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# THE CHIMES

Starkdale Evangelical Presbyterian Church  
April 2016 Newsletter



*Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; the old has gone, the new has come.*

*2 Corinthians 5:17*

## THE PASTOR'S PAGE

Dear Starkdale Members and Friends,

Spring is sprung but our work is never done. There is a healthy busyness to the happenings at Starkdale. The various departments are humming along like busy bees, each doing their part to make our hive whole.

Easter-week events involved a lot of preparations which were done with joy and skill and were clearly received by our congregation through their participation.

Matters are already coming together for the summer Vacation Bible School. Not only has the material been carefully chosen but also our staff is stellar. You will find detailed information in this month's issue of the Chimes.

The Bible studies are continued both on Tuesdays at 10:00 am in Revelation and on Wednesdays at 6:00 pm in the Psalms. It's never too late to get started.

Again, I want to thank you for your evident desire to know the Word of God. In these days of entertainment worship you are precious in the sight of the Lord!

Rev. Paul Danielson

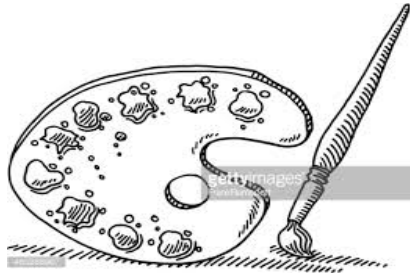
## OUTREACH COMMITTEE ANNOUNCEMENT

The Starkdale Outreach Committee rounded up a team of people to challenge local area groups in a Trivia competition fundraiser, sponsored by The Kiwanis Club of Steubenville. We are happy to announce that Starkdale came in 6th place out of 18. They even beat the Steubenville City School Brainiacs! The team was organized by George Allan. Team members were: Steve and Felecia Elliott, Scott Murison, John and Miranda Parkinson, Jerry and Joyce Palmer, Ted and Janice Whitaker, and Gary Wickham. Moving on up! Looking forward to 2017.

Congratulations!!

Team Name	Guess	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Total
Barnesville	750	80	80	65	90	50	45	100	90	60	80	740
Baron the Truth	800	90	80	55	70	50	60	95	80	65	80	725
Catholic Central High School		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Deep Friars	650	80	60	60	70	45	80	65	40	80	60	640
Hindman Family Companies	760	40	70	55	80	60	50	70	50	75	70	620
B.O.H.I.C.A.s	830	100	90	45	95	90	60	80	80	45	70	755
Legal Hair	750	70	80	45	100	80	50	90	80	70	80	745
Make a FUS	820	70	60	65	80	50	55	75	80	60	70	665
Plain White T's	810	80	80	70	100	70	50	100	90	50	70	760
Pride of the Red Knights from T-Town	800	100	90	45	80	60	20	80	60	35	60	630
Starkdale Presbyterian	780	100	80	50	90	70	35	50	60	55	80	670
Steubenville High School	560	50	40	55	65	70	35	75	70	60	20	540
Weir High Quiz Bowl	750	80	80	55	60	30	25	90	100	50	50	620
WesBanco Bank	550	40	40	40	40	80	35	80	70	40	30	495
Wintersville United Methodist Church	650	90	80	45	100	40	30	40	60	45	30	560
Wesminster Presbyterian Church	700	50	60	65	85	60	25	80	100	35	50	610
Greek Gods and Goddesses	600	30	40	45	80	50	35	85	60	55	50	530
Eastern Gateway Community College		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Steubenville City Schools Brainiacs	600	90	80	45	90	50	10	80	80	80	60	665
Trinity Health Care (Donation)		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Walmart Dist Ctr (Donation)		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0





## VBS

Saturday, April 30th

9:00 AM-12:00 Noon

Fellowship Hall

Join the VBS staff for coffee, doughnuts, fellowship and making some basic VBS decorations. No craft skills necessary. Craft making will include cutting, gluing, putting together basic materials -nothing too difficult! If you have a hot glue gun, please bring it with you.

If you have any questions, contact Kelly Dopp, VBS Director.

