



# Broadway News

Pastor Mick Foster  
 Traditional Worship 8:15 am  
 Contemporary Worship 10:45 am  
 Sunday School 9:45 am

## October Mission of the Month

### AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY & CARDS for HEROES

*“We all don’t have Bibles. We would like some help.”  
 —Marine stationed in the Middle East*

The mission for the month of October will be collecting funds to purchase Bibles through the American Bible Society to be sent to our Armed Forces all over the world. We will also be sending Christmas Cards through the Red Cross called “Cards for Heroes” to troops all over the World.



Every \$5 we collect will help place a Bible (Good News translation) in the hands of a Service Member.

Last year we provided 542 bibles to troops and sent 200 Christmas cards. What a blessing!

One Service Member said to his Chaplain when he finally received a Bible, (the Chaplain was concerned it would be added weight to his pack) “No. It is the Word of God. It is never too heavy.”

Please pray for these brave men and women who have responded to the call of duty and are there for us.....for our children and grandchildren.....for the future of our nation. Help us let them know Broadway sends our love and appreciation and most of all, Hope through Jesus Christ.

As always, our Mission committee asks you to pray about whether you want to be a part of these 2 projects. Designate gifts to this mission by putting the amount on the monthly mission line on your tithing envelope. We hope we will be able to send dozens of Bibles to share God’s Word with our Troops.

Thank you and God Bless!

**“Give Worship to God”**  
**PASTOR’S PRESPECTIVES**  
**OCTOBER 2016**



Some time ago in a fellowship with pastors, God reminded us that the most important reason for worship on the Lord’s Day is to give praise, thanks and adoration to Him, to give these and other sacrifices to Him. I mentioned this to the congregation at worship the following Sunday. It’s not about you and me, it’s about God! To God be the glory!

I’ve had people tell me that Sunday worship fills them up so they can make it through the rest of the week. They must be getting very good mileage from that spiritual fill up. Scripture tells us that we need to stop for fuel, the Word of God, every day. That was the main meaning behind the Israelites having to go out and gather manna, food from Heaven, every day. God wants to give us fuel at Sunday worship but that’s not the top priority for that gathering of believers.

Since Jesus’ First Coming churches have gone through fads just like the world does. A few decades ago Merlin Carothers wrote a Book entitled, “Let me Entertain You”. He warned of the dangers in this type of worship. This fad is still spreading. Its focus is to organize worship services in order to give many people what they want: a good time. They want people to go home feeling good about themselves, no matter whether they are living a holy lifestyle or not, because they enjoy the service. Now, God does want to give us joy, but not from being entertained. Again, the main purpose for worship is not to come and get as much as we can out of it, but to come and give as much as we can to God, to worship Him.

There have been times when I went home after worship and told Becky that I didn't get much out of the service. Wrong focus Mick! This is what many look for when they are shopping for a church. They want to feel good. Worship should not be structured to make us feel good. Worship should be structured to make it easy for us to give of ourselves unto God, to experience God. Whether we feel good or not, God deserves our adoration! Good worship is not about being entertained or even following certain forms. It’s about pouring your heart out to Him. He wants your heart and wants you to desire His.

King David experienced God’s presence because he was after God’s heart. “I have found David the son of Jesse, a man after My heart, who will do all my will” (Acts 13:22c NAS). He had a heart that deeply desired God, and God responds to such hearts. That’s what makes worship good: when *God responds to hearts truly poured out to Him*.

Let’s gather together on Sundays with the main goal being to give worship to God. It’s more blessed to give! And if God responds by giving us joy or other good things, well, that’s good too.

## A Partnership

*“For I testify that according to their ability, and beyond their ability they gave of their own accord, begging us with much entreaty for the favor of participation in the support of the saints”  
(2 Corinthians 8:3-4).*



One of the things that led the Haiti mission team to decide to go with the Praying Pelican organization is that they partner churches with local pastors to help them in their communities. The rationale is that the local pastor knows his community and their needs best.

We saw that in person as we had the honor of helping build a home for a blind woman, visiting persons at their homes and leading Vacation Bible School with children as well as young adults. There were many opportunities to share, love on kids, leave a physical reminder of our presence and even provide some basic medical care.

My hope for going before I left the first time was that Broadway could establish an on-going partnership with another church. We met children and adults that we want to see again and that is the whole point. We were able to have a relationship with other Christians, share what we have, and support them in their outreach.

