
COLLEGE MOUND GAZETTE



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Celebrating 175 Years of Ministry in the Community

Prayers & Joys

Our nation, our leaders, our troops, our law enforcement officers, and relationships during these challenging times, for the Healthy Church Initiative (HCI), folks traveling, The Penney family, Maxine Tankersley, Homer Winton, Family of Clara Burnett, Family of Joy Reed, Family of Rob Sneed, John and Jody Briggs, Sammye Gentry and Family, Eddie Wilson (Rock and Reid's Brother in law, hospitalized in Memphis), Rock and Reid's grandson in the 82nd airborne has been mobilized, JoAnn McCutchan (Flu and chemotherapy), Jackie Cookston (Kitty's Uncle, receiving hospice care), Belinda Tutt, Sheri Holcomb, Robert Holcomb, Spalding Family, Randy Willis, Jennifer Johnson, Leslie Shavers, Family of Robert Gonzales, Shanna Kellogg, Donna Reynold's niece Ashley, Suzi Mohr

This Week at College Mound January 12-18, 2020

- ☞ **Game Night:**
Monday, January 13th, 7 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall
- ☞ **UMW:**
Tuesday, January 14th, 10 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall
- ☞ **Ladies Bible Study:**
Tuesday, January 14th, 7 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall
- ☞ **Supper Club:**
Friday, January 17th, 5:30 p.m. at a restaurant TBD
- ☞ **Birthdays and Anniversaries:**
Roseanne Arredondo – January 12th
Gary Flowers – January 14th
Graham Mees – January 15th
Ann Caughron – January 16th
Maxine Tankersley - January 16th
Dana & Vickie Reed - January 16th
Jim Elder – January 17th
Claiten Sluder – January 17th
Terri McCutchan – January 18th

Last Sunday, January 5th

Attendance in Sunday School: 25

Attendance in church: 57



Scripture: Isaiah 60:1-6 Arise and let your light shine!

Sermon: "The Dawning of a New Day"
The prophet Isaiah talks about the light that brings us out of darkness. Parts of our world today are often in "darkness". Jesus calls us to come into the light and the church is to be a beacon for that light. We are to be a reflection of Jesus' light to the world in darkness.



The Lord's Supper was served to all.



Warning - Cuteness Overload! Love seeing these kids learn about God's Love from Ms. Anne!



Wanda Sikes received a note from Dan Weaver, who has attended our worship services (he sat behind Ed & Di Ferguson) but hasn't been in some time. His wife passed away and he has moved back to Ohio. If you would like to send a condolence card, his address is:

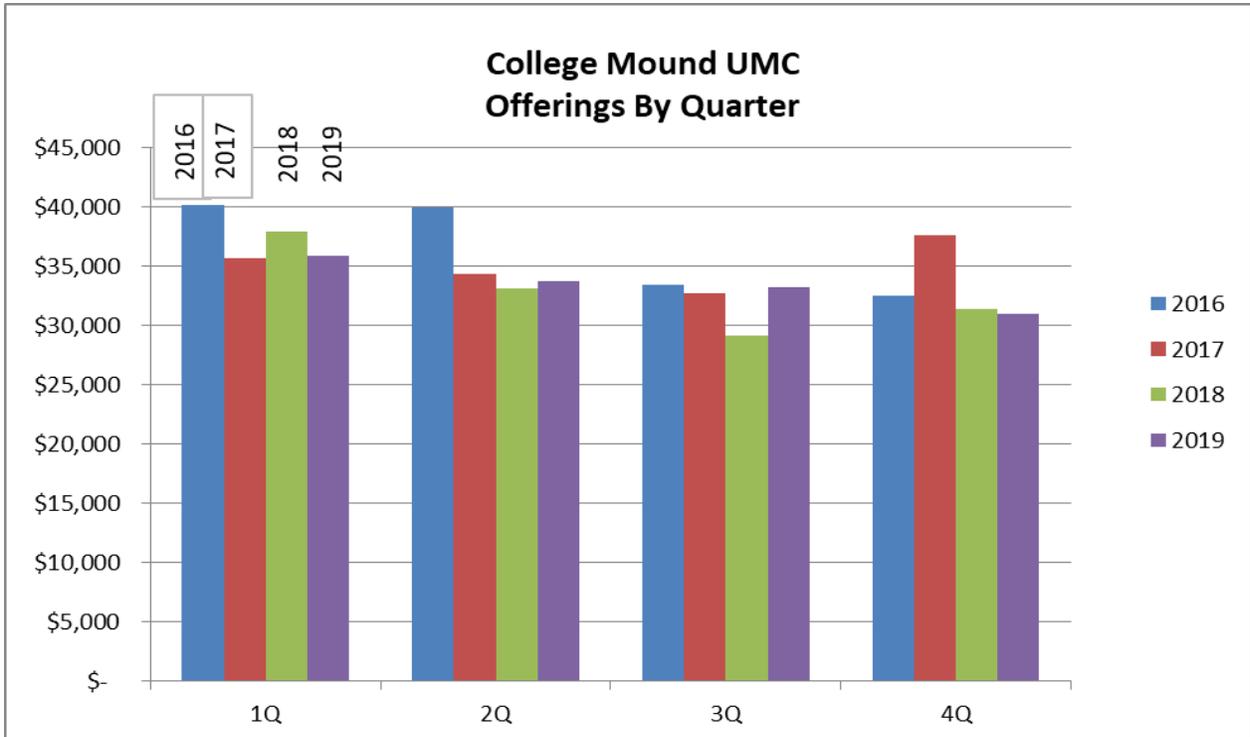
Dan H. Weaver
Amelia Grace Assisted Living
7090 Wilson Mills Road
Chesterland, Ohio 44026

