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Thought for the Week: You will never "find" time for anything. If you want time, you must make it. Buxton

FLU SHOTS

The Huntington County Health Department will have a Flu Shot Clinic at the Warren Pharmacy on Friday, October 16th. from 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM. Flu shots will be \$20/ADULT (age 18 & older), \$5/CHILD (6 months to 17 years old).

Medicaid patients may obtain the shot for \$0.00 copay, IFTHEY PRESENT A CURRENTLY ACTIVE MEDICAID CARD.

Medicare patients may pay for the vaccination and send their bill into Medicare for reimbursement. The Health Department will issue a receipt of payment. CASH or Local Checks are accepted. Residents of neighboring counties are welcome! You do not need to be a Huntington County resident.

This service is provided by the Huntington County Health Department. The Warren Pharmacy is simply providing a location for this excellent service.

BAZAAR PLANNED

Solid Rock United Methodist Church of Warren will be holding their Bazaar Saturday, October 10th from 10am-2pm at the Knight-Bergman Civic Center in Warren. There will be food, crafts and baked goods.

LITTLE BOOK CLUB

The Little Ones Book Club will meet on Tuesday, October 6th at 10:00. All children ages 3 months to 4 years are invited to bring an adult and join us for stories, songs, a craft project and snacks at the Van Buren United Methodist Fellowship Hall. Each child will receive a

free book to add to their home library. For more information call 765-934-4372, Come join the fun!

OPEN **H**OUSE

New Hope Ministries at 9019 E 300 S, Warren will be having an open house on Sept. 26th. from 11a.m. to 2p.m.

There will be free hot dogs and drinks, Basket ball hoop Throw, Ring toss, Duck Pond, Cake walk and more. Popcorn Kelly and his popcorn machine will also be there.

Starting at 1p.m. there will be music inside the church.

Come join the fun!!

New Hope Ministries resides in the former Jefferson Center United Methodist Church building.

FOOD MINISTRY NOTICE

We want to inform everyone who is supporting the Angel Food Ministry in Warren that this coming Saturday, September 26, COULD BE OUR LAST SATURDAY for the food to be dropped off at our Warren location. Orders have been down enough that AFM headquarters has informed us that starting in October we will have to pick our orders in Marion. If we could get them back up to 100 or more, they would still deliver in Warren. We need to hear from you about this important ministry. We will be having a meeting of all the volunteers and representatives from the supporting churches this Saturday, September 26 to discuss this situation. We know times are hard and AFM has extended the deadline time to help folks hold on to their money a little longer before receiving

their orders. We feel this is a wonderful ministry that is helping many folks with their food bills. If you have comments let us hear from you at 375-3022. Thank you for supporting the Warren Angel Food Ministry.

FISH FRY PLANNED

Twin Bridge Conservation Club in Mt. Zion will be having an "All You Can Eat" Fish, Chicken and Tenderloin Supper on October 3, 2009. Serving time is 4:30 to 7:30 pm.

Tickets purchased at the door are \$8.00 for Adults, \$4.50 for children 6 -12 and 5 and under eat free.

Carryouts will be available. Fish prepared by Dan's Fish Fry.

NOTICE FOR TRUSTEE

The Huntington County Community School Corporation Board of Trustees has the authority and responsibility to appoint an individual to serve as a trustee to the Warren Public Board. That Library appointment is a four year term that will begin October 1, 2009 and will end September 30, 2013. Interested applicants should send a letter of interest including pertinent qualifications to the HCCSC Administration Office, c/o Cindy Gray, 1360 Warren Road, Huntington, IN 46750. Letters should be received by 4:00 p.m. on Friday, October 2, 2009.

HOMESCHOOL PHYS ED

Huntington University's
Department of Physical
Education is offering a physical
education program for
elementary-aged home-

schooled children.

The department will have nine sessions this fall. Class time is from 2:15 to 3:03 p.m. in the field house of the university's Merillat Complex for Physical Education and Recreation. The dates for the sessions are Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29; Nov. 5, 12 and 19; and Dec. 3.

This service is available to all area homeschooled children in elementary grades, including students from Huntington and surrounding counties. Families who have not previously been involved in the program are asked to come a few minutes early on Oct. 1 to complete the registration forms. This fall's curriculum will be an integration of social studies and physical education.

Huntington University students conducting the elementary physical education class are either physical education majors or elementary education majors. Curriculum

development and supervision of the classes are provided by Jody Davenport, instructor in physical education. More information can be obtained by emailing Davenport at jdavenport@huntington.edu.

MARKET **R**EPORT

The market has closed for the season. Saturday we had a very nice final day. The vendors thank all the customers we all had this past summer. We apologize for the lack of produce but we can not predict what mother nature is planning for

There will be a winter market in November just before Thanksgiving to help with your holiday preparations. We will keep you posted via the Warren Weekly.



Scarecrow Festival October 30

The corn and beans are turning brown
And school-bell-sounds may cause a frown
Tons of Scarecrow fun will soon be found
When kids and adults parade around
At the Scarecrow Festival downtown!!!

