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Monthly Newsletter of Shiloh Church

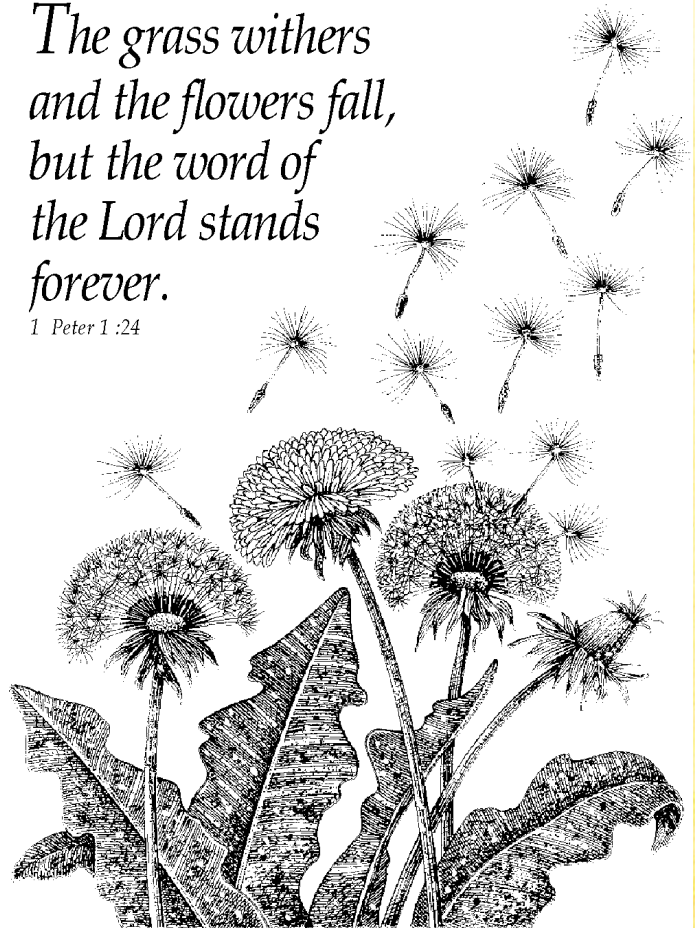
Shiloh Newsletter

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*The grass withers
and the flowers fall,
but the word of
the Lord stands
forever.*

1 Peter 1:24



SHILOH
CHURCH

Overcoming Temptation

Pastor Chuck Whitmire

A man who started a new diet decided he would give up his usual habit of stopping at a particular bakery for a doughnut on his way to work each morning. After several weeks of successful healthy eating, the desire for something sweet began to grow.

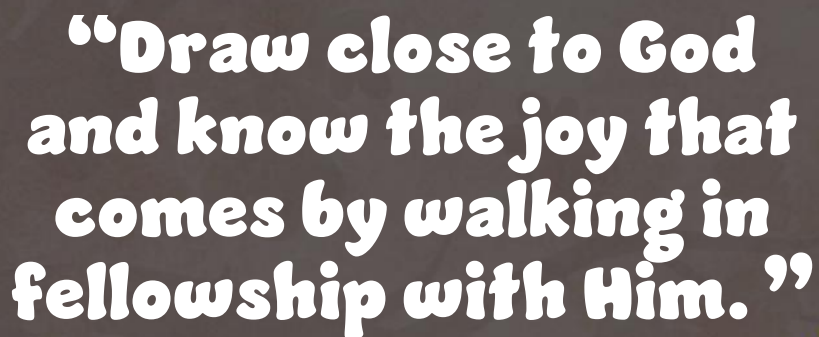
So the following morning he prayed, "God if it is your will for me to have a doughnut this morning, please let there be a parking space open right in front of the bakery." And sure enough, on the eighth time around the block, there was a space available right there in front.

How good are you at overcoming temptation? Do you come away victorious when you are tempted to sin? It is vital that you win these battles because there are much bigger things at stake than doughnuts.

