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THE CHIMES

October 2013

Starkdale Evangelical Presbyterian Church Newsletter

“18th ANNUAL STARKDALE HYMNFEST”

October 6 AT 7 P.M.

The Four
Friends

Hymns



The Friends Choir

Tom Graham
Steve Carroll

Morris Knabenshue

On a High Note



Splendid Sound

The Starkdale Choir

SYM PRAISE TEAM

Contemporary Praise



The Hymnfest will be held in the Sanctuary of Starkdale Presbyterian Church. All are welcome! Please take advantage of the additional parking at the upper Riesbeck's parking lot if needed. Refreshments will be served following the Hymnfest. More information on page 13.



Dear Starkdale family,
Many of us live as if life has a predictable pattern, a familiar route to follow, a routine that cannot be changed, a direction that is somewhat simple and recognizable. But recent events, whether local, national, or global, have shown us that nothing could be farther from the truth. A sudden flood, a hate-crime shooting, an international threat, a government's decision, a loss of a job, a doctor's disappointing report, a death in the family, to name a few, can alter one's life for good, and often without the ability to cope with or at least find a way to deal with the situation. This can be very frustrating and frightening. No one is ever prepared for sudden crisis, unbearable tragedies, or any changes in life's normal course. As you may already know and have experienced, we do not grow weak, discouraged and lonely for no reason.

But what should we do when any of this happens? Please note that I said "when", not "if". Sooner or later we all will travel such an unpleasant road of life. Many of us are already on that road. Thankfully, we (those of us who are in Christ) know that the end of the journey is in our favor.

Some, when faced with crisis, simply **hide**. They create for themselves cocoons in which to live. They cut themselves off from relationships and interests used to bring them fulfillment. I know a man, who was so outgoing and so deep into being "a people person," fun-lover, and full of life. When his

wife died, no one could find out where he has moved, why he doesn't return calls, or even the slightest information of what had happened to him.

Others rush to elements they believe may help them **be absent** from it all such as alcohol and drugs. A good number of those have ruined their lives through substance abuse thinking that it would make them escape the pain of their tragedy. In the process, they ended having to deal with greater pains and more frustrating physical conditions.

Still others **retaliate or try to get even**. They become forever angry with God, jealous and resentful of others who do not share their plot in life. They refuse to believe that there is more to life than what they are enduring at the moment. So they settle for a bitter life of doom and gloom.

No doubt, and as I have mentioned earlier, we, who believe in the only Savior who is bigger than life and in the only Lord who has authority over life's storms, know better how to cope with and adjust to the worst that can happen to us.

We have a direct **PRAYER LINE** that instantly connects us with the true living God. We are encouraged to come to him in faith and seek him as our refuge and strength. We are taught in his Word to never underestimate the power of prayer. Prayer is oxygen for the soul, the most effective weapon by which to frustrate all the darts of Satan, the most dynamic procedure of resuscitating the brokenhearted, and the most comforting reminder that help is on the way.

DON'T FORGET!

The worship schedule returns to two services beginning

October 6 -

Worship 8:30 and 11 A.M.

Sunday School 9:35 A.M. for all ages.

IN THE LIBRARY:

Please don't overlook the valuable resources in the Starkdale Church Library. There are many great books for you to borrow for enjoyment, theological lessons, how-to, and general encouragement. Also, you may view the "antique" offering plate that was donated to Starkdale on the event of our 60th anniversary.

STARKDALE HISTORY LESSON:

The Official Register of Members of the Starkdale Church is a very interesting historical document to browse through. At the passing of Cliff Allan, I was curious to know what number he was in the membership roster. Cliff is number 83. I found that of the first 100 members, many have gone on to be with the Lord or joined other churches. Those who remain and their number in the membership book is as follows:

7- Mary Lois Eft,	13-Ella Jane Burns,	18-Barbara Wrkich,
22- Doris Wickham,	29 -Russell Wickham,	30-Helen Unsold,
35-A. Birney Wells,	45-Ruth Carson,	46-George Allan,
47-Dave Daily	61- Ralph Freshwater,	71-Caroline Dean,
79-Mary Coleman,	86-Rita Wickham	

The first six names (above) all joined in July of 1947. The following names joined throughout the years with Rita Wickham being the last of the group in June of 1954.

