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*Thought for the Week:* He that can't endure the bad, will not live to see the good. Jewish Proverb

## CANCELLED

Jackson Twp Alumni Banquet on April 18th has been cancelled.

## SR GOLF

The "2020 Thursday Senior Golf League" previously scheduled to begin April 23rd is postponed until further notice. Hopefully, it will be rescheduled at a later date. Thank You.

## BASEBALL

The Warren Baseball & Softball League would like to take this opportunity to let everyone know what our plan is at this time for the 2020 season. Our start up date right now is May 1st but may have to be extended.

We are putting the teams together the week of April 13th to allow us time to order shirts and start insurance. We will continue to take kids (if there are open spots on teams) until the end of April. Right now we are only taking child's info and will collect entry fee later in the year.

If we have to start up even in June, while we may not have an actual practice season we will do our very best to get the kids a season worth of their games. If you have already paid for your child...your check will not be cashed until the end of April or later and refunds will be given out if the season ends up being canceled.

Thank you and hoping to see everyone soon.

## BANQUET POSTPONED

It is with more than a bit of sadness that the Warren Alumni and School Association finds it necessary to postpone this year's May Alumni Banquet. It goes without saying that we will all miss seeing each other.

However, it is our intention to hold the Banquet on October 17, 2020 to honor the classes of 1950, 1960 and 1970.

We'll see you at the Old Warren School!

All the best to all of you!

Enjoy this spring and summer and we will see you in the fall!

## FLOWERS ARE ESSENTIAL

We certainly agree with the governor that flowers are essential! The outpouring of love this community has shown one another is unfathomable! Naturally, we've had to adjust to the circumstances, but we are blessed to continually provide flowers, plants, and pottery to our community. While we certainly miss having people in our store, we understand the need to remain healthy and safe!

With Easter quickly approaching, you can still order a floral arrangement, centerpiece, or lily for us to deliver! This social distancing has us missing family time, so let Gebhart's provide something special.

Due to the gorgeous weather, our plants in the greenhouse have been

soaking up the sun and warmth! Our greenhouse opening is just around the corner on May 2nd and 3rd. We will have a unique assortment of planters, hanging baskets, and a wide variety of garden vegetables.

We also have a surprise for you! This Friday we will hide 6 easter eggs around Warren. Inside each egg will be a gift certificate to some of our favorite places in town! We will reveal the clues for the egg hunt on Friday morning via our Facebook page! We hope everyone has a Happy Easter from all of us at Gebhart's Floral Barn and Greenhouse!

## MEDICAID CHANGES

In response to the COVID-19 public health emergency, some policy and program changes have been made to help ensure members in our managed care programs (Healthy Indiana Plan, Hoosier Care Connect, Hoosier Healthwise) as well as our Traditional Medicaid members are able to maintain continuous coverage in this critical time.

### Member Eligibility

Member health coverage will not be terminated during the public health emergency. Member coverage will only end if a member voluntarily withdraws or moves out of the state. This applies to all full coverage Indiana Health Coverage Programs. It does NOT apply to presumptive

eligibility. Presumptively eligible members must still complete a full IHCP application. This decision was implemented after letters were sent to members whose coverage was set to close on March 31. Those closures will not take place, and new letters will be sent.

### Cost Sharing

All cost sharing is suspended for the duration of the public health emergency. Members who typically had co-payments will not have any co-payments applied starting April 1, 2020. This applies to all IHCP programs including HIP. This includes pharmacy co-payments.

Premiums and POWER Account contributions will be waived for the months of March-August 2020. This applies to the CHIP program, HIP and MEDWorks. All members who made payments for the month of March or any future months will have those payments applied as credits on their account when payments are required again.

Member coverage will start when eligibility is determined and will not require a first payment in order to begin. Fast Track payments will not be required and we ask that organizations stop making these payments.

### Pharmacy

Pharmacies are now allowed to fill prescriptions

with name brand drugs in the event that the generic drug the member takes is out of supply. Pharmacies can also now fill some prescriptions early and can fill maintenance prescriptions for 90-days, if requested.

## TURKEY HUNT

Reserved turkey hunt procedures will change on participating DNR fish & wildlife areas (FWAs) for selected turkey hunters completing their hunt registration this year, as a result of COVID-19.

The changes will allow turkey hunting to continue on FWAs while maintaining social distancing practices.

Selected turkey hunters will be mailed date-specific hunting permit cards for their hunt period as well as a parking permit. FWA offices will be closed to the public; however, the selected turkey hunters will still need to sign in each day at a property self-serve check-in booth before hunting. Hunters must maintain a minimum distance of 6 feet between each other while signing in.

Both youth-season and regular-season turkey hunters will use the same procedures. Hunters should keep their hunt permit card on their person while hunting and place their parking permit in the windshield of their vehicle. After each day's hunt,

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## Kudos, Kicks & Karats



There is one thing I have not talked about a whole lot and that is my job. I really enjoy what I do and really like working with the people that I do. Some times it gets a little ruff just like any other job but its my job and I really like it. I have been at Heritage Pointe for 36 years in the dietary department and I must say I think I can do every job blind folded. I have seen many of the jobs change over the years and of course I have had to adjust many times with the new rules and regulations by the State Board of Health. Some times it gets confusing with the regulation changes but we all usually get it straight and carry on.

My current job is prep person in which I chop, dice and cut all the produce and make all the salads. I am also a back up cook when we need one. I stepped down from the cooking, when my health started getting bad. Sometimes you just can't keep up with the big dogs and in my case I was better off just staying on the porch. Lol I miss my cooks job but I get a taste of it every now and then to satisfy the need, but after the day is done I'm glad its only every once in a while.

