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Made in His Image

I remember the day each one of my sons was born. As I gazed on each of them for the first time, the thing I noticed about each of them is they had my nose. They have some features of both me and my wife. You can tell who the parents of our boys are. This reminds me of a rhetorical question God asked long ago.

"To whom then will you liken God? Or what likeness will you compare with Him (Isaiah 40:18)?"

In context, this question is a challenge to useless idols and would be gods. There is nothing like God in all creation. Is it any wonder, then, that God does not want us to make idols to honor him? Nothing we can imagine or fashion with our hands is even remotely like God. It is just as Hannah prayed, *"There is no one holy like the LORD (1 Sam 2:2)."*

However, there is a sense in which there is something "like" God in his creation. All the way back at the beginning, God said, *"Let Us make man in Our image, according to Our likeness... (Gen 1:26)."*

So, aside from Jesus who was the *"radiance of His glory and the exact representation of His nature...(Heb 1:3)*, man is the only one in all creation that bears the image of God. Indeed, we are the *"image and glory of God (1 Cor 11:7)."*

However, sin corrupts the image of God. It is as if mud and filth were thrown onto a mirror so that it no longer reflects the glory of God. Jesus came to restore the image of God in us by first cleaning away the dirt by dying for our sins, and by transforming us through the Spirit. This is what it means when scripture says we have *"renewal"* through the Spirit (Titus 3:5). When we are renewed, we have *"put on the new self who is being renewed to a true knowledge according to the image of the One who created him (Col 3:10)."* So, Jesus restores the image of God in us.

What is an image supposed to do? It reminds others of God, just as seeing my sons would remind someone of me. It also brings honor to God. It reveals something of God's nature. Since God is light (1 John 1:5), we are to reflect his light. Since God is love, we are to love (1 John 4:8). Since God is holy, we are also to be holy (1 Pet 1:16). Since God is righteous, we are to be righteous (Rom 10:3). And the list goes on and on.

John Telgren
Leavenworth, TX



PRAYER REQUESTS

For our nation as we are going through troubled times

For our national leaders and world leaders as they lead their respective nations.

For our troops in Afghanistan, Bosnia, Korea, Iraq, Liberia, Haiti and other places.

For the innocent who are suffering in the midst of war.

For the "people in the box"-- the lost in our families and community.

For those who are being martyred and persecuted for Christ in our own time

For marriage to stand in our laws as God ordained it.

For the church in Siliguri and Naresh Chetri

For the churches in Honduras and Haiti who partner with us in the gospel

For the people of Japan who are suffering from the effects of the earthquake, tsunami and radiation from damaged nuclear reactors

For the people of Alabama, Mississippi, Arkansas, Missouri, etc. who have been devastated by the tornadoes

Kelly Gampp has finished round 4 of her chemo. Two more to go.

Praise Report: Henry Coriell's PET scan on Tuesday showed only one tumor in his lungs. The rest of the tumors are gone. Praise the Lord and keep praying.

Emily Cram has been diagnosed with significant hearing loss and will be having a surgery on Tuesday in Portsmouth to see if it can be corrected.

Matt, Kendra and Alex Cram will be at a special research hospital in Cincinnati all next week for extensive testing (some for Matt and Kendra, most of it for Alex). The results are expected on Friday and will determine if Alex will have to have a feeding tube.

DeeDee Dudit (Troy Gahm's sister) has a recurrence of cancer affecting lymph nodes.

Macie Shumway home now, continuing IV antibiotic therapy on an outpatient basis.

Bill Dingus (friend of Jeff Lindeman) suffering with a rare form of brain cancer.

Donald Stiltner, Jr is having trouble walking and going thru many personal problems.

Lowell Brown (Peggy Hollback's brother in Nashville) is scheduled for a hip replacement surgery on June 9.

Tim Wolfe being treated for a severe back injury.

Linda Tessier (Meaghan Miller's mother in Ontario) is recuperating at home now from hip replacement surgery.

Directory/Contact Updates/Additions

In an effort to keep our Directory/Contact list up to date we have placed some sheets on the board in the back. If you need to update your contact information simply fill out this form and put it in one of the collection boxes. Also encourage new members to fill out these forms so we can get them added also.



Bible Study Curriculum

Sunday

6/5 Mark 7
6/12 Mt 17-18
6/19 Mt 19
6/26 Preaching

Wednesday

6/8 Amos 1-6
6/15 Amos 7-9
6/22 Jonah 1-4
6/29 Micah 1-6)



Coming Events

6/5 End of School Party
6/11 Kammler-McLaughlin Wedding
6/19 Fathers Praising the Father
6/20-24 VBS 2011 for Sunshine
6/25 Perry-Deborde Wedding
6/25-7/1 Strawberry Point Trip
7/21 Mother-Son Fun Day

Sympathy Extended

To the family of **Bill Casey** (Tom Kallner's brother-in-law) who passed away in Columbus on Tuesday. The funeral was Friday.

Fathers Day Tribute

June 19 is Fathers Day. We would like to create a music-video presentation for Fathers Day like the one we showed last Sunday for Mothers Day: Fathers with their children (and grandchildren and great grandchildren). See Stephanie Copas between now and June 12 to have a picture made that we can use for the presentation. Or you can make your own picture and email it to jbob23@gmail.com. **Next Sunday is the deadline to have a picture made or to submit a picture.**

Wedding Announcements

Lindsey Perry and Emily DeBorde (Cheryl Villinger's daughter) will exchange the vows of marriage at the Ironton church of Christ on June 25, 2011, 6:30 pm. The Sunshine church is invited to witness the vows and support the new bride and groom with their presence.