We thank God for His loving care of these original members who we are privileged to worship with and call our friends.

Our Sympathy to:

Dorothy Heath and John Foley in the death of their sister and cousin (respectively), Jane Smuck in Steubenville on August 26.

Cindy McMasters in the death of her mother.

Paul Visyak in the death of his cousin, William P. Vasich, of Rayland, Ohio. William passed away on September 11, 2013 at the VA Hospital in Oakland, PA

Mary Beth Allan and family in the death of Cliff Allan on September 19 at his home in Wintersville.

Many thanks!

As you have probably heard by now, The Back 2 School Bash featuring Jeff Anderson was a huge success. The Sanctuary, which was filled with young people, was a beautiful sight. Many hearts of all ages were given to Christ that night. I just wanted to thank Pastor Bobbyjon for introducing us to Jeff Anderson and bringing him to Starkdale, and for all his hard work during the Back 2 School Bash. And, special thanks to Melanie Carver who wrote the press releases and designed the beautiful flyers, that were placed around town, and newspaper ads. Also thanks to Jill and Gary Wickham, Helen Chociej, Pat and Dave Daily, Bob Burns, Steve and Karen Orwick, and Rick Patterson who were all on hand all that day setting up tables and chairs, serving pizza and pop, cleaning up and many other jobs. Jeanne Cox and Janice Whitaker worked hard helping Jeff Anderson display his t-shirts and CDs and also helped him pack up his equipment. Thanks to Faith, Emily, Isaac, & Nathan Bauman, Gabe Ofca, Olivia and Laura Chanoski, Kylee and Michael Paris for pitching in and helping us. Thanks to the entire congregation for donating pencil boxes or money to purchase pencil boxes. The kids loved them. And a special thanks to each of the Starkdale Commissions who financially supported this event.

I am sorry if I have missed someone, but as always at Starkdale, there were so many helpful hands! I am proud to be a member of such a great Church family. Blessings,
Cindy Sagrilla
Outreach

Dear Fellow Church Members: Words cannot express my thanks for all your prayers, concern, cards, calls and love over these last few years of Cliff's illnesses and now his death. There is so much love in this church and especially the love of God. Philip, Bobbyjon and Tom have been exceptional and Cliff and I both appreciated their visits and beautiful, meaningful, and comforting prayers. Thanks to all of you for all you have done. In Christian Love,
Mary Beth, Jeff and Amy Allan
and all of the Allan Family.



OCTOBER 6, 2013

FROM THE ASSOCIATE PASTOR OF YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULTS
Rev. Bobbyjon Bauman a.k.a. "Pastor Bobbyjon"

It has been a busy summer for our youth and the Lord has given me (Pastor Bobbyjon) some great opportunities to interact with the youth in their various activities. I was able to go to the Jefferson County Fair and watch Abigail Kinney show her goat as well as hang out with David Kinney, Kayla Huff, Emily Throckmorton and Michael Ford for a while as they showed their animals.

I went to four football games to support our student athletes and band members as well as a soccer match.

The Starkdale congregation supported the youth ministry's efforts in the A.I.M. Baby Bottle Campaign fundraiser. \$1100 dollars was contributed. Thanks to Miranda Parkinson and Gabrielle Peterson for spearheading this campaign and to the Starkdale congregation for their generosity. I was also invited by the mayor of Steubenville to serve on two task force committees dealing with youth and drugs in order to have a "clergy voice" on the board. I have found the meetings very informative and challenging.

I have met with the Superintendent of Schools for Steubenville and a number of staff members three times and will continue to do so at their request on a monthly basis. I challenged them to leave Sunday nights free for youth ministry events and not to schedule school activities at that time. I was also

asked to speak to 350 Middle School students at Harding Middle School on a day in which "morals" are to be taught in early November. The education officials also promoted the Jeff Anderson Concert in the schools and the iServe Steubenville Event.

