

SUNDAY AM	<i>December 2, 2018</i>	<i>December 9, 2018</i>
ANNOUNCE	Mark Vaughan	Mark Vaughan
SONGLEADER	Isaiah Casenelli	Mark Vaughan
READING	Patrick Casenelli	John Bonar
PRAYER	Ed O'Dell	David Lamp
COMMUNION	Ken Wilson	Dan Carpenter Sr.
ASSIST	Mike Bungard	Mike Bungard
ASSIST	Ed O'Dell	Ed O'Dell
ASSIST	JR Flinn	JR Flinn
ASSIST	Jarritt Flinn	Jarritt Flinn
PREPARE COM	Gina Vaughan	Gina Vaughan
USHER	Adam Carpenter	Tyler Vaughan
Sound Room	Danny Carpenter Sr.	Danny Carpenter Sr.
SUNDAY PM		
SONGLEADER	Tyler Vaughan	Mike Bungard
READING	None	Noah Carpenter
PRAYER	John Bonar	Patrick Casenelli
COMMUNION	Mike Vaughan	Tom Black
<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>December 5, 2018</i>	<i>December 12, 2018</i>
Invitation	Elvis Galbreath	Mark Casenelli
Song Leader	Mike Carpenter	Tyler Vaughan

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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

Bible Bowl Answers
For 11/25/2018

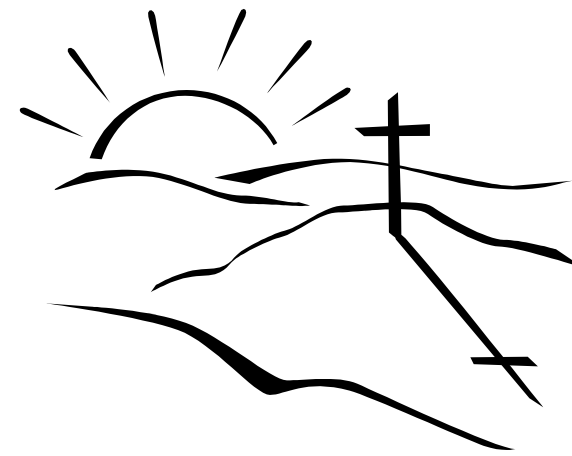
13. B. Robbed them by taking wages from them
 14. B. Macedonia
 15. A. Achaia
 16. B. God

Sunday November 25, 2018

Bible Study	45
Morning Worship	80
Evening Worship	58
Offering	\$1914.00
Wednesday Evening	47
Attendance Goal	100
2018 Baptisms	8
2018 Restorations	2

Meeting Times:

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



**THE
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 MESSENGER**

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Welcome to our worship here at Sunrise church of Christ.

We are pleased that you chose to worship with us today! We hope that you feel welcome and at home here. If you have any questions about our service or anything else we invite you to ask one of our members or the minister.

Morning Message: Jesus Sends the Comforter

Evening Message: Song Service

The Hardest Words to Say

I must have been sick on the day they taught phonics in school. If I don't recognize a word by sight, I can find some amazing ways to mispronounce it. I cringe when I have to use certain words because no matter how much I practice, I'm not sure how it will come out.

However, I know that the hardest words to say are sometimes the most simple to pronounce. Phrases like, "I'm sorry" and "I was wrong" and "I have sinned."

It would behoove us to remember this when people need to say those words. We need to do everything to support them and encourage them. We should never hinder someone's need for repentance with our judgments or indifference. Jesus tells us in Luke 15:7 that "there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous persons who need no repentance."

God's desire is for man to see the error of his ways and come home. We need to make sure we don't do anything that would hinder someone from making that journey.

Barry Haynes
 Hope, AR

Upcoming Events

- Sunday, December 2: Shower for Cristeena—All Ladies are invited. Please see Anne or Gina**
- Sunday, December 2: Men's Lunch for Stacey Robinson after morning worship at Pizza Hut.**
- Sunday, December 2: Men's business meeting after evening song service**
- Saturday, December 8: Stacey Robinson and Cristeena Pointer Wedding 4:30pm at the building. Fellowship to follow in the fellowship room. Everyone is invited.**
- Friday, December 14: Youth Christmas Party at the Vaughan's 5:00pm**
- Sunday, December 16: Potluck then Love and Care Worship 2:30pm then Caroling**
- Thursday, December 20: Love and Care Worship 7:00pm**
- Saturday, December 22: Ladies Bible Study 10:30am then Ladies Lunch Out**

Family & Friends In Need of Prayer

Please provide an	Update every	4 weeks
Delbert Lynch	Ricky Hill	Helen McIntyre
Bill Spears	Roberta Piggott	Bob Thomas
Brad Kimes	Waylon Kirby	Eric Plotitz
Dan Carpenter Sr.	Jonathon Neely	Nioma Sargent
Richard Johnson	Jeremy Harris	Arlene White
Linda White	Mary Manzo	
Davy Dye	Donnie Hendershot	
Silvia Bunner	Joan Carter	
Martha Whited	Mike Vaughan	

Please sign-up to prepare the Lord's Supper on the bulletin board in the foyer



Birthdays

Cristeena Pointer 12/5
Sara Hendershot 12/5

Anniversaries

Roy & Karen Clark 12/4
John & Debra Bonar 12/7



**Bridal Shower for
Cristeena Pointer
Sunday December 2nd at 11:45am**

All Ladies and Girls are invited.

