Announcements ~ May 8, 2016

- To all the Mothers, Grandmothers, Great-Grandmothers and Mothers-to-Be, we wish you a very Happy Mother's Day!
- Pastor Mark will be traveling this evening to Indiana to see his family and help Michele moved for the summer. He will return to the office on Wednesday, May 18. Please pray that he has a safe and enjoyable trip. Uwe Scharf will be our guest speaker on May 15.
- **BIG EVENT!!** A trip to the Holy Land is being considered for February 7-14, 2017. An informational meeting will be held Sunday, May 22, following the worship service for those interested in going.
- West Side's 60th Anniversary celebration committee is currently making plans.
 Committee Members are: Co-chairs Pam Brown & Kim Powell; Members Mary Cornwell, Steve Gray, Debbie Trevino & Frances Wells; Ad-Hoc Members Mark Poindexter & Tom Larson. The kick-off begins on Sunday, June 26th. More details will be forthcoming.
- Olive Branch Cooperative Christian Ministries will host *PENTECOST and POWER IN THE CHURCH* on Sunday, May 15 at 5:00 PM at Portsmouth United Church of Christ, 5900 Portsmouth Blvd. All are invited to attend an evening of community worship. Read more about this event in the May Newsletter and on the bulletin boards,
- Are you a baseball fan? If so, come join us on Tuesday, July 26th at Tides Stadium for **All Faith and Family Night**. The game starts at 7:05 PM and tickets are \$9.00. We must have 25 in attendance to get this discounted price. A sign-up sheet is posted on the bulletin board. All money is due to Christie Wells no later than June 1!
- Have you placed your butterfly symbol on the bulletin board in the Gathering Area? Please put your name, the date or age that you were baptized, and where you were baptized. Butterflies are a symbol of the NEW LIFE that we have in CHRIST when we are baptized.
- Graduation Sunday is fast approaching. If you or someone in your family will
 be a 2016 Graduate from High School, College or Vocational School, please let
 Mary Redmon or Carrie Kelly know so that West Side can celebrate with you. A
 special time during the worship service will be dedicated to honoring those
 graduates followed by a celebration luncheon in in the Fellowship Center. Edna
 Shearin College Scholarships are available to any West Side member planning
 to attend classes this fall.
- 172nd Regional Assembly of the Christian Church (DOC) in Virginia will be June 3-5 in Lynchburg, VA. Those interested in attending may pick up an application form in the church office or register online at www.ccinva.org. Deadline for registration is May 16.

THIS WEEK AT WEST SIDE

Today: May 8

9:00 AM Coffee Fellowship

9:45 AM Church School11:00 AM Worship Hour

• 4:30 PM Youth

Monday: May 9

9:00 AM Preschool &K-5

• 9:00 PM Sanctuary Reserved

(Preschool

Tuesday: May 10

9:00 AM Preschool & K-5

• 7:00 PM Board

Wednesday: May 11

• 9:00 AM Preschool & K-5

• 9:00 AM Sanctuary Reserved

(Preschool)
7:00 PM Choir Practice

Thursday: May 12

9:00 AM Preschool & K-5

Friday: May 13

• 9:00 AM Preschool & K-5

• 9:00 AM Sanctuary Reserved

(Preschool)

Saturday: May 14

• 12:00 PM FC Reserved (Allison)

Sunday: May 15 PENTECOST SUNDAY

• 9:00 AM Coffee Fellowship

• 9:45 AM Church School

• 11:00 AM Worship Hour

4:30 PM Youth

• 5:00 PM OBCCM Community

Worship

<u>OFFERING</u>

Needed for Weekly Budget Expenses \$ 4,054.00

> Received for May 1, 2016 \$ 4,561.41

IN NEED OF PRAYERS

Church Members

Doris Tugwell

Wilma Ingram

Barbara Powell Frances Wells

Wanda Hackler Mary Wyatt

Family & Friends

Maggie Jenson

Metz Family Lisa Horton

Ashley Aughtman

Ruth Kay James M. Grav

Farley Family

David Campbell & Family
Marcie Shea

Joan Newsome

Frances Martin

Blake Brown Bud Hornick

Jean Thompson

Angela Powell

Frankie Hall
Daisha Melchor & family

Eliana Nanni

Stuart & Amy Emerson

Steve, Renee, Twyla & Zoe Mitchell

Billie Warren

Mary Grace Thomas

Kathy & Curtis Nelson Amber Critzer & Family

Shirley Jones

Katrina Hastings

Phil Barnes

Judy Kelly Ruth Ann Gonsalves

Jordan Lahy

Shut In's

Ruth Blackman