It is widely known that we have some of the best cooks in Kaufman County – and Ann Caughron is one of them! She recently brought a dish to one of our events that had folks clamoring for the recipe, so here it is – Corn, Pea & Bean Salad!

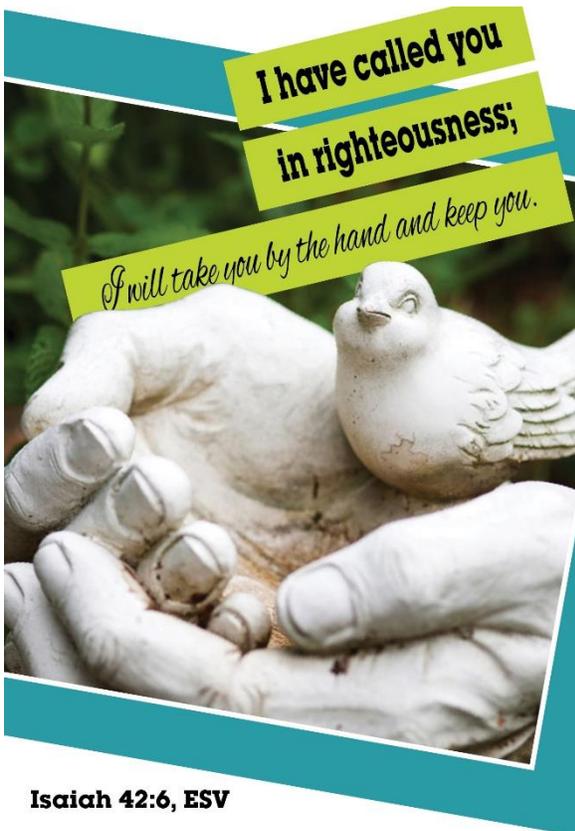
1 can French-cut green beans, drained
1 can Le Seur brand small peas, drained
1 can Le Seur corn or any good brand, drained
1 c. chopped celery
½ c. chopped onion (use red onion for color)
1 medium bell pepper chopped

Marinade:

1 c. sugar
½ c. oil
¾ c. cider vinegar
Salt and pepper
Heat marinade mixture until sugar melts. Dump all vegetables in a large bowl. Pour marinade over vegetables. Mix gently, but well. Store in covered jars in refrigerator. Will stay good up to 6 weeks.



The regular Offerings Chart is on a brief hiatus for a few weeks, while Dana gathers the data for the new chart. He prepared this chart, which compares the past four years by quarter.



