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\$3 Worth of God

"I would like to buy \$3 worth of God, please. Not enough to explode my soul or disturb my sleep, but just enough to equal a cup of warm milk or a snooze in the sunshine. I don't want enough of Him to make me love a black man or pick beets with a migrant. I want ecstasy, not transformation. I want the warmth of the womb not a new birth. I want about a pound of the eternal in a paper sack. I'd like to buy \$3 worth of God, please."

Wilbur Reese

It doesn't require all that much to be a church member. The time commitment isn't too bad; at its worst, we're talking about three hours on Sunday and one on Wednesday (and you can easily cut it down to just 45 minutes on Sunday if you play your cards right). The cost isn't bad either; nobody really knows how much you drop in the plate. Outside of church, all you have to do is avoid doing anything to publicly embarrass the church. It's not a bad hobby.

But what does it take to be a disciple? That's where things get tough, talking about denying ourselves and taking up crosses and being different from the world. That's not really the life that most of us signed up for. It's kind of like signing up for the safety patrol at school and finding yourself a Navy SEAL. We want to be Christians, but do we have to be fanatics about it?

Men have turned Christianity into a religion focused on gathering in a building on Sunday and doing certain things the right way. Success is measured by how many people we can gather to do things the same way that we do them. Evangelism is convincing people to come and do things the way we do them. Good church leaders organize the Sunday meetings well and make sure that the place that we meet is well taken care of. For many, that is what Christianity is about.

If we consider this to be Christianity, then we have to feel that Jesus really didn't do a very good job of setting things up. Couldn't He have spent at least a little time talking to us about how to do this Sunday "worship service" since it's the center of our religion? Couldn't He



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) is now under hospice care at home.

Peggy Hollback is now home on Bussey Rd. Continuing peritoneal dialysis until kidney transplant. Cards still appreciated. Please limit phone calls.

John Gampp cranial shunt placement at Cleveland Clinic on Friday went well. Home on Saturday.

Dick Havens is now back at Heartland.

Jim Cunningham is now home.

Sharon Gampp is being treated for a recent left shoulder injury, soon to have rotator cuff surgery on her right shoulder, having lots of pain.

Bernice Conley (friend of Penny Ball) breast cancer.

Bud Coriell (Josh, Ryan and Ira's father) cancer spots are being evaluated for treatment.

Alan Graff is now taking targeted oral therapy for cancer. No severe side-effects have been experienced as yet.

Penny Ball MRI revealed pinched nerves. Scheduled for EMG on 9/4.

Russ Gilliland has been moved to Hillview for rehab. Cards appreciated. Send to home address.

Jan Ing (friend of Penny Ball) placement of pacemaker 8/25.

Alex Cram broke his arm at school this week and had to have surgical repair.

Henry Mason has decided to resume treatment. Cards to Alexandria House, 811 Findlay St, Portsmouth 45662.

Amanda Montgomery (Sarah Gilliland's sister) in SOMC with heart problems.

Clyde Ball scheduled for cataract surgery on August 28.

Judi Allison knee replacement surgery at Bellefonte last week. Now home recuperating.

Area Events

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

- **9/6** Rio Grande church Ladies Day. Regina Rhodes speaking
- **9/6** Love & Marriage Seminary; Flatwoods church, Alan Cole speaking.
- **9/13** Ladies' Day at Elm Grove church of Christ—The Virtuous Woman
- **9/26-27** Men's Leadership Retreat at Roundlake Camp.
- **10/5-26** Home Groups at Sunshine



Fair Winners from Sunshine

At the recent fairs (Scioto and Pike County) the following Sunshine people received the following honors and awards for their entries at the fair. These are given in the order in which they appear on the sheets laid out in the foyer:

SCIOTO COUNTY FAIR

- **Aurie Coriell**: 1st in class, Market Hog and 2nd in Photography.
- **Annie Coriell**: 5th in class, Market Hog.
- **Kayleigh Coriell**: 1st in Sewing for Others.
- **Jonas McCray**: Dairy Herdsman Award. 2nd in Junior Yearling Heifer. 2nd in Dairy Skillathon. 5th in Dairy Judging. Grand Champion Pygmy Goat
- **Alex Coriell**: Reserve Champion Rabbit (Meat).
- **Molly Grashel**: 1st in class, Market Goat.
- **Sawyer Grashel**: 2nd in class, Market Goat.
- **Adam Cordle**: 2nd in class, Market Goat.
- **Eli Cordle**: Division 3 Reserve Champion, Market Goat.
- **Ethan Cordle**: 3rd place in Unusual Pet.
- **Nicholas Boggs**: Reserve Champion Dairy Heifer. 3rd in Dairy Skillathon. 3rd in Dairy Showmanship. 3rd in Dairy Judging.
- **Matthew Risner**: Grand Champion Overall Dairy Female. 1st in Dairy Skillathon. 2nd in Dairy Showmanship. 2nd in class, Market Hog. Outstanding Dairy Exhibitor Award
- **Marissa Risner**: Reserve Champion Dairy Cow. 1st in Dairy Skillathon. 2nd in Dairy Showmanship. 2nd in class, Market Hog.
- **Levi Coriell**: 1st in Dairy Summer Yearling. 2nd in Dairy Judging. 4th in Dairy Showmanship.
- **Maggie Risner**: 3rd Overall Dairy Bull.
- **Myles Montgomery**: Grand Champion Brown Swiss Heifer.
- **Kendall Riley**: 1st in class, Market Hog.
- **Sydney Mougey**: 2nd in class Breeding Heifer. 4th in class, Market Hog.
- **Tate Coreill**: 1st in class, Market Lamb. 2nd in Lamb Showmanship. 4th in Lamb Skillathon. 1st in class, Production Doe. 4th in Goat Showmanship. 2nd in Goat Skillathon. 2nd in class, Beef Feeder Calf. 2nd in Beef Skillathon. 1st in Beef Showmanship. Outstanding Beef Exhibitor. Overall Showman of Showman Winner.
- **Talen Coriell**: 2nd in class, Production Doe. 1st in class, Market Goat. Grand Champion Market Goat. Grand Champion Scioto County Born Goat. 1st in Goat Showmanship. 1st in Goat Skillathon. Outstanding Goat Exhibitor.
- **Emma Lauder**: 2nd in Photography. 2nd in Service Project.
- **Caitlyn Gampp**: 2nd in Athletic Sportswear.

