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The Canvas of Autumn

Winter, spring, summer, and fall are God's seasons. I have always been a big fan of summer and spring and not too fond of fall and winter. But lately I have changed. I think it is something about those leaves of red, orange, yellow, and burgundy that fall from the trees. I feel as if I have noticed them for the very first time.

I like taking a ride and watching people setting out pumpkins in the yard with hay bales and planting mums in the yard. I am looking forward to getting some lavender and yellow mums myself for my yard and a few pumpkins.

The other day, one of my friends and I went to visit a friend who has been ill, and in her neighborhood, we noticed many yards decorated for fall. I don't remember seeing this too much in the past. Have I missed this season all these years, or is it just that as I get older I appreciate God's world just a little more?

The latter is what I concluded. The Bible says, "This is day that the Lord hath made, and I will rejoice in it." Each day He has given me beauty to enjoy, so I think I should sit back and take in this glorious creation.

God is the best artist in the world, for only He can create such different themes. We see many artists that try to capture the seasons on their canvases by painting what they see around them, and they do a wonderful job. However, neither picture nor paint could ever replace the real thing splashed across the sky and spilled over the earth like the Master's display of His finest artwork. God's creativity is unmatched, for every day is different, just like every snowflake in winter.

When people say there is no God, I know they do not see with eyes like mine. They must see a plain, white canvas or a black drop cloth and not the blue skies that fade into light pink in the evening. Nor do they see the flowers that no paint on any artist's palate could attempt to match or the trees that were each given a certain color leaf to change into when autumn arrives. 'No God,' they say. It is just that they do not know the Master of the seasons, the One who has created such magnificent displays of perfect art.

Instead of always looking forward to the summer and springtime, I have decided to enjoy the Master's autumn masterpiece for the rest of my life

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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 going through a rough time.

Peggy Hollback recuperating at home from transplant.

Margaret Ann Reed recuperating from a sprained shoulder, will have knee surgery soon.

Garnet Lindeman is stable for now, living at Nancy's house.

Roy Chaffin (friend of Jim Jacobs) having serious health problems.

Alan Graff scan shows small growth in tumor, started a new oral chemotherapy last week.

Henry Mason is now at home, current treatments taking a toll on him.

Bonnie Johnson (friend of Irmalee Gampp) is being admitted to nursing home.

Gus Spears (Shaun and Aaron McCray's 5 month old nephew in Cincinnati) had to be readmitted to Cincinnati Children's this week.

David Bradshaw is doing in-house rehab for his knee in Advance 360 in Portsmouth.

Paul Miller (Donnie's brother) has another leakage problem with his heart surgery. Going into Duke University Hospital.

Haiti Joy Boxes

Sharon Hallam's class is putting together Joy Boxes for Haiti and each child needs a sponsor to cover the cost of mailing/shipping the box. Please sign your name beside the student you wish to sponsor and give your \$15 to Shaun McCray or Nick Davis. The list is located on the window in the foyer.

EVENTS AT SUNSHINE



10/4	Baby Bottle Deadline
10/5	October Sweet Monday
10/4-25	Sunday PM Home Groups
10/11-14	Jack Hall @ Grant & Summit
10/23-24	Sunshine Men's Retreat
10/31	Real Love 5K at Bloom-Vernon
11/13-14	Ladies Retreat at Scioto Hills

Call Em All Update



It's time to update our Call Em All list. On the window in the foyer you will see a list of current numbers that are used for our calling list. Please look at this list and update any information that

needs updated. If you would like to be added to the calling list you can add your information on the empty sheet. If you would like to be included in our Emergency Prayer Team calls, please "check" the appropriate box and your number will be added to that list. When all of your information is complete please place an "X" before your name. Any questions please see Aaron McCray.

Singing Tonight

This evening at 6 pm all are invited to come and enjoy a time of singing before our evening Bible study. See Nick Davis for details.

Gospel Meeting

The Grant and Summit church in Portsmouth has a gospel meeting scheduled with **Jack Hall** from Richmond, KY, Oct 11-14. Details posted.