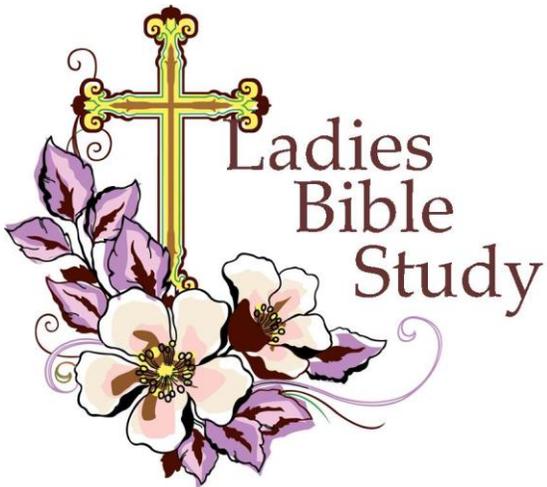
Just a reminder about Monday Game Night – it’s great fun, food and fellowship! The group gathers at 7 p.m. and then, LET THE GAMES BEGIN! Anything from chickenfoot or penny ante poker (all proceeds go to the Penny Fund) to Uno and jigsaw puzzles. There has been a request for someone to teach the group how to play “Bunco”! If you have light snacks at home, bring them to share. Let’s play!

?? ? **Bible Quiz** ? ?

The precise number varies depending on the Bible version, but roughly how many times does the word “love” occur in the Old and New Testaments combined?

- A. 200-300
- B. 400-500
- C. 600-700
- D. 800-900

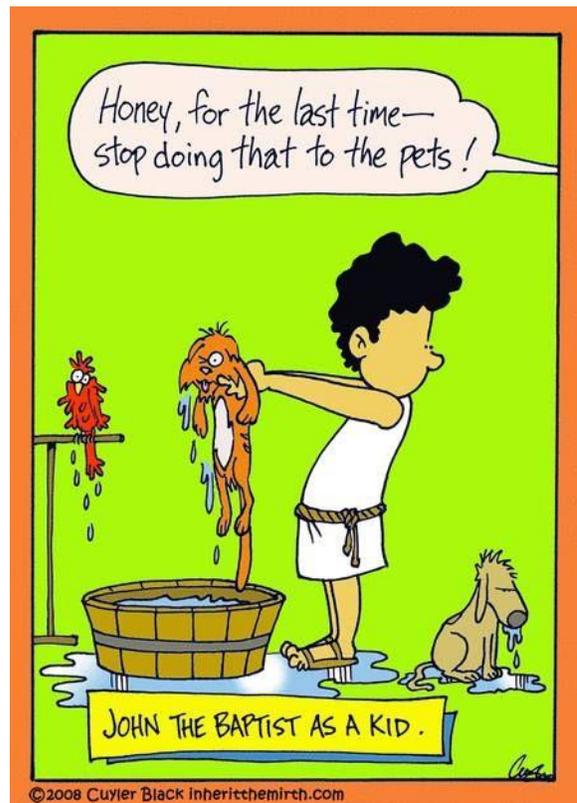
Answer: C



Starts this Tuesday, January 14th,
7 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall

The Finance Committee will hold its annual Church Audit on Saturday, January 25th at 8:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. The purpose of the audit is to match payments and receipts for 2019 expenses and balance the books. This provides assurance that funds are being spent appropriately. If you are a member of the Finance Committee, please be in attendance at this very important meeting.

Yes, it's never too early to start thinking about the Lord's Acre Auction, especially with the after Christmas sales going on. Now is a good time to buy those cute Christmas decorations at a big discount, and save them to put in the Auction. Just be sure and remember where you put them come November!



This notice comes from Thomas King:

Extra Extra, did you know Terrell PD puts on CHL (Concealed Handgun License) classes almost every month? There is a Feb 8th training class with spaces still available. The Cost of the training class is \$50, and you must bring a pistol (mimum caliber is .32) and 50 rounds of store bought ammunition. You can sign up by email to chlterrell@cityofterrell.org.

BUT wait there's more... If we can come up with ~20-24 people who want to take the class the instructor is willing to create a one off training class for us. We could reach out to other churches if we need more people to join (First Church Kaufman/Terrell). If you would like to go in a group please email Thomas King at twinwking@yahoo.com or call/text me at 214-729-2016 (leave a voicemail).