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What Do You Know?

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When someone says, "I don't know nearly as much as I thought I did when I was younger", what does that mean? Those who hear and misunderstand this idea may conclude that the speaker lacks convictions or that he is a moderate, sits on a fence or otherwise doesn't have the intestinal fortitude to take a position. But, at least in my case, nothing could be further from the truth. I am convinced that when God gave us the Bible, he gave us all he intended for us to know with absolute certainty. What he didn't address or the blanks in our understanding he didn't fill in are not eternally important. A Christian errs when, after filling in those blanks with his personal opinions, he imposes those opinions upon others, makes them tests of faithfulness and fellowship and, as did Diotrephes, "refuses to welcome the brothers" and "puts them out of the church" (3 John 9,10), at least the one that exists in his own mind and imagination. As Christians we must be content with the fact that there are some things that are outside our realm of understanding and outside our right to deliver a verdict. As Moses taught Israel of old "The secret things belong to the Lord our God, but the things that are revealed belong to us and to our children forever, that we may do all the words of this law" (Deuteronomy 29:29). But there are other things that are not "secret things". They are "the things that are revealed". They are the things for which we can produce book, chapter and verse for the position we hold and teach. They are the things of which we can say, "I know this is true because the Book says so." The apostle Paul reminded Timothy that "the sacred writings...are able to make you wise for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus" (2 Timothy 3:15). The "sacred writings"—the Bible, and it alone possesses that ability. Everything else is a matter of opinion.



.Prayer Concerns

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 expected to remain in SOMC until Monday or Tuesday with fluid on lungs.

John Gardner (Julie Miller's father in Jackson, MS) has suffered detachment of the retina in one of his eyes.

Steve Miller continues with chemo and radiation therapy this week. Also a CT scan at SOMC and a visit to OSU with cancer doctor on Thursday.

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

Brooke Hopkins (10 year old from Canal church) in Children's Hospital for past 6 weeks.

Garnet Lindeman having problems with nerve pain in her facial muscles

Henry Mason home now but still very weak.

Russell Gilliland (husband to Sarah) released from KDMC this week, but still suffering at home with congestive heart failure and other problems.

Good News

For the benefit of those who haven't heard as yet, **Sydney Mougey** confessed her faith in Christ and was baptized into His body on April 10 by her father, Shane. All of us here at Sunshine join in with the Mougey family and the mighty angels of heaven to celebrate the addition of another soul to the Kingdom of God.

Note: My apologies for taking so long to get this important announcement in the bulletin. Steve



Welcome To All of Our Guests

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.

Looking Ahead at Sunshine

5/1	Servants Honor Dinner 4:30 pm
5/2	Sweet Monday Mothers Day Dinner, 6:30 pm
5/4	Court House Scripture Reading, 3-5 pm
5/5	National Day of Prayer
5/8	Mothers's Day
5/29	PM Youth Service
5/30	Memorial Day Parade 11 am
6/12-18	Teen Mission Trip
6/19	Fathers' Day
6/20-24	VBS for 2016

Big News

Last Sunday morning the elders announced the addition of **Shaun McCray** as a new bishop for the Sunshine church and also **Eric Miller** and **Dale Kuhn** were officially added to our group of deacons. All of these men have shown themselves to be faithful to the Lord and willing and ready to serve. Furthermore, they satisfy the qualifications for these offices set forth by the Apostle in I Timothy 3. Let us support these men as well as those who are already serving with our prayers and our time and money as we labor together in the Kingdom.

In the News

Hannah Miller sang/played the part of the Fairy God Mother in the West High School production of Cinderella given at The Vern Riffe Center for the Arts at Shawnee State this weekend. Congratulations to Hannah and the whole cast for a wonderful performance.

Memorial Day Parade

The Minford Memorial Day Parade is set for Monday, May 30, starting at 11 am. Watch the bulletin for more details. We will be represented in the Parade with our own float, but all of us are invited by the Parade Committee to participate in the parade as individuals with our own tractors, bikes, horses, buggies, camels, alligators and any other critter that can be saddled up and ridden. Registration materials will be available in the foyer as soon as they are available to us.