The Jeff Anderson Concert, held here at the church on August 25, was a great success. We welcomed approximately 175 students and adults. 60 youth responded to the prayer time invitation to receive Christ as their personal Savior.

Thirty-five students were in attendance at our kickoff event for the youth ministry September. 8th.

Twenty-five attended the first regular meeting on the topic **"Girls, Guys & God...Answering Pre-Teen & Teen Questions About Love, Sex, & Relationships From God's Perspective."** We had six new people attend for the first time. The talk and small groups' time were well received. Kylee Paris is helping out full time with the youth ministry and has been very excited to work with the youth. She is planning on going to Nashville (pending council approval) along with Jeanne Cox and I for the National Youth Workers Convention November 22-24.

We also have some exciting upcoming events. Everyone is encouraged to take part in the activities that are of interest to them. The Starkdale Youth Fall Ministry calendar is on the reverse of the Starkdale monthly calendar.

(Calendar on page 12)



Above—Youth Kick off Bowling Party, (Left) - Pastor Philip watches the children having fun in the bouncy house at Sunday School Rally Day on September 8.

(Right and below) - children having fun with the Kurt James Entertainment inflatables at the Sunday School Rally and Kick off day held on September 8.



FLOCK TALK

Lou & Charlene Petrozzi would like to introduce their new granddaughter Elyn Elise Esposito, born September 3.



“DOTTING THE i”

Tune in to The Ohio State vs. Wisconsin game Saturday, September 28, and The Ohio State University vs. Michigan game on November 30 and you're in for a treat! Matthew “Matt” Reed has been given the high honor of “dotting the i” as the band spells out “Ohio”. Matt plays the Sousaphone along with his senior year studies in a double major of Pre-Med and Electrical Engineering at The Ohio State University. Matt is the grandson of Helen and Bill Reed of Richmond. Matt joins the line of Starkdale's own famous Buckeyes including John Criss who was the drum major at Ohio State in 1950 and led the band in script Ohio 8 times including the Rose Bowl.

GO BUCKYES!!!!



Jefferson County Animal Welfare League:

Deluxe Pancake Breakfast
Saturday, October 12, 2013
Florian Hall 9 a.m. till noon

\$6.00 per person.

Children and teens bring a poem or draw a picture about animals.

Win Prizes!!

Call for Reservations
at 740-424-1304

8:30 and 11 A.M. Worship every Sunday
9:35 A.M. –Sunday School for all ages
Bible Study every Tuesday at 10 A.M.
and Wednesday at 6 P.M.

Rev. Dr. Philip Makari.. Senior Pastor

Rev. Bobbyjon Bauman- Assoc. Pastor

To Youth and Young Adults

Carolyn Glaub..... Music Director

Stephan Carroll..... Organist

Mary Bohach..... Treasurer

Ruth Carson..... Assist. Treasurer

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Janice Whitaker..... Staff Secretary

Doris Wickham... Chimes Editor

Chimes Staff: Mary Coleman, Dolores

Visyak, Mary Jane Ritson, Esther Harris,

Wayne Hackathorne

Guess who's going to be Grandparents again!???

Hint: three's a charm!

(Answer in the November CHIMES.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY:

- 1 John Vujnovic
- Christy Paul
- 2 Michael Paris
- 4 Ruth Koran
- Shane Zrinyi
- 8 Jody Glaub
- William Reed
- 12 Steve Elliott
- 13 Bryan Felmet
- 14 Faith Stewart
- 15 Olivia Huff
- 17 Henrietta Malesick
- 21 Donna Huff
- 23 Linda Daily
- Birney Wells
- 25 Pat Pendleton
- 26 Lillian Kestner
- 27 Pam Peterson
- 28 Hetty McClave
- 29 Michael Saunders

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY:

- 4 Fred and Ann Huff
- Dave and Nancy Turkaly
- 9 Justin and Sarah Tegano
- 10 Bill and Shirley McNeil
- Brian and Jane Gambos
- 12 Gary and Jill Wickham
- Heath and Tammy Starr
- 16 Mike and Leslie Aftanas
- 17 Paul and Lisa Busby
- 19 Dave and Pat Daily
- 20 Grant and Jennifer Board

WE APOLOGIZE FOR THIS ERROR in the September CHIMES Anniversaries: September 15—Lori Balvin is married to James Balvin, not William! Sorry about that!!!!

