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"Again, anyone who says to his brother, 'Raca,' is answerable to the Sanhedrin. But anyone who says, 'You fool!' will be in danger of the fire of hell . . . You have heard that it was said, 'Eye for eye, and tooth for tooth.' But I tell you, Do not resist an evil person. If someone strikes you on the right cheek, turn to him the other also . . . If someone forces you to go one mile, go with him two miles" (Mt. 5:22, 38-41).

A number of years ago I accessed *YouTube* to introduce my children to *The Muppet Show*. When I searched the site, the old men in the balcony, Statler and Waldorf, appeared. Someone had strung about two minutes worth of insults together. We laughed till our stomachs hurt and tears flowed. Poor Fozzy Bear who absorbed the blunt of the humor, heckling, and harassing. Such bantering was scripted and all in fun, evident by my children's reaction to the video. But in the real world such mocking is rude and lacks respect. The danger is that such incivility in the real world threatens the social fabric that weaves us together.

We live in an informal society, where people "speak their minds" at the expense of other's feelings, who address seniors by their first name instead of "Sir" or "Ma'am," and where Casual Friday includes jeans has extended to most parts of the week and social occasions. The comfortable, laid-back environment seems to allow far more intimacy, where people can be themselves. However, it also seems to spawn rudeness, disrespect, and selfishness.

We turn on the TV and the panelists on the talk shows attack each other instead of discussing the issue. The more sensitive the issue, the more passionate the panelist justify their insults. We tune into talk radio and the host of the show spends his/her three hours on air demonizing anyone who disagrees with his/her position. We open up *FaceBook* only to find angry and disruptive arguments, leaving us wondering why we're even friends with them? Without face-to-face interaction, we feel the freedom to say anything unfiltered and the result is a lack of civility in our society.



Civility on back page...



Prayers For Sunshine Family

Alma Coriell receiving hospice care from home and health improving.

Jon Coriell came home Thursday and had a doctor's appointment Friday.

Anna Cram recovering from surgery to fix cleft mouth.

Welcdonna Evans ongoing health issues.

Irmalee Gampp upcoming knee surgery July 2.

Karren Griffith is home and recovering.

Sam Griffith recovering from back surgery.

Ronnie Hardin is improving from back surgery.

Garnet Lindeman ongoing health concerns.

Kara Jo McCray in China.

Norm McGinnis still recovering.

Greg Shepherd successful knee surgery this past week. Starting therapy.

Irish Young green card meeting went well!

Shaun Young progress report is good and continuing recovering.

Special Members

Judi Allison Elbrooke room #535.

Gene and Esther Crisp Riverbend #123.

Sarah Gililand moved to Hill View, room #3223.

Ike Hardin Edgewood Manner.

Merritt and Helen Hayward are home bound.

Ruth Morris at Best Care room #10.

Prayer Requests

Jack Shepherd (Greg's Father) recuperating from surgery for an aortic aneurysm. Much improved.

David Sorrell (Stephanie Miller's brother) deployed to desert region.

Expecting Mothers

Brittany Gampp—Oct. 3

Taylor Brothers—Oct. 16

Michaela Miller—Oct. 18

Lori Devins—Dec. 17

Irish Young—Feb. 2019

Elders Meeting Together

July 2018

Meetings:

Sundays, July 15 and 22 at 5:00PM

Prayer Session:

Thursday, July 26 at 7:30PM



7/8-7/14 Church Camp
8/6-11 Scioto County Fair
10/19-21 Men's Retreat
11/2-3 Ladies Retreat
11/16-18 SpiritFest

Sunshine Church Service Info

Anonymous Prayer Request Hotline:
Text **94706** & **your request** to the phone
22333

Sunday Morning Live Streaming: <http://media.sunshine-church.com> or <http://sunshinecofc.sermon.net>

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.

Gluten Free Communion Available

We have gluten free communion available for anyone who needs it. It can be found at the Welcome Center. You can simply pick it up before the services or on your way into the auditorium.

VBS 2018 Video Review

After both morning sessions, we'll be playing the annual VBS video review for 2018.

Please stick around for a few minutes after the closing prayer to enjoy it!

Donation Give-Away

We are planning to have a “free” yard sale at the building on Friday, August 10th. Please be collecting your “gently-used” clothing and household items as you declutter this summer, but do not bring your items to the church building until Wednesday, August 8th. We will have tables labeled at that time where you can sort and place the items that you bring. Thank you!