When I was a cook I had the privilege of working with some great group of people Robin, Tara, Linda and Rick. There was never a dull day and I can say it made some of my bad days go a lot smoother with them. We giggled and laughed, argued and picked, and helped each other when we just couldn't get it in gear and of course always there when we had to vent. Now that I'm on the "other side of the wall" I still hear them over there giggling and laughing having a good ole time. All I can do is just shake my head and snicker and just imagine what went on over there.

I am also the weekend supervisor and I have to watch over the kitchen making sure that all procedures are done correctly, answer questions that arise, make sure everyone is doing there job and still do my prep job and yes I make sure everyone washes and washes those hands.

I started Heritage Pointe in 1983 at the age of 13 and 36 years later I am still there. The people I have gotten to know over the years and the few I wished I never knew and the residents that I have learned to love respect and treat them like I would as family. I wouldn't change it for anything. I have had bad times and good times, many accidents slippin and sliding on the floors, many "oh my gosh" moments and I cant believe that just happened, but all in all its been a great time. Have I ever thought about leaving the kitchen? Yes

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 Wed Carry-in & Fellowship .. 6:30 p.m.

**BANQUO CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
 8294S 900W 35  
 Harold Smith, Pastor  
 Sunday School ..... 9:30 a.m.  
 Worship ..... 10:30 a.m.  
 Bible Study ..... 6:00p.m.

**BOEHMER UNITED METHODIST**  
 Chad Yoder, Pastor  
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 Sunday Worship ..... 9:30a.m.  
 Sunday School ..... 10:45a.m.

**CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
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 Wednesday Bible Study ..... 6:00 p.m.  
 Sunday Evening Service ..... 6:00 p.m.  
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**DILLMAN UNITED BRETHREN**  
 8888S 1100W-90, Warren 375-2779  
 Matt Kennedy, Pastor  
 Worship Service ..... 9:00a.m.  
 Sunday School ..... 10:00a.m.

**HANFIELD UNITED METHODIST**  
 101 N 400 E - Marion 765/664-8726  
 Timothy Helm, Senior Pastor  
 1st Worship..... 8:30 a.m.  
 Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
 2nd Worship..... 11:00 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.  
 Thursday Prayer Meeting..... 7:00 p.m.

**HERITAGE POINTE**  
 Chaplains Gerald Moreland, Ginny Soultz & Dick Case  
 Sunday Morning Worship ..... 9:30 a.m.  
 OTHER SERVICES BY ANNOUNCEMENT  
 Monday thru Friday  
 Chapel Services ..... 9:00 a.m.

**WARREN 1st BAPTIST CHURCH**  
 727 N Wayne St, Warren  
 260-375-2811  
 office@warrenfirsbaptist.net  
 Pator Rusty Strickler  
 Youth Dir: Peter & Mindy Fairchild  
 Sunday School ..... 9:00 a.m.  
 Sunday Worship ..... 10:00 a.m.  
 Youth Group: Grades 5-12 ...Sun 11:30  
 Ekklesia ..... Sun 6:30pm

**HILLCREST CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
 375-2510  
 Bus Service 375-2510  
[www.hillcrestnazchurch.org](http://www.hillcrestnazchurch.org)  
 Sunday School ..... 9:30 a.m.  
 Worship ..... 10:30 a.m.  
 Evening Worship..... 6:00 p.m.  
 Youth Group (Wed.)..... 6:00 p.m.  
 Wed. Midweek Service..... 6:30 p.m.

**SOLID ROCK UNITED METHODIST**  
 485 Bennett Dr, Warren, IN  
 375-3873  
 Paul Burris, Pastor  
 Sunday School ..... 9:00 a.m.  
 Worship Service ..... 10:00 a.m.

**LANCASTER WESLEYAN**  
 3147 W 543 S, Huntington  
 468-2411  
 Doug Sharrard, Pastor  
 Pam Thompson, S.S. Supt.  
 Sunday School ..... 9:30 a.m.  
 Worship ..... 10:30 a.m.  
 Wednesday:  
 CYC/Teen/Adult Meetings .... 7:00 p.m.

**LIBERTY CENTER BAPTIST CHURCH**  
 694-6622  
 Aaron Westfall, Pastor  
 Sunday School ..... 9:15 a.m.  
 Fellowship ..... 10:00a.m.  
 Worship ..... 10:15a.m.  
 Tues. Bible Study ..... 7:00 p.m.  
 Wed. Choir ..... 6:30p.m.  
 Monthly Meetings  
 1st Mon Ministry Team ..... 7:00 p.m.  
 3rd Sat Mens Prayer Breakfast 8:00 am  
 4th Mon ABW ..... 1:30 pm

**LIBERTY CENTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
 Pastor Diane Samuels  
 Morning Worship ..... 9:30 a.m.  
 Sunday School ..... 10:45 a.m.

**THE CHURCH AT MCNATT**  
 375-4359  
 Bill VanHaften, Pastor  
 Lois Slusher, Supt.  
 Brittney Miller, Youth & Family Dir.  
 Coffee Fellowship..... 8:30 a.m.  
 Worship ..... 9:15 a.m.  
 Sunday School ..... 10:30 a.m.  
 Bible Study - Wed. .... 7:00 p.m.

**MT. ETNA UNITED METHODIST**  
 260/468-2148 Sr 9 & 124  
 Rev. Michael Gallant - "Pastor Mike"  
 Multi-Generational Worship 9:30 a.m.  
 Fellowship ..... 10:30 a.m.  
 Sunday Youth ..... 4-6 p.m.  
 Everyone is Welcome

**SALAMONIE CHURCH OF BRETHREN**  
 468-2412  
 Mel Zumbrun, Pastor  
 Worship ..... 9:30 a.m.  
 Church School ..... 10:45a.m.

**UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
 375-2102  
 Interim Pastor Troy Drayer  
 Youth Pastor Troy & Mindy Drayer  
 Sunday Worship..... 9:30 a.m.  
 Contemporary Service - Wed 6:30 p.m.  
 Youth Sunday School during Worship Service  
 Youth Group-Wed ..... 6:30 p.m.  
 Communion 1st Sunday of the Month

**VB CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
 765/934-3321 Parsonage  
 Jeff Slater, Pastor  
 Jim Knight, Superintendent  
 Sunday School ..... 9:30 a.m.  
 Adult Worship ..... 10:30 a.m.  
 Children's Church ..... 10:30a.m.  
 Evening Praise Hour..... 6:00p.m.  
 Hour of Power (Wed) ..... 7:00p.m.

**VB UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
 765-934-1431  
 Pastor Cindy Osgood  
 Worship Service ..... 9:30 am  
 Sunday School ..... 10:30am  
 Not Home Alone - Wed ..... 3:00 pm  
 Prayer-Bible Study (Thur) ..... 7:00 pm  
 UMW 2nd Wed ..... 7:00 pm  
 Little Ones Book Club 1st Tue 10:00 am  
 Just Older Youth 3rd Tue ..... 12:00 pm  
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**WARREN CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
 375-3022  
 Ethan T Stivers, Senior Minister  
 Andrew Fisher, Youth Minister  
 Liz Richardson, Childrens MinistryAsst.  
 Tara Bower - Secretary  
[www.warrenchurchofchrist.org](http://www.warrenchurchofchrist.org)  
 Fellowship ..... 9:15 a.m.  
 Worship & Communion ..... 9:30 a.m.  
 Sunday School ..... 11 to 11:50 a.m.  
 Youth:  
 K-6th grade, Mon ..... 6:15-7pm  
 Jr/Sr Hi, Sunday ..... 6-8pm

**WARREN WESLEYAN CHURCH**  
 6th & Nancy Sts. Warren  
 260-228-9084  
 Rev. Allen Laws, Pastor  
 Wesley Welch, Supt.  
 Sunday School ..... 9:30 a.m.  
 Worship ..... 10:15 a.m.  
 Wed Bible Study ..... 6:00 p.m.

**FARRVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
 11044 E 200 N, Marion, IN  
 765-934-3609  
 Pastor Al Soultz  
 Sunday Worship..... 10:30 am  
 Sunday School Classes ..... 9:30 am  
 Sunday Adult Bible Study..... 6:00 pm  
 Thurs. Bible Study ..... 7:00 pm



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hunters should deposit their hunt permit card in a property drop box.

The pre-season drawing for allocating hunting opportunities on FWAs for the regular spring turkey hunting season has already been conducted. Youth turkey season drawings (if necessary) will be completed by the first week in April.

Several FWAs have open spots later in the turkey season, as not enough hunters applied to fill the available openings. Typically these hunting opportunities are filled by the no-show drawings. Because FWAs will not conduct no-show draws this year, there will be a supplemental online draw for these remaining spots.

The supplemental drawing application period will begin Monday, April 6 at 8 a.m. ET and end at 11:59 p.m. on Sunday, April 12. Hunters will be drawn on Monday, April 13, and results will be emailed to applicants.

For the supplemental draw, hunters are allowed to apply for only one FWA. Hunters can choose up to two different hunt periods for this draw. If drawn, the hunter will be selected for either their first choice or second choice, not both. Each FWA only has the designated number of available openings for each of the hunt periods listed. If a hunt period is not listed, then there are no available openings. If a hunter was already successfully drawn for a reserved turkey hunt,

they are not eligible for this supplemental drawing.

To apply for the supplemental drawing, visit <https://bit.ly/2X4AzCO>. Click on the button to "Add another hunt period" for that property as a second choice before clicking "Submit" and placing an order from the cart.

Individuals not selected in the pre-season or supplemental draw are also able to hunt on several southern FWAs later in the season, because not all days are reserved. A list of those FWAs is at [on.IN.gov/reservedhunt](http://on.IN.gov/reservedhunt).

### AG WORKSHOPS

Indiana Farm Bureau, the state's largest general farm organization, will host three educator workshops this June for Agriculture in the Classroom volunteers and any interested teachers. Ag in the Classroom is a program led by INFB which helps bring agriculture education into Indiana's schools.

The workshops are designed to prepare educators and in-class volunteers to integrate available resources and hands-on activities about agriculture and the environment into an existing classroom curriculum. Attending a workshop gives educators an opportunity to learn from local experts in agriculture and ask questions. The workshops also are designed to prepare INFB members, who volunteer in schools through the Ag in the Classroom program, to learn new activities to be included in classroom visits.

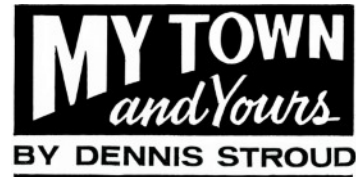
"The workshops are designed for preschool through high school educators who wish to expand their curriculum to include topics related to agriculture – the world's food and fiber system," said Lindi Kocher, INFB's ag education coordinator. "The three workshops are spread across the state, to make it more accessible for educators and volunteers."

The workshop dates and locations are:

- June 1, 2020 – Beck's Hybrids, Atlanta, Indiana.
- June 2, 2020 – Ancilla College, Plymouth, Indiana.
- June 4, 2020 – Ivy Tech, Columbus, Indiana.

Each of this year's sites will offer a different, unique experience for attendees. The cost per person, per workshop is \$30, and lunch will be provided. Each workshop also will include free teaching materials and hands-on experiences. Professional Growth Points (6 points at each site) also will be available for educators.

Registration is now open for all three workshops. Visit [www.infarmbureau.org/eve](http://www.infarmbureau.org/eve) nts to learn more and register to attend. Due to current uncertainties, refunds will be provided in the event the workshops are canceled.



