

keep in touch

September 22, 2022



Hello Caldwell Church family and friends

By the time you read this letter, it will be officially the first day of autumn; the fall equinox when the daylight hours and hours of darkness will just about be equal. Days will get shorter until December 21 when we once again, as the earth makes its orbit, will begin to experience more daylight hours. As the seasons come and go; our lives go on. We all need a good dose of sunlight, to make our lives better. Darkness, can bring us times of rest, but it can also cause depression, sadness, and the “blues.” I remind you that *1 John 1:7*, says “if you walk in the Light, as He is in the Light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus, God’s Son, purifies us from all sin.” Jesus is God’s Light that shines in life’s darkest times!

In the past two Sundays, Jason Feldner, as Administrative Council Chair, shared two letters: one from The Wesleyan Covenant Association, related to things happening within the United Methodist Church. Last week Jason shared the letter from our Bishop Tracey S. Malone, which she posted a response letter and a video on the East Ohio Conference website: eocumc.com. (you may go online and view and read her letter.) These letters were informational, and not geared to steer opinions. To those who seem to be “in the dark” of what these letters are about; we as your church leaders, will share more in the days ahead. Being the Church and doing church business during worship, seems at times inappropriate, but necessary. We will plan special congregational meetings soon, so that people’s questions and concerns can be addressed, and not to feel as in the dark as to what’s going on. We are all concerned about our Church and its future.

Next Sunday October 2, is World Communion Sunday, a day for us to remember and celebrate God’s presence with Holy Communion; a communion with all God’s people around the world. Jesus Christ offered Himself on the Cross for our sins, and also told us to “remember” him in the breaking of the Bread, and in sharing from the Cup, which offer ourselves to God. Jesus forgives our sin, and makes us right with God. Let’s live in God’s Light and let Jesus Christ guide us each day.

Next Sunday (Oct 2) is also our church’s Annual Charge Conference, where we review our work and ministry in the past year, and look ahead as we continue to do God’s work together. We will meet at The Byesville First UMC from 4-6p.m; other churches will also be present to hear and give reports. Reverend Laura White, our District Superintendent will lead the meeting, with Rev. Steve Court being there to speak to issues at hand with our denomination. Please plan to attend, if you are able.

Please be in prayer, and remember we are Jesus’ disciples; Let us walk together in the Light, and be people of God in mission and ministry.

Thanks for letting me be your Pastor.

Rev. Jeff Coggins



Sunday September 18, 2022

- ◆ Sunday Services are on our facebook page: Caldwell UMC Ohio.
- ◆ This Sunday Service is based on Acts 11:19-30 "When You are Called a Christian"
- ◆ Old Testament scripture Psalm 89:1-2;14-16



HELLO
my name is

CHRISTIAN

And the disciples were called
Christians first in Antioch. -Acts 11:26

Psalm 89:1-2



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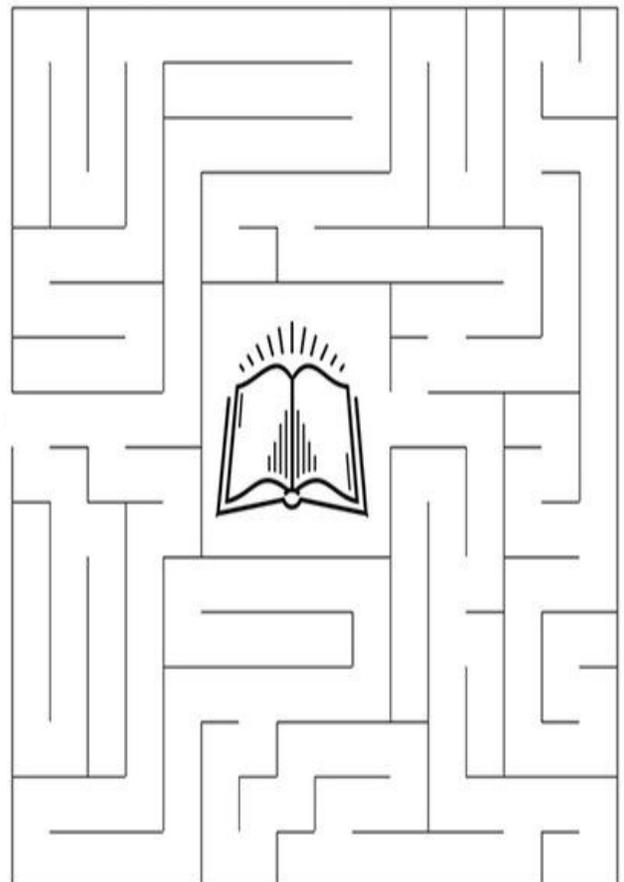
MOUTH

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WILL

Looking for a Word from the Lord?