Baby Bottle Collection

Deadline was advertised for this Sunday BUT if you get your baby bottle here by Wednesday Bible Study it will be delivered to Elizabeth's Hope on Thursday or Friday.





SUNSHINE EVENING HOME GROUPS

Home Group Sign Up Now

Today the pads are laid out on the table in the foyer for home group sign up. Hosts, if there are restrictions please write them on your sign up paid. People, some of the groups need to be limited number-wise. Please be aware of the size of the group and any restrictions the host writes before signing up. Home groups begin tonight.

Hosts and Leaders

On the table in the foyer are the materials needed to run our Sun PM Home Groups. HOSTS: If you are a host, pick up the info sheet and a packet of the communion bread. LEADERS: If you are a leader of one of the groups, pick up a copy of the info sheet and the copy of the DVD with the name of the host whose group you are leading. Deacons/Elders/Ministers, you are the designated leaders. Find a group which needs a leader and sign up for that group. Circle your name as leader. Make sure every group is covered. Deacons/Elders/Ministers do not have to personally lead each session, using other men to lead the group that will be fine.

Last Minute Change

The group that was to meet at **Valerie Lemaster's** house this evening is cancelled just for this week due to sickness in her family. If you were signed up for this group, please choose another group for this evening.

Youth Group Home Group

The home group for the youth and for campus ministry will be at Tim and Jennifer Gampp's house. Anyone needing a ride to this group can meet at the church at 5:30 and the van will transport you to and from the home group. When the meeting ends teens will call parents to inform them when we will be arriving at the church to be picked up.

Details on the Men's Retreat

The men's retreat this year is at Fort Hill, starting Friday, October 23, with supper being served at 6:30 pm. As already mentioned Ben Merold is the guest speaker on the theme of Fundamentals for Kingdom Growth. Cost for meals is \$22.50/person (three meals: supper, breakfast, lunch) and another \$7.50 if you stay overnight. That's an even \$30.00. We should be done around 2 pm Saturday afternoon. Pay all fees on Friday evening at camp. Ben will be making a couple presentations at camp and will be leading a Q and A session after lunch on Saturday. Ben is going to be talking about the things his churches did to move from 175 and 350 in attendance to 3000. Every male Christian in the congregation needs to be there to help us develop a strategy for growth. Ben will also be bringing the morning lesson on Sunday for the congregation. Sign Up starts today for the men's retreat. We need a count for food preparation.

October Sweet Monday

Meeting will be in the Annex at 7 pm on Monday, October 5. Please make plans to be there.

Companion Quilt

If anyone has a block to go in the companion quilt to the centennial quilt or needs a block to do, see Teresa Hayward ASAP. Work on the companion quilt will happen soon.

"Be Our Guest" - Ladies Retreat

This year's retreat will be at Scioto Hills camp on November 13-14. Cost for the weekend is \$40. Please sign up as soon as possible. And bring a friend!

Real Love 5K Run/Walk

Local supporters of the Breaking Chains Ministry in Honduras are sponsoring a 5K run/walk on Saturday, October 31, starting at the Bloom-Vernon School. Registration is 9 am. Start of the run/walk is 10 am. All proceeds go to support the ministry. Details are on flyers laid out in the foyer.



Those Who Serve

Sun. Morning	10/4/2015	10/11/2015
Welcome	Jon Coriell	Wayne Gamp
Reading	David Bradshaw	Ethan Beekman
Midservice Prayer	Mark Risner	Don Coriell
Communion	Eugene Risner	Mark Risner
Sermon	Steve Miller	Steve Miller
Closing Prayer	Price Gammon	Josh Coriell
Sun. Evening	10/4/2015	10/11/2015
Song Leader	Jamie Riley	Aaron McCray
Reading	Steve Williams	Wesley Book
Communion	Johnny Beekman	Derek Miller
Assist	Terry Grashel	Dale Gamp
Prayer	Shaun McCray	Mark Villinger
Wed. Evening	10/7/2015	10/14/2015
Song Leader	Zach Coriell	David Bradshaw
Prayer	Gabe Coriell	Mike Gamp

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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