We hope to go back again next June to renew those relationships and represent Broadway. I hope we will have some new members come and join us. You can meet joyful Pastor El Barre, Waikem, Jayceboh, the cooks, little David, the blind woman whose home we built, the man whose hand was healed with Diane's care. Please pray about going. It will change your life.

The team (Diane Bell, Cindy McComb, Brennan Baker, Brian Rose and myself) all want to go back. Hope you will join us. Talk to any of us if you want to know more.

Lotus McCleery for the team



# Electronic Giving: Fast, easy, & secure

Support the work of our church through Electronic Giving. Have your weekly or monthly contribution debited from your checking or savings account and transferred directly into the church account safely and electronically—you'll never have to remember your checkbook again!

**We would love for you to get started!** Pick up an authorization form today.

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# Youth Ministry

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Discipleship Wednesdays  
5:30-7:30pm

Fellowship Sundays Noon-2:30pm

Oct 7 – First Friday Explosion @  
Roxford UMC 6-10pm

## SOCIAL MEDIA

[www.facebook.com/broadwayumcyouth](http://www.facebook.com/broadwayumcyouth)

@BroadwayUMYouth on Twitter

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## NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

September was an interesting and busy month. Schools are back in session, Fall sports are in full swing, the County Fair has come and gone, and our youth have been working hard and having fun.

We spent time learning about drama and gossip and how it can hurt our relationship with each other as well as with God. If we allow enough drama and gossip to come in to our ears and our minds, it will eventually come out of our mouths.

We were also blessed to welcome Ocean and Michael, two exchange students from China, to our weekly youth gatherings. Both students are Juniors and are attending T.C.C. This is a great opportunity for us to share and teach two people that know nothing about God or our Savior, Jesus Christ.

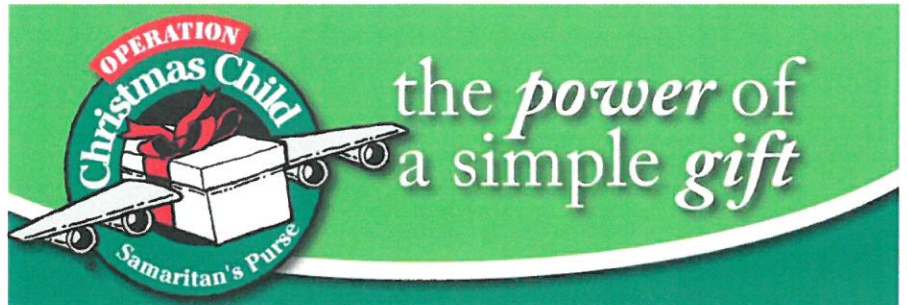
We plan to attend First Friday with our brothers and sisters at Roxford UMC this month as well as take the youth to a fun corn maze at the K.O.A. in Coshocton. God is GREAT!!!

Ryan Best  
Youth Director



## Operation Christmas Child

Thank you OCC East Ohio Area Team for Saturday, September 17th, dinner and presentation at the Carlisle



Inn at Walnut Creek. If there was any doubt why we pack shoe boxes that should no longer be the case... Kojo's story could be anyone's story but God chose it to be his story! A shoebox, a yoyo and a song (Jesus Loves Me this I Know) brought a hungry boy to know a living Jesus!! A normal day, unknown to him would become the most extraordinary day of his life. The shoe box is a simple gift but carries a powerful message. Will you pack a shoebox and help a child experience the Good News of Jesus?

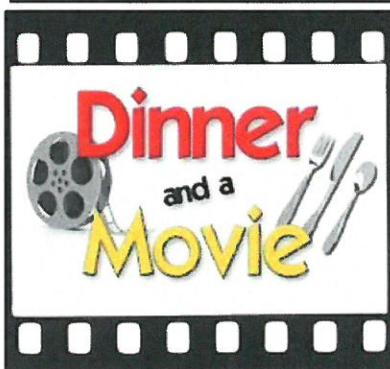
Good News, Great Joy!

