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Pastor Reflection

Friends,

It is with great joy that I write to notify you of our upcoming fall stewardship campaign.

Our theme for this year's campaign is "A Pleasing Aroma." It comes from Leviticus, where God tells his people they are to offer sacrifices to him as a "pleasing aroma to the Lord." Throughout this series (beginning on October 17th and culminating with our pledge Sunday on November 14th), we will be exploring each of the sacrifices in the book of Leviticus and what they have to say to us about the stewardship of all of life today.

For this year's campaign, we will use Herb Miller's *New Consecration Sunday*. *New Consecration Sunday* is based on the biblical philosophy of the need of the giver to give for his or her own spiritual development, rather than the need of the church to receive. Churches that approach stewardship from a biblical perspective do not view money merely as a way to pay their bills, but as part of helping people grow in Christlikeness.

As a result, we will treat you like followers of Jesus who want to give unselfishly and generously to grow in your relationship with Jesus Christ. As such, we will encourage you toward regular, proportionate giving in response to the question, "What percentage of my income is God calling me to invest as a pleasing aroma to the Lord this year?"

During worship our District Superintendent Todd Anderson, will lead us in a time of personal commitment as an act of worship before God. Every person who completes a giving card does so *voluntarily*. We urge you to come even if you feel strongly opposed to filling out a card. This process will be done in such a way that no one feels compelled to do so. We will do no home solicitation to ask you to complete a card, but we will send an estimate of giving card to anyone who is not able to be physically present with us on Sunday, November 14. A lunch celebration will follow worship that day.

Thanks for your enthusiastic and prayerful participation in Consecration Sunday events.

Pastor Justin

FROM YOUR LEADERSHIP BOARD

Happy Fall! Here are the highlights from the September 7th leadership board meeting.

The annual Church/Charge Conference will be held on Tuesday, November 2nd at 6:30 pm.

Based on the Meet and Greet conversations with Pastor Justin, and a meeting with a community involvement and outreach team made up of board member volunteers, a list of ministry ideas was generated. The board has chosen 3 new ministries for the church to support. We will be looking for congregation members to lead and be involved in each of these ministry outreaches. We would like engagement to begin by November 1, 2021.

New Community Involvement and Outreach Ministries:

1. Launch a Welcome Wagon Ministry to welcome new people to the surrounding community.
2. Build ongoing community relationships through a Book Club housed at the Public Library.
3. Build ongoing community relationships through Block Parties/cookouts hosted by congregation members.

Please know that these are new community outreach ministries. They are not to replace our current quarterly outreach ministries. (Trunk or Treat, Launch. Family Night and The Egg Hunt).

As with all ministries at Hartzell, none can happen without you. Please be in prayer for our church and what part you can be to support these new ministries.

Blessings!

Your leadership board

MISSIONS

across the street & around the world

We are on a mission to give back and help where needed. We support many different types and we are sure there is one for you!

FEATURED THIS MONTH: SHOE BOX MINISTRY

THERE IS A DISPLAY OF A SAMPLE FILLED SHOEBOX LOCATED ON THE MISSION TABLE
THERE ARE EXTRA ITEMS THAT YOU MAY TAKE TO HELP GET YOU STARTED.

Gift ideas Soccer ball with pump, doll, stuffed animal

Toy cars, jump ropes, yo-yo's, toys that light up and make noise (be sure to add batteries)

Personal items toothbrush, washcloths, combs, bar soap

School supplies pens, pencils, sharpeners, crayons, markers

Notebooks, paper, coloring and picture books

Accessories socks, sunglasses, jewelry, hair bows

DO NOT INCLUDE: CANDY, TOOTHPASTE, GUM, SCARY OR WAR RELATE ITMS

FOOD, SEEDS, LIQUIDS, BREAKABLE ITEMS, GLASS CONTAINERS, AEROSOL CANS

FIRST SUNDAY of each month is Canned Goods Sunday. Please bring your non-perishable items and place them on the Altar.

WESLEY FOUNDATION Halloween Dinner is Tuesday, October 26th. We will be providing soups, chili, salad, bread and dessert.

SENIORS SERVE - Deer Park High School Seniors will be helping folks in the area with cleaning and yard work and etc. We will be providing lunch for between 80 and 100 students on Friday, October 22nd.

We plan to help the youth at Deer Park with Student Fees that their families can't always provide as the need arises,

MASLOW'S ARMY – baskets on the Altar to collect toiletries and socks, hats and gloves is an ongoing mission.

Pill bottles for Matthew 25

Old eyeglasses and cases for recycling by the Lyons Club

NEXT MEETING is Sunday, October 24, 2021 following worship. Please join us,

TRUNK OR TREAT

There will be a food truck, "Gimme Sum Suga" and the event is free to everyone. Bring your family and friends. Decorate your car, come in costumes, pass out candy, or just enjoy the day of The Children/Family Ministry Group will be hosting a Trunk or Treat on Saturday, October 30 from 11:00 – 1:00 PM. friends and fellowship!

