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Windbreaker

"You can't stop the wind, but you can block it." (North Face ad)

"Then we will no longer be infants, tossed back and forth by the waves, and blown here and there by every wind of teaching and by the cunning and craftiness of people in their deceitful scheming." Ephesians 4:14

God reminds us not be pushed around...
by political winds,
by the whirls of worry,
by the doubt that drives,
and by the monsoon of misconceptions & misunderstandings.

No matter how hard we fight against it - the 'wind' will blow today and it will blow tomorrow...
until Jesus Himself appears in the clouds.
At that moment - in the hush of Truth's victory,
the winds of that great push will be forever pushed back.
And much like that moment on storm-ravaged Galilee,
Jesus will lift His hand and calm the swirling seas.
And there will be no more tossing back and forth,
no more the subtle and not-so-subtle blowing of false teaching.
That's where deceitful plans of mice & men come to a screeching halt.

On that day, what will matter most won't be...
what we did for 5 minutes in voting booth every 4 years,
or what we bought to make us happy,
or what small inconveniences caused us to go into another 'me first' tirade.

What will count in that day - is the One who helped you block the driving wind of 'nothing matters'.
What will count is the One who taught us to grow up.
What will count is our Lord & God, Jesus Christ.
If He has saved you - let Him block those dangerous winds...

"Instead, speaking the truth in love, we will grow to become in every respect the mature body of him who is the head, that is, Christ." Ephesians 4:15

"You can't stop the wind, but you can block it."

Don't buy the all-too-ready lies - speak truth. Mature in Christ - the One who blocked Satan most effectively.

Mike Anderson, Corbin, KY



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 the church in Siliquri and Naresh Chhetri and Ashok Basfor

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

Al Graff having heart and breathing problems.

Norm McGinnis wearing a heavy duty back brace for next 3-6 months

Teresa Hayward recuperating at home from a knee surgery on Friday

Garnet Lindeman having problems with nerve pain in her facial muscles

Henry Mason home now but still very weak.

Esther Crisp in SOMC with afib early in the week. Home now.

Dick Havens now at home.

Martha Oberly is now at home on Salem Road continuing treatment and therapy on her burns from



We give a special welcome to all of our guests today. If this is your first time to visit with us this year, please stop by the Welcome Center in the foyer at the conclusion of services, sign our guest register and pick up your gift for being one of our guests today.

Youth Retreat at Fort Hill

The sunshine youth retreat will be April 22-24. Anyone planning to attend needs to sign up in the foyer. The location for the retreat is at Fort Hill Christian Youth Camp. The event is free and includes all food and lodging. Registration starts Friday evening at 5:00 and the retreat ends Sunday morning at 11:00. Attendees are encouraged to bring friends. If you have any questions please see Tim.

Sympathy Extended

To the family **Darryl Pinkerton** (minister at Elm Grove) who passed on Friday. Visitation is Monday from 4-8 at Botkin Funeral Home in Waverly. Services are Tuesday at 11 am at the Elm Grove church building with one hour of visitation before the service.

Battlefield of the Mind Starts

On Sunday evenings beginning tonight, the ladies are invited to the annex for a class based on the DVD series by Joyce Meyers, Battlefield of the Mind. The class will be a combination of the DVD, bible study and some discussion. See Judi Allison or Serena Miller for details.

Added to the Body of Christ

Last Sunday **Irish Sordan** (fiancé of Shaun Young) was baptized into Christ at the Sampoloc church of Christ in Manila (Philippines). We rejoice with Irish and Shaun and their families. Some day soon we expect to have Irish living here in Minford and attending the Sunshine church.



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4/3-24	Battlefield of the Mind Class
4/8-10	Empowered to Connect Conference
4/10-13	Bob Harper at Elm Grove church
4/10-13	Phil Sanders at the Flatwoods church
4/16	Hope for Haiti's Children Breakfast
4/22-24	Youth Rally at Fort Hill
6/12-18	Teen Mission Trip
6/20-24	VBS for 2016

I am the bread of life: he that cometh to me shall never hunger; and he that believeth on me shall never thirst. John 6:35

