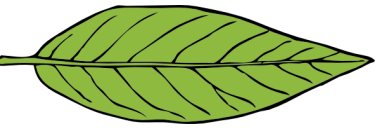


36th Street Church of Christ



*Sunday April 28th,
2019*

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94 Years of Service

Minister: Dr. Michael Moss | Intern: Jared Shipley

In spite of all our advancements, we have never come close to duplicating the marvels found in the human body. Consider the eye. It has the ability to distinguish colors and various shades of life. It has the ability to focus on objects close at hand or far away. It automatically adjusts for light, either reducing the glare or adjusting low-light conditions. The psalmist was correct when he said that we are “fearfully and wonderfully made” (Ps. 139:14).

The eye also possesses tremendous spiritual significance. Jesus said, “The lamp of the body is the eye; if therefore your eye is clear, your whole body will be full of light. But if your eye is bad, your whole body will be full of darkness. If therefore the light that is in you is darkness, how great is the darkness!” (Mt. 6:22).

Christians must maintain good spiritual vision. Without it, hope vanishes and we will abide in darkness. But, Jesus came as “the Sunrise from on high...to shine upon those who sit in darkness and the shadow of death, to guide our feet into the way of peace” (Lk. 1:78-79).

The first requirement for good spiritual vision is the acknowledgement that there is a truth to be understood. “The lamp of the body is the eye...” (Mt. 6:22). The eye is the receptacle through which light enters the body. When the eye functions properly, we are able to avoid needless injury.

But, Jesus had more in mind than physical vision. He often used eyesight as an analogy for perception and understanding. He commended His disciples, saying, “blessed are your eyes, because they see; and your ears, because they hear” (Mt. 13:16). Jesus had just explained that His reason for speaking in parables was because some could see but not see and hear but not understand (vs. 13). The eye, then, represents our capacity to understand and receive guidance.

In preaching the truth, we seek to open eyes to the glory of Christ (cf. Acts 26:18). Obeying the gospel is an “eye-opening” experience. In fact, early Christians were sometimes referred to as those who had been enlightened (Hb. 6:4). The opening chapter of the gospel of John describes Jesus as “the true light which, coming into the world, enlightens every man” (Jn. 1:9). We, too, seek to be a light to the world, glorifying God in the things we do (Mt. 5:14, 16). In this way, we may open another’s eyes to the glory of God.—Glenn Elliot, Greenbrier AR coC



30– Ellie Anne
Jones
5/3– Debbie
Morrison
4– Cheri Kerby,
Angie Newberry

Happy Anniversary

29– Terry & Paula
Garner, Jerry &
Mary Lemley
5/1 Jay & Amy
Houser
2– Dan & Kathy
Mincks

OVU will be hosting a “New Day” Bible conference on May 1-2. We will not be having normal Wednesday evening classes due to this so please check out the schedule for the event either on last weeks bulletin or at ovu.edu. There will be area wide Bible classes for all ages—children through adults on Wednesday evening at OVU with singing at 6:30 pm. and classes beginning at 7:00 p.m.



Card collection



- Maddie Blosser, young lady in the youth group, received a bad concussion while playing softball and is out for the rest of the season.
- Deloris King is doing poorly. The family is considering hospice care due to the quality of her heart.
- The Shipley's request prayers as they are preparing for their move to New Mexico on 5/13.
- Paula Garner has started her chemo treatments.
- Walt Ingram, Janna's father, is home until 4/18. He has surgery scheduled for later on; he has artery and colon problems.

- * *Maddie Blosser (get well soon)*
- * *Walt Ingram (get well soon)*
- * *Deloris King (get well soon/ thinking of you)*
- * *Ann Grimm (thinking of you)*
- * *Paula Garner (thinking of you/get well soon)*

These can be left in the blue wire basket by the Deacon's desk. We will take care of the mailing.

There will be extra cards at the desk for your use.

- Alice Hale

Send in your family photo to John Eckhart for our new pictorial directory!

