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A Good Man Who Was Lost

At Caesarea there was a man named Cornelius, a centurion in what was known as the Italian Cohort, a devout man who feared God with all his household, gave alms generously to the people, and prayed continually to God. Acts 10:1-2

According to a survey taken in 2003, roughly two-thirds of Americans believe they are going to heaven. That same survey revealed that roughly half believed that a person can earn salvation based on good deeds apart from the saving work of Jesus Christ. Most believe all good people will be in heaven and think they'll go there. If this is what you believe, stop and think this through. If it is true that we're saved simply because we are "good," what purpose did the cross serve? Would it make any logical sense for God to make His only Son endure such cruel punishment if it was unnecessary?

Think about Cornelius. He was a good man. He was devout, feared God, helped the poor, and prayed.

But he was lost. He had to hear the gospel and respond to the good news of Jesus Christ to be saved.

Don't believe the lies of the devil! All of us have sinned and deserve to die (Rom 3:23; 6:23). Our only hope of salvation is by Christ's sacrifice and our obedient faith and baptism into His death and through God's grace we are added to the Church (the Body of Christ) which is what He will be coming back to receive unto Himself. (Eph. 2:8-10; Gal 3:26-27).

We can't save ourselves. If we could, then Jesus died in vain.

Father, we thank You for providing salvation to us through Your Son. Without Him we would be hopelessly lost.

Prayer Requests

Clyde & Penny Ball Please continue to keep Clyde and Penny in your prayers.

Linda Holbrook Bender Please pray for her comfort, that she will have good days.

Esther Crisp Please keep her in your prayers.

Gregg Ferrell Please continue praying for him and his family during this time.

Marleigh Gilbert (Cousin to Jon & Don) 6 years old suffering with leukemia at St.Judes. She is in need of lots of prayer for strength and healing.

PJ Glauder We are so thankful for successful surgery results. Please keep him in your prayers for strength and healing.

Teresa Hayward Please keep Teresa, Jeff and their family in your prayers as she continues treatment.

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

Chris & Gary Hickman (Friends of Penny) They are both having health concerns needing prayers.

Chris Jennings (Jack & Jane's Son) Please continue praying for him and his family.

Tom Kallner Please continue to keep Tom and Brenda in your prayers.

Jim McGraw Please be praying for his healing as he battles lung cancer.

Arley Parker We're praising God! Baby Arley is home ! Please continue prayers for healing and strength for her family as they love and care for her.

Stiles Family Please keep this family in your prayers.

Walt Vannatta (Jeff's Dad) Please keep him in your Prayers as he is having some health issues.

Mark Villinger Please keep him and his family in your prayers as he continues his cancer treatment.

Esther Crisp	The Courtyard Rm. #106
Sarah Gilliland	Hillview Room L306
Helen Hayward	Homebound

Please pray for our Country
And our World



* Home Groups (Sunday Evenings) thru April

*** Looking Ahead:

Vacation Bible School - June 17- 21

Church Camp Week - July 7-12

Children's Day Camp - July 7-11

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**. Your welcome to 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

Wednesday Evening Bible Class.

It includes a short & fun video reviewing the lesson taught on Sunday

Come Join Us!

Wednesday Evening 7:00 PM

* The April Item Is *

Fruit Snack Cups

For Mid Western Children's Home
Thank You!

*A Special Thank you to
Michaela Miller and Kelsie Tunnell
for a wonderful Ladies Tea Party Day!
The Ladies fellowship time together was
so nice. We truly appreciate you.
Thank You!*

SUNSHINE CHURCH of CHRIST
We Invite You To Join Us

Sunday Morning 10:00 A.M.
Sunday Eve. Class 6:00 P.M.
Wednesday Evening 7:00 P.M.

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

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*** Spring Home Groups**

Sunday Evenings April 14 - 28th @ 6:00
`Walking With Jesus` - Matt Reagan
There's plenty of room, Come join us!
Please sign up today.
There is also a group meeting here at the
church building.

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**\* Howells Mill Golf Scramble**

**Friday, April 26, Starting at 8:00 am**  
**Sugarwood Golf Club in Lavalette, W.Va.**  
**Please register by April 17th.**  
**See Jamie Riley or Jared McCray for more**  
**information or to Sign up.**

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*** Vacation Bible School - June 17-21**

Please make plans for your kids to come.
They will learn more about Jesus
and have lots of fun!

