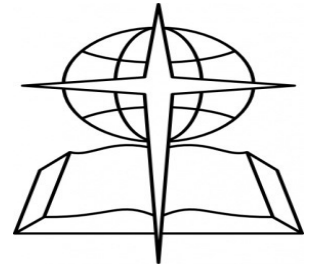


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Weekly Bulletin

A Thought From Mark...

How powerful is just one verse of Scripture? Much in every way! We have been proving this thesis by our look at one brief verse from 1 Corinthians 15 – verse 58..

“Therefore, my beloved brothers, be steadfast, immovable, ALWAYS ABOUNDING IN THE WORK OF THE LORD, knowing that in the Lord your labor is not in vain.”

Always abounding in the work of the Lord. Remember out context: this is the great resurrection chapter of Paul’s writing! Based on the truth of Jesus’ resurrection, and the true promise of the resurrection of all true believers, here is the way we should live: be steadfast, be immovable, and always abound in the Lord’s work.

What does it mean to always abound in the work of the Lord? Does it mean to do nothing other than the work of Jesus? Does it mean to work ourselves to exhaustion in the church? What?

Perhaps some other verses that use the word will guide us. Matthew 12:34 – *“For out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaks.”* Jesus here in an argument with the Pharisees quotes a proverb that uses our word – here translated “abundance.” There is a sense in which the idea is “overflow.” Our mouth, the Lord says, speaks from the overflow of the heart. There is much more in the heart than what it spoken, but what is spoken comes from what is in the heart.

Similarly, in 1 Corinthians 15:58, in light of the resurrection, we are commanded to work in an “overflow” way. In other words, our hearts are so full of the truth of the gospel that we want to do so much in grateful response – but physically we are unable to do that much. Instead, we abound in the Lord’s work – we work from an overflowing heart.

Jesus said, John 10:10, that He came to give us an abundant life – this very kind of full and overflowing life! If that is true, we should surely reflect that in grateful response.

Many other examples could be traced throughout the NT, helping us understand the power of this command from the apostle Paul. He is not calling for some kind of legalistic works-based righteousness. He is showing what a heart full of gospel resurrection truth looks like: it is full! So full that it cannot help but overflow in the work of the Lord! This is abundant living.

- Mark Mason

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YOUNG-AT-HEART!

We will meet this Thursday at the building at 11:00 AM for an “old-fashioned” Young at Heart meeting, with a guest speaker and a meal to follow. We used to do this nearly every month in the early years, so we hope you will plan to come and enjoy this time of fellowship.

Our guest speaker will be Nathan Green. We all know and love this young Gospel preacher. Following his message, we will be treated to a catered lunch. No need to bring anything but an appetite – both a spiritual one and a physical one – we hope to feed both!

Please sign up today on the sheet in the foyer – we need a good count for the meal plans. See you Thursday!

ATTENTION COLLEGE STUDENTS:



The young adult Bible class invite all college students to “Back to School Sundae Sunday” after evening worship tonight in the multipurpose room.

FROM STEPHEN'S DESK



I would like to take a moment to remind everyone of our goal to average 150 for Sunday school this year. If you are not already attending Bible classes we would encourage you to make this a part of your Sunday morning routine.

As we begin the new school year it will be time for the kids to change classes. We have made a few adjustments to the class lists; so we thought we would make you aware. These changes will begin on **September 2nd**. Once again, I urge you to make every effort to make Bible class a part of your Sunday morning routine. With the constant pressures of life and our busy schedules, I can think of no better way for us to begin our week than to be in the Word of God together.