John Jones, a revolutionary war soldier, was granted a tract of land in Washington County, Pennsylvania. He built a house on Crows Island. It was there that Samuel Jones was born; the date having been December 20, 1790. A little later the family moved to Highland County, Ohio.

While still a young man, Samuel Jones, owned and operated a flat boat on the Ohio, but abandoned the enterprise to enter the war of 1812, in which he served with distinction until its close. After returning to Highland County he married Miss Sarah Ruse.

History informs us that in 1813 General Harrison made an appeal to the governor of Ohio asking for cavalry men, arms and ammunition that would help subdue the Indians, who were then on the warpath. Among the men who responded was Samuel Jones, who was appointed an officer on account of his education and recent experience in the war of 1812. While cavalry troops forded the Salamonie River down at the end of Wayne Street Mr. Jones remarked "When the time comes for this country to be opened for settlement, I would like to secure a homestead tract right here

on this very spot". Twenty years later his desire was fulfilled.

### HOW TO DRAW ON THE POWER OF PERSEVERANCE DURING COVID-19

People's ability to keep up their spirits is being put to the test during the COVID-19 pandemic. Health concerns, job concerns, and disruptions to day-to-day routines have combined to create a challenging situation for Americans and for people throughout the world.

But for anyone wondering whether they can persevere through these difficult times, it's important to keep something in mind – others are likely counting on you, says Troy Nix ([www.troynix.com](http://www.troynix.com)), a motivational speaker, businessman and author of *Eternal Impact: Inspire Greatness in Yourself and Others*.

"Anytime you are in a tough place in life or in business, when you feel as if you cannot go on, you can summon energy from knowing you must carry the load so others can succeed along with you," says Nix, founder and CEO of First Resource Inc., an association-management company specializing in manufacturing networks.

"Whether it's your employees, your co-workers or your family, you do not want to let them down." Here's the positive, Nix says. People have inside themselves the capability to

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### Community Calendar

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 one-time \$5 fee to be listed. Events can be listed for as long as 6 months. (If an event is canceled, please notify WW.) Only event, place, time, and sponsor, for events in Warren, and the surrounding area will be listed.

Mar 16	6:30p	W - KBC Board Meeting at KBC
Mar 17		ST PATRICK'S DAY
Mar 18	7 pm	V - Town Council Meeting
Apr 1	Noon	W - Chamber of Commerce Luncheon at KBC
Apr 1	7pm	V - Town Council Meeting
Apr 12		EASTER
Apr 13	5pm	W - Town Council at Assembly Hall
Apr 14	6:30 pm	SSF Committee Meeting at KBC

**Bread of Life Food Pantry** - Wed 2 - 4:00pm & 6 - 8:00p.m. at KBC  
**Bargain Basement** - Friday & Saturday 9 - 4 at KBC ; **Cancer Support Group** - 3rd Tuesday 6:30-8p.m. at Bluffton Regional South Campus  
 These Events Can Also Be Found at [www.warrenweeklyindiana.com](http://www.warrenweeklyindiana.com)



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develop the kind of perseverance that will see them through the world's current health and economic crisis – and through future crises they are certain to encounter. His tips for developing that level of perseverance include: Have a strong vision of the future. Olympic athletes often picture a perfect routine or a perfect race, playing it over and over in their minds until they can actually perform it. Similarly Nix, who attended West Point, says the only thing that kept him from dropping out of the demanding military academy was to visualize himself tossing his hat in the air on graduation day. "I envisioned that day on every single one of the nearly 1,410 days I was on the academy grounds,"he says. "People can get through our current times the same way. Try to envision what success will mean to you once this crisis is over." Understand how others survived tough times. History is filled with stories of individuals or entire populations who struggled through the most difficult of times. Friends and family members who overcame health concerns, financial troubles or personal tragedies can be the source of such stories, too, Nix says. "Look at how they prevailed over challenges or obstacles in life," Nix says. "Draw lessons and inspiration from what they did." Be okay with being uncomfortable. "People who consistently challenge themselves are more likely to persevere when they fail or when they encounter difficult times because they don't feel that failure is a permanent condition," Nix says. "The more times you put yourself out there in tough situations and fail, the more failure just doesn't matter." Those who get comfortable and avoid risks don't develop that fortitude, he says.

"The one major thing that I've learned about

perseverance is that we can all become mentally tougher," son's Henry's journey. Henry was born with medical conditions that have required over forty surgeries since birth. He received a kidney transplant last year. Emily shared that March was Kidney Disease Month and the importance of kidney donations.

About Troy Nix - Troy Nix (www.troynix.com), author of Eternal Impact: Inspire Greatness in Yourself and Others, is the founder, president, and CEO of First Resource, Inc., an innovative association management company for America's manufacturers. Nix, a graduate of the United States Military Academy at West Point, served in the armed forces for a decade before moving into the business world.

## HCRTA MEET

The Huntington County Retired Teachers Association met Wednesday, March 4th, 2020 at the Historic Forks of the Wabash for their quarterly luncheon.

President Mark Vickrey welcomed members and guests. He led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag. Barbara Betterly offered the invocation.

There were 58 members and guests in attendance. A delicious meal served by Kim's Katering was enjoyed by all. The program was presented by Emily Jones

Whitacre. She shared her son's Henry's journey. Henry was born with medical conditions that have required over forty surgeries since birth. He received a kidney transplant last year. Emily shared that March was Kidney Disease Month and the importance of kidney donations.

President Vickrey conducted a short business meeting. Retired teachers Jim Faroh, Missy Jones, and Donna Hollopeter are new members. The association has 173 members.

Mary Lou Snyder and Joyle Allen led the group in singing to close the meeting. The next meeting will be held June 3rd at noon at Huntington University.

