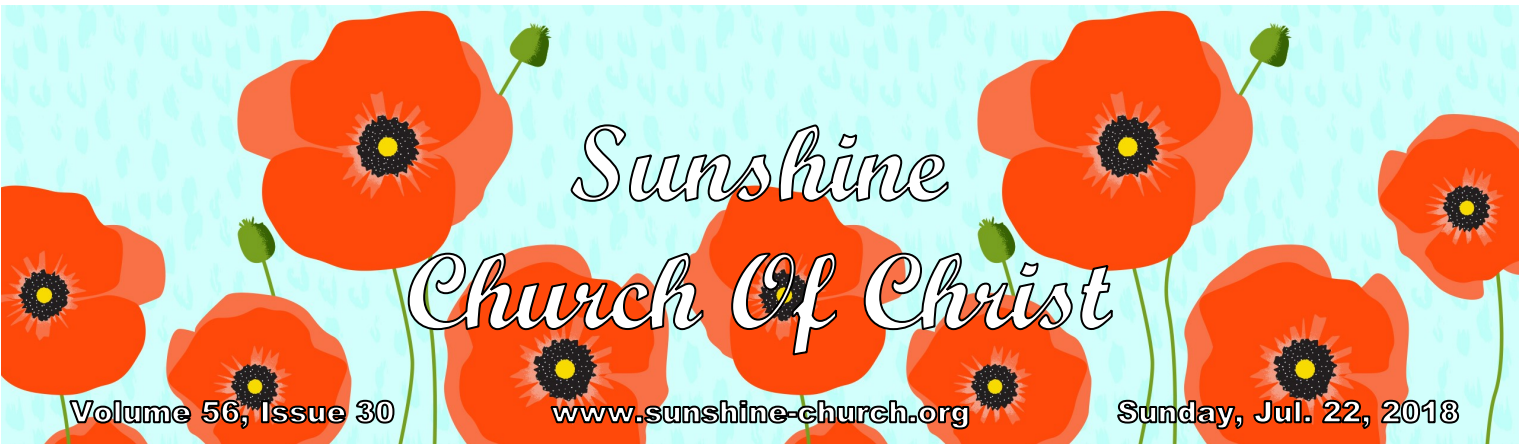




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Jon Coriell	820-6145
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Rick Coriell	935-0717
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The bad stopped playing “hide-n-seek;”

No longer does evil try to conceal itself;
Positioning itself through propaganda and marketing,
The worst of society has come out loud and clear,
But can we Start Finding the Good?

We step into the church hoping to find the pure, the just, and the holy;
We expect that Christians are actually acting like Christ.
But we find that the difference between the world and the church is a thin line,
We find too much of the world’s thinking has crept into the church.
So we’re left to wonder, is there any way we can Start Finding the Good?

We listen to the message hoping to hear good news;
Why does it seem like all we hear about is the bad news?
All we hear about is Nadab and Abihu struck down by God for offering “strange fire,”
Or Ananias and Sapphira facing a similar fate for lying to the Holy Spirt.
Why can’t we Start Finding the Good?

We’re told about two roads,
One leads to life and the other to death.
I don’t want to be on the road to death,
But why does the road to life feel like death?
Surely, one of the roads opens the way to Start Finding the Good?

My week is full of my own sin, failure, struggles, and hopelessness,
I can’t do the right because I keep doing the wrong.
I come to worship God in dreaming of discovering forgiveness and grace,
But when I awake, I am reminded of how God cannot love me.
I don’t know if I can ever Start Finding the Good.

They say the glass is half empty,
And the only thing you see at church is the bad.
But what if the glass could be half full?
Your eyes are suddenly opened to God’s work;
And maybe we can Start Finding the Good.

Jesus never came to condemn you, me or the world.
We were doing a pretty good job of that on our own.
Jesus came to save you, me and the world,
He paid the price for all mankind for all time.
It makes me want to Start Finding the Good.

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Prayers For Sunshine Family

Alma Coriell receiving hospice care from home and health improving. Enjoys visitors.

Jon Coriell medicated for A-fib. Ablation is Aug. 27.