September Birthdays



09/26 Tiffany Sidwell

09/27 Bob Rudge



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The menu for the September 29th Christ Shares a Meal is Pasta Bake with meat sauce, garlic bread, salad, and a dessert.



It has been found that people born in the autumn are more likely to live to 100 years old, and no, it's not just a coincidence.

Oh, great... it's car season again!



Be careful out there, Dear!



Ohio's popular deer archery season opens statewide Saturday, Sept. 24



Monday Morning Bible Study at 9AM in the Fellowship Hall

CHS @ Conotton Valley

Fri. 9/23 7Pm



Shenandoah @ Buckeye Local

Fri. 9/23 7PM



Charge Conference will be Sunday October 2 at 4PM at Byesville Main UMC

Please remember to mark your calendars Everyone may attend the meeting. Don't forget you are the Church: Pray, be involved, and help make a difference

SPRC meets at Caldwell Mon. Sept 26 at 6PM

Quilt Drawing

The Church women have made a quilt for sale.

Drawing tickets are available for \$2 each.

Drawing will be Sept 30.

See Judy McMullen for tickets.



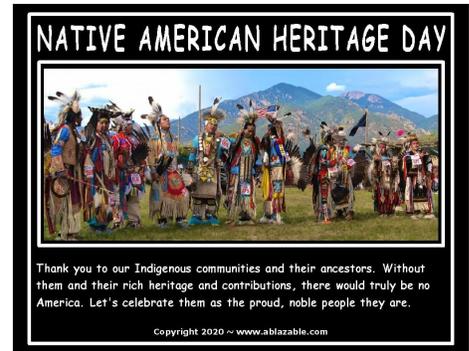
Vs. Wisconsin @ home

Sat. Sept. 24 7:30 on ABC

THE PERSON WHO SERVES—DESERVES

American Indian Day – September 23, 2022

As the name implies, Native American Day is an opportunity to celebrate, learn and share information about the traditions, culture, and background of Native Americans. The term Native Americans encompass hundreds of different tribes, from the Inuit of Alaska to the Cherokees of the southeastern woodlands. Each of these tribes has its own unique culture and language. Native Americans have made distinct and significant contributions to the U.S. and the rest of the world in many fields, such as agriculture, medicine, music, language, and art. Throughout history, they have distinguished themselves as inventors, entrepreneurs, spiritual leaders, and scholars.



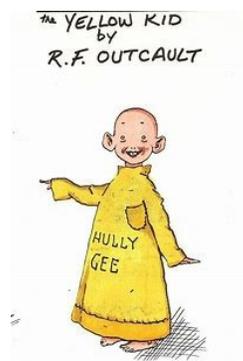
Bluebird of Happiness Day – September 24, 2022



Bluebirds have long been associated with joy, happiness, and luck. Bluebirds are cherished for their beauty, devotion to their family, and delightful singing. Bluebirds can be spotted all across America, including the mountain ranges. These tiny birds remind us that joy can be found in the smallest things in life. All we have to do is pause and look for inspiration around us.

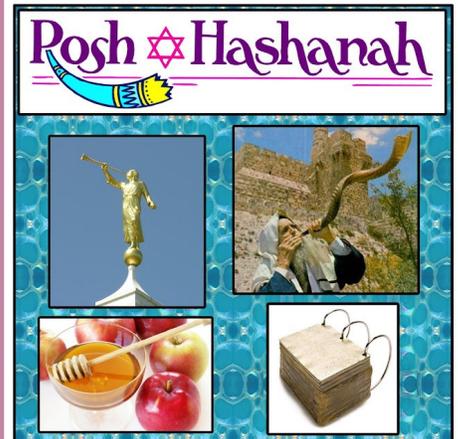
National Comic Book Day – September 25, 2022

Comic books have existed in America since 1842. The introduction of Jerry Siegel and Joe Shuster's Superman in 1938 turned comic books into a major industry, ushering in the Golden Age of Comics. From this, the archetype of the superhero was created. Published in 1897, The Yellow Kid in McFadden's Flats is considered to be the first comic book.



DID YOU KNOW?

Rosh Hashanah, which ushers in the Jewish year 5783, is a Jewish holiday marking the first and second days of the Jewish year. In **2022**, Rosh Hashanah begins at sundown on **Sunday, September 25**, and continues through nightfall on **Tuesday, September 27**. It's the day G^od created Adam and Eve, and it's celebrated as the head of the Jewish year. Rosh Hashanah begins with the sounding of the shofar, an instrument made of a ram's horn, proclaiming God as King of the Universe, just as a trumpet would be sounded at a king's coronation. In fact, Rosh Hashanah is described in the Torah as Yom Teru'ah, a day of sounding (the Shofar). The sound of the shofar is also a call to repentance—to wake up and re-examine our commitment to God and to correct our ways. Thus begins the "Ten Days of Repentance" which ends with Yom Kippur, the "Day of Atonement."