A SPECIAL NEED

Jennifer (Bogard) DiCarlo is a 39 year old member of our church. She lives in Mingo with her husband and three children. Jenn is also a daughter, sister and friend to many. Jennifer is in the battle of her life-cervical cancer.

The medical bills are astronomical and the family could use our help. 'Pray for Jenn' wristbands will be available in October for \$1.00. Or, if you can, please consider donating food or gas gift cards. Any monetary donations are much appreciated as well. (checks can be made to: Jennifer DiCarlo) Any donation will be appreciated. You can drop them off at the church office or give them to Cindy or Bob Sagrilla. The donations will be delivered to Jenn and her family.

And, please keep this sweet young woman in your prayers.

Submitted by Cindy Sagrilla



THE STARKDALE SEMI-ANNUAL CHICKEN GRILL

HELD SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2013

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THE SUCCESSFUL CHICKEN GRILL

Follow these easy steps:

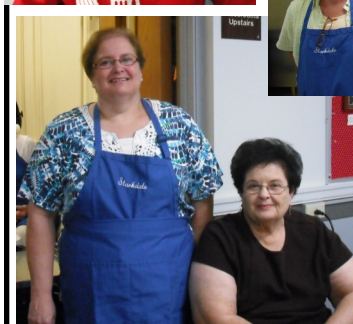
- ◆ First get a good hot fire going; (left)
- ◆ Then let the experts who've done it for years take over while the "trainees" look on



Station lots of beautiful women & a couple handsome men inside the doors to receive the money, fill orders, or just look cheerful.



Staff a great kitchen crew in white aprons.



And finally have two men who love to do dishes.>>



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The Chicken Grill was held on Saturday, September 21 under a rainy sky, but that didn't stop the brave men around the hot fire as they cooked chickens all afternoon.

The meal was delicious and was rounded out by the usual baked beans, cole slaw, roll, drink and apple dumpling.

Diners were in and out for the entire time period (4-7 p.m.) A profit of \$1,631 was realized at the end of the day. This money will be donated to "Abigail's Angels"

A great big "Thank You" is expressed to all the workers at the Chicken Grill. It's a labor of love, but it is still labor, and you are appreciated for all your efforts! A special thanks to the friends and yes, even family, of Cliff Allan who passed away just two days before the Grill. Cliff's brother, George, was at the fire cooking chickens, and Ruth, Cliff's sister, was present at the Grill. Also, Cliff's wonderful friends and family in the Christian Faith at Starkdale set aside their sadness and grief to work to make the Chicken Grill a success. Cliff and Mary Beth were greatly missed from the staff working and buzzing around the kitchen.

We are especially thankful for God's protection of George Allan, Rick Patterson and Bob Burns as a nest of bees was discovered in the barbecue pit, and for the Bradley Lawnscape employee who also found a nest while mowing. George and Rick both received painful stings from which they quickly recovered.

Project Linus



"Providing Security Through Blankets"

PROJECT LINUS

Our mission is to provide love, a sense of security, and comfort, to children who are seriously ill, or traumatized or otherwise in need. We fulfill this mission through the gift of handmade blankets and afghans lovingly created by volunteer Blanketeers".

Approximate size guidelines (a few inches either way is okay)

Babies	40 x 46
Children	42 x 60
Teens	45 x 70

THERE IS A BASKET IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL TO PUT YOUR FINISHED BLANKETS

The lawn care employee was taken to the E.R. by ambulance and was treated and fully recovered. We are thankful for the Rose Pest Control experts who came to Starkdale and took care of the bees for us and Bob Burns who responded immediately to the need.



ADVENT TIME ???

