

# Sunshine Church Of Christ



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Sunday, August 06, 2023

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## What does God expect from Us?

**As Jesus was walking beside the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon called Peter and his brother Andrew. They were casting a net into the lake, for they were fishermen. "Come, follow me," Jesus said, "and I will send you out to fish for people." At once they left their nets and followed him. Going on from there, he saw two other brothers, James son of Zebedee and his brother John. They were in a boat with their father Zebedee, preparing their nets. Jesus called them, and immediately they left the boat and their father and followed him.**

**Matthew 4:18-22 NIV**

**What does God expect when we become a follower of Jesus? When Jesus called His disciples, they left everything; their nets, home, family, profession, and past life and went with Jesus. When Jesus saw the crowd around him, he gave orders to cross to the other side of the lake. Then a teacher of the law came to him and said, "Teacher, I will follow you wherever you go." Jesus replied, "Foxes have dens and birds have nests, but the Son of Man has no place to lay his head." Another disciple said to him, "Lord, first let me go and bury my father." But Jesus told him, "Follow me, and let the dead bury their own dead." Matthew 8:18-22 This passage seems to express a similar idea, emphasizing the priorities of following Jesus. The teacher of the law was told that if he follows, he will not have a place to sleep at night. We look at these passages and make excuses why we can't live like that. What was Jesus REALLY saying in this teaching? Let's look at the very next verses. Then he got into the boat and his disciples followed him. Suddenly a furious storm came up on the lake, so that the waves swept over the boat. But Jesus was sleeping. The disciples went and woke him, saying, "Lord, save us! We're going to drown!" He replied, "You of little faith, why are you so afraid?" Then he got up and rebuked the winds and the waves, and it was completely calm. The men were amazed and asked, "What kind of man is this? Even the winds and the waves obey him!" Matthew 8:23-27.**

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## Prayer Requests

**Clyde Ball** He was admitted to Best Care Rehab, Rm# 74 for continued therapy to help with his recovery. Please continue prayers for him and Penny.

**Mike Cooper** (Rogers Brother) Please continue praying as he is undergoing cancer treatment.

**Dick Coriell** (Rick's Dad) Please keep him and his family in your prayers.

**Esther Crisp** Please keep her in your prayers.

**Christi Davis** (Tamara Harris Sister) Please be praying she'll have better health.

**PJ Glauder** Please keep him in your prayers as he continues treatment.

**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.

**Chris Jennings** (Jack & Jane's Son) Please continue praying for him and his family as he begins treatment.

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

**Rachel McLaughlin** Please keep her in your prayers as she suffers with serious health problems.

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

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

**Lyla Napier** (A Minford High Student) Please continue prayers for her recovery.

**Patty Pickleseimer** (Kelly Spark's Mother) Please continue prayers for her recovery.

**Ken Schaefer** (Karen Griffith's Great Nephew) Please continue prayers for him. Thanking God his cancer is currently in remission.

**Mark Villinger** 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



\*Red Cross Blood Drive - Aug.15  
10:00 - 3:30

Sunshine Friends & Family Day  
@ Noble Farm - Sept. 10  
Morning Worship @ 10:00 AM

### **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!**

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### **KID'S Club**

**Kids Pre-K - 6th Grade**

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

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

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**The Sunshine Elders will meet together for prayer Thursday, August 24.**

**If you have a prayer request, please let them know.**

## 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.

### \*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,

Tuesday, 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 RedCrossBlood.org

and enter: sunshinecoc to schedule an  
appointment. \*There is also a sign up sheet in  
the office or just call to be added to the  
schedule. Thank You!

\*Sunshine's Friend & Family Day @ Noble Farm

is planned for September 10. The Sunday

Morning Worship Service starts at 10:00 AM.

We always have a wonderful time worshipping in  
the outdoors and have a great meal and time of  
fellowship throughout the day. Please plan to  
come join us and bring a friend with you.

