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The Rose Melnick Medical Museum—by a Resident

The Rose Melnick Medical Museum is located on the Youngstown State University Campus. The Resident Men's program left on April 11th at 10:00. When we arrived at the museum, a tour guide greeted us. The museum is called the Rose Melnick Medical Museum in honor of Dr. John C Melnick's mother. The museum was founded in 1981. There is an exhibit of U.S. Presidents medical issues, because of the museum's purpose. The tour guide also spoke about the usage of an Iron Lung exhibit on display. The Emerson Respirator was commonly associated with Polio patients. The museum's

goal is to take tourist inside the world of medicine and be transported back in time to an era when disease was rampant. Medical practice was rudimentary and few doctors were around. To explore medicines of the past and appreciate living in the 21st century is the goal of the museum. The museum was very informative. In my first paragraph I did not speak about the variety of medial instruments used in the 19th century. At the museum there was an exhibit on the Red Cross and its start in America during WWI. I also feel that the museum was cool.

Remember—by Dorothy Romeo

It's always good to look back on our lives and remember the cherished times but also to learn from our mistakes. Did you ever say "why did I do that or boy was that stupid of me?" I think everyone does. I have now learned to stop and listen and pray before I react to life itself. That way I don't have to take my foot our of my mouth quite so often! I try to think what if God was standing here? Would I say or do the same thing? Guess what, God is ALWAYS with us.

Thumbs Up Makes God Smile—John T Hamner

Thumbs up—thumbs down, are signs representing, good verses bad. For this article they will represent good verses evil.

Imagine two thumbs up representing candles that light up the path that God wants us to follow in His way. Now God is smiling.

Suppose we get off God's path, and get on our own path or Satan's path. God's not smiling any more. The candles burn out, and the thumbs turn down. Who is smiling now? That's right, Satan is smiling now.

This is not right. Now, we must defeat Satan and get back in fellowship with God. God will direct us back on the path that he wants us to take. God is smiling bigger than ever, because together we have defeated Satan, and put him back in his place.

I don't expect anyone to walk around with their thumbs sticking up in the air, but thinking thumbs up is the same as doing. It will deep God's light shining on your path in your life. Thank you! God bless You and yours!
KEEP GOD SMILING!

Students Motivated by Arts—by a former client

In a quality arts education program at Youngstown State University, SMARTS offers free art education to area students in a beautiful 8,000 square foot facility. Students in grades K—12 interested in the arts should ask for an application for free art classes in dance, music, acting, and visual arts. The SMARTS center is located at 258 Federal Plaza West, in the Adler Arts Academy in downtown Youngstown.

Keep in mind, there is no charge for field trips. Reservations must be made in advance. SMARTS is open for public tours all the time. Groups desiring a hands-on activity during their tour are asked to call in advance. Hours of operation are: Tuesday—Friday , 9a.m. to 5 pm; Saturday, 10 a.m. to 1 pm and closed on Sunday. The Learning Center took a field trip and played drums and other instruments and had a very enlightening and educating experience. Thanks to our learning Center instructor, Raelyn for all she does for us.

Field Trip to Pittsburgh! By Timothy VanCobb

I will praise thee: for I am fearfully and wonderfully made: marvelous are thy works; and my soul knoweth right well. (Psa 139:14)

BODIES
THE EXHIBITION

The above scripture vividly came to life for the Resident men and some members of the Rescue Mission of Mahoning Valley during a recent field trip to the Carnegie Science Center in Pittsburgh. *Bodies... The Exhibition* featured “cadavers: (deceased bodies) that have been painstakingly well preserved, in order to show the divine complexities of our body and to inspire us to take better care of ourselves. Fifteen polymer-preserved real human bodies revealed the skeletal, muscular, nervous, digestive, and respiratory and circulatory systems dissected in exacting detail. Did you know that there are over 60,000 miles of blood vessels in the human body? Or that the liver, is the heaviest single organ in the body weighing close to 3.5 pounds. Many other mind-expanding facts are documented throughout the exhibit.

Another exciting part of the exhibit was the “human developments” section, which showcased development from egg to embryo to fetus stages of human life. Did you know that the heart of a human embryo begins to beat during the 3rd week or that the 9th week all major organs in an embryo are formed?
(PRAISE THE LORD)

Learning Center Coordinator, Raelyn tactfully organized the daylong outing. Adding to the fun and excitement of the day was Ms Kay and Ms. Rose, RMMV staff members. The day ended with a visit to the IMAX theater where we viewed “Dinosaurs-Alive” and finally we took a wonderful tour through a World War II submarine, the USS Requin. We went through the various compartments above and below the main deck. Both the theater and the submarine are located near the Carnegie Science Center. The field trip proved to be a blessing to those of us who attended. We all returned with a greater appreciation of the awesomeness and greatness of God Almighty.

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Fishes and Faces—by Eleanor Cialella

Our trip to the E-aquarium at the Eastwood mall was great! When we got there, we saw this beautiful carriage and two of the prettiest horses. They were miniature Belgium horses named Storm and Mike. They were brothers and they were there for ten couples getting married that day in front of the magnificent aquarium. There were many species of fish and the coral was beautiful—the colors incredible. We even saw a fish that looked like Nemo and Dory. There were also the awesome sharks three and four feet long. The Stingrays were fun to watch, their eyes are on the sides of their heads. But, the scariest looking thing was the Moray Eel. It was green and about four feet long with very sharp teeth. It was hiding between some big rocks looking for prey, but of course there was none. It was a great field trip! Thanks Ms. Raelyn.



Get ready
to enjoy the
annual Rescue Mission
Staff & Client Picnic!



Wed. June 18th * 11am—4pm
in Boardman Park

Thoughts from the book “God Isn’t In A Hurry” written by Warren Wiersbe.

- ◆ **Start your day with the Lord.** Present your whole day to Him!
- ◆ **Plan your day.** Nobody can afford to waste time.
- ◆ **Take “Blessing Breaks!”** Stop, quiet your heart, praise Him and pray during the day.
- ◆ **Try to keep margins around your life.** When your life lacks breathing space, everything that happens is an emergency.
- ◆ **Live to please God & fulfill his purpose for you.**
- ◆ **Learn to relax and enjoy leisure time.** We waste today by worrying about tomorrow or regretting yesterday.

Remember... There is always time for the will of God.