Della is collecting food for the children in the lower coal mining counties of WV. She is taking up Mac & Cheese, fruit cups, ravioli, soups, crackers, juice box, granola bars, peanut butter and jelly, baby wipes, laundry detergent, bleach, toilet paper, personal hygiene products.



Upcoming

EVENTS

- ⇒ 4/28-5/1 Phil Sanders preaching at North End coC
- ⇒ 5/1 No Bible Class, area wide worship up at OVU @ 6:30 pm
- ⇒ 5/1-2 OVU New Day workshop with special break out session on 5/2 for ministers, elders, student ministry, children and family ministry, tools for discipleship, and much more
- ⇒ 5/3-5/5 Youth and Parenting Seminar @ Camden Ave. coC ft. Lonnie Jones (posted on back bulletin board)
- ⇒ 5/5 Potluck and singing
- ⇒ 5/5-8 Gospel Meeting @ Sunrise coC
- ⇒ 5/7 Senior Saints Day @ Sunrise coC
- ⇒ 5/8-21 Mike and Ginny Moss will be in Romania
- ⇒ 5/13 Shipley's leave for New Mexico
- ⇒ 5/25 Mike Moss will be speaking at a Ghanaian lectureship in Columbus

Thank you to everyone for all the cards and phone calls and encouragement I have received the past few weeks. -
Ann Grimm

thank
you!

We will have a farewell Pot Luck for the Shipley's on 5/5 before they leave for New Mexico



TODAY'S SERMONS April 28th, 2019

AM: Jesus' Prayer for Community

TEXT: John 17:20-26

PM: Children's Worship

Sunday Bible Class	105
Sunday AM Worship	194
Sunday PM Worship	98
Wednesday Bible Class	77
Contribution	\$4130

Our Military:

Chris & Melanie Depuy - U.S. Air Force
(son of Jeff & Julie Depuy)

Brad & Amber Gibbs - U.S. Navy
(grandson of Kelly & Genny Gibbs)

Chad Williamson - U.S. Marines
(grandson of Pat Williamson)

Anthony Worst - U.S. Marines
(nephew of Michelle Hershman)

Steven White - U.S. Navy

Our Law Enforcement/First Responders:

Patrolman Walker Wright
(Vienna Police Department)

Patrolman Tim Kashorek
(Parkersburg Police Department)

Our Long Term Care Residents:

Edna Cain (*The Willows Rm115*)

Marie Cooper (*Colonial House*)

Jerry Page (*Eagle Point Rm334*)

Peggy Smith (*Marietta Care & Rehab Rm408*)

Myra Zinn (*Cedar Grove Rm W60*)

Our Homebound Members:

- * Ron & Jo Kress
- * Laura Menear
- * Gladys Frohling
- * Becca Simons
- * Jim Hart
- * Glenna Radcliff

ELDERS

Terry Garner

Tim Kirl

Jack Long

Mike Moss

Jim Shuman

DEACONS

Tim Baillargeon

Randy Craig

John Eckhart

John Garner

Chuck Jones

Jerry Lemley

Dennis Menear

Troy Miller

Dan Mincks

Jim Taylor

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MAY

Visitor Table:

Michele Craig

Ushers:

John Garner

Keith Jones

Randy Craig

Communion Table (Front):

Rick Kellar

Kelly Gibbs

Mike O'Dell

Hiram Rebholz

Communion (Rear):

Troy Miller

Mike Kerby

Max Rebholz

Keith Jones

Randy Craig

Bob Hill

"I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep." - John 10:11 CSB

Worship Times

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



	Sunday 5/5 AM	Sunday 5/5 PM
<i>Song Leader</i>	Jared Shipley	Jay Houser
<i>Prayer</i>	Jeff Poling	Blaine Duncan
<i>Table Speaker</i>	Charles Morris	Rick Kellar
<i>Table Assist</i>	Jim Taylor	Tim Kirl
<i>Scripture Reader</i>	Gary Carothers	Ethan Kirl
<i>Closing Prayer/Announcements</i>	Jack Long	Troy Miller