Irmalee Gampp home and recovering from knee replacement surgery.

Jerry Gampp had three heart stints last week to alleviate blockage in arteries.

Sawyer Grashel dislocated his knee at camp. Receiving physical therapy.

Karren Griffith is home and recovering.

Sam Griffith recovering from back surgery.

Ronnie Hardin is improving from back surgery.

Garnet Lindeman ongoing health concerns.

Norm and Faye McGinnis both dealing with sickness this past week.

Eden Meredith going to Children's Hospital for surgery Aug. 9.

Greg Shepherd receiving therapy and doing better.

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

Marvin Klinker (Sharon Gampp's brother in law) in addition to sepsis, he has now developed pneumonia.

Roger Blackburn (friend of Jim Jacob's) is in SOMC after bypass surgery.

Pray for an individual who is working with Tyler Meredith, who's brother was murdered.

Family of **Jimitri Green**, member of Commerce Texas Church of Christ, lost 2 year old son.

Expecting Mothers

Brittany Gampp—Oct. 3 ✕ Taylor Brothers—Oct. 16

Michaela Miller—Oct. 18 ✕ Keira Deacon—Nov.

Lori Devins—Dec. 17 ✕ Irish Young—Feb. 2019



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.

Congratulations!

Vanessa Coriell was baptized Tuesday, July 17 by Mike Coriell.

Elders Meeting Together

July 2018

Meetings:

Sundays, July 22 at 5:00PM

Prayer Session:

Thursday, July 26 at 7:30PM

Donation Give-Away

We are planning to have a “free” yard sale at the building on Friday, August 10. 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 8. 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.

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

Friends and Family Day 2018

Second Annual Friends and Family Day will be September 9, 2018 at Noble Family Farms. More details to come.

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.



Jerry & Lynn Jones Presents



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

Family Bible Time

Week 30 Text:

July 22—Lesson 163 1 Kings 1

July 25—Lesson 164 1 Kings 2

Week 31 Text:

1 Kings 3

1 Kings 4

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)*

A Ministry of Jon Partlow & the Sunshine Church of Christ

Those Who Serve

<u>Sun. Morning</u>	<u>7/22/2018</u>	<u>7/29/2018</u>	<u>8/5/2018</u>
Welcome	Shaun McCray	Rich Book	Don Coriell
Midservice Prayer	Mark Risner	David Deacon	Jason Foster
Communion	Ryan Coriell	Shawn Gragg	Dale Kuhn
Reading	Shaun Young	Johnny Beekman	Jacob Book
Closing Prayer	Eric Meredith	Derek Miller	Shane Mougey
<u>Sun. Evening</u>	<u>7/22/2018</u>	<u>7/29/2018</u>	<u>8/5/2018</u>
Song Leader	Shawn Gragg	Matthew Hoskins	Aaron McCray
Reading	James Jacobs Sr.	Aaron Kallner	Pete Kouns
Communion	Jeff Vannatta	Sam Williams	David Bradshaw
Assist	Adam Cordle	James Hallam	Eli Cordle
Prayer	Tim Gampp	Jacob Miller	Spike Ferrell
<u>Wed. Evening</u>	<u>7/25/2018</u>	<u>8/1/2018</u>	<u>8/8/2018</u>
Song Leader	Caleb Miller	Matthew Partlow	Zach Coriell
Prayer	Jason Coriell	Josh Coriell	Rick Coriell

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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Good from front page....

So here I am leaving this highway to hell forever,
 Instead I am climbing the stairway to heaven.
 And along this journey, I'll stop magnifying or the bad, the negative, and anger.
 I'll no longer minimize the right, the positive and the love.
 I'll Start Finding the Good.

I'll Start Finding the Good when I open God's word,
 Looking for God's grace, mercy and steadfast loyalty.
 I'll Start Finding the Good when encountering God's people,
 Extending compassion, kindness, gentleness and goodness.
 I'll Start Finding the Good.

Soli Deo Gloria!

This poem is an attempt at the "couplets" where the first and second lines are repeat themes. This was a common practice in Hebrew poetry. JAP



Have a wonderful day! :)