Come join in on the fun on October 30 from 6-8pm!

Start creating your Scarecrow and concocting your tastiest chili brew! Yum!

The Warren Area Chamber Of Commerce invites all Merchants, Schools, Clubs, Sororities, Individuals, and Churches to decorate storefronts with Harvest or Halloween Themes. Please take this opportunity to show the people of Warren and surrounding areas how much you appreciate them with a family – friendly, relaxing evening!

For businesses not located in downtown, please come and participate with a booth and banner! A location on Wayne Street will be chosen for you. More information to follow in the Warren Weekly, if any questions, volunteering, or for activity ideas please call 375-2556 or 375-3010.

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Leave news and/or advertising at PJ's Flower and Gift Shop, mail to P O Box 695, Warren, fax to 260.375.7007 or email to wwkly@citznet.com. Van Buren esidents may call Mary Jo Zoda at 765-934-3637.

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KUDOS, KICKS & KARATS

THANK YOU

We would like to thank everyone who attended our 50th anniversary open house. Also, to all who sent cards and best wishes, you made our day a very special day.

Most of all a big THANK YOU to our children, Mark, Sherry, Cindy and Scott, who made it all possible. We appreciate all the effort and care you put into it.

John & Marjorie Jones



Fall is fast approaching us and it is rather nice to be slowing down a bit. The garden is sad looking and about as exhausted as I am. Still have the potatoes to dig then

I can do the fall cleanup. The compost bin is getting full and plan on seeing some nice rich compost come next spring.

The little yellow finches have pretty much cleaned out the sunflowers, they were certainly busy at them this summer. Each spring I find many seeds sprouting, some of which I let grow and many I pull out, if not I would have a ton of them blooming. Ours were very tall this year some were probably 8 feet or more tall. We enjoy watching the finches working on the seeds. I have not bought sunflower seeds for many years. The finches take care of

Soon the humming birds will be leaving and will miss the busy little birds. Each year we have only one pair coming to the feeder but they keep us entertained.

There was no greater lover of the birds, no matter what kind, than my dad. He and I had a favorite spot up Loon Creek where we went supposedly to fish. He would have me make some sandwiches and treats and we would head up the creek with fishing poles and sack lunch to our special spot, supposedly to bring home fish for supper. Most of the time we never bothered to dig any worms for bait we would snag a few crawdads and use the tails for bait. One time we decided to make bait balls as we called them from the peanut butter sandwiches. Believe it or not it really worked, we caught some nice sun fish and blue gills with our special bait.

More times than not we would just sit back and watch the birds and tell mom the fish were just not biting. You know it is really hard for the fish to jump up on the bank and hook themselves on the poles that were leaning up against the tree. He taught me the names of many birds and how and when they migrated to other areas and why. We spent many great hours along Loon Creek relaxing and knowing that coming home there was plenty of chores to get done. What great memories.

This past weekend we had the pleasure of spending it with our Gayle, it is always a good to spend special times with our girls. She was being kind to her sister filling in at the Opera House while she was on a few days of vacation. She also helped me with the last day of the farmers market. She enjoyed visiting with people she hadn't

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Youth Group (Wed.).....6:00 p.m.

Wed. Midweek Service......6:30 p.m.

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Kathy Newton, Pastor

Sunday School9:00 a.m.

Worship Service10:00 a.m.

LANCASTER WESLEYAN

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Doug Sharrard, Pastor

David Thrift, S.S. Supt.

Sunday School9:30 a.m.

Worship10:30 a.m.

CYC/Teen/Adult Meetings 7:00 p.m.

LIBERTY CENTER BAPTIST CHURCH

694-6622

Pastor Dan Sommer

Sunday School9:00 a.m.

Fellowship 9:55a.m.

Worship 10:15a.m.

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Pastor Scott Nedberg Sunday Worship...... 9:30 a.m. Junior Church 10:00 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Communion 1st Sunday of the Month

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Jeff Wass, Pastor

Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Adult Worship10:30 a.m. Children's Church 10:30a.m. Evening Praise Hour..... 6:00p.m. Hour of Power (Wed) 7:00p.m.

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Pastor Blake J. Neff Worship Service 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:30a.m. Jr/Sr High UMYF (Sun)...... 6:30 p.m. Prayer-Bible Study (Thur).... 7:30 p.m. UMW 2nd Wed 7:00 p.m. www.vanburenumc.org

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Shanna Fortney, Bible School Supt. Nathan Ratcliff, Youth Minister www.warrenchurchofchrist.org Fellowship9:15 a.m. Worship & Communion9:30 a.m. Sunday School10:45 a.m.

WARREN 1ST BAPTIST CHURCH Corner of N. Wayne & Matilda Sts.

Rev. Bill Fisher, Pastor of Preaching and Discipleship Rev. Robert Bothast, Pastor of Family Life

Lori Buzzard, S.S. Supt. Sunday School9:00 a.m.