Just An Update:

\*The remodel work in the annex is progressing  
very well. The walls have been painted and look  
great. The new floor installation will begin  
tomorrow, the office will need to be closed  
while they are doing this. The church phone  
will be forwarded to Tammy's phone, so you  
are still welcome to call.

"Fear God and Keep His Commandments; for this is the whole duty of man."  
Eccl.12:14

Don't let Satan lead you astray with temptations that seem too sweet to resist. Remember that any sin that one is unwilling to repent of will separate him from God for an eternity. The price is far too high! If one could only look into the horrors of hell and see the real cost of sin, the devil would surely lose many customers.

Employment Opportunity:

\*Mid Western Children's Home is looking for a Program Director. If you are in social work or the counselling field, and are mission minded you may be interested in this position.

Please contact Barry Boverie with questions or for more information at, [barry.boverie@mid-western.org](mailto:barry.boverie@mid-western.org).

### The August Item Is Soup

For Mid Western Children's Home

Thank You!

## Family Bible Time

ADULT CLASSES WEEK OF August 06

\*Sunday Evening Auditorium

Zach Coriell

\*Wednesday Evening Auditorium

Tim Gampp

\*Wednesday Evening Ladies Class

June Book

Embracing Grace That Comes From God

Please Read: Romans 7:14 - 8:17,

Ephesians 1:1-14, 2, James 2:14 - 26

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

# Those Who Serve

|                                  | <b>Sunday Morning 08/06/2023</b> | <b>08/13/2023</b> | <b>08/20/2023</b> |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Worship Leader                   | Zach Coriell                     | Shaun McCray      | Jared McCray      |
| Scripture Reading                | Levi Coriell                     | Tim Coriell       | Matthew Risner    |
| Prayer                           | Dale Kuhn                        | Bill Deacon       | Steve Williams    |
| Communion                        | Gary Glispie                     | Price Gammon      | Zach Coriell      |
| Message                          | Jamie Riley                      | Jamie Riley       | Jamie Riley       |
| Announcements /                  |                                  |                   |                   |
| Prayer                           | Jon Coriell                      | Wayne Gampp       | Shaun McCray      |
| <b>Sunday Evening 08/06/2023</b> | <b>08/13/2023</b>                | <b>08/20/2023</b> |                   |
| Worship Leader                   | Jared McCray                     | Zach Coriell      | Shaun McCray      |
| Communion                        | Rich Book                        | Jacob Bowe        | Isaiah McQuade    |



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

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

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Jesus had said he had no place to lay his head, but he was sleeping on the boat, during a “furious storm”. The storm became so bad that the disciples, some of whom were fishermen and made their living on the lake, were afraid of drowning. He accused them of having “little faith”. At that point Jesus commanded the storm to stop and it did.

Jesus was telling the people that to follow Him, they had to give up trusting in themselves, their possessions, and their previous thinking about what it means to follow God.

How did the early followers of Jesus use their talents and possessions? Paul was a tentmaker and sometimes used that profession to support himself when he was travelling and spreading the Word (Acts 18:3). Luke was a physician but spent a lot of time documenting the life of Christ and the Church so that others might believe. Martha had a home and opened it to Jesus and His disciples (Luke 10:38). The intent is not to necessarily dispose of everything we have and everything we are, but to use them to live our faith. Hearing that Jesus had silenced the Sadducees, the Pharisees got together. One of them, an expert in the law, tested him with this question: “Teacher, which is the greatest commandment in the Law?” Jesus replied: “‘Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.’ This is the first and greatest commandment.

And the second is like it: ‘Love your neighbor as yourself.’

All the Law and the Prophets hang on these two commandments.” Matthew 22:34-40

Jesus wanted His disciples to dedicate themselves wholly to the work that was ahead. Jesus expected them to “love God with all their heart, soul, mind and strength”. So, what was Jesus asking the people He called to do? Jesus was asking them to TRUST Him completely with their lives.

Every one of us can trust Jesus.

When we do that, then Jesus will work in our lives to do great things for the Kingdom of God.

-David Deacon

Have a wonderful day!