Sunday Morning:

CLASS	ROOM #
Nursery	11
2 & 3 year olds	15
PreK – 1 st Grade	10
2 nd – 5 th Grade	12/13
Teens	18
College Class	17
Young Adults	16
Ladies	Multipurpose Room
Adults	Auditorium

Wednesday Night:

CLASS	ROOM #
Cradle Roll	15
PreK – 1 st Grade	10
2 nd – 5 th Grade	12/13
Teens	18
College Class	17
Adults	Multipurpose Room or Auditorium

Daily Bible Readings:

Monday	1 John 4:2-3, 7-9, 20-21
Tuesday	1 John 5:3, 5, 12-15
Wednesday	BIBLE CLASS AT 1 & 7 PM
Thursday	Revelation 1:1-5, 8-10
Friday	Revelation 2:1-5, 8-14, 16, 18-21, 24-25
Saturday	Revelation 3:1-4, 7-8, 10-11
Sunday	BIBLE CLASS AT 9:30 AM

Prayer Requests

Our Sympathy to the family of

Josephine "Jo" Florence (sister of Dale Dotson; her daughters are Patty Sayre and Gala Miller) passed away early last Sunday morning. Her funeral was Wednesday morning at Camden Avenue.

David Deem (husband of Linda Shuman Deem; brother-in-law of Jim Shuman) His funeral was Thursday, Aug. 6. Cards can be sent to Linda at 39 Wiggins Lane, Parkersburg WV 26104-7684.

Hospital

Lois Swesey, CCMH 152

Ruth Brookover, Health South 218 - was released from MMH on Friday afternoon and is now in HS for physical therapy.

Helen Forshey (70 year old friend of a Jenny Balsler) CCMH ICU #6, had a riding lawn mowing accident, sustaining several injuries.

Jerry Wagner (friend of Ken & Mary Lamp) Mayo Clinic - had critical cardio-vascular surgery and is doing as well as expected. Their home address is 1408 New Abby Ave., Leesburg FL 34788.

Prayer List

Herb Fletcher is now on Hospice care.

Ron Grizzard is recuperating from surgery.

Cathy Deem is awaiting a call from the neurosurgeon at OSU Hospital for a date for insertion of a pain pump.

Ruth Deiger, who was injured in a 4wheeler accident at WVCYC, is improving. She has several injuries. Her husband is recovering from his ankle injury.

Joe Newberry has completed his 12 week treatment plan. He will know in a few months if he has been cured. Please pray for him and his family.



"In Search of The Lord's Way"

(WTAP-TV Sundays @ 7:30 AM)

August 23 – "The Holy Spirit"

Both the Old Testament and the New Testament speak of the Holy Spirit. Some versions speak of the Spirit as an "it." Who or what is the Holy Spirit, and is He a divine person or merely a force or influence in the world?

Sun.—Aug 16	Mon.—Aug 17	Tues.—Aug 18	Wed.—Aug 19	Thurs.—Aug 20	Fri.—Aug 21	Sat.—Aug 22
OVU Students Back to School Sundaes Sunday (eve)			Bible Class (7 PM—Summer Series—Bruce Terry)	<i>Bread Basket #3</i> <i>Young At Heart Meeting (11 AM) and catered luncheon</i>	<i>Friday Night Sing @ WV School of Preaching, Pursley, or Groveport OH</i>	
Sun.—Aug 23	Mon.—Aug 24	Tues.—Aug 25	Wed.—Aug 26	Thurs.—Aug 27	Fri.—Aug 28	Sat.—Aug 29
			Bible Class (7 PM—Summer Series—Michael Rowand)	<i>Bread Basket #5</i>	<i>Friday Night Sing @ Whitehall in Fairmont, WV</i>	

☺ *Thank you for attending the church picnic at Spencer Park yesterday evening. Isn't it wonderful to fellowship with one another? It was a wonderful opportunity to meet with new members and enjoy "old" friends.*

☺ *It has been good having J. Massey as an intern @ 36th Street. Today is his last day with us as he heads off to school. We wish him well at Harding University.*

➔ We will have our annual ice cream social Sunday, August 30th on the back parking lot following evening worship service. Why not invite someone to evening worship services and the ice cream social?

➔ Our summer series concludes at the end of August. In the adult class, we will continue our study through the prison letters on both Sunday and Wednesday evenings. (A print out for the fall quarter will be provided soon.)

