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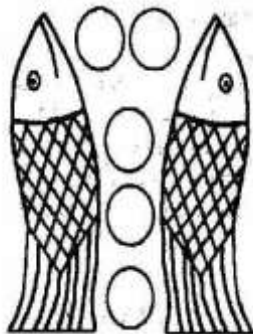
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**[See our website for events, applications, and other information]**

**RETURN ADDRESS REQUESTED**



## UPCOMING EVENTS FOR COLUMBUS KOINONIA

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| Sept. 3    | CK Board Meeting @ 6:30 p.m. Please pray for the Board at this time!  |
| Sept. 12   | CK Reunion - First Love Community Church @ 6:30 p.m. Bring a snack and a beverage to share. ** NOTE LOCATION CHANGE *** |
| Oct. 10    | CK 120 Support party @ First Presbyterian in 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  |

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

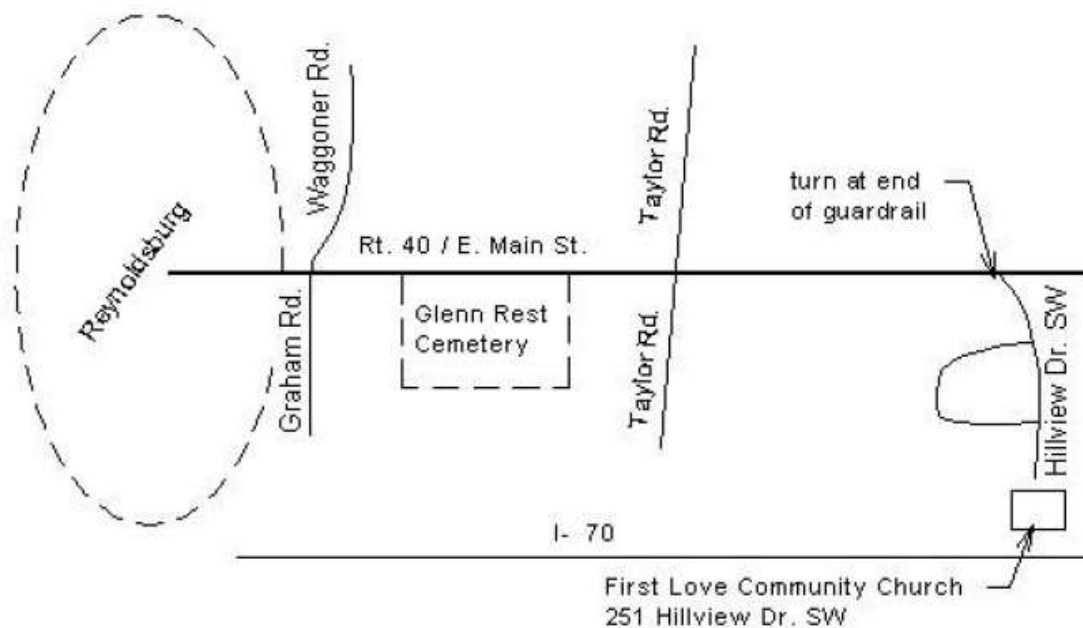
October is fast approaching, so please get your applications in for CK-120 participants! A copy of the application form is attached to the end of this newsletter.

We currently publish a monthly newsletter via email, and mail out paper newsletters on a quarterly basis. Our next paper newsletter will be published in October (right before our CK-120 weekend). Because the annual cost of our nonprofit bulk rate permit at the post office has increased, the Board has decided to try to reduce the number of paper newsletters we mail out, and just mail the paper newsletters using regular postage stamps. This will help eliminate the delays many have experienced in receiving their newsletter via the mail. For those of you who have friends who still receive the paper version of our newsletter, please encourage them to send us their email address, which can be emailed directly to [gmdunham@embarqmail.com](mailto:gmdunham@embarqmail.com). This will help us be better stewards of the money God has given us to use for this ministry.

Also, after each paper mailing of this newsletter, we receive many newsletters back from the Post Office marked as undeliverable. We place these names on an unknown address list until we receive updates. If you have a Koinonian friend who has moved and is no longer receiving a newsletter, please have them email updates to [gmdunham@embarqmail.com](mailto:gmdunham@embarqmail.com), so we can correct their address. If they do not have access to email, they can call Gena Porter at 614-833-1188 with updates.

## Directions to September 2009 Reunion at First Love Community Church:

251 Hillview Drive SW  
Pataskala, OH 43062  
(740) 927-1568



From I-270 and US-40 (on the east side of Columbus) take US-40 (Main Street) east through Reynoldsburg about 5 miles; turn right on Hillview Drive; go about 0.3 miles to 251 Hillview Drive.

From OH-310 and US-40 go west about 3.6 miles; turn left on Hillview Drive; go about 0.3 miles to 251 Hillview Drive.

## THE KOINONIA WEEKEND APPLICATION FOR PARTICIPATION.

In Greek, **Koinonia** (koin-o-nee-a) means a fellowship. The Koinonia weekend is that --for it brings together people from different communities for a learning, sharing, and inspirational experience in Christian living.

The Koinonia weekend is many things, but most of all, it is an experience to be lived.

The weekend is one filled with joy-much informal conversation, much singing, a lot of joking and laughing. Within the forty hours of the weekend, complete strangers at the beginning become a Christian community.

The basic theme of the Koinonia weekend is a short course in Christianity. The weekend is structured around a series of nine talks. The talks cover such topics as God's Grace, Study, Action and other subjects relevant to laypersons. After each talk there is time to discuss the talk within a small group. The talks provide thoughts for discussion and guidelines for Christian living beyond the weekend.

For more information: Check out our website: [www.columbuskoinonia.com](http://www.columbuskoinonia.com) or,  
To participate in a Koinonia Weekend, mail this application to the address below:  
Peg Antle, Pre-K Coordinator, 2035 Baldwin Road, Reynoldsburg, OH 43068  
or, call her at (614) 864-7605.

### KOINONIA STATEMENT OF FAITH

**We believe** the Bible to be the inspired, the only infallible, authoritative Word of God.

**We believe** that there is one God, eternally existent in three persons; Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

**We believe** in the deity of our Lord Jesus Christ, in His virgin birth, in His sinless life, in His miracles, in His vicarious and atoning death through His shed blood, in His bodily resurrection, in His ascension to the right hand of the Father, and in His personal return in power and glory.

**We believe** in the spiritual unity of believers in our Lord Jesus Christ.

**We believe** in the present ministry of the Holy Spirit by Whose indwelling the Christian is enabled to live a Godly life.

If you are interested in attending a Koinonia weekend, please completely fill out the following application and return it to the address printed above. You may use the same form for up to two people.

The cost of the weekend is \$40 per person. Please remit payment in full with this application.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Nickname \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
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Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Marital Status \_\_\_\_\_ Church Affiliation \_\_\_\_\_  
Age and sex of any children \_\_\_\_\_  
Special diet or needs? \_\_\_\_\_  
General Physical Condition (or are there any other special needs?) \_\_\_\_\_  
Play an instrument? (If so, what?) \_\_\_\_\_ Are you a church ordained clergy? Yes or No  
Comments \_\_\_\_\_  
In case of emergency notify: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_  
Applicants Signature(s) X \_\_\_\_\_ X \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone #:(\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Sponsor's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #:(\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Sponsor's Comments \_\_\_\_\_