Mothers' Day Tribute

Next Sunday at the conclusion of our services we will take a few minutes to show a special picture/music presentation on the big screen honoring our mothers here at Sunshine. **Today is the deadline** for submitting new or updated pictures for that presentation. If you need a new picture, you can get with Hayes Wilcox at the conclusion of this service in the pulpit area and he will take care of the picture or you can email your digital picture to Jacob Miller at jbob23@gmail.com.

Fathers' Day Tribute

We have a few more weeks to get our Fathers Day Tribute together. At the conclusion of services on Fathers' Day (June 19) we will be showing a music/video presentation honoring the fathers in our congregation. New pictures can be made after services on Sunday am by meeting Hayes Wilcox in the pulpit area or by emailing a digital picture to jbob23@gmail.com.

Sweet Mothers' Day

Sweet Mother's Day Dinner will be tomorrow at 6:30 p.m. in the annex.

Scripture Reading This Week

In conjunction with the National Day of Prayer set for May 5, 2016, there will be a week-long public reading of scripture in the rotunda of the Scioto County Court House. Sunshine is participating by reading in the rotunda from **3-5 on Wednesday, May 4**. If you are able to cover one of the half hour slots for reading, please sign up on the pad on the on the bulletin board.



Sunshine Servants Today

All you Sunshine Servants who have signed up to be part of the special program and meal this afternoon, remember it all starts at 4:30 pm. The 3rd and 4th grade class is waiting eagerly to be a servant to you this afternoon.

3rd and 4th grade class, Look!!!!

3rd and 4th graders, today we will be staying at the building all day long to prepare for the dinner. A hot dog lunch will be provided. If you do not like hot dogs feel free to bring something else quick to eat. Please bring clothes to work in during the afternoon and then you will change back into your church clothes later.

Welcome to the World!

The SOMC birthing center was busy on Thursday, April 28, with families from Sunshine. First of all, on Thursday morning **AnaLucia Jo Coriell** was born to Tim and Vanessa Coriell

and later the same day



Elise Jo Everett was born to Beth and Garin Everett weighing 8 lbs, 8 oz, and measuring 21.25 inches.

Congratulations to both families. These children that God has given you are one of His greatest blessings in life. We all are praying that God will strengthen you in the great work and opportunity that AnaLucia and Elise Jo represent. Praise the Lord!

Those Who Serve

Sun.Morning	5/1/2016	5/8/2016	5/15/2016
Welcome	Jon Coriell	Wayne Gampp	Tom Kelley
Reading	Mark Risner	Joel Shepherd	Jared McCray
Midservice	Mark Gampp	Rich Book	Spike Ferrell
Communion	Gary Glispie	Shawn Gragg	Gabe Coriell
Sermon	Jason Coriell	Jamie Riley	Steve Miller
Closing Prayer	Jacob Book	David Bradshaw	Wesley Book
Sun. Evening	5/1/2016	5/8/2016	5/15/2016
Song Leader	David Deacon	Spike Ferrell	Shaun McCray
Reader	Caleb Miller	Johnny Beekman	Steve Williams
Communion	Dale Kuhn	Aaron Kallner	Dale Kuhn
Assist	Tyler Meredith	Ed McLaughlin	Jay Coriell
Prayer	Price Gammon	Sam Williams	Josh Coriell
Wed. Evening	5/4/2016	5/11/2016	5/18/2016
Song Leader	Shawn Gragg	Zach Coriell	Matthew Hoskins
Prayer	Johnny Beekman	Derek Miller	Mike Gampp

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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A verse from Psalms 18 has been scrambled with a simple letter-substitution code below. Figure out which letters were substituted to decode the puzzle.

AVOEIOREO XUFF U ZUMO AVJGCP

DGAR AVOO, R FREB, JHRGZ AVO

VOJAVOG, JGB PUGZ NEJUPOP DGAR

AVK GJHO.

HINTS:

J=A O=N



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SOLUTION



Therefore will I give thanks unto thee, O LORD, among the
heathen, and sing praises unto thy name. - Psalms 18:49



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