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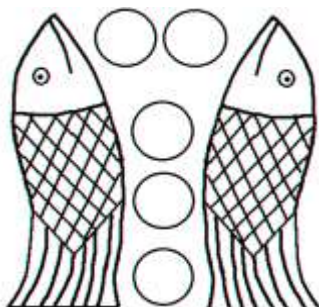
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UPCOMING EVENTS FOR COLUMBUS KOINONIA

Jun 13 CK Picnic & Business meeting @Sharon Woods park @ 3 pm
Aug 8 CK Reunion @Beth Messiah @ 6:30
Sep 12 CK Reunion @Brice United Methodist @ 6:30
Oct 10 CK 120 Support party @1st Presbyterian of Lancaster
Oct 16-18 CK 120 weekend @Geneva Hills
Nov 14 CK Reunion – Square Dance @Trinity Family Life
Dec 12 CK Christmas party @Gethsemane United Methodist

In Remembrance of Glenn L. Messerknecht Sr.

Our Lord and Savior has called another of our warriors Home!! Our brother, Glenn Messerknecht has received his final marching orders He's gone HOME!!

Glenn and Esther have faithfully served Columbus Koinonia since they went through CK 25. They served on teams in the early years of Zanesville Koinonia. We will always remember Glenn and his washtub bass, and Esther with her tea kettle whistling at the serenades! They have brought us much joy through the years, and we will miss Glenn.

Glenn L. Messerknecht Sr., 76, died April 23, 2009 at Sunbridge Homestead in Lancaster. Born December 31, 1932, served in United States Navy as a Fire Fighter at Port Columbus 1950-1952. Glenn would joke how he joined the Navy to see the world and yet never leave Columbus. He worked as a Mold Maker at Federal Glass in Columbus for 26 years also at Anchor Hocking in both Plants 1 & 2. As a Pastor in Healing Light Ministry, Glenn witnessed many miracles. He helped to facilitate Bible Studies and Team Meetings in many Columbus Koinonia weekends. An active member of Lancaster Community Church, Glenn played a mean washtub bass in the Olivedale Kitchen Band entertaining anyone who happened to be nearby. He is survived by his wife, Esther Roloson of 55 years; children, Sherry (Bruce) Gaible of Houston, Texas, Glenn Jr. of Lancaster, Dianna (Dave) Williams of Baltimore, Oh., Joan Ogle of Ft. Mitchell, Ky., Donna (Tony) Wilder of Hamilton, Oh.; ten grandchildren; two great-grandchildren.; sister Harriet Young Thompson of Fla. preceded in death by his parents Carl and Estella Messerknecht and Carl his brother. In honor of Glenn's wishes, his body has been donated to OSU Cell Lab.

WELCOME OUR NEW KOINONIANS (CK 119)

Wayne Altman
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Pataskala, Ohio 43062-7441

Patricia Warren
104 Tishman St
Columbus, Ohio 43228-3713

Gloria Watkins
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43211-1258

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6876 Polpis Rd
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5272 Outville Rd
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Penny Cloud
4579 Sandy Lane Rd
Columbus, Ohio
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Vaughn & Pamela Cook
5136 Avalon Ave
Columbus, Ohio 43229-4726

Phillip & Felicia Dukes
3305 Towers Ct. S
Columbus, Ohio 43227

Kristi Nestor
6460 Blacks Rd SW
Pataskala, Ohio
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1983 Queensbridge Dr
Columbus, Ohio 43235

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Pickerington, Ohio
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Janey Brentlinger
22 N. Burgess
Columbus, Ohio 43204

We are always seeking Hosts & Locations/Churches to hold CK reunions. Please let us know if there is a church or meeting place that can be used. Please contact Wayne Johnson at 614-890-4147 or you can Email him at www.ColumbusKoinonia.com and click on contact us, then click on his name.

The **June CK Reunion/Business meeting** will be held June 13th at Sharon Woods Metro Park. The park is easy to find a short distance from I-270. Plan to come early, around 3:00 pm, we eat at 4:00 pm with the business meeting afterwards. In addition to a wonderful picnic with great food & fellowship, some Koinonia business, there will also be nature hiking, fishing, swings, and other great past times. Please bring your meat to cook (grills are available) and a side dish to share. See you there !!.

The following nominations have been made by the nominating committee for the **2009/2010 CK Continuance Board** for the positions indicated:

Warden Coordinator: Lenny Bisutti
Facilities: James Strausbaugh
Pre K: Peg Antle
Communications: Gena Porter

Thank you to everyone having nominated someone for a Board position. We prayerfully considered every nomination submitted. Thank You to those having completed their time of serving as Board members. God Bless them as they go on serving Our Lord Jesus Christ in other ways.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Now is the time to be talking to people you would like to send through a CK weekend. Oct will be upon us before we know it. Start passing out those applications like autumn leaves and watch them bloom into active participants for our weekend. It is not too early, so start talking to your friends, co-workers, neighbors, church family even your pastor about coming to experience Gods love - to become so saturated in HIs love during the weekend. With the way things are - what a way to just escape from it all.

Shirley Riser Pre K Coordinator

We will have T-shirts, ball caps, and Tote bags available with the Koinonia emblem on them. Look for them at reunions and Support Party.

See Jim Litt for details. (614) 837-7991

Directions to CK June Reunion/Business meeting

Sharon Woods Metro park

6911 S Cleveland Ave
Westerville, OH 43081
(614) 685-6225



From I-270, Take the Cleveland Ave exit and go North. You will crossover Schrock Road (state route 710). You will see the Main entrance to Sharon Woods on the left. Enter the main entrance and drive through the park we will have a sign posted – Koinonia location.