Can it possibly be time to be talking about ADVENT all ready? Yes, it's so! And once again Melanie Carver has offered to compile our annual Starkdale "Advent Booklet." Here's the assignment:

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 1ST is the beginning of Advent for 2013 and work has begun to prepare **Starkdale's Annual Advent Booklet**. This year the booklet will feature testimonies by fellow church members. Their personal stories will motivate and inspire you as they witness to how God has touched (and changed) their lives. These simple stories could help bring others to Christ as well. If YOU have a story to tell (*and we all do!*) PLEASE share it by e-mailing

starkdale@starkdale.comcastbiz.net

Or

car.mel_8@yahoo.com

and allow us to share it with the world. Or you may write (type) out your story and hand deliver or mail it to the Starkdale Church Office. For further information contact Melanie (Kody's Mom) at 740-314-5662.

DEADLINE: NOVEMBER 1 Earlier submissions are most welcome!!

The Outreach Commission desires to stay in contact with our college students. You can help by filling out the form (Available in the narthex) and submit it to the church office or to Rick Carver.



Start Something

Children who have positive role models are more likely to succeed than those who do not. Big Brothers/Big Sisters one-to-one mentoring services are proven to help children overcome adversity and beat the odds. Big Brothers & Sisters of Jefferson County is recruiting adults to serve as volunteer mentors. Big Brother and Big Sister mentors are needed in all parts of the county to be matched with over 20 children we have waiting.

Volunteers are asked to make a one year commitment and spend 12 hours per month with their Little Brother or Little Sister, doing things they both enjoy.

If you are interested in finding out more about Big Brothers and Sisters, call 740-264-3306

OCTOBER IS PASTOR APPRECIATION MONTH

Our Pastor

Have you ever walked in our Pastor's shoes,
And gone where his feet have trod?
Have you ever thought of what he means to us,
And on your knees, given thanks to God?

Have you ever told him thank you,
For being there, when times are tough,
For comforting words and fervent prayers
When trials come and the storms of life are rough?

He answers our calls in the middle of the night
And tells us not to worry, for he will be there.
He gives up his comfort of quiet rest
And comes with prayers of comfort to share.

Have you ever thought to say thank you Pastor,
For preaching God's word to help us understand,
For all the times he has asked for things
That will lend us a helping hand?

When you pray, put him at the top of the list
And ask the Lord to surround him with loving care,
To give him strength and walk with him,
To help him with the burdens that he must bear.

Have you ever walked in our Pastor's shoes,
And gone where his feet have trod?
Have you ever thought of what he means to us,
And on your knees, given thanks to God?

(Written by Judy Crowe—reprinted with permission)



Pastor Appreciation

Would you like to let your pastors know how much they mean to you? Consider sending a card with your thoughts to Rev. Philip Makari and/or Rev. Bobbyjon Bauman at Starkdale Church, P.O. Box 2368, Wintersville, OH. Please mark your envelope with "Attn: _____" and the pastor's name to whom you are sending the card.

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We also have **GOD'S ASSURING PROMISES** that he is with us always to the end of the age, that he will never leave us or forsake us, that regardless of the depth and width of the tragedy, it is well with our souls, that life has a happy and fulfilling ending for those who trust in him, and that in him and through him we can live victoriously on a daily basis even amidst life's most cruel incidents.

Moreover, we have **EACH OTHER**. We are taught in the scriptures that we are not only each other's brothers and sisters; we are also our brothers' and sisters' keepers. We are the body of Christ, members of one another; we are therefore each other's most important responsibility. Whenever a member of the body suffers or is in pain, all members must share in his or her suffering and pain. God came to us in Jesus Christ that we may know what God is like (the Redeemer of our souls), love him and enjoy him. The most obvious way by which we may show our love for God is to love and care for one another.

So whenever there is a crisis or tragedy in your life, whom are you going to call?

Hopefully we are to call upon God in prayer, stand on his assuring promises, and seek the help of one another without hesitation and without ever feeling that we shouldn't burden others with our problems.

A young girl once asked her mother after a sermon on caregiving, "Mom, if we are here for others, what are the

others here for?" Her mother answered her, "the others are here for us."