## S-A TRIP - DAY # 2

By Larry Ryan  
The ear ache is much better.

We left Memphis at 7:30 am. and merged with I-40 West. Our journey's pathway took us past Madison Avenue (Tennessee Style), Danny Thomas Boulevard, and St. Jude Children's Hospital.

Right after crossing the very wide Mississippi River, we were required, by Arkansas law to stop at a Weigh Station. Since it was Sunday, the facility was closed, so it was a quick drive through experience.

The bus progressed past Tom Sawyer's RV Park and several unplanted fields which I surmised as a

possible flood plain problem.

We spotted a playground business that featured 4 above-ground, round swimming pools completely filled with water. I could not imagine how one of those could be transported to someone's backyard! There was no way of questioning the owner on Sunday anyway.

Our touring vehicle followed I-40 around Little Rock, AR and then we transitioned onto I-30 West towards Texarkana. Some adjacent fields had been harvested and tilled. A two crop area? I was rescued from two futile games of Solitaire by the start of the on-bus movie, "Gifted Hands."

It chronicled the life of Dr. Ben Carson, the former US Surgeon General.

We passed Hot Springs, Arkadelphia, and Hope, AR.

Our choice for lunch was Burger King in Texarkana where a nearby gas station listed gasoline at 2.09/gal.

We chose to veto Larry's Pizza joint for unknown reasons and had no time to shop at the adjacent Gander Mountain sporting goods store. Bus was getting restless.

As we crossed into Texas, road signs immediately started to announce the mileage to Dallas—90, 80, 70, etc. as to keep everyone in great anticipation. Maybe those signs were to keep our minds off our first impression of the rugged

terrain. I first noticed a few

2-track dirt driveways leading to off-the-road living quarters. Then hay field after field took over the landscape. Down the road came larger ranches with gated driveway entrances. Some had corral-designed, overhead structures which led to meandering, long lanes. I had expected to see tumble weeds gliding across barren land, but nothing yet!

With very limited time spent in Texas in the past, which only included an overnight stay in Dallas due to a missed connecting flight, my anticipated view of the state was to see tumbling tumble weeds everywhere. Well, there is a song about those exact words and the southwest.

Along with the hay which was ready to bale, some was baled and left where they were dropped, and others stacked up like soldiers. One collection had two jack-o-lantern faces painted on their ends. Art work on the ranch! Scattered among the hayfield spaces was pastures for a multitude of cattle and a few horses.

East of Dallas, we passed Audie Murphy's Museum and Black Jack Liquor store which advertised Super Light Beer. Flavored water? The bus also passed "Soulman's BBQ" and Whataburger eateries. Getting hungry yet? We

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# GENEALOGY REPORT

## DEWEES

Betty L. DeWees, 88, of Warren, IN, died Sunday, April 5, 2020, at Parkview Hospital in Huntington.



Mrs. DeWees was a member of the Eastern Star in Warren and Past Matron Club of Warren. She was employed as a bookkeeper at Salamonie Mills.

She was born Aug. 16, 1931, in Jackson Township, Wells County to Arthur and Ruby Jackson Williams. She married Dale DeWees on December 3, 1949, and he survives.

Additional survivors include a son, Harvey (Sharon) DeWees, of Laconia, NH; a daughter, Pamela (Mark) Winzenburg, of Katy, TX; a daughter in law, Jane DeWees, of Kouts; a sister-in-law, Judy Williams, of Debary, FL; nine grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by three sons, Wendell R. DeWees, David L. DeWees and Steven D. DeWees.

Due to health concerns of the COVID-19 virus, there will be private family service. Burial will be at the Masonic Cemetery, in Warren.

Arrangements are being handled by Glancy-H. Brown & Son Funeral Home in Warren.

## HAGGERTY

Dr. Fred E. Haggerty, 88, of Greencastle, IN, and formerly of LaFontaine, IN, died Sunday, April 5, 2020.



Dr. Haggerty grew up in LaFontaine. After graduating high school, he joined the United States Air Force cadet program, becoming an officer. He was honorably discharged after serving in the Strategic Air Command as part of flight crews on B52s and various experimental aircraft in the 1950s. He returned to his studies to obtain his undergraduate degree from Indiana University,

Bloomington, in 1961 and his medical degree from Indiana University School of Medicine in 1966. Soon after, the family moved to Greencastle as Dr. Haggerty established his family medicine practice.

Among his activities, he volunteered his time teaching at IU School of Medicine. He served as president of the Indiana Academy of Family Physicians from 1989 to 1990. He held positions of deacon, elder and trustee of Disciples of Christ Church in Greencastle. He was active in community organizations such as Kiwanis and Rotary.

He was born Feb. 15, 1932, in Dawson, MT, to Charles and Frieda Haggerty. His first wife, Mary Lynn, and his second wife, Nancy, preceded him in death.

Survivors include three children, five stepchildren, 12 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

A private graveside interment in IOOF LaFontaine Cemetery is planned. An additional service with family and friends will take place at a future date.

Memorials are to COVID-19 Relief Fund /United Way of Putnam County at <http://www.unitedwayofputnamcounty.org/covid-relief-fund>.

Arrangements are being handled by Glancy-H. Brown & Son Funeral Home in Warren.

## HAMMEL

Evelyn V. Hammel, 94, of Fort Wayne, IN, and formerly of Huntington, IN, and Warren, IN, died Saturday morning, April 4, 2020, at the Heritage Pointe of Fort Wayne.

Mrs. Hammel was homemaker and a 1943 graduate of Huntington High School.

She was born Sept. 13, 1925, in Jackson Township, Huntington County to Earl A. and Belle Settlemeyer Mickley. She married Mark O. "Mick" Hammel on April 9, 1944, in Huntington, and preceded her in death on May 10, 2007.