Coming Soon

Jacob Miller will be presenting a demonstration on how to use the Anonymous Prayer Request Hotline. Date to be determined. General prayer concerns should be sent to the office via email, phone, or Facebook.

Get Registered For Church Camp!!

It's time to start thinking about registering for Church Camp at Fort Hill! Our camp dates are July 8-14! Any questions see Shaun or Lisa McCray.

Berry Wedding

Sean Berry and his fiancé, Ciara, invite the Sunshine Family to attend their West Point Wedding on July 28, 2018. They will be residing in Fort Rucker, Alabama until he completes flight school training on the “Blackhawk”. See the bulletin board for wedding details.

Sean and Ciara Berry
2823 Brad Way
Enterprise, AL 36330

Men's Class In July

Dave Deacon will be teaching a men's class on how to prepare a Bible class/lesson this coming July. He has prepared four Wednesday night lessons for men.

Blood Drive

American Red Cross will be having a blood drive here at Sunshine this Saturday, July 7 from 9:00am-2:30pm. Please bring photo id or donor card. Any questions please contact Kathleen Kuhn.

Road Closure

Friday, July 13, State Route 335 will be closed for the day.

Jerry & Lynn Jones Presents



A Seminar Coming to Sunshine Church of Christ • March 24-27, 2019

Family Bible Time

Week 27 Text:

July 1—Lesson 156 2 Samuel 18

June 4—Lesson 157 2 Samuel 19

Week 28 Text:

2 Samuel 20-21 & 22

Ray of Hope

*A one minute spiritual inspirational message
Airing on The MIX 99.3 WNXT every morning
6:00-10:00 am and from 2:00-6:00 pm
(also on Saturdays from 10:00 am – 2:00 pm)*

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Those Who Serve

<u>Sun. Morning</u>	<u>7/1/2018</u>	<u>7/8/2018</u>	<u>7/15/2018</u>
Welcome	Jon Coriell	Wayne Gamp	Tom Kelley
Midservice Prayer	Eric Meredith	Derek Miller	Shane Mougey
Communion	Gabe Coriell	Josh Coriell	Rick Coriell
Reading	Jeff Vanatta	Sam Williams	Steve Williams
Closing Prayer	Johnny Beekman	Dale Kuhn	Jared McCray
<u>Sun. Evening</u>	<u>7/1/2018</u>	<u>7/8/2018</u>	<u>7/15/2018</u>
Song Leader	Greg Ferrell	Mark Gamp	Wayne Gamp
Reading	Braden Foster	Mike Gamp	Dusty Henry
Communion	Jacob Book	Jordan Book	Aaron McCray
Assist	Garris Coriell	Jay Coriell	David Bradshaw
Prayer	Troy Gahm	Price Gammon	Mike Gamp
<u>Wed. Evening</u>	<u>7/4/2018</u>	<u>7/11/2018</u>	<u>7/18/2018</u>
Song Leader	Shawn Gragg	Matthew Hoskins	Shaun McCray
Prayer	Shaun Young	Spike Ferrell	Roger Cooper

Regular Service Times

Sunday

Early Worship - 8:15 am

Late Worship - 10:00 am

Bible Study - 6:30 p.m

Wednesday

Bible Study - 7:30 p.m.

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Civility from page 1...

Do we get along with people? Are we being neighborly? How fast do we seek retaliation instead of forgiveness? Do we respect boundaries and are boundaries enforced? Are we a people characterized by decent behavior in all situations? Civility is about public restraint, by controlling ourselves for the greater good of the community. Without civility, society leads to civil unrest, and chaos soon follows, and the fabric holding us together ends up frayed.

Jesus addressed civility when he spoke of turning the other cheek, avoiding name calling, blessing those who curse you, widening the definition of "neighbor," and forgiving those though they were executing him. Even "shaking the dust off one's feet" was a civil way of leaving an uncivil environment. So discipleship forces us to act with civility even when those around us are uncivil.

Have we lost civility? If not, it's almost gone. If civility is restored to our society, it will only happen when people of faith begin acting like people of faith. When we treat everyone with dignity and respect, we'll begin restoring civility. When we engage others with listening ears, we'll begin restoring civility. When we stop making blanket statement on groups and try to understand individual plights, we'll begin restoring civility. When we start adopting Jesus' policy of love and shut down the rhetoric of hate, we'll begin restoring civility.

Soli Deo Gloria!

Have a wonderful day! :)