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#### **Part-Time Associate Minister** of Burnside Christian Church



On November 13<sup>th</sup> there will be a congregational vote to approve Dan Nichols to become the part-time associate minister of Burnside Christian

Church. Dan is Mark's dad who will be retiring from his ministry at the end of this year. If approved, Dan's main responsibilities would be: Leading an adult bible study, teaching an adult Sunday school class, making home visits and hospital visits. Dan would not be receiving a weekly paycheck, but has instead requested that he and his wife Sherilyn (rhymes with Marilyn) be allowed to live in the parsonage rent free and have the church pay the utilities (which would be the electric bill). Dan Nichols has over 55 years of ministry experience and is an excellent teacher of the Bible. If you have questions or concerns about this potential hire, please talk to the elders.

## **Operation Christmas Child** Sunday, November 20th



Our Operation Christmas Child Packing Party will take place during the Sunday School hour (9am) on Sunday, November 20th. Two ways you can help:

- 1. There is a box on the OCC table in the Fellowship Hall for monetary donations to help cover the cost of shipping. Shipping is \$10 per box. Checks can be made out to Burnside Christian Church with OCC in the memo.
- 2. You can donate items for boys & girls ages 2-14. There is a tote at the OCC table in the Fellowship Hall for donated items. A list of item ideas can be found online by visiting samaritanspurse.org/occ.

The December Beacon deadline is Wednesday, November 16th.

 Ladies Bible Study meets on Tuesday mornings at 9:30am at BCC. See Becky Humphrey for more information.

- MYM meets on Sunday evenings at the BCC Student Center from 6-7:30pm. Rides from IWHS are available at 5:45pm.
- The food pantry could use some more volunteers. Volunteers usually only serve every other month. Food Pantry hours are Mondays 5-6pm & Wednesdays 9-10am. If you are interested, please see Barb Caparoon, Pam Jefferson, or Dianne Blamer for the details.
- Sign up sheets for our 2023 ministries are available in the fellowship hall.
- The Children's Christmas Program will take place on Sunday, December 18th at 9:00am. Practices will be held on Sunday mornings at 9:00am.
- The Missions Team will have a meeting after services on Sunday, November 13th in room 6.

### **Thangsgiving Offering** Sunday, November 20th

God has been so good to us! This Thanksgiving offering is our opportunity to be a blessing to others. Please come & give generously if you can.





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#### Praise:

The baptism of Kyle Smith Carole Crum - Praise the Lord for her healing

#### Prayer:

Family of Andrew Whitcomb Helen Ruth White-in hospice care Bull Jackson-in hospice care Kaylee McCloskey-praise the Lord Kaylee's surgery was a success and she is now scoliosis free; pray for her recovery from scoliosis surgery Julie Flynn-inoperable stage 4 colon cancer; pain management Lindsay Nichols-on new seizure medication;

pray for no seizures

Joan Siegworth-in hospital; test results pending Sarah Howell-pray for healing as doctors

search for answers to her GI problems

Ray McFarland-back pain

Gladys Huston-nursing home for therapy on her back

Noah Courtney-recovery from TBI



#### **Ongoing Prayer Requests**

Bryor Grotts-mission in Mexico Laura Thomas-mission in Africa Lil Lung-nursing home Guy Thompson-kidney dialysis Barb Hanks Bob Lemley-vision loss in left eye

#### Cancer:

Mike Jarrett McKenzie Doremus-brain cancer Mason Bryant-15 year old with Leukemia Sara Guymon-recently diagnosed with Acute Myeloid Leukemia

Missions of the Month: CARE

A prayer request from Laura Thomas:

Door of Hope has encountered some roadblocks recently that could affect the future of the home itself, the children there, and also the staff & their families. Please pray for everyone involved.

## Burnside Beacon

## October 2022 Attendance

10/2	Church 164 SS 80
10/9	Church 176 SS 70
10/16	Church174 SS80
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10/30	ChurchNA SSNA
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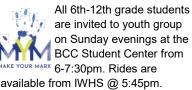
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#### Sunday Services:

Sunday School 9:00 a.m. Worship Service 10:00 a.m. (Children's programming for all ages)

#### Youth Group:





# November 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
PROGRAM REHEARSALS	unday Mornings 9:00am	1	2	3 ICOM	4 ICOM	5 ICOM
6 Fall Back MYM Tonight 3-5:30p	7	8 Ladies Bible Study 9:30am	9	10	11 VETERANS	12
13 MYM to CSC Leave IWHS @4:15pm	14	15 Ladies Bible Study 9:30am	16 Beacon Deadline	17	18	19
20 OCC Packing Party 9am Thanksgiving Offering MYM Tonight 6-7:30p	21	22 Ladies Bible Study 9:30am	23	24 Fappy THANKS GIVING	25	26
27 No MYM Tonight	28	29 Ladies Bible Study 9:30am	30			



1–Mark Nichols
Braxton Grossman
2-Dianne Balmer
3-Rory Wibbell
5-Barb Caparoon
6-Mark Jacob
7-Shannon Grossman
11-Carol Lemley



10-Jeff & Natalie Lionberger 12-Calvin & Jenny Quesenberry

24-Bernie & Sally McPherson

7-JJ & Tera Cole

12-Esther Kleopfer
17-Bryor Grotts
19-Diana Shults
Doug Jacob
21-Lindsay Nichols
Evan Smith
22-Todd Grotts
24-Mike Bavery
25-Meghan Wibbell
26-Emerly Bliss
30-Gene Scanlan
Melissa Kerr

#### Dear Church Family,

It is hard to convey into words how much things have meant to me & my family since my son Eric's death. The kind cards, memorial money, gifts, flowers & home visits were all so appreciated. The wonderful lunch served by the church after his service was just what we all needed to share funny stories of Eric. I even heard from some of his friends & other relatives how he had inspired them in some way. Thank you to Mark for his beautiful message. Most of all, thank you for all the prayers said for Eric these past hard years & for letting me know you were praying. We prayed for his healing & he is now healed & at peace with our Lord. God bless you all.