Please see Anne and Gina if you can bring soup or salad.

We will eat, play games and make a craft for the Ladies at Love n Care.

Announcements

- † Tennie Carpenter is recovering well from her surgery.
- † Janice Martin's surgery went well. They removed a lymph node and cancer in her breast. She will have radiation after about a month of healing.
- † Please continue to remember Arlene White in your prayers.
- † Bob Harkness, Ronda's neighbor, is in the Cleveland Clinic.
- † Please keep Judy Davis in your prayers. The blood work did not show anything, so they are going to take a biopsy of her lungs December 21st
- † Paislee has RSV. She had the shunt put in her head last week.
- † John Rockhold is back at Health South recovering from a stroke.
- † Delores Bell is now recovering in Health South.
- † Please pray for Karen Metz, as her dog Ollie passed away.
- † Please pray for Sue Miller, she is the grandmother of Ashleigh Carter. She began treatment for pancreatic cancer recently.
- † Davey Dye's new address: 50 Harmony Drive, Apt 209, Morgantown, WV 26505 Phone: (304) 241-1297

2018 Bible Bowl Questions—2 Corinthians 11

17. In 2 Corinthians 11:12, Paul states, "But what I do, I will also _____ to do."
 - A. Beg of you
 - B. Commend you
 - C. Continue
 - D. Cease
18. In 2 Corinthians 11:13, the false apostles wanted to transform themselves as _____ of Christ.
 - A. Believers
 - B. Preachers
 - C. Enemies
 - D. Apostles
19. According to 2 Corinthians 11:14, Satan himself transforms himself as an _____.
 - A. Devoted followers of Christ
 - B. Angel of light
 - C. Angel of darkness
 - D. Innocent lamb
20. In 2 Corinthians 11:15, Paul says that Satan's ministers transform themselves as _____.
 - A. Traveling evangelists
 - B. Ministers of Satan
 - C. Ministers of Righteousness
 - D. Wolves

Jesus Sends the Comforter

In the beginning of chapter _____ Jesus prepares his followers for the time _____ to his death on the cross and return to the _____.

I. Jesus will not leave us _____ (John 14:16-20).

The word _____ translates the same Greek word (_____) as comforter does here.

John 14:17, the Spirit of _____, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees Him or _____ Him; but you know Him, for He _____ with you and will be in you.

The Helper is called "the Spirit of _____" no because truth defines Him, as truth defines Jesus, but because it was His task to _____ the truth about Jesus and the _____ to the apostles.

John 14:19, A little while _____ and the world will see Me no more, but you will see _____, Because I live, you will _____ also.

II. The _____ of Christ with the Father (John 14:21-27).

John 14:21, He who has My _____ and keeps them, it is he who loves Me. And he who loves Me will be _____ by My Father, and I will love him and _____ Myself to him.

God loves _____—Jesus loves _____—God loves _____—Jesus loves _____—We love _____ through Jesus—We love _____ other!

John 14:24, He who does not _____ Me does not keep My _____; and the word which you hear is not _____ but the _____ who sent Me.

First Corinthians 6:11, And such were _____ of you, But you were _____, but you were _____, but you were justified in the name of the Lord Jesus and by the _____ of our God.

Choose to "Do Well"

While watching a movie entitled "An Old Fashioned Christmas" on the Hallmark Channel, I scribbled down an outstanding observation a character made about choosing a path in this world.

In this movie, which is based on a story set in the 1880's by Louisa May Alcott, one young man took a house guest out to a pub and got him drunk. Later at the dinner table, with the entire family gathered around, his behavior was brought to light. The young instigator played the event off by saying, "It's all part of becoming a man!" His mother profoundly said, "It depends on what kind of man one wishes to become."

The lesson in this simple statement is powerful. What we become depends a lot upon the choices we make. As God told Cain in Gen. 4:7, "If you do well, will you not be accepted? And if you do not do well, sin lies at the door. Its desire is for you, but you should rule over it."

Cain didn't amount to much, because he didn't rule over his desire to sin. Like the young man in the movie, if we accept sin as a "rite of passage," we are quite literally choosing sin, and a path that leads away from God and toward destruction.

If you want to become the kind of person God wants you to be, choose to "do well." Refuse sin and live for Jesus!

Matt Clifton
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