***Please join Betty Thompson Esther Circle on November 3rd at 5:30 for dinner and a shoe box packing party.***

*“Anyone who welcomes a little child like this on my behalf welcomes me, and anyone who welcomes me not only welcomes me but my father who sent me” (Mark: 9:37 NLT).*

Submitted by:

OCC/Becky Roth



**Save the Date! Dinner & Movie Night at Broadway  
Sunday, October 23rd starting at 5pm**

# Nursing Home & Homebound Friends

## Country Club Nursing Home

860 East Iron Avenue Ext. Dover 44622

*Pearl Quine* (Donna Deedrick's mom)—Room 36

*Ethel Beavers*-Room 115

*Shirley Watson* (Pastor Mick's Aunt)

## New Dawn Health Care & Rehab

865 East Iron Avenue Dover 44622

*Nita Graff*-Room 105

*Bea Taylor* (Cindy Akers' mom)- Room 501

## Northwood Village

5799 North Wooster Ave. Dover 44622

*Estelle Myers*—Room 320

*Dave Myers*—Room 502

*Harold Swauger*—Room 114

*Ken McMillen*—Room 112

*Ouida Fleming* (Betty Sturtz sister)—Room 307



## **Young at Heart**

The Young-at-Heart luncheon will be Wednesday, October 12th, @ Noon. The luncheon will be at Uncle Primo's in New Philadelphia. Please meet at the church parking lot by 11:40 to carpool. Contact Sheryl Thompson (330) 407-5829 for reservations.

## Homebound:

**Wilma Watson**

204 Colonial Avenue SE New Phila. 44663

**Sandy Mast**

523 Harger Street Dover 44622

**Judy Miller**

536 Stratton Avenue SW New Phila. 44663

People who are hospitalized or homebound are usually weak physically. At these times in their lives, they need pastoral ministry—that is, they need someone who can stand between them and God conveying His love and strength.

When you visit someone in the hospital or at home, you are letting them know that you care and that God cares.

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## **Haiti Mission Trip Rummage Sale**

The Haiti mission team is collecting items for a no-tag, white elephant sale to be held Friday and Saturday, November 18 & 19 from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.. Most items will not be priced, but will be whatever you want to donate. Home baked goods will also be sold. All proceeds will go toward the next trip to Manze Marie, Haiti in June 2017. Please drop off items in Spencer Fellowship Hall. For pick up of large items, call Cindy McComb at 740-297-9440.



# October Birthdays

October 1	Nate Cox Dave Roll
October 2	Bob Stutz
October 3	Doris Mamula
October 4	Michelle Coon
October 5	Bob Warner
October 11	Rick Frantz
October 12	Dick Housel
October 13	Jake Akers
October 15	Estelle Myers
October 16	Derrick Brantley
October 17	Hazel Graff
October 18	Cindy Case <b>Becky Foster</b>
October 20	Tyler Reichman
October 21	Jen Miller Quenton Stillion
October 23	Sandy Beckley Dan Mamula Jr.
October 24	Craig Frantz
October 26	Andrew Mossor
October 30	Kris Bragg



# Happy Anniversary!

October 7	Tom & Cheryl Korn
October 9	Seth & Tiffany Kopp
October 11	Barry & Cheryl Shepherd
October 25	Jake & Natasha Akers Rick & Michelle Coon

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## Attendance

An overall average attendance for the Sunday morning services

August 28, 2016—September 25th, 2016

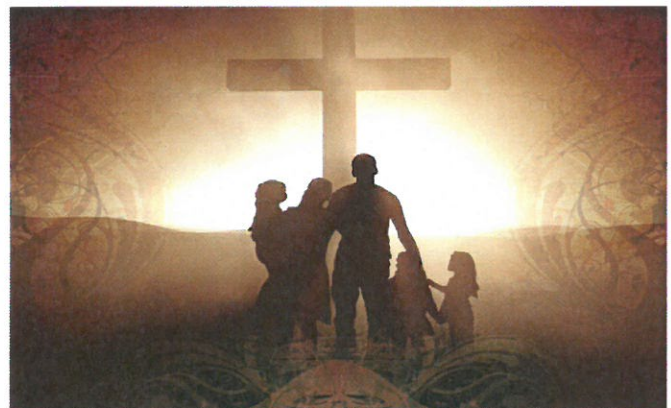
8:15am Traditional Worship—109

Sunday School—85

10:45am Contemporary—111

Which includes Junior Church  
(Nursery-God Squad) - 27

Average worship attendance from  
August 28th, - Sept. 25th, 2016 = 220





## ***“The Shepherd’s Lambs”***

***by Donna Deedrick***

*“Jesus asked Simon (Peter), “Son of John, do you love me more than these?” “Yes, Lord,” Peter replied, “you know I love you.” “Then feed my lambs,” Jesus told him (John 21:15).*

There is so much suffering, so much need in our world. In America, we still have freedom to worship. We can carry the Bible into public without being arrested, beaten, or even killed. We have a structured government (though it does not always please us!), and an abundance of food, and access to medical care. It is shocking, and unpleasant to consider the persecution, starvation, and lack of even simple medications. It is so much easier to avoid hearing of pain and suffering—so widespread across our world.

