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*Happy
Valentine's
Day*

AMERICAN LEGION POST DONATES



David Ross, Finance Officer at American Legion Post 162 in Marion, Ohio, presents Dave Aiken with a \$1000 donation from the members of the Post. Mr. Ross is also our mailman.

TELETHON

Everyone has needs... groceries, housing, healthcare, and we have many other great non-profit organizations dedicated to ensure everyone meets those needs. However, there is a need that is much more important than any of those mentioned. Our Telethon will focus on meeting the spiritual needs of Central Ohio through television. Please join in to worship and pray with us during our semi-annual Telethon on February 8th through February 11th. We will also have a special prayer service on Saturday February 10th at 7pm. During this service we will have a panel of local ministers praying and ministering to all of Central Ohio. During the service you can speak live with our panel of ministers, by telephone to give them your prayer request or praise report. We will be praying and lighting candles for the needs of everyone who call in to join us. Telethon Times: Thursday, February 8th 6-9 pm; Friday, February 9th 6-9 pm; Saturday February 10th 2-10 pm Prayer service starts at 7 pm; Sunday, February 11th 2-9pm

On February 24, Pastor Jill Street will be ministering and praying for the sick at the Holy Ghost Service. Mere Image will be singing at TV 39, followed by praise and worship at 7 pm.

The telethon auction in March will just be on Saturday, March 3 starting early in the morning and going late into the night. Be sure to tune in to catch all of the activities in the next few months.

LIVE GOSPEL SINGINGS

Delaware will be having their Saturday live gospel singing this month on the first Saturday at the studio in Delaware, Ohio, 36 Spring Street. The next scheduled singing is on Saturday, February 3, 2006 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. Featured singers include Brother's Forever, Fredda Abbott-Ayodele, and Linda Weber.

The third Saturday night of each month we have a live gospel singing at the studio in Marion, Ohio, 1282 N. Main Street. The next scheduled singing is Saturday, February 17, 2006 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. Featured singers will be Mel Meloy Chuck Kenedy, Paula Barron, Tony Dallas

The fourth Saturday night of each month we have a live gospel singing at the studio in Kenton, Ohio, 14 N. Main Street. The next scheduled singing is Saturday, February 24, 2006 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. Featured singers will be The Babbs, Wilma Crater, and Kenny Drum.

Free admission. Everyone welcome.

FEBRUARY LOVE GIFT

Enjoy this key chain flash light with a bright white LED bulb. This is a new product, just released this month. **With your best ministry gift of \$10 or more we will send you this love gift. *****While supplies last*******

COACB VOLUNTEERS



Juan & Ofelia Salinas are volunteers of the Kenton station where they do prayerline, and have their program Hispano Cristiano. They help out during telethons and are blessing to be a part of the station. **Thank you, Juan & Ofelia, for being COACB volunteers.**

Prayerline Numbers & Contact Information

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1282 N. Main St.
Marion, OH 43302
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(740) 383-1794

WOCB TV 48
14 N. Main St.
Kenton, OH 43326
(419) 673-1470

WXCB TV 42
36 Spring St.
Delaware, OH 43015
(740) 369-5656

WGCT TV 8
(614) 559-3937



Recipe Favorites

FRESH APPLE SPICE BREAD

ANONYMOUS

1½ cup coarsely chopped apples; 1 cup sugar; 1 teaspoon cinnamon; ½ teaspoon nutmeg; ½ teaspoon allspice; 1½ cups flour; 1 teaspoon baking soda; ½ teaspoon salt; ½ cup cooking oil; 1 egg; ½ cup chopped nuts.

Add sugar and spices to apples and set aside for 1 hour. Blend oil and unbeaten egg into apple mixture. Sift flour, soda and salt and add to apple mixture, stirring just until blended. Add nuts. Bake at 350 degrees for 50-55 minutes in a greased and wax papered loaf pan.