PIKE COUNTY FAIR

- **Paul McGaughey**: 5th place in 1st Year Rabbit

Class Promotion

Comes Sunday, August 31. All students in our Sunday School program eligible for promotion will move on to the their new class on this date.

To God be the glory!

School Supply Boxes

Some of the students at Minford Elementary are needing basic school supplies. We have been asked to take care of that need. Please purchase and assemble the following items in a school supply box: crayons, pencils, big pink eraser, pens and Fiskar scissors.

Monthly Pancake Breakfast

Set your calendars for the first Sunday of every month. The Deacons will be serving pancakes to the congregation before morning worship services. The first pancakes will be flipped on September 7th. We will start serving at 8:45 a.m. and stop serving at 9:40 a.m. Plan to come early and spend some good time with everyone.

Fourth Sunday PM Service

August 24 is the fourth Sunday of the month and for the PM service our songleaders will be teaching us new songs and working out the problems in songs we currently know. Join us for the singing next week.

Fifth Sunday Youth Service

Sunday, August 31, the youth of the congregation will be responsible for the evening services in the auditorium.

Home Groups Coming

October 5 through October 26 the congregation will be meeting in small groups in various homes. If you would be willing to let your home be used as a meeting place for one of these groups, please sign the pad on the table in the foyer.

Directory Update

Jim Cunningham has a new phone number: 740-727-8575.



\$3 Worth of God

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have spelled out a little better the exact rules for songs, for prayers and for taking the Lord's Supper? Better yet, couldn't He have left us at least one sample order of worship? Why did He spend so much of His time talking about other things?

If we want to be the Lord's church, we have to be about the Lord's business. If we are going to be imitators of Christ, it only makes sense that we are going to try and do the things He did. We will want to talk about the things He talked about and concentrate on the things He concentrated on.

Then he said to them all: *"If anyone would come after me, he must deny himself and take up his cross daily and follow me."* (Luke 9:23) That's every day. Not weekly. Not twice a week. Daily.

It's all or nothing. Total commitment. We are His or we aren't. God wants an intimate, daily relationship with us. He compares it again and again to a marriage. He doesn't want to be a part of our lives; He wants to be our lives.

Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength. (Mark 12:30) Not some. Not part. All.

Not \$3.00 worth. Not one day a week's worth. Not "inside the church building" worth. God wants all of us, every day. That's what it is to be a disciple. That's what it is to be a Christian.

Someone said that instead of focusing on being the right church, we should focus on being the right kind of Christians. The gathering of the right kind of Christians will be the right church.

\$3 worth of God? Why don't you supersize that?

Tim Archer
Herald of Truth

THOSE WHO SERVE

Sunday Morning

Welcome & Prayer
Song Director
Worship Leaders

Message

August 24

Tom Kelley
Aaron McCray
Dewey Cordle
Eric Miller
Jamie Riley

August 31

Rich Book
Nick Davis
Dale Kuhn
Pete Kouns
Steve Miller

Sunday Evening

Song Director
Scripture Reading
Lord's Supper
Assist
Prayer

David Bradshaw
Mark Gamp
Shaun McCray
Mark Villinger
Ira Coriell

Shawn Gragg
Mike Gamp
Jason Coriell
Tim Coriell
Aaron Kallner

Wednesday Evening

Song Director
Prayer

Don Ramey
Caleb Miller

Gabe Coriell
Troy Gahm

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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GIDEON
SONS OF ISRAEL
DENS IN THE MOUNTAINS
MIDIANITES
AMALEKITES
NO FOOD
THEY CAME AS LOCUSTS
JEHOVAH SENT A MAN
HOUSE OF BONDAGE
OPPRESSED
DO NOT FEAR
SAT UNDER AN OAK
OPHRAH
JOASH THE ABIEZRITE
MIGHTY WARRIOR
YOU SHALL SAVE ISRAEL
I AM THE LEAST
SHOW ME A SIGN
FIRE OUT OF THE ROCK
PEACE TO YOU
BURNT SACRIFICE
THROWN DOWN HIS ALTAR
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LET ME TEST

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