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**\* Sunshine's Week for Church Camp**

**is planned for July 7-12.**  
**There is an early bird discount of \$40, if you**  
**register by April 17 @ [www.howellsmill.org](http://www.howellsmill.org)**  
**If you have questions or need help, please**  
**contact Shaun or Jamie.**

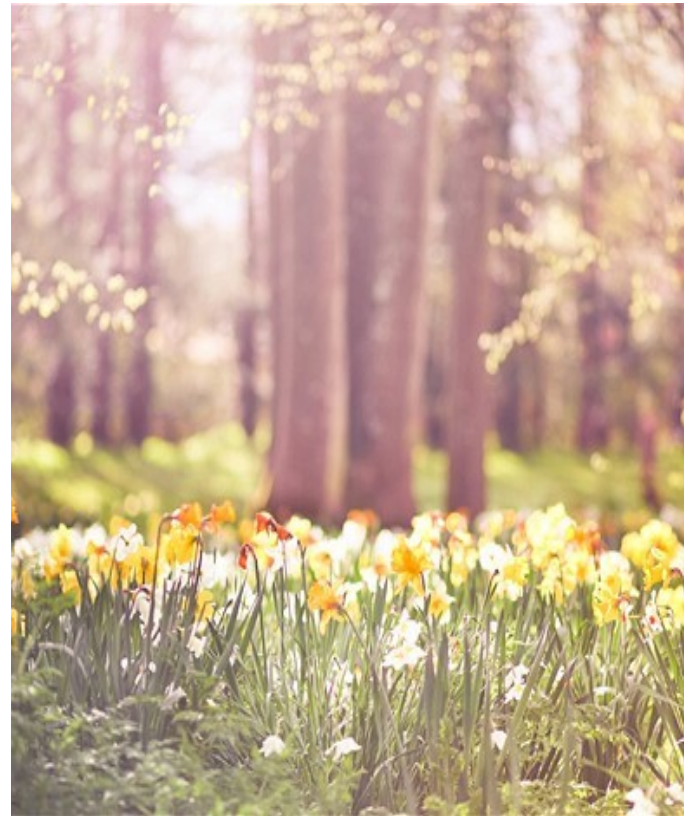
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*** Sunshine Day Camp**

July 8-11 @ 10:00-1:00
For Children Ages 3 - 7
We will have songs, crafts, games and
Bible lessons.
Registration is available on line.
Please register your child, spaces are limited.
Please see Joan if you need more information

Come Join Us!
High School Graduation Party
Honoring: Maria Gragg

And
Shelby Coriell
Saturday, April 27, 4-7 pm.
At the Gragg Residence,
2082 Germany Rd. Lucasville, Ohio

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**GOD IS GOOD!**



**Family Bible Time**

**ADULT CLASSES MONTH OF April**

**\*Sunday Evening Auditorium**

**Home Groups**

**(A group will also meet here at the building)**

**\*Wednesday Evening Auditorium**

**Jeff Vannatta**

**\*Wednesday Evening Ladies Class**

**June Book**

**Embracing Grace In How You Think & Act**  
**Ephesians 5:1-21, 1 Thessalonians 4:1-12**

# Those Who Serve

| <b>Sunday Morning</b>     | <b>04/14/2024</b> | <b>04/21/2024</b> | <b>04/28/2024</b> |
|---------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Worship Leader            | Jared McCray      | Shaun McCray      | Zach Coriell      |
| Scripture Reading         | Paul Jacobs       | Lonnie Hollback   | Tim Coriell       |
| Prayer                    | Zach Coriell      | Bill Deacon       | Jacob Bowe        |
| Communion                 | Jeff Vannatta     | Derek Miller      | Jacob Book        |
| Message                   | Jamie Riley       | Jamie Riley       | Jamie Riley       |
| Announcements /<br>Prayer | Shaun McCray      | Wayne Gampp       | Rich Book         |
| <b>Sunday Evening</b>     | <b>04/14/2024</b> | <b>04/21/2024</b> | <b>04/28/2024</b> |
| Worship Leader            | Home Groups       | Home Groups       | Home Groups       |
| Communion                 |                   |                   |                   |



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

**Wednesday** Bible Study - 7:00 pm

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“And he was withdrawn from them about a stone's cast, and kneeled down, and prayed, Saying “**Father, if thou be willing, remove this cup from me: nevertheless not my will, but thine, be done.** And there appeared an angel unto him from heaven, strengthening him.”

Luke 22:41 KJV

Jesus paid a price. You will never know the agony the Son of God endured on the cross. He didn't have to die; He had a choice. And Jesus said, “Nevertheless not My will, but Yours, be done.” Adam, following Satan in the garden of Eden, said, “Not thy will, but mine” and ruined the race. Jesus, in another garden, as the last Adam said, “not My will, but Yours,” and redeemed the race. That's the consumption of the cup. The Lord Jesus willingly, voluntarily, vicariously, and victoriously said not my will but Yours. Had He said no, every one of us would have separated from God forever.

But because Jesus suffered, bled, and died on that cross, you and I can be redeemed.

Jesus took my sin and your sin, and He carried it to the cross. He was wrestling between His humanity and His love, but where did He land? “**Not My will, but Thine, be done.**”

A.Rogers

Have a wonderful day!