Brothers and sisters, our church is packed with hurting individuals. Some have wounds that are too deep and painful. Do you care to pray with and for them? Some have physical limitations; would you like to be their hands and feet taking care of some of their needs? Some are in sorrow over their losses; and some are very lonely as a result of their losses; do you like to befriend them and be there when they need a friend? Some are in need for growth in God's word; would you take the time to help them understand salvation?

Jesus promises us two things when we are involved in helping others: the first is that the least of our efforts in helping someone will not go unnoticed or unrewarded (even a glass of water to a thirsty person will have its own special reward in heaven). The second is that whenever we do a favor to someone, we have done it as unto Jesus Christ himself.

Let us then take to heart and fully apply what it means to first be each other's brother and sister, and second what is implied in becoming our brother's and sister's keeper.

Only then, can we be a beautiful representation of Jesus Christ in the world, and a wonderful witness of his love.

Sincerely,

Philip Makari



SEVENTH ANNUAL STARKDALE EVANGELISM CONFERENCE

OCTOBER 25, 26, - 2013

AT OGLEBAY RESORT AND CONFERENCE CENTER - WILSON LODGE

We are excited to announce that Rev. Jay Bauman, Missionary to Brazil, will be our guest speaker for the October 25-26 retreat at beautiful Oglebay Park. Name sound familiar? Yes, that's because he is Pastor Bobbyjon's brother. Jay, as you will read below, founded Restore Brazil and has trained hundreds of pastors throughout that country. We are now to be doubly blessed as we meet Jay Bauman and his wife Luciane. Jay will bring us three exciting messages: Gospel Centered Discipleship, Gospel Centered Leadership and Gospel Centered Evangelism. Registration forms are available in the narthex and the church office. If you have any questions please call Janice Whitaker (Evangelism Commission Chair) at 740-264-5309.

Rev. Jay Bauman is pastor at Igreja do Redentor (Redeemer Church) in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. He is also the country director of Acts 29 Brazil and director and founder of Restore Brazil. Jay lives in Rio de Janeiro with his wife, Luciane, and his daughters, Sophia, 3 and Olivia, 1.

In 2009, Jay founded Restore Brazil after working for eight years co-planting and pastoring Cross Pointe Church in Orlando, Florida. Restore Brazil exists to bring gospel restoration to the cities of Brazil by developing robust church planting communities, mercy ministry, and equipping and training pastors. Over the past several years, Jay has been involved in training hundreds of pastors throughout Brazil, Peru, and Chile.

Retreat registration facts:

- ◇ Registration fee for all participants: \$40.00.
- ◇ You may choose to commute Friday and/or Saturday. If you stay over, you have a choice of rooms:
 - King /Fireplace \$185.00
 - Premium /2 Queens—\$175
 - Intermediate / 2 Doubles—\$120
 - Traditional / 2 Doubles—\$105
- ◇ You may request reservations for three meals (included in registration fee):
 - Friday dinner at 5 P.M.; Saturday breakfast at 8:30 A.M.; Saturday lunch at noon.

Reaching Today's World with God's Word Conference Schedule

Friday: October 25, 2013

- 3 P.M. Registration—Free Time
- 5-6 P.M. Fellowship Time (Conf. room)
- 6-7 P.M. Buffet Dinner
- 7:00 P.M. Opening—Rev. Dr. Philip Makari
- 7:30-9 P.M. Rev. Jay Bauman
- Part 1: "Gospel Centered Discipleship"
- 9-10 P.M. Coffee/ Snacks

Saturday, October 26, 2013

- 8:30-9:30 A.M. Buffet Breakfast
- 9:30-10 A.M. CHECKOUT
- 10-10:30 A.M. Opening/Prayer/Worship
- 10:30-Noon Rev. Jay Bauman
- Part 2 "Gospel Centered Leadership"
- Noon-1 P.M. Buffet Lunch
- 1-2:30 P.M. Rev. Jay Bauman
- Part 3: "Gospel Centered Evangelism"
- 2:30 P.M. Closing

REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED FOR COMMUTERS AND OVER-NIGHTERS!

