



The President's Corner

-Durwin Parks, President

Greetings everyone.

In the spring newsletter, I made a few comments about the Book of Psalms. This year, we at Skilton House Ministries are using the Psalms for devotions at our board meetings.

Don't forget the main focus of each psalm is Jesus who is the Son of God, one with the Father and the Spirit. In this newsletter, I want to call your attention to Psalm 18:1, 2, 3, 46. David, the servant of the Lord, says,

¹ I love You, O LORD, my strength.

² The LORD is my rock and my fortress and my deliverer,

My God, my rock, in whom I take refuge;

My shield and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold.

³ I call upon the LORD, who is worthy to be praised,

And I am saved from my enemies.

⁴⁶ The LORD lives, and blessed be my rock;

And exalted be the God of my salvation. (NASB)

Through life's trials, let us remember that "Fearing God replaces fear of others and things" (author unknown).

Maybe some of you readers of this newsletter have a special life lesson you have learned. You can share with us on our new Facebook page or comment on one of our blog posts on our website's "Think on These Things" tab.

(Thank you, Rebecca Brown and helpers, for a job well done on our new website and Facebook page.)

Thank you to those who prayed for Philadelphia students going to Bible Camp. For those who sent in Campership funds, I say thank you. The word is two girls and one boy asked to be prayed for to accept Jesus as Savior.

As we move into our Operation Brotherhood season, please pray for us and contribute as you are able.

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CHRISTIAN CAMP REPORT

-Rebecca Brown

This year, 37 Philadelphia students and friends had the opportunity to attend camp at Conestoga Bible Camp in Lancaster. One boy even invited four or five kids from his neighborhood.

At camp, they enjoyed a variety of activities and presentations. Throughout

the week, there was good participation among all the kids. Most really enjoyed their time and are looking forward to coming back.

Camp was not only a good chance for the kids to have a peaceful time in God's creation and away from the drama of everyday life, but a time of Christian instruction, encouragement, and fellowship.

OPERATION BROTHERHOOD FLYERS AND SCHEDULE ARE AVAILABLE FOR DOWNLOAD ON OUR WEBSITE!

You can find the PDF files on the "Operation Brotherhood Flyers and Schedule" tab.

<https://skiltonhouseministries.org/operation-brotherhood/operation-brotherhood-flyers-and-schedule/>

Operation Brotherhood 2018

~Ann Egner

Operation Brotherhood 2018 has begun. The churches who wish to participate have already started to identify families whom they wish to contact this year for our Lord.

The first meeting will be held on Thursday, September 13 at 7:30 p.m. at the Korean United Church of Philadelphia, located at 12th and Cheltenham Avenues, Philadelphia, PA 19126. If your church wishes to participate this year, please send a representative to this meeting and we will review all the information and dates that are important for your church calendar.

The Rally this year is on Sunday, October 14 at 3:00 p.m. We will meet at True Love Church, 412 Folcroft Street, Folcroft, PA 19032. Make sure that you bring representatives of your church to participate in this prayer service and Walk for Christ in this section of Philadelphia. Also bring your requests for

turkeys and the names and addresses of the families you are trying to reach for Jesus, as well as the names of your church members who will follow up and shepherd each family.

Also on this date, please start the collection of canned goods (green beans, corn, cranberry sauce, and stuffing).

Encourage your members to bring canned goods for the next 5 Sundays as they pray for these families.

On Sunday, October 21, a special collection must be taken in your church, and that contribution will assist us in purchasing the turkeys. Please send checks to:

Skilton House Ministries
P.O. Box 1045
Glenside, PA 19038

On November 1 at 7:30 p.m., we will meet at the Korean

United Church for Slip Night. This is when each church receives the slip to receive our baskets of food and turkeys. If your representative cannot attend, another member of your committee must attend. This meeting is very important, as the church representatives sign up their members to work at the various stations on November 15 and 16 (see the schedule of Operation Brotherhood 2018).

I look forward to working with you as we share our love of Jesus Christ and His Word with those who do not know Him as Lord and Savior of their lives. Please note all of the Operation Brotherhood dates on your church calendar and invite the members of your church to become missionaries for Jesus. Together, we can bring glory to God!

Yes! I would like to help Skilton House Ministries spread the Gospel in Philadelphia!

Enclosed is my contribution of \$ _____ (made payable to "Skilton House Ministries")

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