World Day of The Deaf – September 25, 2022



On World Day of The Deaf, awareness is raised about the challenges of deaf people. It also highlights the importance of sign language, not only for deaf people but for all persons. It is also a day to help create awareness concerning some dangerous habits that can easily lead to hearing loss.

CONFUCIUS

Confucius is believed to have been born on September 28, 551 B.C. Confucius taught many philosophies, and 499 of his famous sayings are known around the world today. Confucius's given name of 'Qui' means 'hill' because he was born with a bump on his head. Among many of Confucius' teachings, was humaneness, which he summarized as: "Do not impose on others what you do not want [others to impose on you]." {Sounds like the Golden Rule to me}



American Indians



ALGONQUIAN	CHOCTAW	NEZ PERCE
APACHE	COMANCHE	PAWNEE
BLACKFOOT	CREEK	PUEBLO
CHEROKEE	CROW	SHAWNEE
CHEYENNE	HOPI	SHOSHONE
CHINOOK	IROQUOIS	SIOUX
CHIPPEWA	NAVAJO	WINNEBAGO

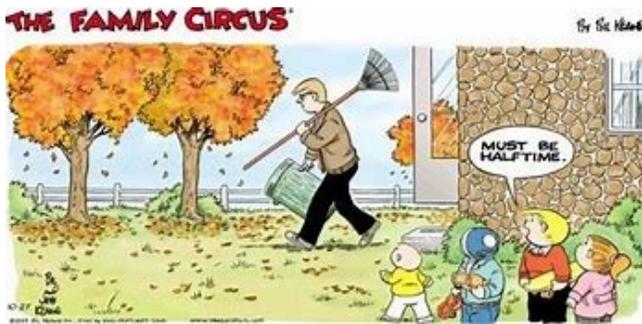
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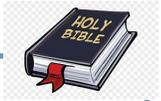
"I'VE GIVEN UP ON LOOKING FOR THE BLUEBIRD OF HAPPINESS...I'D SETTLE FOR THE CHICKEN OF CONTENTMENT!"



As summer fades into fall, the days start getting shorter and there is less sunlight. This is a signal for the leaf to prepare for winter and to stop making chlorophyll. Once this happens, the green color starts to fade and the reds, oranges, and yellows become visible. Extreme weather changes can also have an effect on the leaves. For example, a drought or an early frost could make the leaves fall off of the trees before they've had time to change colors.



A scripture a day keeps the devil away



SEPTEMBER 23 - PROMISE #266

[I will enrich your life and renew your youth like the eagle's.](#)

[Psalms 103:5](#)

SEPTEMBER 24 - PROMISE #267

[I will not reject the sacrifice of a broken spirit and a contrite heart.](#)

[Psalms 51:17](#)

SEPTEMBER 25 - PROMISE #268

[I will always be close when you need My comfort.](#)

[2 Corinthians 1:3-4](#)

SEPTEMBER 26 - PROMISE #269

[When you walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will be with you.](#)

[Psalms 23:4](#)

SEPTEMBER 27 - PROMISE #270

[I will keep you from falling until you joyfully stand blameless in My presence.](#)

[Jude 1:24](#)

SEPTEMBER 28 - PROMISE #271

[I will soon crush the evil one under your feet.](#)

[Romans 16:20](#)

SEPTEMBER 29 - PROMISE #272

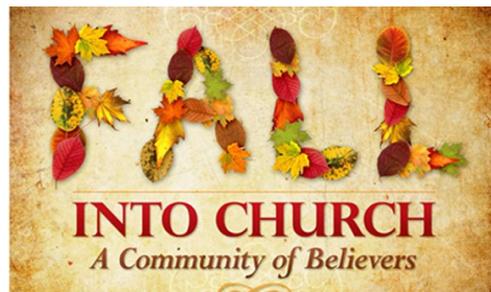
[You have an everlasting inheritance reserved in heaven for you.](#)

[1 Peter 1:3-4](#)

SEPTEMBER 30 - PROMISE #273

[I have the ability to do all that I have promised.](#)

[Romans 4:20-21](#)



PRAYER CONCERNS

Those sick and in the hospital, and our shut-ins; for those we love who are in care centers, assisted living and nursing care. Our veterans and our world, especially the situation in Ukraine. Our teachers and students and those who assist them. We pray for unspoken requests and those we name in our heart. And for each other.



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