Sunday Worship10:00 a.m. Sunday Evening Service 6:00p.m. WARREN WESLEYAN CHURCH 375-2330 6th & Nancy Sts. Warren Rev. Allen Laws, Pastor

Wesley Welch, Supt. Sunday School9:30 a.m.

Worship10:15 a.m. Wednesday Prayer Service..7:00p.m. www.warrenweslevan.com **FARRVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH**

> 11044 E 200 N, Marion, IN 765-934-3609 Pastor - Dan Metz

Sunday Worship...... 10:30 am Sunday School Classes9:30 am Youth Group6:00 pm Sunday Adult Bible Study...... 6:00 pm Thurs. Bible Study7:00 pm

ASBURY CHAPEL HILLCREST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

8013W 1100S - 90, Montpelier Phillip Freel Jr, Pastor

Worship 9:30 a.m. Sunday School10:30 a.m. Wed Evening Carry-in & Fellowship

BANQUO CHRISTIAN CHURCH 8294S 900W 35 Gary Riley, Pastor

Sunday School9:30 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m. Youth Choir Practice 5:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study6:30 p.m. Thurs. Kings Kids6:30 p.m. BYG Youth Svc. (2&4Sun.) .. 6:00 p.m. CWF Ladies (3 Tue)6:00 p.m. 1st Sun. (Qtrly) Praise Hour.. 6:30 p.m.

BOEHMER UNITED METHODIST Rev. Barry Humble, Pastor Jerome Markley, S.S. Supt. Sunday Worship 9:30a.m.

Sunday School 10:30a.m. CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH Van Buren, Indiana 765-934-2199 Pastor - William Shelor

Youth Leaders - Heath & Kelly Jones Worship9:30 a.m. Sunday School10:40 a.m. Adult Bible Study Sun 6:30p.m. Youth Group Sun 6:30p.m. Handicap Accesible

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Dick Case, Pastor Sun - 1st Worship Service..... 8:15a.m.

Sunday School......9:30a.m. 2nd Worship Service10:30a.m. Youth Group (6th-12th).6:00p.m. Wed - Circle of Friends

(3yrs old - 5th grade) . 6:30-8p.m. HANFIELD UNITED METHODIST

101 N 400 E - Marion 765/664-8726 Timothy Helm, Senior Pastor

1st Worship.....9:00 a.m. **HERITAGE POINTE**

Sunday Morning Worship9:30 a.m.

OTHER SERVICES BY ANNOUNCEMENT Tues, Thurs, Fri & Sat Chapel Services9:00 a.m.

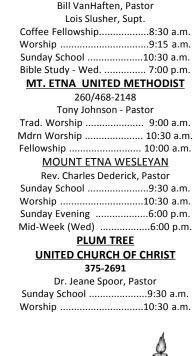
THE NEW BEGINNING

SR 218, 2 1/8 mile west of Poneto Steve Sutton, Pastor 765/728-2065 for more info Sunday Worship......10:30a.m. ThursdayPrayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

NEW HOPE MINISTRIES

9019 E 300 S - Warren Indiana Jim Graham, Pastor 260/494-6753 260/489-1456 260/375-4224

Sunday School 9:30am Morning Worship 10:30am





BY DENNIS STROUD

The first big remodeling of the Exchange Bank was done in 1933. There was some very interesting new material used in the job. They called it the "Bandit Barrier." It was to stop the bandit before he got started on the business he came to transact. When you entered the bank there was not much of a change and then you noticed a thing to put your money in where the open window used to be. Then your money disappeared and you could see the teller reaching for it on the other side.

The teller would speak to you and it would sound so clear that you would look for the hole to speakthrough, but there wasn't any. The glass partition was made of a material that transmits sound in addition to its other qualities.

The glass, in the partition, was one and three sixteenth inch thick and was made in three layers. It was manufactured by a special process to make the glass bullet-proof. The glass was framed in steel and steel plates covered the entire partition not

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occupied by the bullet-proof glass. Even the door to enter that area was covered in steel. Over the partition, reaching to the ceiling, was a screen of heavy wire mesh which was bullet-proof. The windows along side the building was covered with the same kind of heavy wire. The rear outside doors was reinforced and the rear windows were barred.

The old furniture was kept, since it was discovered the material in the fifty year old desk was better than in the modern furniture. All of that furniture you would be able to see at the Salamonie Valley Museum. In that year Joseph P. Good became president of the bank.

YOUTH DEER HUNTING

Individuals allowed participate in Indiana's two-day youth deer season, Sept. 26-27, have been expanded to include 16- and 17-year-olds for the first time.

The special event, which is being held for the fourth consecutive year, provides youth licensed hunters (17 years old or younger) who are accompanied by an adult (18 years old or older) the opportunity to take one antlerless deer in addition to all other tags for the remaining deer seasons.

In the past, youth seasons were open only to hunters 15 years or younger. The new rule defining youth hunters as those 17 years old or younger was passed in July.

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"The change in youth season age limit will provide more opportunity to younger hunters," said Chad Stewart, DNR deer biologist. "This season fosters the relationship between young hunters and experienced supervisors as they spend time in the field learning proper hunting ethics and procedures."