Birthdays

Today—Rick Kellar
Karen Case
Stephanie Copen

Mon.—Eric Pride

Tues.—Molly Mason

Wed.—Avery Walker
Gladys Frohling

Thurs.—Dave Berger

Fri.—Mike Simms

Sat.—Melissa Butterfield
Willow Wright

Wednesday
J & C Long (54)

HOST FAMILIES WANTED



OVU is looking for area church members to host an international student this fall. Would your family like to interact with a student from another country? Do you have some time every other week to invest in reaching out to the world? OVU will have an informational meeting for all those interested in this fun opportunity on Tuesday, August 18th at 7pm in Room 104 at the OVU campus.

If you are interested in learning more, please text your name and contact information to Janna Menear @304-482-0430 or send an email to janna.menear@ovu.edu.

Mission:	Donations go to:	Date needed:
Non-perishables, personal care, clothing	Della Poling—Room 2	Ongoing

Area-Wide Activities/Events

See flyers on the bulletin boards.

- Aug. 16-19 Gospel Meeting, South Main (New Lexington, OH) with T. J. Davidson of Cabot, Arkansas
- Aug. 17 OVU Fighting Scots Golf Classic @ Parkersburg Country Club (www.ovu.edu/golfclassic)
- Aug. 17-21 Gospel Meeting @ Cloverdale church with Ed Melott
- Aug. 21 3rd Annual WV School of Preaching Sing and Pie Fling (Singing 7:00pm; Fellowship/Desserts 8:00pm)
- Sept. 12 Ladies Inspiration Day @ Goff Street in Elkins with Clista Heintzman (Count needed by 9/5 if possible)
- Sept. 19 Ladies Inspiration Day @ Rio Grande OH with Lucy Mitchell



FRIDAY NIGHT SING

August 21, 2015

Pursley, WV

Camden Avenue's bus leaves at 5:45 PM.



YAH AUGUST ACTIVITY

Catered Luncheon w/Guest Speaker

Multipurpose Room
Thursday, August 20—11 AM
(Bring Paper Supplies for Donation)