**CRAFT MAKING**

## ELKHORN VALLEY 2016

### SUMMER CAMP

Elkhorn Valley Christian Service Camp exists to train Christians how to live a godly life in an ungodly world. Early/discounted registration has started. Please contact the Starkdale Presbyterian Women moderators, Janet Stukins or Janice Whitaker for more information. You may also contact the camp directly: [www.elkhornvalley.com](http://www.elkhornvalley.com) or call 740-768-2148. Sign up by April 13th to receive the discount!



### *Dreaming of Summer*

*I'm dreaming of warm sandy beaches.  
I'm dreaming of days by the pool.  
I'm dreaming of fun in the afternoon sun,  
and week after week of no school*

*By: Kenn Nesbit*

**CUB SCOUTS EARN  
GOD AND COUNTRY BADGE  
CUB SCOUT PACK 415**



I was blessed beyond measure to speak to the Cub Scout Pack 415 at Starkdale Church for their God and Country badge. I spoke about what Christianity was as well as some of the programs and teachings of our church. The boys were firing questions at me left and right for 25 minutes after my talk was done. They were really interested in learning more about the church and the Christian faith. I was blown away at the fascinating questions these young boys asked. It was a great night.

Pastor Bobbyjon Bauman

**APRIL LEADERSHIP DUTIES**

**Nursery Assistants**

- 3 Lisa Busy
- 10 Lynn Mikesell
- 17 David or Andrew Kinney
- 24 Mary Louise Morgan

**Deacons**

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **Rev. Dr. Philip Makari, Pastor Emeritus**

**Somerset Interim Pastor position:** Rev. Dr. Philip Makari, our Pastor Emeritus, has reported on Thursday, March 24 that his call to be the Interim Pastor of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church of Somerset, PA, did not work out. Both, he and Vickey are at peace with that especially after they had been praying for God's will for them and for St. Paul's church.

**Revelation Studies:** Due to Rev. and Mrs. Makari's plans to do some travelling during the first three weeks of the month of April, Rev. Paul Danielson and Rev. Tom Bullard will be coordinating the Revelation Bible Study on Tuesdays (April 5, 12, and 19).

**Grunewald Memorial Service:** Please remember that the memorial service for Ruth Grunewald, a former active member of Starkdale, will be held at Starkdale on Saturday, April 23, at 11:30 AM. Immediately following the service there will be a luncheon and a time of fellowship with Ruth's family, then the committal of the ashes at Union Cemetery.

### A MESSAGE FROM PASTOR BOBBYJON BAUMAN

It has been a busy month of ministry. Some exciting events included the Abigail's Angels fundraiser Concert, with 250 in attendance. Over \$5,500, was collected and donated to the RDH12 Fund for Sight. A *Teen Depression, Self-Injury and Suicide* night at Starkdale, featuring Lisa Ward of the Coleman Counseling Services was well-attended. It has also been a blessing to see many of our youth outside of the normal youth ministry times at the FCA clubs and other sporting events. I also spoke to 25 Cub Scouts from Pack 415, and their parents, about Christianity and the Presbyterian Church.

### UPCOMING EVENTS

April 3 **Storyteller's Night** featuring four dynamic testimonies including: Mike Mathison of the Herald Star and Weir Sports Radio, Susan Clegg, Christian Bass of Big Red HS, and Sam Williams of Christ the King Church. The evening will run from 6:00-7:30 P.M.

April 7 **Holy Grounds Café Concert** featuring the Allegheny Angels, with an open mic time from 7:00-8:00 PM. The Angels will play from 8:00-9:20 PM. It is a free-will offering event, and all money earned will go to benefit the Abigail's Angels RDH12 Fund for Sight. The concert will be in Martin's Ferry.

April 10 **All Valley Youth Rally** featuring the Dynamic speaker, Sean Ganoe. It will take place from 4:00-6:00 PM, at the Center Court of the Fort Steuben Mall and will feature the Allegheny Angels, and many other dynamic youth acts.

April 17 **God's Not Dead 2, movie outing @ Carmike Theatre** in Steubenville. Leave at 3:30 and return at 6:30 PM

April 21 **Allegheny Angels Concert @ the Holy Grounds Café** in Martin's Ferry from 7:00-9:00 PM. A free-will offering will be taken to go toward the Abigail's Angels Fund for Sight.