Participants may use any legal equipment, including shotgun, rifle, muzzleloader, bow and arrow, or crossbow to harvest deer. Hunter orange must be worn, and the youth hunter must possess a legal license while hunting (either youth consolidated hunting license or apprentice license).

A youth consolidated license requires the youth to have passed the hunter education course; however, the new apprentice hunting license allows a hunter of any age the opportunity to purchase a license without taking hunter education. Individuals with an apprentice hunter license must hunt with a licensed hunter who is older than 18 years of age, and must stay in contact with the adult hunter at all times.

Indiana hunters are limited to three apprentice licenses during their lifetime. This allows time for young hunters to decide if they want to continue hunting when they get older. To do so, they must take a hunter education course.

Donate Blood! The Life you save may be your own.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers are needed to assist with Ouabache State Park's Fall Festival Weekend, Oct. 30-31.

Ouabache's Fall Festival is an opportunity for families to enjoy the weather and participate in a variety of events in a safe environment. Individuals are needed to help make the pot luck soup, decorate Campview Shelter, and assist with games during the Fall Festival Fair. Other volunteer opportunities also exist.

Anyone, age 16 or older may volunteer. Volunteers will be provided a free evening meal and will be presented with a certificate of thanks afterward. Letters documenting volunteer time will be provided for individuals requesting one for work or school purposes.

To volunteer, contact the park's interpretive naturalist at (260) 824-0926 between 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., or e-mail OuabacheInterp@dnr.IN.gov. Ouabache State Park is at 4930 E. State Road 201, Bluffton, 46714.

NEWSBOYS IN CONCERT

STAR 88.3 and Huntington University have partnered to present an evening of music and message with the Newsboys at 6 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 18, at Fort Wayne's Allen County War Memorial Coliseum.

The Newsboys, with Michael Tait, have teamed up with Global Tribe to travel the U.S. to bring an event called "Reach" to various cities. "Reach" partners with local radio stations, community ministries and neighborhood churches to bring the Gospel message to towns across America and beyond. This ministry is wrapped up in a Newsboys concert that includes a Gospel presentation followed by a call

for new believers to connect with a local church.

Seventh Day Slumber, Meinmotion, Bread of Stone and In Honor of Him will join the Newsboys for "Reach's" Fort Wayne event.

No tickets are needed for "Reach." A suggested donation of \$10 will be taken at the door, although no one will be turned away for the inability to give. Organizers also will collect nonperishable food items for the Associated Churches Food

Newsboys has 14 albums, a score of Grammy and Dove awards, seven gold albums and 21 number one songs to their

For more information, visit www.star883.com www.globaltribe.com.

CATTLEMEN TO MEET

The Huntington County Cattlemen will meet on Wednesday, September 30th at 7:00 pm in the Family Living Building, Hier's Park. Topics for discussion include: proposed changes to beef project in the 4-H Fair book; judge selection for 2010 Preview Show, 2010 4-H Fair Beef Show, and 2010 4-H Fair Starter Calf Show; possible aisle way improvement to the beef barn; and a review of the food tent at the 4-H Fair.

For more information, contact Purdue Extension – Huntington County Office, 354 N Jefferson - Suite 202, Huntington or call



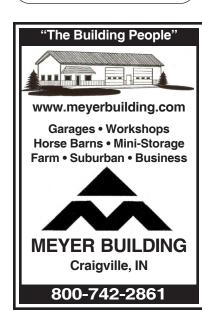


Items listed here are open to the public. If there is an admission charge or items are for sale or a donation is necessary, there is a onetime \$5 fee to be listed. Events can be listed for as long as 6 months. (If an event is cancelled, please notify WW.) Only event, place, time, and sponsor, for events in Warren, and the surrounding area will be listed.

Sep 24 Warren Recycle Day Sep 26 Angel Food Ministry Pick Up Day Sep 28 Warren Town Council 4p.m., Assembly Hall Fish Fry - Mt Zion Conservation Club Oct 7 Warren Chamber of Commerce, noon, Assembly Hall Oct 7 Van Buren Town Council, 7 p.m. Warren Recycle Day Oct 8 Angel Food Ministry Order Day Oct 10 Oct 12 Columbus Day Warren Town Council 6:30 p.m., Assembly Hall Oct 12 Oct 19 KBC Board Meeting, 5:30, at KBC Oct 21 Van Buren Town Council 7p.m.

Bluffton Street Fair

Bread of Life Food Pantry - Wed 2 - 5:00pm at KBC or by appointment -Call 375-2381. Bargain Basement - Friday & Saturday 9 - 4 at KBC Cancer Support Group - 3rd Tuesday 6:30-8p.m. at Bluffton Regional South



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JUDGES WORKSHOP

Adults interested in learning how to become 4-H Project Judges at county 4-H fairs are invited to attend the Northeast Indiana 4-H Judges Workshop, Saturday, November 7. The event will be held at Grace Point Church of the Nazarene, 8611 Mayhew Rd, Fort Wayne, IN 46825.

