

SUNDAY AM	May 15, 2016	May 22, 2016
ANNOUNCE	Wes McIntyre	Wes McIntyre
SONGLEADER	Mark Vaughan	Zach Rominske
READING	Ed O'Dell	Dan Carpenter
PRAYER	Mark Vaughan	David Lamp
COMMUNION	Zach Rominske	Ben Rominske
ASSIST	Mike Bungard	Mike Bungard
ASSIST	Tyler Vaughan	Tyler Vaughan
ASSIST	Ed O'Dell	Ed O'Dell
ASSIST	Danny Carpenter Jr.	Danny Carpenter Jr.
PREPARE COM	Mary Lamp	Mary Lamp
POWER POINT	Anne Galbreath	Anne Galbreath
SUNDAY PM		
SONGLEADER	Mike Bungard	Roy Clark
READING	Elijah Clark	Tyler Vaughan
PRAYER	Ben Rominske	Mike Bungard
COMMUNION	David Lamp	Mike Carpenter
Wednesday	May 18, 2016	May 25, 2016
Invitation	Mark Vaughan	Elvis Galbreath

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How to be Saved

Hear: Romans 10:14
Believe: Hebrews 11:6
Repent: Acts 17:30
Confess Jesus as Savior: Acts 8:36-37
Be Baptized: Acts 2:38

Website Helps:

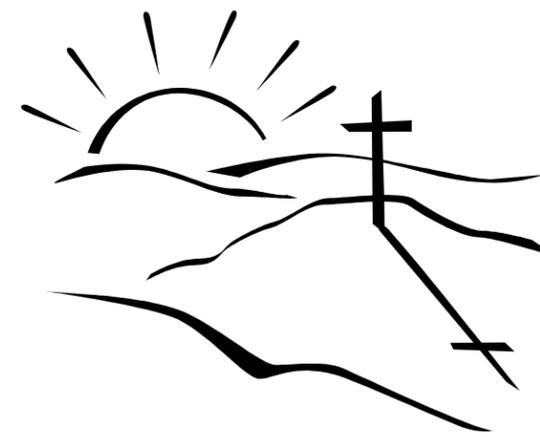
<http://thecolleyhouse.org>
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Sunday May 8, 2016

Bible Study 40
Morning Worship 90
Evening Worship 60
Offering \$1708.00
Wednesday Study (5/11/16) 49
Attendance Goal 120

Meeting Times:

Sunday Bible Class 9:30AM
Sunday Morning Worship 10:30AM
Sunday Evening Worship 6:00PM
Wednesday Bible Class 7:00PM



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Prayer Life

I have been a Christian for almost 40 years now and I am still learning something new each and every day! Many very wise people in their eighties and nineties have said the learning of God's Word never ever stops. Acts 17: 10-11, The brethren immediately sent Paul and Silas away by night to Berea, and when they arrived, they went into the synagogue of the Jews. Now these were more noble-minded than those in Thessalonica, for they received the word with great eagerness, examining the Scriptures daily to see whether these things were so. The Christian in Berea were very eager to find out God's will for their lives.

It is my prayer that we are as eager to find out God's will for our lives and His church in the year 2016. Because of prayer, my relationship with the Lord has grown just in the last few weeks. Prayer seems to be the answer to some of the hard questions and challenges we face in this lifetime. The Bible is full of prayer in both the Old and New Testament. Let us look at some of those wonderful prayers.

Hannah's Prayer of Thanksgiving: In First Samuel 2:1-11, we see the thankfulness of a mother that was not able to have children—until prayer changed things.

David Prayer of Thanksgiving: In Second Samuel 7:18-29, we see David in a position of prayer to our father being thankful for all the great things the Lord had done for him.

Solomon's Prayer for Wisdom: In First Kings 3:6-9, we see an amazing short prayer from Solomon for wisdom and understanding. Notice the humble heart of Solomon!