Kim Kammler and Eric McLaughlin will be exchanging vows of marriage at the the 2nd Presbyterian church in Portsmouth, Saturday, June 11, at 6 pm.

Sweet Monday

June Sweet Monday will be June 6 at 7:30 PM in the annex. We will be having a fellowship dinner for the ladies. Please bring a finger food to share! This will be the kick-off of our third year of Sweet Monday! Hope to see as many there as can come! Also-there will be NO Sweet Monday in July since it is a holiday!

VBS Updates

1. **We still have one major job to be filled for our VBS:** A teaching slot for Tuesday evening.
2. **We are now signing up students for VBS.** There are flyers and registration cards to invite the children of friends and neighbors. Pre-registration is not necessary but would be helpful. The only people who need to fill out registration cards are children of people who don't ordinarily attend Sunshine. If your children come to Sunshine on a regular basis, all we need is for you to sign their names on the appropriate registration pads on the table in the foyer. Remember, our promotion is in the Fall. If they were in the fourth grade this past school year they are still in the fourth grade for VBS.
3. **The sheets are up to sign up for the Support Jobs for VBS.** We need Guides and Support Workers all over the place. Sign up for the slot that you can cover and the days you will be available.
4. **We also have posted the jobs sheet for the Friday Night Program/Picnic.** We need lots of help to get through the evening. Sign up for the slots you are willing to cover.
5. **MEETING TODAY AFTER AM SERVICES IN ANNEX.** Steve Miller would like to meet with all the people who have signed up for teaching or organizing some major portion of our VBS. If you signed up on one of blue sheets on the south wall, you need to come. Money for VBS will be available at that meeting.
6. **Our attendance contest for VBS starts with the first night of VBS.** The prize goes to the class that brings the most visitors during VBS. A visitor counts each time they come through the week. The prize? A can of silly string for every student in the winning class to be sprayed on Count VBS on Thursday night at the end of VBS.
7. **Our theme verse for VBS this year:** Hebrews 12:1-2 "...Let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, fixing our eyes on Jesus...."

Bulletin Board Ministry

If you would have interest in helping maintain the bulletin boards throughout the church building, see Aaron McCray.

End of School Party

The Secret Sisters will be having an End of School Party tonight after evening services. Students of all ages and their families are invited to stay for food & fun to kick off summer vacation!



**IN
THE
NEWS!**

Some of our teens have been competing in the regional and state track meets over the last couple weeks. Minford women's 4x200? relay team made it to the final round of the regionals before being eliminated. **Sagan Gampp** and **Kiley Berry** are members of that relay team. Also in the men's division, **Ethan Butcher** (Steve Miller's nephew) and **Sean Berry** are part of the Minford team that took fourth in the state in the 4x100 relay. Congratulations to all of our athletes. Just wait till next year!

Next Week's Bulletin

Al Graff will be traveling next weekend, if you have announcements for the bulletin, be sure to send them to info@sunshine-church.org and not his personal e-mail or facebook account, otherwise your announcement won't make it into print.

Updated Directories

Several copies of our updated directory are laid out in the foyer. Feel free to take what you need. We'll make more. This is a fellowship directory, not a membership directory. The purpose of the directory is to promote fellowship between all who are attending here regardless of whether they are members of this church or Christians or whatever. If you are attending here we would like to have your basic contact information to put in the directory (address/phone number, cell number/email). If your name does not appear in the directory and you would like for it to be in there, fill out one of the update sheets located on the bulletin board and deposit it in the offering box.

Save Labels for Mid-Western Children's Home



You can help Mid-Western purchase sporting equipment and more by clipping Box Tops for Education and Campbell's Labels for Education coupons and sending them to

Mid-Western Children's Home
P.O. Box 48
Pleasant Plain, OH 45162

I am with you
ALWAYS
even to the end of the age.
Matthew 28:20

THOSE WHO SERVE

Sunday Morning

Welcome & Prayer
Song Director
Worship Leaders
Message

June 5

Wayne Gampp
Shaun McCray
Aaron Kallner
Mark Gampp
Steve Miller

June 12

Tom Kelley
Nick Davis
Zach Coriell
Tim Coriell
Steve Miller

Sunday Evening

Song Director
Scripture Reading
Lord's Supper
Assist
Prayer
Bible Class

Zach Coriell
Eric Copas
Mike Gampp
Tyler Jones
Greg Coriell
Mark 7

Derrick Mooneyham
Davey Coriell
Dewey Cordle
Dave Coriell
Rick Coriell
Matthew 17-18

Wednesday Evening

Song Director
Prayer
Bible Class Text

Shawn Gragg
Ira Coriell
Amos 1-6

Matthew Hoskins
Aaron McCray
Amos 7-9

Children's Bible Time

June Theme: Missions

3-5: Regina Kuhn, Kathleen Kuhn,
Kristie Thacker
6-8: Kristin Riley

July Theme: Second Coming

3-5: Kristin Riley
6-8: Kendall Riley

If you are unable to serve as scheduled, please contact Dewey Cordle at 820-4624

Regular Service Times

Sunday

Worship - 10:00 am
Bible Study - 6:30 p.m

Wednesday

Bible Study - 7:30 p.m.

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Deadline for each issue is 3 p.m. Saturday. News items may be called to Al Graff or Steve Miller or e-mailed to:

info@sunshine-church.org



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WORD SEARCH

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