Survivors include a son, Greg Hammel, of Kihei, HI; two daughters, Sandra Hammel, of Portsmouth, RI, and Nancy (Chuck) Miller, of Fort Wayne; four grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

There will be private family services at the Myers Funeral Home Huntington Chapel and entombment at the Gardens of Memory Cemetery in rural Huntington County. A public memorial service is planned for Saturday, June 6, 2020, at the Myers Funeral Home, Huntington Chapel, 2901 Guilford St., Huntington. Service time has not been finalized.

Memorials are in honor of Mark O. Hammel to the Alzheimer's Association, sent in care of Myers Funeral Home, 2901 Guilford St., Huntington, IN 46750.

## JOSEPH

Gary Dean Joseph, 65, of Marion, IN, and having family in Van Buren, IN, died Friday, April 3, 2020, at 7 a.m.



at VA Northern Indiana Health Care System in Marion.

Mr. Joseph attended Marion High School. He was an auto mechanic and a house painter. He served in the United States Army.

He was born May 30, 1954, in Marion to William D. Jr. and Doris C. Brown Joseph.

Survivors include a daughter, Shannon Wampner, of Fairmount; a son, Shawn Joseph, of Mattoon, IL; a brother, William D. Joseph III, of Van Buren; and six grandchildren.

Due to the health concerns of COVID-19, there will be a private family visitation at Ferguson & Glancy Funeral Home on Tuesday, April 7, 2020. Burial will follow.

Arrangements are being handled by Ferguson & Glancy Funeral Home in Van Buren.

## TRICKLE

Mary Ann R. Trickle, 78, of Huntington, IN, died April 3, 2020, at Parkview Huntington Hospital.

She was born March 3, 1942, in Fort Wayne to Edwin and Nora Schoenemann Hegerfeld. She married Jesse "J.L." Trickle on Aug. 22, 1970, and he survives.

Mrs. Trickle graduated from Elmhurst High School in 1960. For a few years, she was the owner of Country Side Ceramics. She also worked at United Technologies, working as an electrical repair technician for 23 years, before retiring in 2013.

Additional survivors include a son, Matthew (Jane) Trickle, of Warren; a daughter, Tamara (Bart) Berry, of Huntington; sister, Betty Wilhoit; and three grandchildren, Leigh Ann Trickle, Lauren Trickle and Lucas Trickle.

A graveside service will be held Tuesday, April 7, 2020, at Pleasant Hill Cemetery, 1013 Ind.-114W, North Manchester, with Rev. J.P. Freeman officiating.

Memorials are to St. Jude Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

## CARNES

Dennis Duane Carnes, 63, of Bluffton, IN, and having ties to Warren, IN, died Thursday, April 2, 2020, at 11:30 a.m. at his residence.

Mr. Carnes was a 1974 graduate of Southern Wells High School. He spent his early years in Chester Township in Wells County. He retired from Indiana Corrugated in Warren after

25 years of service. He was a member of the Sons of the American Legion through the Millard Brown American Legion Post 156 in Montpelier and the Moose Lodge in Bluffton.

He was born Aug. 4, 1956, in Wells County to Edgar D. and Mildred D. Bunch Carnes.

Survivors include a daughter, Jill (Jonathan) Orlando, of Montpelier; a son, Jesse D. (Kelly) Carnes, of Montpelier; three sisters, Kimberly (Doug) Anderson and Lisa Copeland, both of Bluffton, and Kelly Carnes, of Indianapolis; and seven grandchildren, Gavyn Orlando, Gabriella Orlando, Giovanna Orlando, Grayer Orlando, Chloe Carnes, and Milly Carnes.

Due to the health concerns of the COVID-19 virus the family will be having a private service.

Memorials are to Millard Brown American Legion Post 156, 112 W. Green St., Montpelier, IN 47359.

Arrangements are being handled by Walker & Glancy Funeral Home in Montpelier.

## LEE

Tom Lee, 81, of Marion, IN, and having ties to van Buren, IN, died Tuesday, March 31, 2020, at 12:44 a.m. in his home after a long battle with Parkinson's disease.

Mr. Lee graduated from Van Buren High School and was a salesperson/owner for more than 10 years with 18 & 5 Auto Sales, retiring in 2002. He was a member of Grace Community Church.

He was born Feb. 3, 1939, in Marion to Orville and Mary

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Fisher Lee. He married Bonnie "Darlyn" Strickland on Sept. 19, 1958, and she survives.

Additional survivors include a daughter, Janet (Brad) Carpenter, of LaFontaine; a son, Jeff (Jody) Lee, of Marion; six grandchildren, Madison Kikendall, Zachary (Morgan) Lee, McKenzie Lee, Tiffany Harrell, Caleb (Lauren) Carpenter and Kylie (Scott) Mercer; and seven great-grandchildren.

Due to the recent regulations mandated by the CDC and the Governor of the State of Indiana, the family will be having private services, with Rev. Dr. Tom Mansbarger officiating. Burial will take place at Grant Memorial Park.

Arrangements are being handled by Needham-Storey-Wampner Funeral Service, North Chapel, 1341 N. Baldwin Ave., Marion, IN.

Memorials are to Grace Community Church, 1810 E. Bradford Pike, Marion, IN 46952.

## FRAYER

On Friday, March 27, 2020, Franklin Howard Frayer passed away at The Hearth of Sycamore in Fort Wayne, at the age of 76.

Frank was born on June 11, 1943, to Theodore and Frances (Keck) Frayer in Canton, Ohio.

He attended Green High School.

Frank received his undergraduate degree from The Ohio State University and finished his doctorate in physical chemistry at Indiana University.

Frank served in the United States Air Force and was honorably discharged in 1971 with the rank of captain.