Solomon's Prayer for Dedication: In First Kings 8:22-54, we see Solomon's lengthy prayer of dedication of the Lord's Temple. This wonderful prayer was done before all the house of Israel.

Ezra's Prayer and Fast for Safety: In Ezra 8:21-32, we see Ezra humbling himself before the Lord as they prepare for a safe journey.

Nehemiah Prayer for Israel: In Nehemiah 1:5-11, we see Nehemiah go before the great and awesome God of heaven for the children of Israel. Nehemiah asked that God have His ear be attentive and His eyes open as he confessed Israel's sins.

Hezekiah's Prayer for Israel: In Isaiah 37:14-20, we see Isaiah in prayer over his people Israel because the king of Assyria had devastated all the countries and their land.

These are just a few of the wonderful prayers we see in scripture. We can learn a ton from the prayers of the Bible. Let us apply these lessons to our lives as we strive to get closer to our God.

My He Bless our Christian Walk--Elvis

Upcoming Events

May 15: Pot-Luck after morning worship

May 20: Friday Night Sing George Street church of Christ 7:00pm

May 21: Ben and Zach's Graduation Party: Noon to 4pm at Kraton Park

May 22: Graduation Sunday AM Service

May 27: Friday Night Sing Lubeck church of Christ 7:00pm

May 29: Traveling Youth Group Rockport church of Christ 6:30pm

May 30: Love & Care Sing 7:00pm

June 3: Friday Night Sing Sandyville church of Christ 7:00pm

June 5: Men's Meeting after Evening Song Service

Family & Friends In Need of Prayer

Gretchen Lawrie	Jeremy Harris	Bill Taylor	Wanda Vaughan
Mary Kupfner	Ricky Hill	Helen McIntyre	Mike Vaughan
Bill Spears	Roberta Piggott	Bob Thomas	Christie Stitzlein
Chuck Boston	Waylon Kirby	Eric Plotitz	Roselee Stanley
Dan Carpenter Sr.	Brenda Jones	Linda White	Shiva Mead
Richard Johnson	Kathy Lovitt	Arlene White	Joel Waters
Donnie Piggott	Mary Manzo	James Piggott	
Davy Dye	Linda Nixon	Jonathon Neely	
Phyllis DeLancey	Karen Metz	Melody Melrose	
Beverly Phillips	Howard Black	Doris Smith	



- † We are happy to announce that Leonard Shears' tests for cancer last week turned out negative.
- † Beverly Phillips has been in Marietta Memorial Hospital since Monday with a blood clot in her right lung.
- † Evelyn Lemon, Paul's sister-in-law, had heart surgery Wednesday Evening to repair damage to the flap in her heart and low blood pressure.
- † Margaret O'Dell had a CAT scan Thursday.
- † Deloris Bell, is still suffering with fractures in her back.
- † Joan Carter has been facing some difficult times.
- † Anne Galbreath's, uncle A.J. Evans is still in need of prayers for healing.
- † John Stephens will be facing some medical testing soon.
- † Helen McIntyre has been facing some medical issues.
- † Don Hedershot has been going through some rough times.



Please Help with donations to Ohio Valley Christian Youth Camp. There is a list on the bulletin board of items needed.

Please bring all donations in by June 1st.



Birthdays

Jessica Snider 5/16
Helen McIntyre 5/17

Anniversaries

Danny & Lisa Carpenter 5/18

SAVE THE DATES

Senior Week Bible Camp June 12th thru 17th
Junior Week Bible Camp June 19th thru 24th
Intermediate Week Bible Camp June 26th thru July 1
Sunrise Vacation Bible School July 24th thru July 27th
Friends and Family September 18th