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ELDERS		TODAY'S SERMONS		
Terry Garner	304-295-6029	A.M.—“Not Mine, But His—Part 1” Mark Mason (Text: John 7:14-17) (Reading: Jerimiah 20:7-9)		
Tim Kirl	304-489-1814	P.M.—“Consider One Another” Mark Mason (Text: Hebrews 10:24-25) (Reading: Hebrews 3:12-14)		
Jack Long	304-295-6909	Our Nursing Home Residents		
Mike Moss	304-699-4230	Betty Bibbee	Eagle Point	123
Jim Shuman	304-295-3138	Lois Miller	Ravenswood Care Ctr.	12
DEACONS		Jerry Page	Eagle Point	334
Tim Baillargeon	781-249-7469	Peggy Smith	Marietta Care & Rehab	408
John Eckhart	304-295-7450	Walter Wigal	The Willows	206
John Garner	304-295-0320	Myra Zinn	Cedar Grove	W 60
Chuck Jones	304-295-7709	Our Members Who are Homebound		
Gerald Lemley	304-295-7509	Herb Fletcher	Gladys Frohling	Jim Hart
Dennis Menear	304-295-4228	Ron Kress	Laura Menear	Lois Miller
Troy Miller	304-295-6729	Debbie Sherman	Robin Wilson	
Dan Mincks	740-373-7013	Prayers for Those with Cancer: <i>Sonia Starcher, Sandy Goodno, Delena Joy</i> (Judy Beckett's friend), <i>Ron Robey</i> (Judy Beckett's brother), <i>Donna George</i> (Eva Leonhart's neighbor), <i>Dorothy Saunders</i> (friend of Martha & Dave Berger), <i>Faye Williams</i> (Glenda Hendrickson's niece), <i>Sharon Pugh</i> (wife of Charles Pugh), <i>Edwin Williams</i> (Glenda Hendrickson's nephew), <i>Brenda Nulter</i> (Fred Nulter's sister-in-law), <i>Mary Thompson</i> (friend of Shirley Gilchrist), <i>Hope Parente</i> (friend of Ronnie & Danielle Nonamaker), <i>Emily Friar</i> (10 yr. old niece of Jim & Rita Taylor), <i>Troy Rae</i> and <i>Brandon Lynch</i> (Mary Lamp's nephews), <i>Josh Beckett</i> (Judy's great nephew), <i>Sandy Childs</i> (Sabrina Simms' aunt), <i>Larry Sams</i> (Robin Sams' dad), <i>Linda Beihl</i> (Luella Pickrell's niece), <i>Deloris Newberry</i> (John Eckhart's sister), <i>Cassie McGinnis</i> (daughter of the late Howard Dowler), <i>Rosalee Poling</i> (sister of Laura Menear), <i>Mike Taylor</i> (Cousin of Sarah Shuman), <i>Lisa Moore & Lori Flies</i> (daughters of Mac McDonald), <i>Donald Kelley</i> (Jim's brother)		
MINISTERS		Ongoing Health Problems: <i>Ruth Brookover, Ben Colantoni, Don Bibbee, Ron Kress, Jim Kelley, Ken Lamp, Norma Craig, Glenda Hendrickson, Joe Newberry, Betty Miller, Jim Hart, Ed Lemley, Bud Nonamaker, Lois Miller, Peggy Smith, Jody Boone, Ann Grimm, Cathy Deem, Robin Wilson</i> (Mary Simon's daughter), <i>Becca Simons</i> (Mary's granddaughter), <i>Joyce Dotson, Carter Nichols</i> (Curkendall's Grandson), <i>Wayne & Sherry McCray</i> (Brother and sister-in-law of Judy Curkendall), <i>Marybelle Ice</i> (Mother of Martha Berger), <i>Tracy Sullivan & Tina Nichols</i> (Lois Miller's daughters), <i>Joseph Capobianco</i> (Nephew of Carol Cavalier), <i>Travis Parsons</i> (friend of Shirley Gilchrist), <i>Wayne Hall</i> (Karen Case's brother), <i>Ed Porter</i> (brother of Bill & cousin of Judy Curkendall), <i>Hadassa Williams, Peggy Morris</i> (friend of Ruth Fox), <i>entire Ty Elliott family</i> (Ruth Fox' son), <i>Karen Rippeto</i> (Keith's mom)		
INTERNS		Privileged to Serve Next Week (08/23/15—08/26/15)		
John “Jay” Massey	304-780-0751	Announcements — Stephen Walker, Jack Long		
Michael Rowand	864-385-4511	Visitor's Table — Mary Simons		
Website: www.36thstchurchofchrist.com		Ushers — Dennis Menear*, Paul Butterfield, Ron Grizzard,		
Email us at: info@36thstchurchofchrist.com		Table (Front) - Mike O'Dell, Mike Kerby, Gary Carothers, Rick Kellar		
Join our Facebook groups: 36th Street Church of Christ 36 th Street Youth Group		Alternates — Doug Dotson, Jim Taylor, Chuck Doyle		
Join Us for Worship: Sunday Morning Bible Study 9:30 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m. <i>During Standard Time (Nov.-Feb.), we also have a Wednesday Bible Study at 1:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall.</i>		Table (Rear) — Steve Allen, Tim Baillargeon, Sonny Williamson, Scott Wigal, Steve Shelene, Bob Schott		
		Song Leader M. Rowand S. Walker Jack Long		
		Prayer D. Menear J. Lemley		
		Table Speaker P. Merideth Mike Hale		
		Table Assist. S. Seeley Jeff Shuman		
		Scripture Walker W G. Grimm		
		Closing Prayer Mike Moss Jim Hall S. Seeley		
		Pray for our Military		
		Ryan Bemish (son of Debbie & Dan Sherman) <i>Army</i>		
		Chris DePuy & wife Melanie (Jeff & Julie's son) <i>Air Force</i>		
		Brad Gibbs & wife Amber (Grandson of Kelly & Genny Gibbs) <i>Navy</i>		
		Joshua Rebholz (Son of Max & Grandson of Hiram & Nina Rebholz and Fred & Martha Nulter) <i>Marines</i>		
		Chad Williamson & wife Julie (Pat Williamson's grandson) <i>Marines</i>		
		Anthony Worst (Nephew of Michelle Hershman) <i>Marines</i>		