He worked at Dana Corporation in Marion, from which he retired in 2008.

He had been a crop farmer in Indiana from 1973 until the time of his death.

He is survived by four children, Elizabeth Frayer, David (Amy) Frayer, Susan Frayer and Robert (Kristen) Frayer; nine grandchildren; two sisters, Sally (Gary)

Ritzer and Sue (Bill) Titus; and his ex-wife, Sarah Poulson Hilker.

Memorial services will be announced at a later date.

## SILLS

Lee Silles Jr., 95, of Poneto, IN, a lifetime resident of Chester Township,

Wells County, passed away at 3:55 AM on Wednesday, April 01, 2020 at his residence with his family surrounding him.

He was born on Saturday, February 14, 1925, in Wells County. He married Margaret Silles on Saturday, July 01, 1950 in Blackford County, IN. Mr. & Mrs. Silles would've celebrated their 70th wedding anniversary on July 1, 2020. Lee was a 1943 graduate of Chester Center High School. He served in the U.S. Navy from 1943- 1946. He retired from Warner Gear in Muncie, IN. after 30 plus years of service. Lee was a member of the Warner Gear Sympathy Club, and Grover Sheets American Legion Post # 111. He had been the Chester Twp. Trustee for 25 years. Lee was never afraid of work, after he would get home from his job at Warner Gear he and his brothers would do roofing and construction work.

He will be sadly missed by his Wife - Margaret (Schwarzkopf) Silles, Poneto, IN, Daughter - Kathy (Dennis) Ross, Pierceton, IN, Son - Michael Silles, Poneto, IN, Daughter - Sandy (Jim) Moser, Bluffton, IN, Daughter - Tammy (Doug) Klefeker, Keystone, IN, 7

Grandchildren - Sherry(Mike) Caverley, Warsaw, IN, Denise (Don) Brown, Goshen, IN, Jason Ross, Pierceton, IN, Cody Moser, Poneto, IN, Megan (Jeremy) Brown, Bluffton, IN, Matt (Stella) Klefeker, Poneto, IN, Brandon Klefeker, Keystone, IN, Sister - Ilene Alexander, Hartford City, IN, Brother - Llyod "Danny" Silles, Bluffton, IN, Sister in laws- Betty Silles, Betty Denton Silles, and 13 Great Grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his Father - Leander Silles,

Mother - Stella (Carnes) Silles, Brother - Claude Silles, Sister - Gladys Myers, Brother - Russell "Buss" Silles, Brother - Leslie Silles, Sister - Fern Gilliland, Sister - Jane Elliott, Sister - Audrey Bell, Brother - Robert Silles, Brother - Wayne Silles, and Brother - Paul "Bud" Silles.

Due to health concerns of the Covid-19, private family services will be held Sunday at Walker & Glancy Funeral Home with Rev. Dewey Zent officiating. Interment will follow in the I.O.O.F. Cemetery in Montpelier. A public memorial service will be held at a later date.

Preferred memorials may be made to the Wells County 4-H Association 1240 4-H Park Rd, Bluffton, IN 46714.

## MARSHALL

Jay Marshall, 76, died at home in Leesburg, Florida, with family by his side on March 30, 2020, after many years of living with cancer.

Born October 1, 1943, he grew up on a farm in Huntington County, Indiana, as one of nine siblings. After college at Ball State University, he taught 6th grade in Marion, Indiana.

Upon moving to Florida in 1968, he began a career with Lake County Schools that spanned more than 42 years.

He taught history and psychology at Leesburg High School in the late 1960's and early 1970's before serving as a guidance counselor at Tavares High School. Then, for nearly three decades he was Supervisor of Student Services for the Lake County Schools. He was passionate about serving all students and the power of education to change lives.

He is survived by Claudia, his wife of 54 years, their daughter Cara (Mary) and granddaughter Annakiya of Massachusetts. His eight siblings Rosemary, Ruth (Bob), Frank (Nancy), Phil (Connie), Lois (Max), Lynn (Mae), Phyllis and David (Nancy) all live in Indiana,

and he will be missed deeply by a large extended family and friends.

A memorial service will be held at a later date. Donations can be made to the Educational Foundation of Lake County, [www.edfoundationlake.com](http://www.edfoundationlake.com) in Jay's name. Online condolences may be left at [www.beyersfuneralhome.com](http://www.beyersfuneralhome.com).

## BREEDLOVE

Larry R. Breedlove of Marion, IN, went to be with his Lord and Savior on Saturday, April 04, 2020 at IU Health Methodist Hospital in Indianapolis, IN.

He was born in Marion, IN. to Maxine and Kenneth Breedlove. He married Donna (Boxell) Breedlove and she survives. Larry was a lifelong resident of Marion, IN. He loved playing and watching sports. Third base was his corner. He especially

loved his Marion Giants and IU basketball. He was very social, and enjoyed playing Euchre with friends. He especially enjoyed performing his talented dance moves with his wife Donna. Many accolades were won over the years for their special moves. He was the first one on the dance floor and last one to leave.

Also surviving are his two children-Candy (Bailey) Frye, and Mark Breedlove; four brothers- Dane, Jack, Bob, and Ken; one sister-Karen.

Larry's father Kenneth Breedlove and mother Maxine Breedlove and one sister- Fairy King preceded him in death.

Due to the current pandemic, there will only be graveside services for immediate family. If so inclined, memorial contributions may be made to Gideons International PO Box 26224 Indianapolis IN 46226-0244

Arrangements are by Ferguson & Glancy Funeral Home in Van Buren.

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Parent's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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passed Morrison's Supply before stopping at a QT, which was adjacent to Joe Willy's Market, in Rockwall, TX. On the west side of Rockwall was the large, road-divided, Lake Hubbard. Crossing the lake was the George Bush Bridge.