May 7 **iServe Day of Service** Urban Mission from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM



*Please join us:*

**SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP SERVICES**

**8:30 and 11:00 A.M.**

*Nursery Provided*

*Children's Church during 11:00 A.M. service*

**SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES FOR ALL AGES**

**9:30 A.M.**

**COMMUNION SERVICES**

*Monthly-Every Second Sunday at*

**8:30 and 11:00 A.M. Worship Services**

**KIDS ROCK MINISTRY**

*Sunday Evenings 6:00-7:15 P.M.*

*It is a group for children grades K-6 to join in activities and learn about the Bible.*

**STARKDALE YOUTH MINISTRY**

*Sunday evenings 6:00 –7:15 P.M.*

*(unless otherwise noted for special events)*

**TUESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY**

**10:00 A.M.**

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY**

**6:00 P.M.**



Dear Starkdale Family,

We would like to thank you for the outpouring of love the congregation showed us during Ed's hospital stay and recuperation. The cards, phone calls, emails, text messages and meals meant so much to us. Most importantly, the prayers are what saw us through and will continue to sustain us. Thank you and may God bless you for your faithfulness.

Much love,  
Ed, Laura and Olivia Chanoski

Dear Starkdale Church Family,

It was wonderful to be able to return to worship services and a Worship Committee meeting in early March. I know that my recovery from bypass surgery and two other hospital stays was due to the prayers of the Starkdale congregation and others from all over the country. I thank everyone who prayed for me and sent cards and messages of encouragement. Without them I would not have survived. My faith has been deepened by this experience. Blessings.

Thank you,  
Dale Biesecker

Dear Church Family:

We want to thank you so much for everything you did in honor of Tony Morelli. It was deeply appreciated! Thank you, thank you.

Our Love,  
Jean Morelli,  
Todd and Donna, Tony and Colleen



## APRIL BIRTHDAYS

- |                    |                      |
|--------------------|----------------------|
| 1 Beverly Mayhew   | 11 Mason Gambos      |
| 2 Eleanor Hewitt   | 12 Aaron Ferguson    |
| 3 Bob Sagrilla     | 14 Jaclynn Stewart   |
| 4 Suzanne Brown    | 14 Debra Grimm       |
| 6 Paul Busby II    | 18 Valorie Weaver    |
| 7 Joseph Grecco    | 20 Susan Eft         |
| 7 Grant Murison    | 25 Carl Grimm        |
| 7 Mary Jane Ritson | 26 Cindy Wilson      |
| 8 Lindsay Busby    | 30 Daniel Hayes      |
| 10 Helen Reed      | 30 Dianna Vandeborne |

## APRIL ANNIVERSARIES

- 17 Tom & Pam Peterson  
 27 Gary & Rona Harper  
 28 John & Rhonda Clevenger  
 29 Tom and Suzanne Brown  
 30 Brandon & Aimee Pendleton

*Happy Anniversary*

## ABIGAIL'S ANGELS BENEFIT CONCERT MARCH 13th

All I can say is wow!!! God was in the house at Starkdale Church for the Abigail's Angels benefit concert! I cannot adequately describe how powerful the evening was as the talent was outstanding! They all sang beautifully, and most importantly, they gave all the glory to God and sang their hearts out for a great cause. Donations in the amount \$5,500 were raised and donated to the RDH12 Fund For Sight.  
 Pastor Byjon Bauman



**Lori and Abigail Kinney  
with Julia Kramer WTOV 9, Emcee**



**Concert Performers**



*1 Thessalonians 5:11*

*Therefore comfort yourselves together, and edify one another, even as also ye do.*

*Our deepest sympathy and prayers are extended to family and friends, in the death of CarolynLee Barrett, on Sunday, March 6, 2016.*

#### FLOCK TALK

We are looking for your news. If you would like to share something special, please submit to the church office.

Thank you.



### Thank You

Dear Starkdale Presbyterian Church,

Thank you for everything that you have done to make our Winter Carnival a success. We hope that you will rejoice and thank God with us as we celebrate raising \$10,134.00! We are so blessed at Jefferson County Christian School to have your friendship and support!

We pray that God will bless you  
As much as you've blessed us  
We thank Him for your gifts,  
Shared from a heart of love  
We pray that God would touch you  
In a very special way  
And fill you more with His love,  
Each and every day.