Kathy Brumbaugh & family







Date	MEDITATIO	ONS	CHURCH CLEANERS		NURSERY		
Nov. 6	Matt Chur	chill	<b>Week of 11/7-11/12:</b> Darcy Burdette, Tyler Adams, Lori Waddell		Michelle Jacob & Anna Jacob		
Nov. 13	Wayne Carlsile, David Pri		Carlsile, David Prior,	e <b>k of 11/14-11/19:</b> Mike & Toni sile, David Prior, Mark & Lindsay nols, Jordan & Dani Shuman		Gail Schulte & Kathy Schulte	
Nov. 20	Lee Wibbell Dris		<b>Week of 11/21-11/26:</b> Ann Logan, Ray Driskel, Chelsie Bliss, Heidi Wilson, Taylor Briggs		Pam Jefferson & Florine Dixon		
Nov. 27	Mel Ro	th	<b>Week of 11/29-12/3:</b> Jacob, Tami Carroll, Donna Newton	-	Brandon & Chelsie Bliss		
Food Pantry VolunteersMondays 5-6 P.M.Wednesdays 9-10 A.M.2 Marcia Stiller2 Marcia Stiller7 Meghan Wibbell9 Janie Long14 Cassie Grotts16 Pat Briscoe21 Carol Lemley23 Sharon Wheatley28 Barb Caparoon30 Kathy Brumbaugh		<b>INESDAYS 9-10 A.M.</b> arcia Stiller nie Long at Briscoe haron Wheatley	Communion Servers: David Prior Larry McClintock Mitch Delozier J.J. Cole Jim Snyder Jr. Frank Hutchins Kevin Deitrich Mark Jacob		JR. CHURCH VOLUNTEERS: Melinda Smith Jenny Quesenberry		
Mini	MINISTRY: Sharon Wheatley Crew 1: Rick Dix Kaleb M				for reference during	g snow time.	
Communion PREPARER: Sharon Wheatley Crews are response the church in ne			Crew 3: Wayne C Eric Len Crews are respons the church in need	Caparoon, Bob Lemi iz sible for a week at a d of snow removal: S dnesday mornings, <sup>-</sup>	ley, Frank Hutchins, time, Saturday-Frid Sunday mornings, fo Tuesday mornings I	, JJ Cole, Tyler Adams, day. Weekly activities at pod pantry on Monday adies Bible study.	
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## CARE

The BCC Missions team is going to highlight a mission each month in our newsletter - November's mission is CARE. CARE stands for Christian Adoption Resources & Education and serves Hancock County. Their mission is to demonstrate the gospel in caring for vulnerable and orphaned children. Their vision is to provide resources, education, and assistance to adoptive and foster families by partnering with local churches, such as BCC, to care for volnerable children in our community.

BCC has been working with CARE to take care of a family in Nauvoo, led by Dianne Balmer. Thank you for all who have helped this family.

Several members of BCC have also volunteered their time at an event at Son Valley Youth Ranch where foster and adoptive parents were treated to a dinner while the volunteers entertained the kids. (photos)

November is a month where we recognize Stand Sunday/Orphan Sunday on November 13th. Let's join together with others and uplift the foster and adoptive communities with our prayers and support.





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Dear Friends,

Thank you for the interest and support you have shown to this ministry in the past and for your continued prayers for our brothers and sisters in Haiti. Now more than ever, they need our help, and we appreciate you so much. As you have probably been hearing on the news, Haiti is in deep distress. Below are some comments and observations from Volner...

"The political situation affects all of Haiti and our people are not exempt as prices for everything have just taken another leap in the sky. Just talking to people on the ground you can feel their pain. Never have I received as many requests for help. Someone who had lost everything due to a kidnapping case last year where not only did they pay the money asked, but ended losing the person that was kidnapped, recently sent a request for \$30.

The gangs are so powerful they currently cut access to the only storage station for fuel. Banks are now open only two or three times a week and for just a few hours when they are open. Dieuner (the person who helps with ministry funds distribution) had to wait for several days after I sent him the money to distribute because the bank in Pignon had a very limited amount per person/per transaction.

Thankfully, no one we know of has been reported with Cholera, but it is present it the country. The water system for both Pouille and Savanette is still working and with the money we send to Haiti, they are still able to purchase what is available to them, even though it is at higher costs. Schools were supposed to be back in session since October 3<sup>rd</sup>, but because of the situation, have been postponed."

## *"I really don't like to write updates like this, but please feel free to share as I am sure people will continue to pray for improvement of the situation." -*Volner

Volner had intended to return to Haiti in November, but was strongly discouraged from doing so by ministry workers in Haiti. Please join us in praying for all those in Haiti who know the Lord, that they will be lights to those around them, and that those causing harm will turn from their destruction.

Serving our Lord together,

Becky Smith, Treasurer

