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The Extent Of God's Mercy

For how long will God be merciful? How far does God's mercy go? How can finite man answer such a question about an infinite God? The depth of God's love is expressed in the statement "God is love" (1 Jn. 4:8, 16). How can we understand God's capacity to love?

Such is the case with God's mercy. God is not just merciful, God is "the Father of mercies..." (2 Cor. 1:3). The Psalmist states, "His mercy is everlasting," (Ps. 100:5).

We should be extremely thankful that God's mercy is not limited to the degree to which human beings commonly limit their mercy. If God extended mercy to us with the limits that most of us extend mercy to others, virtually none of us would have any hope!

Think about God's willingness to be merciful. We all sin (Rom. 3:23). The consequence of our sin is spiritual death (Rom. 6:23). Yet God is continually ready to forgive, as long as we are ready to repent (Prov. 28:13).

He did not place a limit on how many sins He would forgive before we used up all of His mercy. We need to be ready to extend that much mercy to those whom we deal with in our life.

While God's mercy is everlasting, the time that we have to fall upon His mercy is limited by our time on this earth. We live but a few years in this world. The scriptures are clear that our time to repent and take advantage of God's mercy ends when our days on this earth end.

The time for humanity as a whole clearly seems to come to an end when Christ returns on the final judgment (2 Thess. 1:7-9). It is not God's will that any should die unforgiven, in a state of spiritual condemnation. But He has warned us that there will come a day on which He will bring life on this earth to an end (2 Pet. 3:9-10).

If we face the moment of our death unprepared, unrepentant, the fault is all ours. If we face our Lord before His judgment seat (2 Cor. 5:10) unprepared, we can only blame ourselves. God's love is such that He is ready to forgive us anytime we are ready to properly seek

His forgiveness. At baptism, the blood that Christ shed on the cross will cleanse us of the guilt of all of our sins (Acts 22:16). If we have slipped back into sin after having been cleansed in the waters of baptism, we can repent and seek God's forgiveness in prayer (Acts 8:22).

God's mercy is limitless, as long as we are ready to take advantage of it. But we must act.

God is ready to forgive, He wants to forgive, but we must properly seek His forgiveness. If we will do so, God in His mercy will forgive us and reserve a home in Heaven for us...

God Loves You and We Love You Too

Prayer Request

Kristine Coriell Please be praying for her as she recovers at home.

Esther & Gene Crisp Please keep them in your prayers.

Kathy Easter (Friend of Dale Kuhn) Please pray that the treatment she's receiving will be successful to heal her without surgery.

Marleigh Gilbert 4 yr.old battling leukemia. She is in St.Judes Hosp. for treatment. Please pray for her recovery.

Connie Salisbury Goble (Friend of Regina Kuhn) Please pray for her recovery. She is in the hospital very seriously ill with Covid.

Mr & Mrs Glispie (Gary's Parents) Please pray for God's peace and comfort to surround them and bless those caring for them.

Peggy Hollback Please continue praying she will be blessed with better health.

Jim Jacobs Please pray for God to strengthen, comfort and give him peace.

Kim Woods (Gary Glispie's Sister) Please continue to pray for God's healing.

***Please remember all the families having loved ones suffering with Covid, and also for protection of the caregivers.**

Judi Allison Elbrooke Room #535

Esther & Gene Crisp Randall Res. #123

Sarah Gilliland Hillview Room #213

Helen Hayward Homebound

Please, Pray for our nation.

Elders Meeting

Sunday, October 3



Sunshine Teen Work Camp - Oct. 23

**Sunshine Ladies Retreat - Nov.12 & 13
@ Howell's Mill**

Sunday Morning Live Streaming Links:

<https://sunshinecofc.church/sermon-media>
<https://sunshinecofc.sermon.net>

Welcome To All of Our Guests

Thank you for coming. Please come back!

Gluten Free Communion Available

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

We Are Glad You Are Here!