The workshop will begin with registration at 8:30 AM. A general session at 9 AM will explain the philosophy of judging 4-H projects, working with youth during the judging process and understanding project rules.

Breakout seminars will round out the morning workshop that will conclude at 12:15 PM. The breakout sessions will include: Geology, Crafts, Fashion Revue, Natural Resources (entomology, forestry, wildlife, soil & water), New Judges, Floriculture, Sewing/Consumer Clothing, Scrapbooking, Photography, and Posters.

The event is being organized by Purdue Extension Service 4-H Youth Development Educators in Northeast Indiana. The workshop is open to all current or prospective 4-H judges who are interested in learning more about the 4-H judging process.

Registration forms, along with a payment of \$10 (workshop materials and refreshments) are

due by Friday, October 30th.
For more information, contact
Purdue Extension – Huntington
County office, located at 354 N
Jefferson Street – Suite 202,
Courthouse Annex, Huntington
or calling 260-358-4826 or email
laldridg@purdue.edu.

FITNESS FAIR

Parkview Huntington Hospital will hold its annual fall Health and Fitness Fair on Wednesday, Oct. 7, 2009, from 6 a.m. to 11 a.m., at the hospital, located at 2001 Stults Road in Huntington. Lab services will be provided in the lower-level classrooms, and free health screenings, health information and participating organizations will be located in the front lobby area. Valet parking will also be provided at the main entrance.

Lab services provided this year include:

Blood Chemistry 17* (calcium, cholesterol, sodium, potassium, creatinine, uric acid, magnesium, iron, albumin, bilirubin, triglycerides, HDL, LDL, AST, alkaline phosphatase and glucose) — \$19, and \$17 for Senior Partners.

Hemogram (anemia/iron) — \$9, and \$7 for Senior Partners. PSA Test (prostate blood test) — \$23, and \$20 for Senior Partners.

TSH Test (thyroid blood test)

— \$23, and \$20 for Senior Partners.

CRP Ultra Sensitive (blood test to predict the risk of developing heart disease) — \$23, and \$20 for Senior Partners.

*An eight- to 12-hour fast is recommended for the Blood Chemistry 17. Water is allowed, and diabetics should stay with their therapy schedule.

All tests must be paid for with cash or a check, and all results will be returned by mail.

Francine's Friends Mobile Mammography Coach, which participated in last year's fall Health and Fitness Fair, once again will be on-site for women to obtain mammograms. The screening mammography aboard the coach is provided by staff from the Breast Diagnostic Center (BDC). For women who have insurance, the BDC will bill the insurance company directly. For patients who do not have insurance but are able to pay, the BDC offers a reduced rate if payment is made on the day of the screening. Funding is available for women who have no insurance, a high deductible or who lack resources to pay.

Free health screenings will include blood pressure check, body fat analysis, bone density screen, foot screen, grip strength screen, height and weight and pulmonary analysis. Health information provided will include Ask the Pharmacist and nutrition.

ALZHEIMER'S EDUCATION

The Alzheimer's Association, Greater Indiana Chapter will host a family education event, Promises, Promises, at three different locations. On Oct 14 from 9:30 AM -10:30 AM at Parkview Huntington Hospital, 2001 Stults Rd. Huntington, IN., on Oct. 19 from 5-6 PM at St. James Lutheran Church, 1720 State Road 930 E., New Haven, IN. and on Nov. 18 from 12:30-1:30 PM at the Ossian United Methodist Church, 201 W. Mill St., Ossian, IN.

Promises, Promise is about promises we make to our family members that binds us in many ways. Guilt, poor decisions, potentially harmful decisions and harm to family members can all come out of promises made in the heat of a crisis, at a moment when one is fearing a greater harm to another family member or an event simply made without an understanding of what the promise might entail in the long run. Promising to "never put me in a nursing home" and "never to sell the family home" are two of the most common promises caregivers have to deal with. Join us as we discuss those "promises, promises" the consequences of promises made and successful ways to manage them.

The program is free and preregistration is requested. Please call 1-800-272-3900 to register or go to www.alz.org/indiana. You can receive more information by calling our local office at 260-420-5547.