When you let the apple mixture set it draws the juice out and gets real juicy, then you add the other stuff. Enjoy.

MARS BUCKEYE PIE

ART DODGE

1 cup firmly packed brown sugar; 2 sticks butter; 1 – 18 oz. jar of creamy peanut butter; 1 – 8 oz. whipped topping (thawed); 1 – 9 inch graham pie shell; 4 bars Kroger bark chocolate

In saucepan over medium heat melt butter and brown sugar, stirring often until smooth, set aside.

In glass mixing bowl combine peanut butter and whipped topping. Slowly pour in butter and brown sugar mixture and beat on low until smooth. Place in freezer 5 minutes. Melt 4 chocolate bark bars 3 minutes in microwave, stir and pour over pie. Buckeye candy can be place on top of pie, 6 inches apart, so everyone gets one on their slice of pie.

MISHMASH FLIPFLOP

ELVIRA K. JAMES

1 ¼ cup flour; 1 cup sugar; cut in 1 stick oleo; press in pie plates; bake in 350 oven for 15 to 20 minutes

Prepare streusel.

1 cup sugar; 1 cup flour; 1 stick oleo

Cut oleo into sugar and flour and chill for 15 minutes. Pour pie filling into the baked shells and top with the streusel. Back into the oven at 350 for 35 to 40 minutes until topping is light brown.

The name: Because the shell is from one recipe, the topping from another and the filling, apple is my own canning. Flipflop is anything that I try for the first time. If it's alright it's a flip, if it's a disaster it's a flop.

CHOCOLATE COVERED CHERRY COOKIES

THELMA AIKEN

½ cup butter or margarine; 1 cup sugar; 1 egg; 1 1/2 teaspoons vanilla extract; 1 1/2 cups all purpose flour; ½ cup cocoa; ¼ teaspoon salt; ¼ teaspoon baking soda; 48 maraschino cherries (blotted dry)

FROSTING

1 cup semisweet chocolate chips; ½ cup sweetened condensed milk; 1 to 3 teaspoons maraschino cherry juice

In a mixing bowl, cream together butter and sugar until fluffy. Beat in egg and vanilla. Combine dry ingredients and add to creamed mixture. Batter will be very firm. Shape into 48 balls, about 1 inch round and place on ungreased cookie sheets. Push 1 cherry, half way into each ball. For frosting melt chocolate chips in milk in a small sauce pan over low heat, stirring constantly. Remove from heat. Add cherry juice and stir until smooth. Spoon 1 teaspoon frosting over each cookie. Bake at 350 degrees for 10 to 12 minutes. Yield 4 dozen cookies.



NEED AN OUTING FOR YOUR GROUP???



To schedule a free tour of any of our COACB stations, please call: (740) 383 - 1794.



Got a suggestion for the COACB call: (740) 383-1794 Or write to the addresses on Page 1 or at the bottom of Page 2

CHILDREN LOVE TO MAKE ...HONEY KISSES

JONATHAN AIKEN

2 C. dry milk; 1 C. peanut butter; ¼ C. honey

Mix ingredients and form into balls and eat. Makes 34 kisses.

BUTTERSCOTCH FRUIT DIP

ANONYMOUS

1 (14 oz.) can Eagle Brand Milk; 1 cup butterscotch bits; ¼ teaspoon salt; 2 teaspoons white vinegar; scant ¼ - ½ teaspoon cinnamon.

In heavy saucepan over low heat, add milk, bits, and salt. Cook, stirring until the bits are melted. Remove from heat and add cinnamon, stir until mixed through add vinegar and mix well. Serve with apple and pear slices.

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TV 39 TRANSMITTER

The picture is a little unstable” Stacy Yeager reported to David Aiken on Monday December 11. David quickly checked the waveform monitor then headed back to check the transmitter. Instead of 1000 watts the power meter should show, the meter read just 90 watts. TV-39 had suffered a catastrophic failure of it transmitter over the weekend.

