

## Sunday, January 9th, 2022

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### MINISTERS Michael Moss Doug Kashorek (M-F 8am-2pm)

David McCullough (M-F 10am-4pm)

ELDERS
Terry Garner
Tim Kirl
Michael Moss
Jim Shuman

DEACONS
Randy Craig
John Eckhart
John Garner
Chuck Jones
Jerry Lemley
Dan Mincks
Jim Taylor

WORSHIP TIMES Sunday Bible Class 9:30 AM

Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 AM Wednesday Bible Class 1:00 PM and 7:00 PM

YOUTUBE 36th Street Church

of Christ FACEBOOK

36th Street Church of Christ (Public Page)

36th Street Church of Christ (private Group)

## White for Harvest by Doug Kashorek

"Do you not say, 'There are yet four months, then comes the harvest'? Look, I tell you, lift up your eyes, and see that the fields are white for harvest" John 4:35.

The fields that are described as "white for harvest" are not the heads of our members as we look out over our congregations on Sunday mornings. Churches everywhere face aging populations as younger generations are not attending churches. And, of those in our pews, most have obeyed the gospel already. No, the fields are our communities.

We lament that there aren't many at 36<sup>th</sup> Street to "grow up in the church" for baby-to-believer growth, and so we've relied on transfer growth. The redistribution of sheep from one of God's pens to another is a lazy method for the Lord's church to count on. Should we compete with other churches for those already saved or hope that they just happen to walk through our doors? And, with OVU now closed, it's even more unlikely that we'll have a stream of young people settling with us who will marry and have families.

No, it's time for 36<sup>th</sup> Street in the new year to recognize that God's plan all along for churches to grow is by reaching out to the lost. Our campus sits within a harvest field of a community full of people who need to hear the gospel. It's unlikely that our field is "white for harvest" as we have not done the evangelistic or outreach work necessary to reap a harvest, but some grain may be ready for the sickle.

So, are you willing to roll up your sleeves to plant seed and to tend it so God can provide an increase (1 Corinthians 3:6)? This is more than just advertising an event and hoping some will come. The church must meet the needs in the community, so the community will want to be added to the church.

## Please Send Cards

- \* Judy Beckett and family (Thinking of You)
- Debbie Haney (Get Well Soon)
- \* King family (Thinking of You)
- \* Jody Boone (Thinking of You)
- \* Kim Shelene (Thinking of You)
- \* Lydia Sweeny (Thinking of You)
- Cassie Homer and family (Thinking of You)

These can be left in the blue wire basket by the Deacon's desk. We will take care of the mailing. There are extra cards at the desk for your use.- Alice Hale

Jan. 12th
Paul Butterfield
Fri. 14th.
Nathaniel Ashcraft





Just a reminder that our memory meeting is on the 13th! We would love to see you there

to share all the wonderful memories we've had over the years!

# OUR PRAYER LIST

- James King passed away Jan. 1st, please keep the family in your prayers
- Please pray for Della's sister Carla Simons, she is in Marietta Memorial with failing health
- Lydia Sweeney has covid and has received infusion treatments. Please keep her in your prayers
- Brenda Wrote is slightly improving and has been taken off the ventilator and has been put on a trachea. Please continue to have her and the family in your prayers.
- Justin Gadowski is still in the hospital but is improving. Keep him in your prayers
- Please continue to pray for Kim Shelene as she goes through chemo treatments
- Jackie Cassidy is now in a nursing home under hospice care. Please keep her in the family in your prayers

From Helen Sweeney:

Thank you to the ladies class for all of the Christmas goodies! It was very thoughtful and much appreciated

From the Family Crisis Intervention Center:

Thank you for supporting us. It is so appreciated!

From Eddie Gray and the family: Thank you for the cards, prayers and plant you sent for the death of my mother.

From Sonny and Phyllis Williamson:

Dear Church, I want to thank you all for the wonderful cards you sent me.

updates, events, changes, activities, news, alerts, information, details, updates, events, changes, activities, details updates events, changes, activities, news, alerts, information, details, updates, events, changes, activities, news, alerts,

- The Area Wide Worship will be held at the Lubeck Church of Christ on Sun. January 16th. Service begins at 3:00pm
- We encourage all to be a part of the Centennial Committee. See Doug about joining the committee. There will be a memory meeting on Jan. 13th.
- The work day at the building has changed from Jan. 29th to Feb. 5th.
- There will be a singing service for both AM and PM services on Jan. 30th
- Friday, Jan. 21st. There will be a day trip to the stop nine Church of Christ for a brain storm session. Sign up sheet will be on the bulletin board.

# Kids Corner

According to Proverbs 11:30, what is it wise to capture or win?

A. Flags

B. souls

C. chocolate

D. hearts

If you think you have the right answer, go find Ted or Linda Kramer for a prize!

# Service Station By



For this week's donations to the pantry:

- 1. Spaghetti (Jan. 9th- Jan. 16th)
- 2. Spaghetti sauce (Jan. 9th.—Jan. 16th)

For the following week, The pantry can use:

1. Canned Meat (Jan. 16th-Jan. 23rd)

Please drop off all donations to the service station bins in the foyer. We appreciate your donations to better serve the kingdom!

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### **TODAY'S WORSHIP SERVICE**

Opening Song: #419 "Lord, We Come Be-

fore Thee Now" (vs 1&4)

Prayer: Mike Moss

Song Leader: John Eckhart

Song after prayer: #699 "To the Harvest

Fields" (vs 1,2&4)

**Song before communion:** #52 "Blessed Be

the Name" (vs 1&2)

Lord's Supper: Jay Houser

Song before lesson: #139 "Far and Near"

**Scripture Reading:** Gary Grimm

Sermon: "White for the Harvest"

John 4:35-38

**Speaker:** Doug Kashorek

**Invitation song:** #701 "Tomorrow May Be

Too Late" (vs 1&3)

**Announcements & Closing Prayer:** 

Terry Garner

Sunday, January 9th, 2022 6:00 PM EVENING SERVICE

Speaker: Michael Moss

"The Power of His Resurrection"
Philippians 3:8-11

### Privileged to Serve

	1/16/2022	1/23/2022
Song Leader	Jay Houser	Jeff Shuman
Prayer	Tim Kirl	Terry Garner
Table Speaker	Jim Shuman	Jim Kelly
Read Scripture	Ted Cramer	Jeff DePuy
Speaker	Mike Moss	Doug Kashorek
Closing Prayer	Joe Carrico	Jim Shuman
	Evening Services	

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Jay Houser	Doug Kashorek
Kelly Gibbs	Jim Taylor
Jim Hall	Fred Newberry
Doug Kashorek	Mike Moss
Jerry Lemley	Mike Hale
Joe Carrico	Jim Shuman
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# Attendance and Contribution Week of 1/2/2022

Sunday AM Bible Study: 65
Sunday AM Worship: 102
Sunday PM Worship: 61
Wednesday Bible Study: 57

Final YEC and Contribution: \$4873.76 YEC \$7068.30

#### THOSE IN OUR PRAYERS

Residents:
Edna Cain
(The Willows Rm 115)
Lola Hitzel
(Wyngate Rm 159)
Eva Leonhart
(Worthington 33A)
Peggy Smith
(Edgewood Manor of
Lucasville Rm 607)

**Our Long Term Care** 

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)

Our Homebound:
Don Bibbee | Ron & Jo Kress | Laura Menear
Helen Sweeney| Pat Williamson