II Corinthians 10:3-6 lets us know that we have spiritual weapons available to fight our spiritual battles.

When we sin, we give Satan a stronghold in our life. That is a place where he has a way to defeat us and grieve the spirit of God. Unconfessed sin disrupts our closeness of relationship with God (James 4:4-5) and hinders our communication with Him. (Psalm 66:16-19).

II Corinthians 3:5 tells us that we must submit to God by "bringing every thought into captivity to the obedience of Christ". The battle is fought in the mind. Set your heart upon God and you can find victory over sin. (James 4:7).



**“Draw close to God
and know the joy that
comes by walking in
fellowship with Him.”**

Mission News

Mission Board email: missions@shilohcu.org -- Treasurer email: ohioshilohmissions@gmail.com

MISSION BOARD MEMBERS

Lisa Barrett - Linda Studer - Ashley Foster - Sheri Kessler - Angie McWatters - Cameron Tilkins

- If you would like to make a financial gift, direct your giving to our Missions Treasurer, Linda Studer. Make checks payable to Shiloh Missions.
- There is a giving box in the back of the sanctuary where you can place your monthly missions giving. This offering helps us meet our commitment to support designated missionaries and organizations each month.

Operation Christmas Child SHOEBOX COLLECTION "GO BOXES"



VOLUNTEER WORK TEAM

Remember to pray for the work team going to Schroon Lake, NY

October 12-18. See Phil Roseman ASAP if you are interested in going. There will be another team going Jan 11-17, 2026

MONTHLY QUARTER COLLECTION

Quarters are collected on the third Sunday of each month for a specific need, you may place your quarters in the large Quarter in the foyer that day. Quarter containers are on the Mission Display Table.

Preparing to Serve...from Shiloh

Arianna Nonnenmacher -WOL South Africa
January 2026
Tim Kessler -WOL South Korea
June 28-July 12, 2026
Marion & Sheri Kessler -WOL Montenegro
June 28-July 12, 2026

Continuing to serve....

Jessica McWatters -Black Forest Academy
-Germany
Rachel Whitmire -ETHNOS360
-Sanford, Florida
Bryan Flory -FCA Field Ambassador
Phil Roseman -WOL Nat'l Volunteer
Program Advocate

Once again this year, Shiloh will be participating with Operation Christmas Child in providing a shoebox of gifts for millions of children around the world. OCC has been a program of Samaritan's Purse since 1993 and in 2024, 11.9 million boxes were distributed. These shoeboxes are called Gospel Opportunity or "GO" boxes because at each box distribution, the children are presented with the gospel message and are offered a twelve week discipleship class as well. There are many stories of children sharing the good news with their families, friends, schoolmates and even entire villages.

There are several ways you can be involved if you'd like to participate. First, pack a box...or several! If packing a box isn't your thing, you can help by donating funds to help with the \$10 per box shipping costs. (mark your check or envelope for OCC) If you're a bargain-hunting shopper or crafter, you can donate items to our display table where packers are welcome to select some items to help fill up their boxes. One change to note this year when packing is that bars of soap will no longer be allowed.

The GO boxes will be available for pickup in the foyer by the missions table starting on Sunday, October 19 and our collection Sunday will be November 16. You are not required to use the supplied boxes. Regular shoeboxes or shoebox sized plastic containers are also welcomed. If you need some packing ideas, there will be lists on the table with suggestions. If you have any questions, please contact Linda Studer or any other member of the mission board.

Church Directory Picture Update

It time to update pictures for our Church Directory. You do not have to buy anything, we just need your picture. Pictures will be taken on the four Sundays in October.

They will be taken in the room across from the restrooms in the Office hallway...before and after the 8:30 AM service...and before the 11:00 AM service (not afterwards).



AMERICAN
HERITAGE GIRLS™
FAITH | SERVICE | FUN

American Heritage Girls was founded by a group of parents wanting a faith-based, scout-type character development program for their daughters in 1995. The AHG Program is dedicated to the mission of building women of integrity through service to God, family, community and country. AHG girls across the nation and the globe participate in badge programs, service projects, leadership opportunities and outdoor experiences, all with an emphasis on Christian values and family involvement.