TV-39 was still on the air but in very bad shape. David went through all the steps of trouble shooting the problem and determined that one amplifier assembly was completely down and the other was badly damaged but could make 150 watts of power. Each amplifier section should be capable of over 500 watts. A decision was made to try to limp by on the one damaged section while sending the dead amplifier back to the Pineapple Technology the manufacturer of the amplifiers for repairs. After repairs, TV-39 would operate on the repaired amplifier while the other amplifier was sent for repairs. The dead amplifier was packaged and sent by overnight delivery to the transmitter factory in California. We were hoping for a two day turn around but the factory was swamped with work and could not get to it before January 1. Also we were expecting a repair bill of about \$2,000.

The dreaded words “**NOT REPAIRABLE**” came by telephone about a week into the new year. “What do you mean, not repairable,” asked a very shaken David Aiken? He was then told that the amplifier has suffered too much lightning damage to be repaired. The factory also said they would be happy to talk with our insurance company and explain why the amplifier was not repairable. Our insurance carrier State Auto was provided with pictures and descriptions of the damage. State Auto also talked directly with the factory and a decision was made to replace the transmitter with a new one. R&L Media had several transmitters on order from Pineapple Technology and they agreed to let our transmitter take the place of one of theirs on the production line at the Pineapple Technology factory. As the newsletter goes to press, the new transmitter is being built. Hopefully it will be delivered on February 10.

SHOPAHOLICS WANTED

Who out there is a shopaholic? I’m one for sure. Help out a great cause while you shop. Shop for Charity has negotiated with over 1000 retailers so that enrolled Not-For-Profit organizations can send customers to their online stores and in return a portion of the money spent by that customer is returned to the organization. Shop online at our Super on mall located on our website, www.coacb.org. Just a few of the stores in the Mall are Pet Smart, Home Depot, Hallmark, Eddie Bower, Lands End, Kohl’s, and the Discovery Store. Just please remember to enter the mall from the COACB website each time. That way the COACB will get a portion of the money you spend.

COACB ON A CELL PHONE?

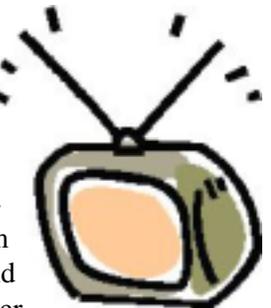
The COACB now has a piece of equipment that can be used to make very compact video files that can be played on a PDA, Video IPOD, or even a cell phone. The video files can be stored on the COACB server and can be downloaded by anyone, anywhere in the world. We currently have 100 GB of bandwidth available each month for this service. That is about 24,000 minutes of video at cell phone quality. More bandwidth can be purchased if there is enough use of the service. We will start making the service available as soon as we can obtain another volunteer to operate this service. The COACB operates four television stations, four production studios and an internet site with a paid staff of just four and the use hundreds of volunteers. Would you like to volunteer to the COACB for this service? Call David Aiken at (740) 383-1794

CANADA APPROVAL

On January 19, 2006 the COACB bought WGCT-CA TV-8 in Columbus, Ohio. We have been using it to rebroadcast the signal of WXCB-CA in Delaware, Ohio while waiting on the FCC for permission to raise its operating power. Since the station is within 150 miles of the Canadian Border we also had to have permission from the Canadian equivalent of the FCC. Last week I called to check on the status of this station and was informed by the international bureau of the FCC that Canada gave its permission on December 7, 2006, and that the construction permit to raise the power on this VHF station to 3000 watts will be granted in a few days.

As a VHF station located in the heart of Columbus and operating at 3000 watts this station should really reach a lot of people. Also, it is very easy to convert this station to digital. As a digital station, WGCT can carry at least six video streams at the same time. The COACB needs only one stream. That leaves five streams that could be used to carry other Christian networks. Maybe you or your church would like to partner with the COACB in bringing your favorite Christian network to your community. Just think, it would be available crystal clear 24 hours per day. Call us at 740 383-1794 for details.