There will be music, games, and a place to take great pictures!



SUNDAY SCHOOL

The new Sunday School classes have gotten off to a great start. Always room for more teachers. Please contact Vicki at 513-324-8137 if you are interested.



Melissa Fuhrmann and Kelli Coffey met on Sunday, September 19 after Worship to begin the Youth Group. They all enjoyed some games, ate pizza and had a good time.

The Youth Group will meet again on Sunday, October 24 following the Worship Service.

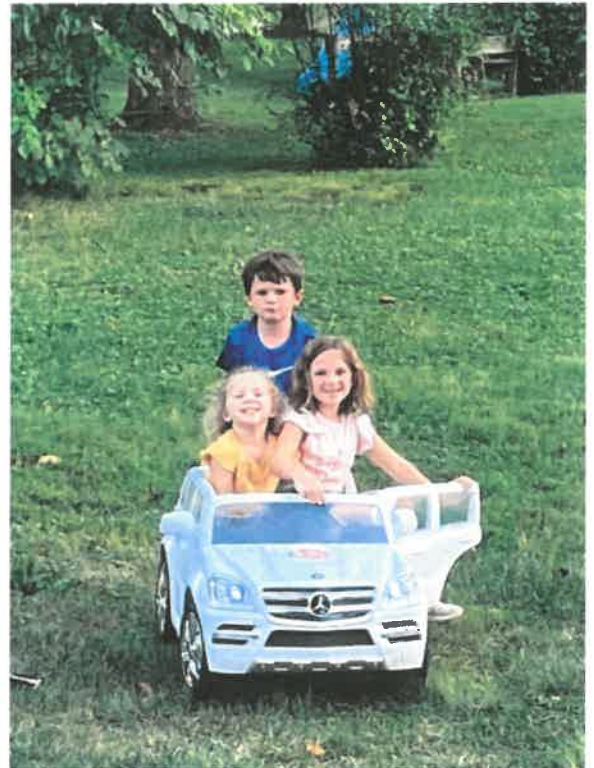
Children of Hartzell

Parker, Brecken and Holland Oram enjoy their Sunday School classes and meeting their friends at church.

Parker is in the Second Grade at Madeira Elementary School. She enjoys playing, soccer and cheering at the Colts Football Games.

Brecken is in Kindergarten at Madeira Elementary School. Brecken loves soccer, flag football and baseball.

Holland just turned three and attends Preschool in Blue Ash.





The handbells will be ringing for the holiday season during the Worship service on December 19th. We will be practicing two Sundays in the month of October. These practices will be immediately following the Worship service on Sunday, October 3rd and October 24th. Please contact Nancy Bobbitt 513-332-8242 or Melissa Norris 513-476-9422 if you would like to join this group, or just show up!

YOUNG @ HARTZ TO VISIT BURGER FARMS



Thursday, October 21, 2021

LUNCH THEN BURGER FARM VISIT

SEE SIGN UP SHEET MEET AT THE CHURCH AT 11:00 AM

ENGRAVED GARDEN PAVERS AVAILABLE

\$55.00 each

3 Lines Up to 14 spaces PER LINE (be sure to include spaces)

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL SUE WATTS AT 891-9584



OCTOBER

- 4 - Nancy Bobbitt
Dan Waddell
- 5 - Bev Paul
- 8 - Amber Holtz
Kadin Jessen
Janet Tubbs
- 9 - Mary Joyce Davenport
Nancy Meyer
Linda Ross
- 11 - Riley Ross
- 12. Pastor Justin
- 14 - Nora Lattire
- 17 - Jake Moses
Benton Coffey
- 24 - Bob Schwarber
- 27 - Sammy Petrosky
- 29 - Alice Hughes
- 30 - Carl Buschhaus
Kimberly Holtz



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- 1 - Mike and Kim Holtz
- 13 - Stan and Myrtle Lough
- 16 - BJ and Pam Ross



Prayer Requests

Linda Toles- Mother-in- Law - health is failing.
 Aron Cromer – Covid, Grandson of Gerry Coffey
 Neil Ray – health issues
 Chris Dreigon – medical issues
 Linda Ross – having blood transfusion Dolly King is Home
 Jamie- breast cancer granddaughter of Paul and Carol Toms
 Scotty in Children’s Hospital with Respiratory infection – Carol & Paul Toms
 Tom Crowthers – healing from torn Rotor Cuff surgery
 Will DeBrod – waiting test results
 Treya – Blood clots request of Melissa Dennis
 Pam – dementia- niece of Bev Paul
 Everyone involved in auto accident of 9/26 on 275
 Adrianna Watts – moving to Arkansas
 Haiti refugees
 Pastor Justin



Clarence Ratliff –brother of Billie Simpson
 Jim Thierauf –Step- father of Jennie Moses
 Doris Ante – friend of Gerry Coffey
 Doss Family – death of Mr. Doss Fiends of Vicki Kelly
 Tina Elswick –Coworker of Leslie Petosky