COMMUNITY CONVERSATION

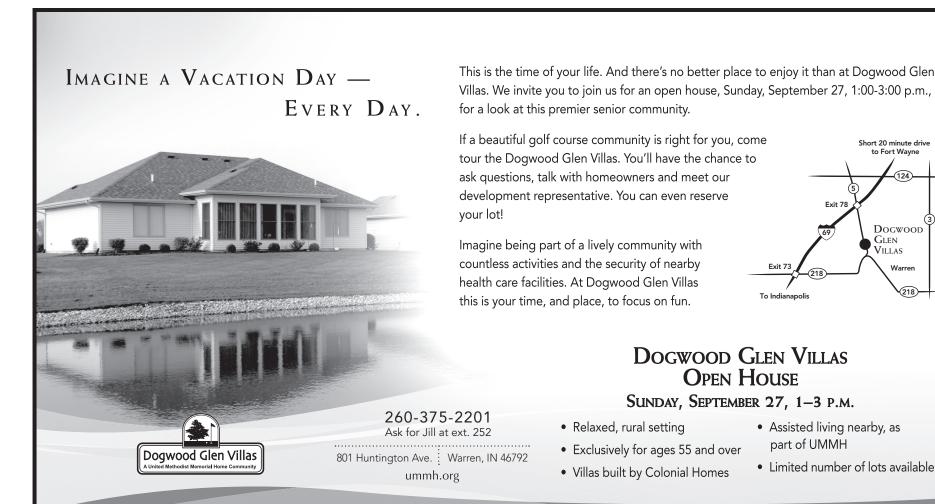
The Alzheimer's Association, Greater Indiana Chapter will host a series of Community Conversations to provide education and information for the community. The three part series will be held at the Waynedale Library, 2200 Lower Huntington Road, Fort Wayne, IN. on Oct. 15, 22, and 29 from 6-7 PM.

The first in the series, will be on Making Legal Decisions. Mr. Keith Huffman, an elder law attorney and member of the Regional Advisory Board, will provide information on the financial and legal issues that can arise with a diagnosis of Alzheimer's disease.

Know the 10 Warning Signs: Early Detection Matters provides attendees with an understanding of the difference between age-related memory loss and Alzheimer's disease and will be presented by Melissa Barile, Regional Director of the Alzheimer's Association.

The third program will be Aging Safely at Home and will be presented by Jana Powell, RN,NPamember of the Regional

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GENEALOGY REPORT

HAY 76,

Russell F. "Bud" Hay, of Warren, IN, passed away at 1:30 AM, Wednesday,



September 16, 2009 at his residence in Warren, IN.

He was born on Wednesday, August 30, 1933, in Rushville, IN to Russell W and Mae (Hatfield) Hay. He married Velma (Elswick) Hay on February 28, 2006 in Huntington County, Indiana., Velma survives.

Mr. Hay was a retired manager of apartment complexes in Ft. Wayne, IN. He enjoyed golfing and playing bass guitar in church. He was a member of the Gethsemane Ministries in Huntington, IN. He was a graduate of Bluffton High School.

Survivors include his wife, daughters Carol (husband, Steve) Brucker of Fishers, Ind., Karen (husband, Tom) Lang of Fort Wayne, Ind., Kim (husband, David) Bailey of Fort Wayne, Ind. and step daughter, Lisa Bowling of Warren, Ind., sons, Kent (wife, Tina) Hay of Fort Wayne, Ind., Chris (wife, Katie) Hay of Ossian, Ind. and Adam John Hay Kile of Fort Wayne, Ind., a brother Charles Adam Hay of Fort Wayne, Ind., 9 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, a son Kevin Hay, sister Zenia Marie Hay and brother Donald Eugene Hay.

Arrangements were handled by Glancy - H. Brown & Son Funeral Home. Funeral services were held at Gethsemane Ministries, 2239 Hartman Street, Huntington, IN, with Pastor Worlie Newsome, Jr., and Pastor Elsie Spencer officiating. Interment was at Gardens of Memory in Marion, Ind.

Memorials to Gethsemane Ministries, 2239 Hartman Street, Huntington, Indiana 46750.

PUGH

Georgia L. Pugh, 94, of Warren, IN, passed away at 5:15 AM, on Thursday, September 17, 2009 at Lutheran Hospital of Indiana in Fort Wayne, IN.

She was born on Friday, August 27, 1915, in Lagro, IN to Dallas and Hazel (Bray) Lewis. She married Carl E. Pugh on October 20, 1934 in Warren, Indiana. Carl preceded her in death on September 13, 1984.

Mrs. Pugh retired in 1984 from the United Methodist Memorial Home, now Heritage Pointe in the Housekeeping Department. She was an 80 year member of the First Baptist Church in Warren, IN.

Survivors include daughter Esther (Martin) St. John of Fuquay-Varina, N.C., son Jerry (Sharon) Pugh of Whitesboro, Okla., daughter-in-law Kathy Pugh of Warren, Ind., 20

grandchildren and several great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, parents, daughter Carolyn Holcombe, son Sam Pugh, brothers Allen and Elza Lewis and sisters Louise Dolby and Lola Ziemer

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The weekend retreat will be held at John XXIII Retreat Center in Hartford City, IN located on 407 W. McDonald St. It will begin on Oct. 2nd-Friday at 6:30pm and continue until Sunday, Oct. 4th at 1:00pm. The retreat will include presentations, small group discussions, prayer,

journaling and some quiet time. Sr. Joetta Huelsmann, PHJC, director of the Retreat Center, will also lead the retreatants in song and some group prayer experiences.

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It's Fun Being Nice

BUT.....

by V Neil Wyrick

Life is often an echo and it can only echo what all the participants are sending out. Think about this; which kind of behavior produces the better world for you and those around you to live in? A growl or a grin? A sneer or a smile? A snide remark or a gentle reminder?

