# Sunshine Church Of Christ

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**Sunday, July 02,2023** 

#### **Elders**

Rich Book	820-3213
Jon Coriell	981-6145
Wayne Gampp	820-3444
Shaun McCray	935-9701

#### **Deacons**

Gabe Coriell	464-2343
Josh Coriell	981-6717
Rick Coriell	935-0717
Ryan Coriell	464-8646
Zach Coriell	981-7758
Dave Deacon	357-3840
Dale Kuhn	820-4690
Aaron Kallner	285-0738
Eric Miller	820-4944
Eugene Risner	820-2256
Mark Risner	820-2948

#### Minister

Iamie Riley	935-7812
Jamie Riley	933-7812

#### Youth Minister

Tim Gampp (606) 356-3345

Sunshine Church of Christ 20 Barklow Road Portsmouth, OH 45662 Church Building - 740-820-3415 Innermission—740-355-3186 I counsel thee to buy of me gold tried in the fire, that thou mayest be rich; and white raiment, that thou mayest be clothed, and that the shame of thy nakedness do not appear; and anoint thine eyes with eyesalve, that thou mayest see. As many as I love, I rebuke and chasten: be zealous therefore, and repent. Behold, I stand at the door, and knock: if any man hear my voice, and open the door, I will come in to him, and will sup with him, and he with me.

Revelation 3:18-20 KJV

Of the seven churches Jesus Christ told John to pen letters from Him to, the church at Laodicea was by far in the worst shape. They were indifferent in their love and service to God. Even worse, they were arrogant, thinking that they already had everything they needed and were doing just fine. They received a stark warning from God to change their ways. Though the Bible does not tell us how they responded, it is interesting to note that archaeologists have found the remains of nearly two dozen churches and chapels in the ruins of Laodicea, which was destroyed by a massive earthquake almost six hundred years after John wrote Revelation. It may well be that they heeded the warning and changed their ways, spreading the gospel to others even in the face of persecution.

The Lord loves us too much to allow us to continue living in a sinful way without bringing chastening and rebuke into our lives. We may be tempted to think God is being harsh or cruel, but in reality His discipline is for our own good. And when He does He is offering us the opportunity to repent. He is knocking on the door, waiting for us to open it and restore our fellowship and close relationship with Him. God does not hold grudges, and while sometimes the consequences of a sin linger, the closeness of our relationship with Him is immediately restored when we repent, confess, and forsake our sin. Be quick to respond to God's warning or correction. He is always

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Paul Chappell

#### **Prayer Requests**

<u>Mike Cooper</u> (Rogers Brother) Please continue praying as he is undergoing treatment.

<u>Dick Coriell</u> (Rick's Dad) Please keep him and his family in your prayers.

Esther Crisp Please keep her in your prayers.

<u>Christi Davis</u> (Tamara Harris Sister) Please be praying she'll have better health.

<u>Fred Foster</u> (Jason's Dad) Please keep him in your prayers as he recovers from open heart surgery.

<u>Sharon Gampp</u> Pease pray for less pain and speedy recovery from surgery.

<u>PJ Glauder</u> Please keep praying for him to have successful treatment.

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

<u>Peggy Hollback</u> Please continue praying she will be blessed with better health.

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

**Brenda Kallner** Please keep her in your prayers for healing and ease of pain as she recovers.

<u>Cheryl Lemon</u> Please keep her in your prayers for better health.

<u>Rachel McLaughlin</u> Please keep her in your prayers as she suffers with serious health problems.

<u>Rusty McCleese</u> (Chris's Dad) Please continue prayers for him and his family as he fights cancer.

**Ruth McCleese** Please be praying for successful treatment of her health problems.

<u>Lyla Napier</u> (A Minford High Student) Please pray for her serious health condition to improve.

<u>Patty Pickleseimer</u> (Kelly Spark's Mother) Please continue prayer for her recovery.

<u>**Debbie Raiser**</u> Please continue prayers for healing. <u>**Ken Schaefer**</u> (Karen Griffith's Great Nephew) Please be praying for him and his family as he battles cancer. <u>**Mark Villinger**</u> He is currently being treated for cancer. Please keep him and his family in your prayers.

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

#### Kids Want To Know ...

Little James, 4 years old, was listening closely as his dad read him a Bible story.

(Genesis 19:1-38)

After his dad read, "Lot was warned to take his wife and flee out of the city and not to look back, but his wife looked back and was turned to salt." James asked, "What happened to the flea??



#### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* HAPPY 4TH OF JULY \*\*

\*Teens - Pizza & Movie after PM Service\*

\* Church Camp Week - July 9-14

\*Sunshine Day Camp - July 10 - 13

\*Free Sale - July 29 - 9:00 AM

\*Backpack Giveaway- July 29 - 9:00AM

#### **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

Wednesday Evening Bible Class. It includes a short & fun video reviewing the lesson taught on Sunday.

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.

\*Teens are invited to stay for Pizza & Movie tonight after Evening Service until 10:30. See Tim for more info.

Next Sunday We're Off To Camp!
\*Sunshine's Church Camp Week
July 9-14 at Howell's Mill
\*See Shaun or Lisa with any questions.

\*Sunshine Day Camp

July 10th -13th 10:00 - 1:00

Day Camp is for children ages 3-7 years old.

They'll have a great time with lots of Singing,

Crafts, Games and Lessons about Jesus.

Lunch is also provided.

It's going to be a very fun week!

Also, we are collecting empty paper towel rolls.

This is for a craft. Thank you!

#### \*Cancer Support Group

Each Monday Evening
6:00 PM
Sunshine Church of Christ
Hosted by: PJ Glauder & Jaime Shy
\*\*\*In Person or Zoom\*\*\*
Zoom link-Meeting Id:325-271-6640 Pw:496426

\*The American Red Cross will conduct a Blood Drive here at Sunshine, August 15, 10:00 - 3:30. If you are able, please consider being a donor that day. Please call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit RedCross Blood.org and enter: sunshinecoc to schedule an appointment.

#### \*You Are Invited!\*

A Baby Girl Shower Honoring Marissa West Saturday, July 8 at 2:00pm. At Blackburn Acres (16218 SJ.RJ. 139)

The is registered @ Amazon

## The July Item Is <a href="Pasta">Pasta</a> For Mid Western Children's Home Thank You!

\* <u>Informational Meeting</u> for the Backpack giveaway Today, after Worship Service.

\*Today is the last chance to have Kaitlyn take your photo for the new Sunshine Directory, assembly will begin soon.

> \* <u>Sunshine Free Sale</u> - July 29 Here at the Sunshine Building

## Family Bible Time

\*Sunday Evening Auditorium
Shaun McCray

\*Wednesday Evening Auditorium
Dave Deacon - Ezekiel

\*Wednesday Evening Ladies Class
June Book

God is Faithful During Our Trials
Please Read: Jonah 4, Luke 22 :31-34 & 54-62,
Mark 16:1-8, John 21:15-19
\*Men's Class - James Group- Rm. #8

### **Those Who Serve**

<b>Sunday Morning</b>	07/02/2023	07/09/2023	07/16/2023
Worship Leader	Shaun McCray	Jared McCray	Zach Coriell
Scripture Reading	•	Ethan Beekman	
Prayer	Gary Glispie	Lonnie Hollback	Tim Gampp
Communion	Gabe Coriell	Aaron Kallner	Derek Miller
Message	Jamie Riley	Jamie Riley	Jamie Riley
Announcements /			
Prayer	Wayne Gampp	Rich Book	Shaun McCray
Sunday Evening	07/02/2023	07/09/2023	07/16/2023
Worship Leader	Jared McCray	Jon Coriell	Jacob Bowe
Communion	Jacob Book	Gabe Coriell	Isaiah McQuade



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

Wednesday Bible Study - 7:00 pm

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#### "If Ye Bite and Devour"

You, my brothers and sisters, were called to be free. But do not use your freedom to Indulge the flesh, rather, serve one another humbly in love. For the entire law is fulfilled in keeping this one command: "Love your neighbor as yourself."

#### Galatians 5:13-14 NIV

The reasons people have conflict are varied, but the results of an unresolved issue spread beyond the original participants and affect the lives of others as well. Constantly criticizing and running down others tears apart any human group—whether a family or a church—and leaves behind wreckage and ruin. Our words have great power, It is crucial that we use them to build up and strengthen rather than tearing down others. Paul wrote, "Let no corrupt communication proceed out of your mouth, but that which is good to the use of edifying, that it may minister grace unto the hearers" (Ephesians 4:29). Every day we have the choice of being harsh and critical or being kind and loving, and we must make the right choice.

Knowing we will give account for our words and their impact should lead us to be kind and encouraging to others.

Paul Chappell