3...6...5..Pray Everyday-

The Sunrise Prayer

Dear Heavenly Father, It is a great honor and privilege to come before the throne of God in prayer. Father, we know that you are the creator of all things good. We understand that you are the creator of Heaven and Earth. We give you praise and glory. Father, we know that you hold our balance in your hand. Father how grateful we are to be part of the family of God here at Sunrise. We thank you for the blessings that Sunrise has had all these years. We thank you for looking down on your saints here. Father, help us to be encouraged by each other and your Word. May we be like the church in the first century. May we have the purest form of love as they had. May we be able to share your good news of salvation with everyone we come in contact with. May we pray not only for one another but also for those we know who need Christ in their lives. Father, help us to lay our thoughts and our burdens before you in prayer. Father, help us to draw closer to you and your son each and every day of our lives. Help us to resist the devil and everything that he represents. Help us to understand what it means to live a life as a child of God. Help us to be renewed in thought, spirit and actions. Help us to be the light in every situation that we find ourselves in. Father, when our friends, family, and others come in contact with us may they see Christ in us. May we inspire them to search the scriptures to find the true of your word. Father, help us to be the Christians you want us to be. Better husbands, wives, parents, children and servants of God. Help us to rejoice in every situation. Father, we love you! We love your son, Jesus Christ and his sacrifice for us. Father, help us to pray for others. In Jesus Name--Amen

GOD'S FEELINGS FOR THE CHURCH WE LOVE

The first two chapters of _____ alert us to the deep _____ each member of the God-head has for this spiritual "_____."

I. *God the son* "_____ " about the church (Acts 1:1-3).

During the _____ days between His _____ and ascension, Jesus frequently appeared to his disciples, "speaking of the things pertaining to the _____ of God" Matthew 9:35, Then Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, _____ the gospel of the kingdom, and healing every sickness and every _____ among the people.

John 3:1, There was a man of the _____ named _____, a ruler of the Jews.

John 3:5, Jesus answered, "Most assuredly, I say to you unless one is born of _____ and the Spirit. He cannot _____ the _____ of God.

Mark 14:25, Assuredly, I say to you, I will no _____ drink of the fruit of the vine until that day when I drink it new in the _____ of God.

Ephesians 5:25, _____, love your wives, just as Christ also love the _____ and gave Himself for _____.

II. *God the father* "_____ " the church (Acts 1:4-8; 2:1-4; 33).

Jesus instructed the apostles to wait in _____ for "the Promise of the _____; that is, the promise of the Holy Spirit's coming to them with _____.

Acts 1:5, for John truly _____ with water, but you shall be _____ with the Holy Spirit not many days from Now

Acts 2:2, And _____ there came a sound from _____, as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled the whole house where they were _____.

The _____ preached in _____ they had never studied.

Acts 2:4, And they were all _____ with the Holy Spirit and began to speak with other _____, as the Spirit gave them _____.

_____ were converted

Acts 2:47, praising God and having favor with all the people. And the _____ added to the church _____ those who were being _____.

GOD'S FEELINGS FOR THE CHURCH WE LOVE --#2

The "_____;" the church was to come with _____—Mark 9:1

I. *We love the New Testament church, she will be the _____ of our lives (Acts 1:1-3)*

Matthew 5:10, Blessed are those who are _____ for righteousness' sake, For theirs is the _____ of heaven.

Matthew 11:11, "Assuredly, I say to you, among those born of women there has not risen one _____ than John the Baptist; but he who is least in the _____ of _____ is greater than me.

What is the _____ item listed on your family _____?

Do you _____ for the local church as much as you _____ for your _____ needs.

II. *If we love the New Testament church, we will plan and work to help her _____ (Acts 1:8)*

_____ did. He _____ the apostles to preach "in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and _____, and to the end of the earth."

It might be said that God "_____ His work" and "_____ His plan."

III. *If we love the New Testament church, we will defend her when it is _____ (Acts 2:12-16).*

We also need to be "_____ for the defense of the gospel and the _____ of God."

Matthew 24:14, And this _____ of the kingdom will be preached in all the _____ as a witness to all the _____, and then the end will come.