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The Devil Attacks You

We are living in a very serious warzone and peace is hard to find in it. What many people fail to realize is that the number one battle that takes place in our lives is in our head.

The Bible tells us, "For though we walk in the flesh, we are not waging war according to the flesh. For the weapons of our warfare are not of the flesh but have divine power to destroy strongholds. We destroy arguments and every lofty opinion raised against the knowledge of God, and take every thought captive to obey Christ" (1 Corinthians 10:3-5). There are certain satanic strongholds that imprison us each day that we must be aware of.

The battles are taking place in our thoughts and the Devil uses these vulnerability points to attack us each day. Be aware of these six points. You don't want the Devil as an ally. He's treacherous and will break you down with his lies.

The Devil will attack you when you're in a weak position, both physically and emotionally. Jesus was attacked after He had fasted for 40 days. The Bible tells us, "[Jesus] had fasted for forty days and forty nights, and afterwards He was famished. The tempter came and said to Him, 'If indeed you are the Son of God, command these stones to become loaves of bread'" (Matthew 4:2-3). The Devil attempted to attack Jesus at one of his lowest points physically. There are those who will nurse their weaknesses and keep them. If you are one of these people, you will never be free. The Devil has you in his grasp and will keep you there, willingly.

Are you unusually sluggish or tired? A lack of energy and vitality are often the result of an extended attack. Yes, these issues can occur from other problems, including sleep or health battles; however, one of the biggest signs that you're under spiritual attack is when you're feeling tired and that tired separates you from doing the things God has called you to do. Isaiah writes that "Even the youths shall faint and be weary, and young men shall feel exhausted" (Isaiah 40:30) but waiting on God renews their strength and displays godly wisdom for there is an empowerment in waiting, resting and relying upon God and not ourselves.

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Prayer Requests

Clyde & Penny Ball are not feeling well.
Please be praying for them.

Dick Coriell (Rick's Dad) Please keep him and his family in your prayers. He is suffering with multiple health problems.

Esther Crisp Please keep her in your prayers.

Christi Davis (Tamara Harris Sister) Please be praying for her to have better health. Also for her husband **Eddie** to have peace trying to cope with his wife's illness.

Julie Davis (Gahms Market) Please pray for her as she fights leukemia.

PJ Glauder Please continue praying for God's healing.

Kim Glispie (Gary's Sister) Please continue to pray for God's healing for her.

Peggy Hollback Please continue praying she will be blessed with better health.

Nola Kelley She is still not feeling well.
Please keep her in your prayers..

Amy McClurg She suffered a heart attack, being treated at OSU. Please keep her in your prayers.

Eugene Risner His condition continues to improve.

He is at SOMC to continue treatment.

Please continue prayers for his full recovery.

There are several people in need of prayer right now.

God knows who they are and the needs they have. Please ask Him to touch each one.

Esther Crisp
Sarah Gilliland
Helen Hayward

Randall Res. Rm. #123
Hillview Room L306
Homebound



*Fall Prevention Class - Begins March 6
Guest Speaker—John Paul Suchecki—March 12

*Fellowship Dinner - March 12

*Home Groups March 19 – April 16

Sunday Morning Live Streaming Links:

<https://sunshinecofc.church/sermon-media>
<https://sunshinecofc.sermon.net>

Welcome To All of Our Guests

Thank you for coming. Please come back!

Gluten Free Communion Available

We have gluten free communion bread available for anyone who needs it. It can be found at the **Welcome Center**. You may pick it up before the services on your way into the auditorium.

We Are So Glad You Are Here!

KID'S Club

*Kids Pre-K - 6th Grade, each Wednesday Evening. Kid's Club will be the Wednesday Evening Bible class. It includes a short & fun video reviewing the lesson taught on Sunday.

**Our Elders will meet Thursday
February 23 to pray.
If you have a prayer request please
let them know.**

**Come Join Us!
Wednesday Evening 7:00 PM**

SUNSHINE CHURCH of CHRIST

We Invite You To Join Us

Sunday Morning 10:00 AM

Sunday Eve. Class 6:00 PM

Wednesday Evening 7:00 PM

**You may also call 855-565-7670
to hear the lessons by phone.**

Guest Speaker: John Paul Suchecki

Sunday, March 12

**He will be speaking Sunday Morning
followed by a Fellowship Dinner.**

**He will also teach the adult class Sunday
evening.**

Please save the date, plan to come.