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### **KID'S Club**

**\*Kids Pre-K - 6th grade, each Wednesday Evening. Kid's Club will be the Wednesday Evening Bible class. It includes a short & fun video reviewing the lesson taught on Sunday. Come join us!**

**\*Ladies Wednesday Night Bible Class taught by Nola Kelley**

**Please read:**

**John 3**

**We'll meet in the annex.**

**Come Join Us!**

**SUNSHINE CHURCH of CHRIST**  
**We Invite You To Join Us**  
**Sunday Morning 10:00 AM**  
**Sunday Eve. Class 6:00 PM**  
**Wednesday Evening 7:00 PM**  
**You may also call 855-565-7670**  
**to hear the lessons by phone.**

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Please pray for God to watch over all the
Students and Teachers.
Bless them with a wonderful year.
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**Good News To Share!**  
Julia Gragg was baptized into Christ  
Monday Evening. Praise God!  
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Attention Sunshine Members:
Call-Em-All-Update
Please review the list posted on the
glass in the foyer. Please place a check
mark if the number by your name is
correct, also add other numbers that
need included. We would like numbers
for everyone that has a phone in your
family. *Please make corrections as
needed.
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**Gospel Meeting**  
**@ Rio Grande Church of Christ**  
**October 4-6 7:00 PM**  
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Gospel Meeting
@ Flatwoods Church of Christ
October 17-21
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### **Bridal Shower**

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Please join us for a Wedding Shower  
Honoring Kathryn Widdig & Alex Coriell  
Saturday, October 16 1:00 pm  
@ Sunshine Church of Christ  
Please RSVP by Oct.11 to June B.  
(740-727-2689)  
The couple is registered at Amazon,  
Walmart, Kohl's and Belk

### **What's Your Name?**

The Indians used to give their  
children the name they earned.  
So, their daughter may be called  
Laughing Water, Sunshine or Timid  
One.

A son might be called Running Feet,  
Wise Owl, or Black Hawk.

Suppose God gave His children the  
name they earned. Some would be  
Helping Hand, Faithful Teacher,  
Lively Stone, or Generous Heart.  
But on the other hand there could be  
some that would have names such  
as Unreliable, Worldly Minded, Never  
Attend, Evil Tongue, or Luke Warm.

If God gave your name according to  
your Christianity,  
What would your name be?

Via Livingston, Tenn.

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The October Item is
Disposable Razors
For Mid Western Children's Home
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## **Family Bible Time**

### **Who Flies The Kite?**

"I" said the boy, "It's my joy; I fly the kite."  
"I" said the wind; "It's my whim; I fly the kite."  
"I" said the string; "I fly the kite."  
"I" said the tail; "I make it sail; I fly the kite."  
All are wrong ... All are right. All fly the kite.  
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"The body is a unit, though it is made up of
many parts; and though all its parts are many
they form one body. So it is with Christ."

1 Corinthians 12:12

It takes every member to be complete.

Those Who Serve

Sunday Morning	10/03/2021	10/10/2021	10/17/2021
Worship Leader	Shaun McCray	Zach Coriell	Shaun McCray
Scripture Reading	PJ Glauder	John Oesch	Tucker Kirk
Prayer	Jason Foster	Roger Cooper	Justin Spengler
Communion	Price Gammon	Gabe Coriell	Mike Gamp
Message	Jamie Riley	Jamie Riley	Jamie Riley
Announcements //			
Prayer	Shaun McCray	Rich Book	Wayne Gamp
Sunday Evening	10/03/2021	10/10/2021	10/17/2021
Worship Leader	Matthew Partlow	Jacob Bowe	Jared McCray
Communion	Garris Coriell	Ryan Coriell	Rick Coriell



Sunday Worship - 10:00 am
Bible Study - 6:00 pm

Wednesday Bible Study - 7:00 pm

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Howell's Mill Christian Assembly

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We have been given a \$50K matching gift pledge from Sept to December 2021 in memory of Alice Bartley. A fuller article is in our newsletter and a snapshot below shares the heart of this gift. If you love and support our ministry, consider making a gift this fall that will be doubled! Because we know everyone doesn't give the same way, there are 4 ways you can give. 1). Easytithe Online <https://app.easytithe.com/app/giving/hmca> 2). Venmo HMCA by scanning the QR code picture below 3). Text Giving to the number on the picture below or 4). Send a paper check to HMCA.

Have a wonderful day!