AHG meets here at Shiloh on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month for girls ages 5-18 @6:15 pm.



Trail Life

Trail Life USA partners with churches and parents across America is the premier national character development organization for young men which produces generations of godly and responsible husbands, fathers and citizens.

TL meets here at Shiloh on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month for boys ages 5-18 @6:15

TRAIL LIFE FUNDRAISER

The Trail Life Troop is selling Trail Mix for \$15.00 a bag. There is a flyer on the bulletin board with more information on how to get an order. You can contact, Cameron & Melissa Tilkin, Kevin Cordle, Becky Davis or Pastor Jeff Davis. This is the only fundraiser they will be doing this year, so let's help them out.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT CLASSES

SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE

- **Nursery** – upstairs Room # 4
- **Cubby Club** – 2's & 3's downstairs – Room # 23
- **Gopher Buddies** – 4-K downstairs – Room # 22
- **Olympian Club** -Grades 1-6
Opening in Sanctuary
- **Jr & Sr High** - downstairs – Room #25
- **Adult classes:**
 - Ladies Bible Study*
Upstairs Room # 5
 - Inductive Bible Study*
Upstairs Room # 6
Men & Women
 - Adult Choir*
Church Sanctuary
Men & Women.

All Youth Classes –6:45 – 8:15 Pm

Adult Classes – 7:00 -8:00 Pm

OCTOBER IS PASTOR APPRECIATION MONTH

TAKE TIME TO EXPRESS YOUR APPRECIATION TO OUR PASTORS



Pastor Chuck Whitmire



Pastor Jeff Davis



Pastor Eric Kabwata

October Music Schedule

October 5th

Song Leader.....Kent Vandock
PianistArla Fry
OrganistKerry Vandock

October 12th

Song Leader.....Kent Vandock
PianistArla Fry
OrganistJennifer Bonner
SpecialKent Vandock

October 19th

Song Leader.....Kent Vandock
PianistArla Fry
OrganistKerry Vandock

October 26th

Song Leader.....Kent Vandock
PianistArla Fry
OrganistJennifer Bonner
SpecialDan Nowowiejski



Children's Christmas Program Practice

If you are in Grades 1-6 we invite you to participate in our Children's Christmas Program that will be held on Dec. 14th in both services.

**Practice will begin October 19th
in Room # 10 -- 8:50-9:35 AM**



October 21st - 2:00 PM

Shiloh Family Life Center

(Elderberries is for ladies who have lost a spouse)

Theme: Fall Fun - Friendship

CRAFT SALE

Kristi Limpach, Carolyn Stilwill & Arla Fry are organizing a Craft Sale to be held on November 8th in the Shiloh Family Life Center. Proceeds from table rentals will go to Sparrow's Nest in Toledo.

- Help is needed to distribute flyers 2-3 weeks before November 8th in Whitehouse, Waterville and/or Delta.
- Clean up on November 8th (take out trash, sweep, load cars, empty coolers).
- Tear down (tables and chairs)
- Two kitchen helpers to help with serving, dishes and cleaning up the day of the craft show.
- Contact Kristi Limpach @ 419-533-0889 for more information.



**Calling all women,
join us for a time together in God's Word
Geared toward post-high school and up.
Lite snacks provided.**

October 6th

7:00-8:00 PM

**In the Shiloh Family Life Center
Guest Speaker: Regina Babcock**

Church Contact Information

Chuck Whitmire --Senior Pastor
Jeff Davis --Associate Pastor
Eric Kabwata --Associate Pastor
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October 2025



SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
			1 8:00 AM-MEN'S BIBLE STUDY- LC CAFÉ 6:30 PM-TEENS -MEAL AND OPEN GYM 6:45-8:15 PM-YOUTH CLUBS 7:00 PM-ADULT CLASSES/CHOIR	2	3	4
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