Home Groups March 19- April 16

(Excluding April 9, which is Easter Sunday)

***If you would like to have a group meet
in your home, please sign up on the list
at the Welcome Center.**

The AAA7 Fall Prevention Class

**The class is being held on Mondays,
beginning March 6-April 24 12:30-2:30**

**There's plenty of room if you want to
come join us.**

Please let Tammy know.

CONTACT INFORMATION UPDATE

**Please check the list posted on the
window in the foyer to update your
contact information. Feel free to change
or add information as needed.**

Please include your email address.

Howells Mill Update:

Sunday Morning, April 16

**Austin Archey from Howells Mill will be here
to give a brief presentation after worship.**

***SAVE THE DATE:**

SUNSHINE VBS WEEK - JUNE 19-23

**Please be praying for a great week for all of us
to learn more about Jesus.**

**HOME GROUPS
ONE AT A TIME VIDEO SERIES**

By: Kyle Idleman

**The unexpected way that God
wants to use you to change the
world...**

**How does God want to use you
to have an impact? Most of us
don't want to spend our lives
being time-wasters, space-
takers, binge-watchers or
game-players.**

**We want to be
difference-makers.**

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Plan to Come Join Us!**

**The February Item Is
Fruit/Pudding Cups
For Mid Western Children's Home
Thank You!**

Family Bible Time

ADULT CLASSES WEEK OF Feb.19

***Sunday Evening Auditorium
Topical Class - Wayne Gamp**

***Wednesday Evening Auditorium
2 Peter - Mike Lemon**

***Wednesday Evening Ladies Class
June Book**

**God is Faithful to Fulfill His Promises
Please Read: James 5:14-15, Proverbs 2,
Joshua 1:1-9, Hebrews 13:5-6**

***Men's Class - James Group- Rm. #8**

Those Who Serve

Sunday Morning	02/19/2023	02/26/2023	03/05/2023
Worship Leader	Zach Coriell	Shaun McCray	Jared McCray
Scripture Reading	Jared Dresbach	Paul Jacobs	Greg Coriell
Prayer	PJ Glauder	Mike Gampp	Dale Kuhn
Communion	Jeff Vannatta	Jacob Bowe	Derek Miller
Message	Dave Deacon	Jamie Riley	Jamie Riley
Announcements //			
Prayer	Rich Book	Jon Coriell	Wayne Gampp
Sunday Evening	02/19/2023	02/26/2023	03/05/2023
Worship Leader	Jared McCray	Zach Coriell	Shaun McCray
Communion	Tim Gampp	Isaiah McQuaid	Gabe Coriell



Sunday Worship - 10:00 am
Bible Study - 6:00 pm

Wednesday Bible Study - 7:00 pm

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The Devil will attack you when you're going through a period of extreme frustration. During a spiritual attack, the enemy uses a variety of circumstances to repress the mind and bring great frustration. When you are under siege, you may find yourself feeling on edge, anxious or agitated. In these moments, a simple conversation with your partner or friend can turn into an explosive argument and a simple thought in your head can take you down a roller coaster of negative emotions. You may also find yourself saying things that are out of character or not feeling quite like yourself. This isn't just in your head. In moments such as these, it's important that you center your focus on God.

The Devil will attempt to lure you to quick-fixes when you're hurt and in pain. He wants you to believe he has all the answers, not God. If you are having problems in your relationship, he will feed you bad words and thoughts about that person to break the relationship down even more. If you are battling an illness or in physical pain, he will try to make you believe that God isn't present and doesn't care about what you're going through. If you don't seek God in these moments, the Devil will make you wonder if God is really good.

The Devil attacks us when we're alone because he knows we are most vulnerable when others aren't around us. He also thinks this is when we're at our weakest point. The Bible tells us, "Then Jesus was led up by the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the Devil" (Matthew 4:1). He knew Jesus was alone and he tempted him. The Devil can detect when you're feeling alone. In these moments of attack, he wants you to believe that you're all alone. At times when you feel like the Devil won't leave you alone, it's important to remember that God is with you.

If you are part of the body of Christ, then be assured the Devil is going to try to destroy you. While everything can't be blamed on the Devil, there are a lot of things that are a result of his work and it's important to know when he is working in our own lives. If we are not on guard, he has the power to destroy us and separate us from our Heavenly Father. There is nothing he would love more. Yet, when we are protected and guarded, we have the power to push back at any of his attacks.

Remember: God Loves You and We Love You Too

Have a wonderful day!