World Vision, a Christian organization that reaches across our world to help, does what they can with the funds they receive.

One of the areas they are trying to help is Burundi Africa, where people are starving and cannot afford medication.

They met Sonia in 2014, at the age of 11, when she hadn’t eaten for 3 days. Her stomach ached from hunger, and she was very weak. She had worked in a field all day long to earn four, very small potatoes. More than 750 such children are lost to hunger every day. Every 5 minutes another dies.

Donai, a 35 year old mother, has already watched two of her children die. Her son, Joel, suffers from a severe type of malnutrition called kwashiorkor, which is life threatening. This disease—caused by lack of protein is highly preventable.

There are many children afflicted with terrible parasitic worms, such as 5 year old boy Justice, causing misery. This affliction is also treatable, but the families cannot afford the cheapest medications.

Thank God for organizations such as World Vision that do what they can with donations they receive.

Even if our gifts are small remember the widow’s mite presented in the Gospels of Mark 12:41-44 or Luke 21:1-4.

We always need to pray for the suffering and for the caregivers.



## Thank You Broadway

“Then Jesus called His disciples to Him and said, ‘I have compassion on the crowd because they have been with me now three days and have nothing to eat. And I am unwilling to send them away hungry, lest they faint on the way.’ And the disciples said to Him, ‘Where are we to get enough bread in such a desolate place to feed so great a crowd?’” Matthew 15:32-33



We all know the miracle that happened next! The disciples asked a fair question; “Where?” But I don’t think there was much sincerity in their voice. They were certainly not expecting what happened next. But God will shatter the expectations of what His followers can do if they would learn to bring Him what they have already been given. “Little is much when God is in it.” When Christians are willing to offer their lives sacrificially, relinquishing their hold on whatever God has given them in terms of time, money, talents, etc., God will use these ordinary things to create extraordinary things. Christians must never believe their resources are too little to serve God. God delights in taking a humble, seemingly insignificant person and using him or her for His glory.

***And this is why I wanted to send a special Thank You! Your gift, given in true missionary passion, will allow us to purchase more than 123,000 pounds of food!*** When you glance to your left or to your right you see a man or a woman, young or old; but take a closer look and you will see a Savior!

My regards to Broadway,  
William Fritz, Treasurer  
Greater Dover New Phila Food Pantry



**FYI Pastor Appreciation is Sunday, October 9th!**

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**Combined Worship Sunday, October 30th  
One Worship @ 10:45am  
Sunday school starts @ 9:30am**

The College age will be having a fundraiser lunch after worship.  
It will be a free-will offering.

Stay after worship Sunday, October 30th and have our Young Adult College age  
serve you a yummy lunch.

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### **'Essential Emotions'**

**Sunday, October 30th @ 3pm in Spencer Hall**

Did you know that the fastest way to affect your emotions is through your sense  
of smell?? Come and learn how the use of essential oils can change your mood.  
We will be giving away a diffuser necklace! Join us for a new insightful class!  
Contact June Celce (330) 407-3621 for any questions.

Save the Date: ***SPA DAY*** Saturday, November 26th, @ 10am in Spencer Hall

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**Mission committee meeting Thursday, October 13<sup>th</sup> @ 7:30pm**

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### **Boy Scouts selling popcorn**

Movie Night? Just want a snack for any occasion? See one of the churches Cub  
Scouts or Boy Scout, Andy Mossor, Doug Miller or Ben Brantley to place an order  
today. Now through October 22.

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Website: [broadway-umc.org](http://broadway-umc.org)

**Pastor Mick Foster**  
Worship times: 8:15am Traditional  
Nursery care available (birth – 3 years old)  
10:45am Contemporary  
Nursery & Junior church available  
(birth – 12 yrs. old)  
9:45am Sunday school  
Classes for children, youth and adults