*By: M.S. Lowndes*

Thank you so much,  
Diane Hutchison



**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**  
**BARNYARD ROUNDUP**  
**Jesus Gathers Us Together**



**JUNE 6-10**  
**9:00 AM - 12:15 PM**

Mark your calendars for this very exciting week of fun, Bible stories, music, crafts, games, and snacks. Registration forms are available in the narthex and church office. Pre-registration would be very helpful in ordering crafts and for a smooth registration the first day of VBS.

*April is National Child Abuse Prevention Month*



**OUTREACH COMMITTEE**

April is Child Abuse Prevention month, and the Outreach Committee will once again place a Pinwheel of Hope tree in our Narthex. The charitable organizations which we will be supporting this year are Big Brothers Big Sisters and Hope 68.

Big Brothers Big Sisters implements one-to-one mentoring, in which a child (age 6-18) who is facing adversity is carefully matched with a caring adult mentor. Mentors help children achieve success in school, avoid risky behaviors such as getting into fights and trying drugs and alcohol, and help them improve their self-confidence.

Suggested items: Gift cards to fast food restaurants, Sincerely Yogurt, Cinema, Miniature Golf and Laser Tag (in Mall); School Supplies; Socks/Underwear; Backpacks; Headphones; Monthly Membership to YMCA.

Hope 68 exists to help those children who, for the 68 hours of the weekend, may not have enough food. Hope 68 provides food for West and East Elementary schools, as well as Harding, until the end of this school year. It costs \$2000 per week to feed these children every Friday. They are in need of donations to continue this project through the rest of the school year. Non-perishable food items and monetary donations are accepted.

Suggested items: Fruit Cups, Pudding Cups, Pop Tarts, Packaged Crackers, Juice Boxes, Cereal Bars, Fruit Snacks, Trail Mix, Packaged Cookies.

Please consider taking a pinwheel from the tree and purchase the item that has been placed on the tag. Simply bring the item back to the Narthex and place your item under the tree sometime during the month of April. We will then take the items to the charitable organizations.

Most of all, please remember these children in your prayers.



# April 2016



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Thu

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Sat

					1	2 9 am <i>Quilters InC (Fh)</i>
3 <b>2nd Sunday of Easter</b> 6 pm SYM 6 pm Kid's Rock	4 6:00 pm Property Committee Mtg. 6:15 pm Cub Scouts 7:00 pm Worship Mtg.	5 10 am Bible Study 10 am Christian Education Meeting 6 pm Dart Baseball	6 5 pm Women's Prayer 6 pm PSC 6 pm Bible Study 7:15 pm Choir Rehearsal	7	8	9 1-5 pm Wedding Shower (Fh) Rental
10 <b>3rd Sunday of Easter Communion</b> 4-6 pm SYM <u>NO KIDS ROCK</u>	11 6:15 pm Cub Scouts 6:30 pm Administra- tion Com. Mtg. 7:30 pm Boy Scouts	12 10 am Bible Study 6 pm Dart Baseball	13 6 pm PSC 6 pm Bible Study 7:15 pm Choir Rehearsal	14 9 am Soup Kitchen 6 pm Session Mtg.	15	16 3:30 pm Baby Shower (Fh)
17 <b>4th Sunday of Easter</b> 1:15 Carriage House 3:30-6:30 pm SYM <u>NO KIDS ROCK</u>	18 6:15 pm Cub Scouts 7:30 pm Boy Scouts	19 10 am Bible Study 6 pm Dart Baseball	20 5 pm Nurse Alumni (Fh) 6 pm PSC 6 pm Bible Study 7:15 pm Choir Rehearsal	21 6-7 pm VBS Workers Meeting	22	23 11:30 am Ruth Grunewald Memorial Service and Luncheon
24 <b>5th Sunday of Easter</b> 6 pm SYM 6 pm Kid's Rock	25 6:15 pm Cub Scouts 6:30 pm Outreach Mtg. 7:30 pm Boy Scouts	26 10 am Bible Study 6 pm Dart Baseball	27 6 pm PSC 6 pm Bible Study 7:15 pm Choir Rehearsal	28	29	30 9-12 am VBS Decoration/craft making