Obviously, that's a loaded question. And while none of us can transform society into the exact shape we prefer, we can certainly make it better or worse. Our actions have a domino effect. People do tend to be more patient toward us when we are more patient to them. I still remember an airport scene where a less than patient gentleman was loudly demanding what he expected to get. Surprise! Surprise! He did not get it.

An ounce of honey is worth infinitely more than a gallon of gall, and cheap at any price. Be nice and you will harvest friends. Be grouchy and we pile up a host of enemies or at the very least a tremendous number of individuals who will be sorry to see us come and glad to see us

So, if we agree nice is better, why is being mean and nasty so entrenched in our society? If we understand that "nasty" is a short fuse without restraint, that it starts and continues wars, be they national or just personto-person, why isn't being nice, which thinks before it speaks, more popular? Unfortunately,

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"nice" is too often associated with being weak, and that because we regularly stop right there – just being nice.

Being nice offers all kind of pleasant feelings, everything from warm and fuzzy to downright exciting, but by itself just being nice isn't enough. What if nice were considered a member of the family of kindness and mercy? Now it takes on a whole new meaning. Now it has strength with the power to change the world.

It is "nice" to not say something bad about a person or segment of the population, but it is "kind" to go a step further and speak up for a person or a group being ridiculed. And as for mercy, it needs to be a verb rather than just an adjective. Nice is passive. Kind is active. Nice is "not practicing" vengeance. Kind is "giving" forgiveness.

I guess what I am saying is that we all should work extra hard at giving muscles to our social niceties. That we try to become the kind of folk who practice niceness, kindness and mercy till they are more than skin deep. Become a live-in part of our personality that is as permanent a part of us as the color of our eyes or the shape of our voice or the contour of our thinking.

This poor old world would certainly be a lot better off with a little more altruism than being afflicted by so much swine flu of the soul (piggishness).

We started with that warm and fuzzy feeling and now we have something infinitely greater. For now, if we encourage ourselves in the direction this column has aimed, we encompass mercy and a more tolerant spirit.

WCTU CONVENTION

The 136th annual meeting of Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Indiana will be held Oct. 2-3 at Rainbow Christian Camp & Conference Center in Converse.

The public is invited to attend the concert by Family Ties Quartet on Friday at 7 p.m. Members of the quartet are Winni Rockey, Jeannie Shone, John Stroup and Bill Martin.

The convention will officially open on Friday at 4:15 p.m. with State President Sarah F. Ward calling the meeting to order. The theme of this year's convention is "Serving Hands" and the theme song is "It Pays to Serve Jesus." President Ward will give a report on 1st Pacific region WCTU Conference that she

recently attended. Other members participating in the program will be Wanda Tupps, Lois Helm, Rev. Mary Ann Freeman and LeVaughn Stong. **President Ward**

This session will end with the White Ribbon Rally Song, followed by dinner at 5:30 p.m.

After the evening concert, there will be a White Elephant

On Saturday, activities will kickoff at 9 a.m. Bonnie Miller will officially welcome those in attendance. The response will be given by Lois Helm. Rev. G. Bright Hanna will introduce Honorary Members. Becky Stevens will read the minutes followed by the treasurer's report by Lois Anderson. Bertie Shively will present awards and give a report. The audience will sing the Battle Hymn of the

WCTU.

A Department Directors' Round Table is scheduled with Rev. Freeman, Vonda Gross, Mrs. Tupps, Shirley Richardson, Shirley Knight, Barbara Pomeroy, and Krischelle Jones giving comments.

The Battle Hymn of the WCTU will be sung by the audience. Anna Mae Hartsock will conduct a Memorial Service. This will be followed by an election of a Promotion Director and Recording Secretary.

The convention luncheon will be a 12:15 p.m.

The afternoon session will begin at 1:15 p.m. William Stong will provide special music. State President Sarah F. Ward will present the President's Recommendations followed by

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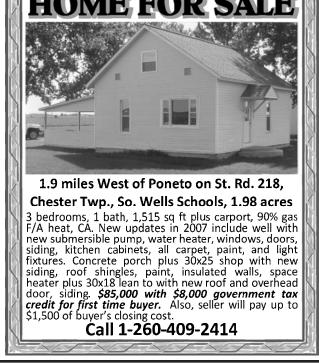
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her convention speech entitled, "The Three M's.

The meeting will conclude with a Friendship Circle and benediction.

Tri Kappa

The Gamma Upsilon Chapter of Tri Kappa met at the home of Karen Pinkerton on Tuesday, Sept 1st 2009. The meeting was called to order by President Jen Plummer. Roll Call was taken by Secretary Amy Vance.

Karen Pinkerton then gave the treasurer's report.

An Audit report was given by Sue Ellen Jones.

Our new information inserts were handed out and gone over. It was reported that we have six college members this year and more funding may be needed.

The Festival committee reported on successful root beer sales at the car show and that we sold out of most everything.

Nut sales information was handed out and discussed. Tri Kappa members will be selling nuts until the first of October. We are to turn in our orders at the next meeting. We will also be selling at Heritage Pointe in November and December. No specific date has been set yet.