Hymnfest

It's hard to believe that it was 18 years ago that Paul Visyak suggested that our church host a hymnfest. On the first Sunday of every October, we have joined together to praise God with our musical offerings.

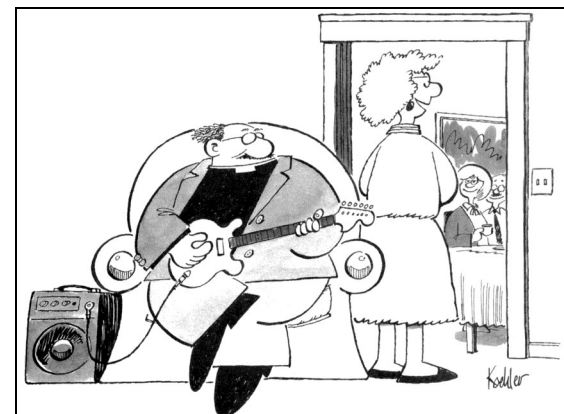
The definition of a hymn is "a religious song or poem, typically of praise to God." According to that definition, that includes everything that is sung at Starkdale and other churches, from contemporary music to the hymns written in the 1600's.

On October 6th at 7 PM, those praising God through music will be our pianist, Steve Carroll, The Four Friends, Starkdale's choir, The Friends Choir, On a High Note, Splendid Sound, Morris Knabenshue, Tom Graham, and the Starkdale Youth Ministry, and of course you who will be joining us in the congregational singing.

This year, the free will offering will be designated for an All Area Youth Rally which is being planned by several youth leaders, pastors and others. You will be hearing more about this as the plans unfold. In the meantime, continue to pray for all of the area youth as they learn to live in Christ.

We will see you at 7 p.m. on October 6th.

Make a joyful noise unto the Lord!
Psalm 98:4



"If everyone would join us in the parlor, the pastor will lead us in a good old-fashioned hymn sing."

Starkdale Youth Ministry

Fall Calendar

September 29th **“Drinking, Drugs & Peer Pressure Night”** Come hear a brief testimony from former KORN (Heavy Metal Band) bassist Brian “Head” Welch and be prepared to be informed and equipped to make wise choices concerning alcohol and drugs. Free Chinese food & Soda. 6:00-7:15

♦ October 5th **“iServe Steubenville Event”** The Youth Ministry will do a one day mission project working with/ for Urban Mission here in Steubenville, working at the homes of people who need them repaired as well as at the shelter and food pantry. A free lunch will be provided. We will meet at the church at 8:45 AM and will return to the church at 3:00 PM.

♦ October 6th **“Starkdale Hymn Fest”** Along with congregational singing and other musical groups and individuals, The Starkdale Youth Worship Team will be playing and singing special music.. Our youth will be serving as ushers, greeters, and servers for the evening. Please join us for this wonderful annual event and enjoy a great night of music . Refreshments to follow. 7:00-8:30 PM.

♦ October 13th **Pittsburgh Movie Outing** featuring the film **“GRACE UNPLUGGED”** starring **AJ Michalka**, formerly from the pop duo Aly & AJ. The film also features Christian singer Jamie Grace and renowned Christian artist/songwriter and Grammy Award® winner, **Chris Tomlin**. The exact time of the movie and the cost will be available soon.

♦ October 20th **“Storytellers Night”** Join us for an evening of food and life story testimonies. This was one of our most popular events last year. Invite your friends... You won't want to miss it! Free Pizza & Soda. 6:00-7:30

♦ October 25-26 **Youth Overnight Retreat/Lock-In Featuring Speaker Jay Bauman** at Starkdale Church & at Oglebay Park Wheeling WV... Beginning on Friday night (arrival time TBA) and Saturday until 3 PM. The retreat cost/ lock-in cost (including meals and transportation) will be free for the Starkdale Youth Ministry members! Further details TBA soon!

♦ October 27 **Jay Bauman Preaching/Teaching** – Rev. Bauman (Pastor Bobbyjon's brother) will share with the youth and adults about missions in Rio (Brazil) and a possible Mission trip there in mid-July after the service at noon. No evening SYM meeting.

