each child a scoop of PB and a scoop of Jam on their plate, using a plastic kitchen knife allow children to spread a small amount of the peanut butter on one

cracker and a small amount of the jam on the other cracker, put the two crackers together.

When all 6 crackers get all pb'ed and jammed up their ready to eat!

Fruit Smoothies

1 banana

1 strawberry maybe 2 or 3

half cup blueberries

1 cup yougurt-lowfat

1 cup milk

3-6 ice cubes

Put all ingredients in blender, put lid on blender, pulse using the ice crush button for about 3 minutes then blend for 5minutes using the frappe' button. Pour in glasses with a small scoop of cool whip and

for added fun - sprinkles !

Mini Pizza

2 bagel or English muffin per.child

1 cup shredded Italian blend cheese

1 cup pepperoni

1-2 tbs. of pizza sauce

Give each child on a plate 2 bagels or English muffin, give each a plastic spoon. With help let the children scoop the sauce onto the muffin or bagel, sprinkle cheese and add pepperoni.

Place on a baking sheet, preheat oven to 350', adult place baking sheet in oven. Bake for about 15 minutes or until cheese looks completely melted. Enjoy!

For more fun recipes with kids look these books at your local library or visit the mom blogs at www.lifeasamomnwife.blogspot.com

Happy eating!

Sweet treats - Carolyn Beth

cookies and cakes - Susannah Blake

super simple desserts- Nancy Tuminelly

fun easy snack for kids- author unknown

healthy snacks for busy kids - author unknown

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Join the PRAISE Team! Share your talents with us. Please consider an occasional, perhaps once a month commitment if weekly participation does not fit in your schedule. If interested please contact Janet in the office.

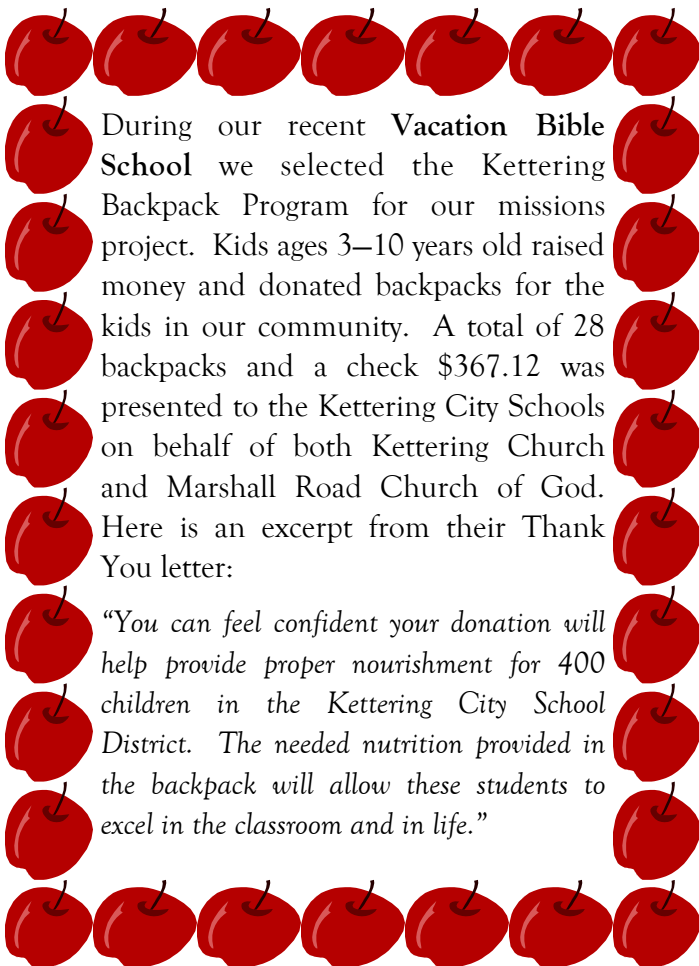
\$2.00 Dinner: Wednesday nights @ 6 pm before Bible Study. If you have a favorite dish or meal you would like to prepare please contact Pauline Pursley or Sue Funk for details. You will get reimbursed for what you spend.

Visitation: If you would like to visit people in Nursing Homes, the hospitals or just in their own homes, please see Rita Fitzwater.

Teach the Kids. Classes are on Sunday Mornings or Wednesday nights. You can be put in a rotation or on the substitute list. Questions, ask Rita Fitzwater or Pam Black.

Trunk or Treat. Cars will be needed to pass out candy in our parking lot. Saturday, Oct. 29th @ 5:30

As always please call or email Janet in the church office with prayer requests, questions, ways to volunteer or other ideas.



During our recent Vacation Bible School we selected the Kettering Backpack Program for our missions project. Kids ages 3–10 years old raised money and donated backpacks for the kids in our community. A total of 28 backpacks and a check \$367.12 was presented to the Kettering City Schools on behalf of both Kettering Church and Marshall Road Church of God. Here is an excerpt from their Thank You letter:

“You can feel confident your donation will help provide proper nourishment for 400 children in the Kettering City School District. The needed nutrition provided in the backpack will allow these students to excel in the classroom and in life.”

God's Plan For Me

Jeremiah 29:11
September 9-10, 2011



Rev. Rick Webb

MEN'S OX ROAST AND RETREAT



For I know the plans I have for you, declares the LORD, plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.

Visit www.ohiohogmen.org for information or to register



ATTENTION MOMS!

Do you worry about your children? Replace your anxiety and fear with peace and hope by praying with other moms. Moms in Touch International gathers moms together to pray specifically and Scripturally for our children and schools. Our mom's prayer group meets the third Thursday of each month at 6 pm here at the church.

Come pray with us!