

Sunday March
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Among the many commands a fresh recruit might hear from his or her drill sergeant are the words: "About face!" Like snapping to attention or giving a proper salute, doing an about face requires practice and precision. Otherwise, the pivot may throw one off-balance resulting in embarrassing, even painful consequences.

The spiritual equivalent to an "about face" is repentance. Repentance is a change of mind resulting in a change of life. While repentance is the result of "godly sorrow" (2 Cor. 7:10); sorrow alone is not repentance. While the Lord knows "the thoughts and intentions of the heart" (Hb. 4:12 cf. Ps. 139:1-4); as human beings, we are incapable of accurately gauging what takes place in the heart of those making a claim to repentance. The best we can do is observe, in the conduct of others, the evidence or lack of evidence of genuine repentance (Mt. 3:8). A spiritual "about face" sends one in the opposite direction. Before repentance one had turned away from the Lord; but, now, with true repentance, one has set his or her face toward God.

Too many practice sloppy repentance. They feel uncomfortable, even sorrowful, about their sins. Some even respond to the invitation at the end of a Sunday morning sermon. In many cases, this is a good start. But, repentance involves so much more than that. One must also follow-through, making an "about face" and moving forward in the direction that God has revealed in His word. This is where the church must show ongoing support through the hard work of making these difficult changes in life.

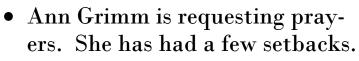
Repentance is God's most difficult command. We must not compromise where God has spoken. We do no one a favor by watering down God's expectations. Diverting people away from genuine repentance because it is difficult or uncomfortable keeps them away from the blessings of forgiveness and everlasting life. Jesus said, "unless you repent, you will all likewise perish" (Lk. 13:3). But, the Lord "is patient toward you, not wishing for any to perish but for all to come to repentance" (2 Pet. 3:9). The kindness of God should lead "us to repentance" (Rm. 2:4). But, ultimately, we are the ones who must do an "about face."— Glen Elliott, Greenbrier AR coC



4/2– Aaleyah Carpenter, Debi Milhoan 4/4– Becca Simons 4/6– Larry Clark, Dennis Menear







- Sandy Goodno is recuperating from knee surgery
- Paula Garner will finisher her radiation treatments on 3/18 and begin 6 months of chemo on 3/28.
- Walt Ingram, Janna's father, is home until 4/18. He has surgery scheduled for later on; he has artery and colon problems.
- Jan Hales surgery is postponed indefinitely.
- Greg Logan, Betty Logan's son, had a heart attack and open heart surgery. He is recovering well.
- Deloris King is in the hospital but is alert.



- * Walt Ingram (get well soon)
- * Greg Logan (get well soon)
- * Deloris King (get well soon/ thinking of you)
- * Sandy Goodno (get well soon) send to Arlene Quoyle % Sandra Goodno, 3108 8th Ave., Vienna WV 26105
- * 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

We are needing teachers for the upcoming quarter! If you are interested in doing so, please contact Jared Shipley!



CONIN

- ⇒4/5 FNS @ Harmar Hill coC, Marietta OH
- \Rightarrow 4/6 Ladies Inspiration Day @ Lynn St. coC. Sign up sheet on back bulletin board.
- ⇒4/6 Ladies Day @ Pine Grove coC, 9 am– 12 pm
- ⇒4/12 FNS @ 6th & Washington Streets coC
- ⇒<u>4/13</u> Ladies Inspiration Day @ Hillview Terrace
- ⇒4/26 FNS @ Sunrise coC
- \Rightarrow 4/27 Ladies Tea @ 6th & Washington coC, 2 pm
- ⇒4/28 Friends and Family Day @ 6th & Washington coC, 10 am
- \Rightarrow 5/5-8 Gospel Meeting @ Sunrise coC

 \Rightarrow 5/7 Senior Saints Day @ Sunrise coC

Thank you for all your cards and prayers following both of our surgeries. Thank you also for the cards as we celebrated

our anniversary.—Ray and Karen Hoover



The Young at Heart group is looking for some members that would like to head up the activity for



each month. You do not need to do every month, just sign up for what you would like to help with. There are sign up sheets on both the back and foyer bulletin boards.

PM: "A Quiet Place" TEXT: Luke 5:12-16 Our Military: <u>Our Long</u>	Wednesday Bible Class Contribution	82 64 \$4065.85 Homebound
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TODAY'S SERMONS - March 31th, 2019AM: "Me or We?"TEXT: Acts 10:9-28	Sunday Bible Class Sunday AM Worship	97 163

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) 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)

Jared Shipley

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

ELDERS John Garner Terry Garner Chuck Jones Tim Kirl Jerry Lemley Jack Long **Dennis Menear** Mike Moss **Troy Miller** Jim Shuman Dan Mincks Jim Taylor DEACONS MINISTERS Tim Baillargeon **Randy Craig** Mike Moss John Eckhart **INTERN**

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YOUTUBE CHANNEL: 36th Street Church of Christ

And let the peace of Christ, to which you were also called in one body, rule your hearts. And be thankful. – Colossians 3:15 CSB

9:30 AM

10:30 AM

6:00 PM

7:00 PM

MARCH Visitor Table: **Della Poling Ushers: Chuck Jones** Mike O'Dell **Zack Jones Communion Table (Front): Gary Carothers Ted Cramer Eddie Grav** Richard Kellar **Communion (Rear):** Sonny Williamson Scott Wigal Mark Butterfield **Gary Curkendall Gary Grimm Ray Hoover**

Worship Times

Sunday Bible Class Sunday Morning Worship Sunday Evening Worship Wednesday Evening Bible Class



	Sunday 4/7 AM	Sunday 4/7 PM
Song Leader	Jared Shipley	Jay Houser
Prayer	Jeff DePuy	Jay Houser
Table Speaker	Charles Morris	
Table Assist	Tim Kirl	Ethan Kirl
Scripture Reader	Dwain Hartley	Jared Shipley
Closing Prayer/ Announcements	Jack Long	Gary Carothers