Here in Ohio, Kroger’s is selling 27" Digital ready TV sets for \$299 and Wal-Mart is selling 25" digital ready TV sets for \$249. HD receivers start at \$429. So I think it is now time for digital. In many cities people are abandoning cable. When people get 60 program channels for free on a digital receiver and a \$10 antenna, they ask why pay \$70 per month for 100 channels on cable? Eventually we will convert all of our stations to digital and each will be like a small over the air cable TV system carrying multiple Christian networks. Think of the possibilities.....



**WOCB-CA & WXCB-CA
LOCAL BROADCAST SCHEDULE**

WOCB-CA 39 WXCB-CA 42 WOCB-LP 48 WGCT-CA 8

REFER TO THE TBN SCHEDULE FOR ALL TIMES NOT LISTED.

(REVISED 1 - 24 - 2007)

SUNDAY

11:00-NOON By His Spirit
1:00-2:00 pm Word of Truth
2:00-2:30 pm Compare the Scriptures
2:30-3:00 pm Time for the Lord
3:00-4:00 pm Sisters & Friends (2)
5:30-6:30 pm Present Help
7:00-7:30 pm Father's House

FRIDAY

5:00-5:30 pm
5:30-6:00 pm
5:30-6:00 pm
6:00-6:30 pm
6:30-7:00 pm
7:00-7:30 pm
7:30-8:00 pm
8:00-8:30 pm

Public Affairs

Flaming Fire (wk # 2, 4,5)
A New Beginning (wk # 1,3)
SRN
Ewald Frank
Life of Joy
Prayerline
Go Preach

MONDAY

5:00-5:30 pm Puppets of Praise
5:30-6:00 pm Hispano Cristiano
6:00-7:00 pm Hymn Time
7:00-7:30 pm Revival Time
7:30-8:00 pm **Prayerline**
8:00-8:30 pm Time For Hope

SATURDAY

5:00-5:30 pm
5:30-6:00 pm
6:00-6:30 pm
6:00-6:30 pm
6:00-6:30 pm
6:30-7:00 pm
7:00-9:00 pm
7:00-9:00 pm

Public Affairs

Set Free
God Can (wk 1, 3)
Time in the Word (wk 2, 4)
Public Affairs (wk 5)
Voice of Faith
Gospel Live Singing (wk 1,3,& 4)
TBN FEED (wk 2 & 5)

TUESDAY

5:00-5:30 pm A Rood Awakening
5:30-6:00 pm The Father's Love (wk 1)
5:30-6:00 pm McDonald family (wk2 & 4)
5:30-6:00 pm **Public Affairs** (wk 3, 5)
6:00-7:00 pm Walking With God
7:00-7:30 pm Preaching the Gospel
7:30-8:00 pm **Prayerline**
8:00-8:30 pm Building New Lives in Jesus Christ

WEDNESDAY

5:00-5:30 pm **Public Affairs** (wk # 1, 3, 5)
5:00-5:30 pm True Light Miracle Ministry (wk # 2, 4)
5:30-6:00 pm **Public Affairs**
6:00-6:30 pm **Public Affairs**
6:30-7:00 pm Eagle Christian
7:00-7:30 pm Walking In Faith
7:30-8:00 pm **Prayerline**
8:00-8:30 pm **Public Affairs**

THURSDAY

5:00-5:30 pm A Witness Minsitry
5:30-6:00 pm Words of Life
6:00-6:30 pm Purpose By Design
6:30-7:00 pm **Public Affairs**
7:00-7:30 pm **Public Affairs**
7:30-8:00 pm **Prayerline**
8:00-8:30 pm Miracle Life Ministries (wk# 1, 2, 4, 5)
8:00-8:30 pm Full Businessmen Gospel (wk 3)