Recording Secretary, Bridget Swaidner read thanks you's from the mental health fund. Thankyou's were also read from Rita Bolinger, Jake Ripperger, Amanda Poulson and Brittney McGinnis for scholarships.

Province workshop information was shared by members who attended.

A new fund raiser was proposed and approved.

We will be helping sell food out of the Back Door Bakery at the Bluffton Street Fair on Wed. Sept 23rd.

Other members present, not mentioned above were: Karen Hinshaw, Karen Hunnicutt, Sue Ellen Jones, Karen McCoy, Trish Musselman, Stacia Perry, Megan Mondragon, Nicole Warpup and Rebecca Jones.

VACATION TIME AGAIN

We only write this because so many people ask us if we have been on vacation yet, as they haven't read about it in the paper. We appreciate everyone's interest in this event, however, we really don't think it is newsworthy. It does give us a little bit of family record to pass on to our children. Speaking of family history, our Mother & Dad had 17 children. Two are deceased. At last count there were 59 grand children. I guess there is probably no chance of any more grandchildren since we range in age from 60 years to 86 years.

There were only nine sisters that went on vacation. Jean broke her hip several weeks before and was not feeling up to going on vacation. We sure missed her delicious biscuits for breakfast. I guess we were kind of lazy as we had cold cereal most mornings. On our last Saturday morning, several of us got to have ice cream for breakfast, as we did not want to throw it away. DELICIOUS! I think our age is getting the best of us, because we slept in every morning until seven o'clock. (We were on vacation you know!)

We say every year we are not going to take so much food, however, the gardens produced an abundance of vegetables and we had fresh vegetables all week. Pat brought 6 or 7 loaves of zucchini bread, which was more than we could eat. We had corn, tomatoes, green beans and cabbage left over. We also brought along home-

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made chicken & noodles, cookies, ham salad and yeast roll mix ready to bake.

It rained several days so we spent those days playing games and reminiscing. Evelyn's daughter and son-in-law, Dan & Diane invited us over on Sunday for a delicious dinner of charcoal roasted chicken with all the trimmings. Of course we had our traditional pontoon ride on the St. Joseph river. It is a delightful ride with all the beautiful homes lining the banks. On Tuesday, seven of us traveled to Shipshewanna to the flea market. Each of us managed to buy articles for "show & tell". On Wednesday evening, Janet & Brenda attended a doll club meeting with Evelyn. On Friday evening, we entertained Evelyn's granddaughter Ashley and her husband Ben. They are newlyweds and we enjoyed their company....Ben fit right in with our family. Evelyn's son David also joined us.

We stayed at Baldwin Lake, Michigan. This is about our fifth year to vacation here. It is just perfect for us...very large, roomy and a beautiful home. The owners were so proud as they had enclosed the lower porch area and that meant we had another room for our beds. We made it through one night and then the rain came and the room leaked. We had to remove most of the furniture and carpet. They had rushed to finish the room so we could use it and they were very disappointed that it leaked. It didn't slow us down any, we just moved our bed to the small rec room and were very comfortable.

Pat set up her beauty shop one day and gave one permanent and three hair cuts. It is sure nice to have this handy service available.

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Those enjoying the vacation were Rita Benefiel, Kate King, Pat Furnish, Mary Shaw, Janet Daugherty, Mona Pinkerton, Laura Smithley, Brenda Kendall, Evelyn Lindstrom. We know our husbands enjoyed the week too.

HATTER REPORT

How pleased we were with the interesting day our Mary Palmer planned for us. We toured the homey R-Bakery of Kathy Ralston, nestled in the scenic countryside. We were greeted with all the yummy scents of her delicious pies and cinnamon rolls; and enjoyed her descriptions of the business. We ended up in the lovely party room at the Heritage, to sample all the pies Mary provided to accompany our assorted teas. We were delighted to learn what our love for each pie indicated.

The ladies enjoying this special party were Fritz Boxell, Dianna Bradford, Martha Buzzard, Freddie Couch, Shirley Combs, Chris Knox, Lilly Nutter, Becky Parker, Dee Pattison, Donna Runkle, Joyce Shepherd and our hostess, Mary Palmer. We completed our plans for riding in the parade of the Bluffton Street Fair next week. So many fun events taking place.

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seen for a long time.

Naturally we talked of good food and indulged on many good things to eat including steaks on the grill.

We made a good salad that was easy and tasty with the steaks and baked potato.

Fresh Garden Salad

For 3 or 4 people skin 3 or 4 medium tomatoes, dice or chop into pieces, a small onion diced, green pepper sliced into thin strips, mix together and make ahead of time a simple syrup of 1/4 cup sugar, 1/4 cup vinegar, 1/4 cup sugar, 2 tablespoon water, 1 teaspoon celery seed, 1/2 teaspoon garlic powder, bring to boiling for a couple minutes to dissolve the sugar, Let cool and pour over the vegetables. This will keep in the refrigerator as left overs, if any, for a couple days, if syrup is too tart add a little more sugar to

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