Then the Dallas skyline came into view. Soon the bus turned south onto I-35E section and headed toward Waco, TX. Most of the new interchanges along the interstate highway corridor had elevated roads, circling in all directions. Much of the I-30 & I-35E interstate systems in Texas had frontage roads for local traffic access. However, these pathways had to yield to interstate exiting vehicles!

Various businesses lined I-35E for mile after mile. We left I-35E for I-35South at 5:05 pm. prior to reaching Waco. The flat landscape continued. The first large structure that I saw upon entering Waco was Baylor University's McLane Football Stadium. It cast a huge shadow over I-35 at this time of day. We stayed overnight at a Hampton Inn again.

The plan is to tour Waco tomorrow morning.

### HOW TO COPE WITH TRIGGERS DURING A GLOBAL PANDEMIC WHILE GOING THROUGH RECOVERY

by Paul Brethen, co-founder at SoberBuddy  
As the Coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic spreads across the United States, many areas are moving toward social distancing, self-quarantine and shelter-in-place tactics to prevent the spread. During this unprecedented time, those going through recovery may find life particularly challenging. While confined to their homes, those in recovery may become more susceptible to relapse. It's important to be able to identify and recognize triggers and be prepared with constructive ways to cope with those feelings.

What can be a trigger?

At a time where anxiety levels are high, the chances of a trigger leading to a relapse is much higher. The average relapse rate for substance use disorders is about 40-60 percent, so if you do experience a relapse, you're not alone. Ideally, we want to identify triggers and create a plan for coping before a relapse happens. One of the most common triggers that may be experienced during this global pandemic include loneliness from the loss of your recovery system which according to a recent study is the #1 one reason a person would relapse. Some other common internal triggers from isolation may include fear, stress, anger, shame and boredom.

Other types of triggers may be contact with using friends, even if it's by phone or social media, can cause severe cravings or the desire to use a secondary drug or alcohol. During this time of isolation wanting to drink or use a drug that is "not a problem" to help pass your time will quickly lead back to your drug of choice. Make sure your environment is safe from anything that reminds you of drug or alcohol use i.e. drug paraphernalia, pipes, blades, boxes, rigs, music you listened to when high, info on high risk people etc. Here are a few ways to combat triggers and cope during this time:

Fill up your free time

Too much free time with nothing to do can be dangerous for people in recovery. Boredom can easily lead to mindless thoughts or fantasizing about drug and alcohol use, which can then trigger overwhelming cravings. It is critical to keep busy and structure your time. Here are a few ideas:

- \* Create a daily schedule. Include times to wake up, shower and get ready for the day, meals and snacks, work, entertainment, phone or video chat with friends and family, and a bedtime.

- \* Be creative with the time you have. Start a hobby!

Paint a picture, play guitar, sew a dress or read that book you've been meaning to start. There are so many tutorials online that you can learn just about anything!

- \* Be productive! Have you been wanting to clean the house, sort through old photos, clean out your car or organize/purge computer files? Now's the time!

- \* Stay active by including workout time in your schedule. Depending on your area's guidelines, you could take a walk outside, set up a small gym space in your garage or try the latest videos on YouTube or fitness apps. Many apps are offering free trials right now, so be sure to check those out!

Invest in your relationships  
Now's your opportunity to spend quality time on those relationships that are important to you. Connect with your partner, children and friends—even if it's over video chat!

- \* If possible, do things together like talking, fun activities/games and or planning a trip for when things get back to normal..

- \* Start a family project such as gardening, cleaning out the garage, painting a room or going through the closets.

- \* Start meaningful rituals like praying together, eating meals as a family or watching old family movies.

- \* Attempt to mend relationships that need repairing, as long as it will not bring undue stress or harm to you or the other person. Reach out to someone with whom you've lost touch and share thoughts and feelings, interpersonal goals and complete acts of kindness for each other when possible.

Maintain consistency with recovery activities

Just because you might not be able to physically meet, doesn't mean your recovery activities should get paused. There's still work to be done and a lot of it can be completed online or in your home.

- \* If you can't go to meetings, create an online chat or find one on social media.

- \* Keep in touch with sponsors and other supportive people via phone, video and text.

- \* Use apps and resources that give you access to a virtual recovery coach.

- \* Work on your 12 steps or other spiritual activities that you find helpful in creating inner peace and hope.

- \* Create the environment you need to stay sober if you can't go out. Set up a cozy meditation corner or move a chair to your patio for a fresh air retreat.

Be optimistic and hopeful

Fear can be paralyzing. When you feel hopeless and stuck, you can lose motivation to move forward—which can lead to a relapse. Remember that "this too shall pass." Avoid harmful activities such as watching the news 24/7, reading all the comments on news articles and obsessing over the situation. Choose to be positive and focus on the good things in your life and the things you have to look forward to. Those who choose to overcome will be the ones who come out on top.

We'll get through this, together

The important thing to remember is that you're not alone. While social distancing, self-quarantine and shelter-in-place tactics can feel isolating, we're all still here going through this together. It's important that you be an advocate for your own recovery and clearly communicate your needs. Set a schedule and stick to it, reach out to your sponsor and other supportive family and friends each day, invest time in yourself and your

relationships, maintain your recovery activities and keep a positive attitude. With some proper planning and the ability to recognize triggers, you'll be able to come out on the other side stronger.

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many times and I still do. Yes I would love to do something different in my life, but I'm not sure I would be as happy as I am now.

The governor said we must stay put for 2 more weeks. I know it has been ruff on many people, I for one, but please try your best to follow the rules set forth so we can all feel safe and stay well. Prayers for all of you that you stay healthy and hopefully nobody in our community is faced with the Coronavirus. Until next time...wash those hands!!