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He is Risen!



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Thoughts on Hebrews

During the month of April, our Wednesday evening adult Bible class has been reading through the Book of Hebrews. The original audience of the book was Hebrew Christians that were shaky and wavering in the faith, and starting to question just why it was that they had chosen to follow Jesus. Don't we find ourselves in the same place many times? Feeling a bit shaky, a bit weak, doubtful, and not really too engaged in worship? Why is that? Could it be that we are filling ourselves with things of this world rather than with God's word?

In the gospels, Jesus, when being tempted by the devil, said that a man can't live on bread alone, but he needs every word that comes from God. Now we know that we can survive on bread, but can we truly live?

One of the many things that Hebrews tells us is that we should be busy coming up with ways to encourage one another, to motivate each other to become engaged in worshiping the Father – all the more so as we get nearer and nearer to Christ's return.

This past Wednesday evening during class, we had a bit of a biblical pot luck. Many of those in attendance shared scriptures and thoughts from the Book of Hebrews, and put some of God's word on the table for all to share in.

Hebrews 13:15-16 Give God praise continually

Hebrews 13:18-19 Always pray and serve

Hebrews 4:12-13 Do we listen to obey, or do we listen to provide a means for us to defend what we think?

Hebrews 11 Stay faithful to the end. Don't quit.

Hebrews 12:2-3 Don't lose heart.

Hebrews 10:19-23 Be confident in Jesus.

These are just a few of the great thoughts from the discussion we had. Take the time to chew on them.

Hebrews is all about the confidence we should have in Jesus and the Father who sent him. We read that Jesus is superior to all, and that he has gone in before us as our high priest, the only valid mediator capable of standing before God and able to empathize with our weaknesses. He took care of our sin issue once and for all by offering himself, and paying the ransom for our lives and setting us free, guaranteeing eternal life in a home with the Father for all of those who are faithfully his.

The ground we stand on is rock solid, and nothing can steal us from Him – not even the devil himself! So, in consideration of this, let's shake off the doubt and lack of confidence in our calling, and accept the fact that God went out of His way to make a way for us to be with Him. Live confidently before Him, boldly come to Him with everything, and always remember He is worthy of all the praise you can muster.

Gabe Coriell



Coming Events

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 "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 Chhetri and Ashok Basfor.

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

Jim Young (Terri Young's husband) now under hospice care at home.

David Bradshaw in SOMC early this week for suspected heart problems—meds changed.

Kay Hammond now in chemotherapy.

Don Ramey scheduled for another heart procedure (stint or balloon) this week at the VA in Lexington, KY.

Kayla Coriell being tested for frequent episodes of unconsciousness followed by seizures.

Garnet Lindeman (at Nancy Taylor's house) improvement has stalled. Cards, prayers, phone calls welcome.

Vinton Morgan (Mansfield, OH, relative of the Coriell's) serious heart problems, surgery this week.

Dick Havens in SOMC this week having heart symptoms checked out.

Amanda Montgomery (Sarah Gilliland's sister in Columbus) now back at Best Care.

Mary Kallner (Sarah Gilliland's sister in law) recuperating from surgery.

Wesley Cole (3 yr old grandson of Don & Cathy Ramey) facing possible kidney transplant.

Emily Fisher (8th grade student at Minford) who had spinal surgery on Thursday this week.

Gregg Ferrell now back in Pike County living with his aunt.

Go Inoshita (Kaye's husband) life-flighted to St Mary's in Huntington after an auto accident on Monday. He is out of ICU now and may be able to come home soon.

Jan Ing (friend of Penny Ball) scheduled to have pacemaker put in April 28.

Weldonna Evans (Dee Bradshaw's mother) scheduled for cataract surgery on April 30.

Emily Little (6th grader in Tammy Rhoads class in Piketon Schools) who is in ICU in Columbus due to an auto accident.

Annie Davis surgery to repair her broken nose this week.

4/25-27	Youth Rally at Fort Hill
4/30	Scripture at Court House, 3-5 pm
5/3-4	After Prom at Minford
5/4	Dinner Served by 2 nd & 3 rd Graders
5/5	Sweet Mothers Day Dinner
5/11	Mothers Day
5/14-21	Honduras Mission Trip
5/31-6/1	Songleaders Workshop
6/5-9	Honduras Family Mission Trip
6/23-27	VBS at Sunshine

Area Events

Details for all of these events are posted on the bulletin board in the foyer.

- **4/27-30:** Gospel Meeting at Sunrush church in Chillicothe
- **4/20-23:** Gospel Meeting at Flat Woods church, Greg Dismuke speaking

Sympathy Extended

To the family of **Brenda Robbins** (member at Elm Grove) who passed away on Tuesday.

To the family of **Raegan Bloss** (6th grader in Tammy Rhoads class in Piketon Schools) who was killed in an auto accident last week.

Questionnaire /Call Em All Deadline

We would like to finish up the update of our service questionnaires and the Call Em All information by next Sunday. If you have not checked the Call Em All sheets or filled out a yellow Service Questionnaire, please do so by next Sunday.

India Report Next Sunday

Tom Kelly and Jason Coriell recently spent a couple weeks in Siliguri and have a report to give concerning the state of the church there. Their report will be given next Sunday morning.