♦ November 3 **“All Hallows Eve Party/Youth Outreach Night”** Come on out and dress up in a costume if you wish and enjoy lots of food, candy and games (such as pumpkin bowling, bobbing for apples) and prizes for winners in the best costume contest. Pastor Bobbyjon will be giving an inspiring message on **“God, Ghosts, Angels & Demons”** 6:00-7:30

DART BASEBALL SEASON BEGINS

Our Dart Baseball started in a beautiful newly painted and newly laid floor in the fellowship hall.

We also had our dart board refined and infield carpet installed thanks to Rick Patterson.

Thanks to Ella Jane Burns we have a new cover for the dart board. The dart board now reads:

“Starkdale Field.” We opened our season with a prayer by Bob Burns and a rousing “Take Me Out to the Ballfield” led by Paul Visyak, Bob Burns and Wayne Hackathorne. Then it was “Play Ball.” Each week we have a donation basket for mission money. Those who would like to donate to this may do so. Last year we donated \$1,155 to local charities.

The age range of our players is from the teen years to age 99 years young. Everyone is invited to join us on Tuesday evening at 6 P.M. The “Price is Right”, the ticket is free and the experience is priceless. Bring a covered dish to share with the group and have a great time.



Cliff Allan—1942-2013

On September 19 our good friend and fellow Dart Baseball player Cliff Allan passed away to be with our Lord. Cliff was a good and godly man and over the years has taught us all a lesson in courage.

We are always deeply saddened at the loss of a loved one, but we can take comfort in knowing their difficulties are over and they are with the Lord. This is where our faith in the Lord will help guide us through these difficult times.


It has been my privilege and honor to know Cliff and to call him my friend. I know the Lord will greet him with open arms and say “Well played my good and faithful servant. Go on through those pearly gates, pick yourself out one of those Louisville Sluggers—You are up to bat next!”

Our prayers and thoughts go out to Mary Beth, Jeff, Amy and all the Allan Family. May God bless and keep you.

Wayne Hackathorne and the entire Starkdale Dart Baseball Team!

Sunday Morning Schedule:
8:30 and 11 A.M. Worship
9:35 A.M. Sunday School for all ages



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 10 a.m. Bible Study 6 p.m. Dart Baseball	2 6 p.m. Bible Study 7:15 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal	3 8:30 p.m. AA Meeting	4	5 9 a.m.—2 p.m. Quilters InC.
6 World Wide Communion Sunday 7 p.m. "HymnFest"	7 6 p.m. Property Task Force Meeting 6:30 p.m. Scouts	8 10 a.m. Bible Study 6 p.m. Dart Baseball	9 6 p.m. Bible Study 7:15 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal	10 9 a.m. Soup Kitchen 8:30 p.m. AA Meeting	11	12
13	14Columbus Day Church Office Closed 6:30 p.m. Scouts	15 10 a.m. Bible Study 6 p.m. Dart Baseball	16 5 p.m.. Nurses Alumni Dinner-Fh 6 p.m. Bible Study 7:15 p.m. Adult Choir	17 CHIMES EDIT 6 p.m. Session Meeting 8:30 p.m. AA Meeting	18	19 Garden Club Meeting -Fh
20 1:15 p.m. Carriage House Worship Service 6 p.m. Youth Ministry	21 6 P.M. Administration Commission Meeting 6:30 p.m. Scouts	22 10 a.m. Bible Study Noon-SPW 6 p.m. Dart Baseball	23 6 p.m. Bible Study 7:15 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal	24 CHIMES FOLD 8:30 p.m. AA Meeting	25 EVANGELISM Retreat	26 EVANGELISM Retreat
27 No evening Youth Ministry	28 6:30 p.m. Outreach Commission Meeting 6:30 p.m. Scouts	29 10 a.m. Bible Study 6 p.m. Dart Baseball	30 6 p.m. Bible Study 7:15 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal	31 8:30 p.m. AA Meeting	