Gospel Meeting with Phil Sanders

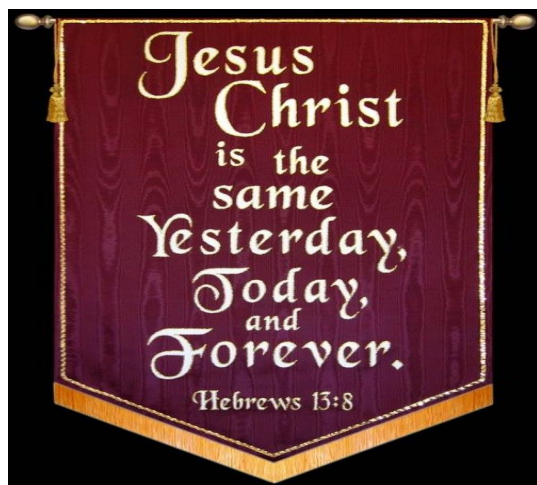
The Flatwoods church of Christ will be having Phil Sanders (the regular speaker for the TV program, In Search of the Lord's Way) to be their speaker in a gospel meeting set for April 10-13 at the Flatwoods church. See the bulletin board for details.

Possible New Elder for Sunshine

After much discussion and prayer the elders are asking the church to consider whether **Shaun McCray** should be added to the present eldership for the church. Please take the time to think about the qualifications for elder that are set forth in Titus 1 and I Timothy 3 and then apply them to Shaun. If there are no valid objections given to the elders from the congregation within the next two weeks, Shaun will be added to the eldership. Deadline for comment or objection is April 17.

"GOD BLESS YOU..."

These were the words that the people at the homeless shelter uttered when I brought the meal and blessing bags to the shelter. I wanted to pass on the gratefulness that was shared. I also wanted to share the reaction of one girl. We made 5 boy, 5 girl and 5 teen Fun Bags to go along with the Blessing Bags. When I arrived a girl was just coming on the porch and I called her over. I gave her one of the bags and explained about the items inside. Her eyes lit up, she clutched the bag to her chest, said "Thank You" and ran inside to show her mom. I called the day after I delivered since the person in charge was not there when I delivered. She said the Fun bags came at a perfect time because they got 8 more children after I left. Your donations made a difference in people's lives! Thank you! Sharon Hallom.



Food Donations

Food for the Empowered to Connect Conference--this event is this Friday and Saturday and we are going to provide meals for the attendees at lunch time. There is a list in the back for things that we need if anyone can help. If getting to the store is a problem for you and you would just like to donate some money that can be given to Heather Gragg. Any food donations need to be at the building by Wednesday night church so we can pick up whatever else is needed on Thursday.

Tributes to Mothers and Fathers

In May we have Mothers Day and we have a musical and pictorial tribute to our mothers that we present at the end of services. This year we would like to do the same for our fathers on Fathers Day in June. Starting next Sunday (April 10) after morning services, Hayes Wilcox will be available in the pulpit area to make pictures for these tributes. We can update pictures that are already included in the Mothers Day tribute and we can begin to create the pictures we need for the fathers tribute. Just a reminder, that the oldest person in each photo needs to be the father or grandfather of the rest of the people in the picture. Same is true with the mothers/grandmothers. No appointment necessary. Just plan to stay after service.

Sweet Mondays

The April Sweet Monday has been cancelled due to a scheduling conflict. The May Sweet Monday will be May 2 for the annual Sweet Mother's Day Dinner.

Those Who Serve

Sun. Morning	4/3/2016	4/10/2016	4/17/2016
Welcome	Wayne Gamp	Tom Kelley	Rich Book
Reading	Pete Kouns	Jared McCray	Roger Cooper
Midservice Prayer	Shaun McCray	Spike Ferrell	Troy Gahm
Communion	Dewey Cordle	Gabe Coriell	Jason Coriell
Sermon	Steve Miller	Steve Miller	Steve Miller
Closing Prayer	Price Gammon	Wesley Book	Johnny Beekman
Sun. Evening	4/3/2016	4/10/2016	4/17/2016
Song Leader	Rich Book	Shaun McCray	Jacob Miller
Reading	Dusty Henry	Steve Williams	Jared McCray
Communion	Derek Miller	Dale Kuhn	Aaron Kallner
Assist	Ryan Coriell	Jay Coriell	Garris Coriell
Prayer	Roger Cooper	Josh Coriell	Dewey Cordle
Wed. Evening	4/6/2016	4/13/2016	4/20/2016
Song Leader	Aaron McCray	Zach Coriell	Matthew Hoskins
Prayer	Don Ramey	Mike Gamp	Josh Coriell

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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TUMBLEVERSE

Drop the letters in the upper columns into their correct location in the grid below to reveal a familiar scripture from the New Testament. One letter in each column has been done for you. Solution to the puzzle is on page 2.

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