Leadership Dinner & Program

The 2nd & 3rd Grade Class would like to prepare and serve us a meal and put on a program for us on Sunday, May 4. The students need to know the approximate number who will be coming. There is a list of invitees on the table in the foyer. **Please put the number who will be coming for the dinner and program.** Dinner is scheduled to be served at 4:30 pm. Questions, see Sharon Hallam.



Sweet Mothers Day

Sweet Mother's Day Dinner will be May 5 at 6:30 PM in the annex. Moms of all ages welcome and of course feel free to bring your little ones who may enjoy getting out with mom! This is a free event, but I would ask that you sign the list in the back so I can get a count! If anyone has questions please see Heather Gragg.

Hope for Haiti's Children 2015

Hope for Haiti's next Medical Mission Trip will have a focus on both dental and optometry care as well as general medical check-ups. There is limited space available on these trips. If you are interested in applying to go, please sign up in the foyer with your contact information. The dates for the clinics are: 1st week – January 31st-Feb 7th and the 2nd week are Feb 7-14th. Kristi Cordle has more details if needed.

Sunshine Youth Rally Here

The Sunshine Youth Rally is this next weekend at Fort Hill Christian Youth Camp. Registration starts Friday evening at 6:00 and the youth rally ends after morning services on Sunday. Kids planning to attend need to fill out and bring with them a Fort Hill registration from the Fort Hill website: www.forthillcamp.org (leave the week attending portion blank). Campers will need the usual items needed for church camp. For additional information, or anyone wanting to help please see Tim.

Mothers Day Pictures

Mothers Day comes on May 11. We have a special music video presentation we do each year to honor our mothers. The pictures feature the mothers in our congregation with their children. If you are satisfied with the picture which was used last year, you needn't do anything at all. If you want a new picture, find Dee Bradshaw after services on Sunday or Wednesday near the pulpit area and have your picture updated. Deadline for this is May 4.

Honduras Trip Info

If you are going to Honduras in May or June, your ticket money should have been turned in this week to Jamie Riley or Shaun McCray. If not get with them ASAP and work this out. Also there is a meeting this evening at 6 pm in the Annex.

Spring Clothing Drive

Have extra clothes that you need to get rid of? There will be a clothing drive here at Sunshine on Saturday May 31st. Looking for donations of clothes, or other possible miscellaneous items that will be free for the community to come pick out. For more information see Jessie Coriell.



VBS Preparation Starts

Our theme for VBS this year is ***THE WORLD OF JESUS***. We are creating 8 rooms which will portray some aspect of the world of Jesus: The Synagogue, the Temple, the Jerusalem Jail, the Shepherd and His flock, the Food Vendor, the Physician's Office, the Potters Wheel, etc. The children will get to visit two of these rooms each night of VBS. A few of the scenarios may be located outside under a tent. Anyway, we need eight people right now to commit to making one of these rooms come to life for the kids. There is a description of these rooms posted on the north wall in the auditorium. Go by there and read about the various rooms and pick out the one you would like to handle. There are also several other important jobs that need to be organized and planned before VBS gets here. We need people to sign up for those jobs also. About 3 weeks before VBS we will put a chart up for a myriad of support jobs like Guides and Kitchen Help, etc. But first we have to get the planning, organizing, supervising type jobs taken care of. Next week, we will have a full copy of the handout for VBS which will give more details. Help us out here, please.

Scripture Reading at Court House

In conjunction with the National Day of Prayer (May 1) there is a week-long public reading of scripture in the rotunda of the Scioto County Court House provided by Christians and churches in the county. Our time is Wednesday, April 30, from 3-5 pm. If you would be willing to take a ½ hour slot, please sign for the slot that works for you. A pad is laid out on the table in the foyer for those who wish to volunteer.

Good News

Myla Mychael Butcher arrived safe and sound early Tuesday (April 15) weighing 5 lbs, 11 oz and measuring 19 inches. Baby Myla, Mother (Leah Butcher) and Grandmother (Becky Miller) are all doing well. Congratulations to the whole Miller/Butcher family on this new addition.

More Good News

Last Sunday (4/13) **Matthew and Ashley Young, Don Winter** (step father to Matthew and Ashley) and **Bre** (daughter to Don) were all baptized into Christ. Matthew and Ashley are the grandchildren of Terri and Jim Young, and great grandchildren of Sarah and Russ Gilliland.

THOSE WHO SERVE

Sunday Morning

Welcome & Prayer
Song Director
Worship Leaders

Message

April 20

Don Coriell
Shaun McCray
Aaron Kallner
Mark Gampp
Steve Miller

April 27

Jon Coriell
Ralph Gampp
Zach Coriell
Tim Coriell
Tom Kelley/Jason Coriell

Sunday Evening

Song Director
Scripture Reading
Lord's Supper
Assist
Prayer

Jacob Miller
Aaron McCray
Dewey Cordle
Troy Gahm
Jason Coriell

Greg Shepherd
Tyler Jones
Mark Villinger
Dewey Cordle
Mike Coriell

Wednesday Evening

Song Director
Prayer

Gabe Coriell
Ira Coriell

Zach Coriell
Rich Book

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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