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Feed Your Soul

Satan is real, and he knows how to keep humans preoccupied with things that ultimately don't matter much.

Humans spend countless hours enjoying things like sports, crafts, and various hobbies. While these things are not wrong in-and-of themselves, they can often take our focus away from things of eternal importance. Sadly, in our culture these activities are so popular that most Christians never question them or consider how much time they devote to such activities. As a result, many Christians are physically fit and talented at their hobbies, but they are starving spiritually. What is it that truly satisfies you? Sadly, many congregations feed this problem. Rather than digging deeper into the Word congregations will plan fluffy and fun activities that entertain. Rather than feeding the flock, a few elderships have become masters at entertaining the flock and keeping them busy. All the while their congregations get spiritually weaker as souls starve for the Word.

Here's what we intend to teach our Brethren regarding feeding their souls. One of the toughest things I can teach you is how to "stand." In discussing putting on the whole armor of God,

Paul wrote, "Therefore take up the whole armor of God, that you may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand. Stand therefore..." (Ephesians 6:13-14).

Paul stressed the importance of being able to stand. My job is to teach you how to stand, even when culture is trying to push you in a different direction. There will be many times in your life that you feel like a salmon swimming upstream going against current, while all the other fish are swimming downstream.

Your friends may fill their lives up with sports activities or become obsessed with hobbies.

Stand—and feed your soul.

God did not create you to simply be on this planet to have fun.

Many people try to fill the void in their life with hobbies and entertainment.

But the only thing that can truly fill you is when you feed your soul.

If you find your life too busy please get into His Word and grow. I hear many sermons and many people talking about getting into God's Word—but few actually take the time to dig deeply. Spend time observing God's creation and praising Him. Spend time reflecting on how small you are in the grand scheme of things and give God thanks.

Spend time evaluating your life, areas you fall short, and confess these weaknesses to Him.

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Prayer Requests

Dick Coriell (Rick's Dad) Please keep him and his family in your prayers. He is suffering with multiple health problems.

Esther & Gene Crisp Please keep them in your prayers.

Christi Davis (Tamara Harris Sister) Please be praying for her to have better health.

Cricket Francisco (Tamara's Sister) She broke her ankle. Please pray for healing.

Marleigh Gilbert 4 yr.old battling leukemia. Please continue prayers for her recovery.

Penny Gilliland Please keep her in your prayers as she goes through treatment.

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

Vicki Harlow Please pray for God's healing for her.

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

Cheryl Lemon Please pray she'll have better health And strength for Mike as he cares for her.

Jeff Lemon He is doing much better. Please continue praying for his recovery. He has been moved into stepdown. He is expected to be moved to a rehab place for PT when discharged from the hospital.

Barbara Martin (Penny's Cousin) Please be praying her cancer has not returned.

Delores Potters A friend of many here is in great need of prayer and God's healing. She has multiple cancer sites. Please be praying for her.

Tim Tackett (Friend of Tamara Harris) please be praying for his healing of lung cancer.

Michelle Voglesong (Tamara's Niece) Going through cancer treatments. Please pray for her treatment to be successful.

Judi Allison	At Home
Marie Coriell	Elbrooke Room #506
Esther & Gene Crisp	Randall Res. #123
Sarah Gilliland	Hillview Room #213
Helen Hayward	Homebound



Minford Memorial Day Parade - May 30, 11:00

Deacons Pancake Breakfast - June 5

VBS - June 6-10 6:00 - 8:15 pm

Church Camp - July 10-15

Children's Day Camp - July 11-14 10:00-1:00

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 pick it up before the services on your way into the auditorium.

We Are Glad You Are Here!

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.

Congratulations Brandon & Emme!
Welcome Baby Julian Timothy!
Born May 12, Weighing 7lbs.1oz.

Congratulations Jacob & Michaela
And Big Sister Adeline!
Welcome Baby Daniel Evan!
Born May 13, Weighing 8lbs.2oz.

*Ladies Wednesday Night Bible Class:
We're studying **Women of the Bible**,
This week we will study about
Mary Magdalene
Please read: Luke 8:1-3, Luke 24:1-12
John 20:11-18
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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Coming Soon!

Sunshine Vacation Bible School

June 6-10 6:00 - 8:15 Each evening

MONUMENTAL

Celebrating GOD'S Greatness

If you would like to help with VBS in any way  
please let Brittney know. It's just 3 weeks away.

\*On Friday Evening of VBS, we will start with  
dinner and then have games for families to  
play. Plan to come enjoy the fun!

If you have questions, please let Brittney know.

Please be praying for us to teach about The  
Great God to the children He blesses us with.

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Church Camp Registration is Open

Sunshine's Camp Week is July 10-15

www.howellsmill.org to register

Please see Shaun or Lisa for more
Information or questions about camp.

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Howells Mill Pack The Pantry 2022 Item is  
3"Chlorine Tabs & Round Up Weed Killer. If you  
would like to donate please leave items at the  
Welcome Center by June 1 or to donate money  
please designate for Howells Mill, and drop it in  
the offering box.

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Sunshine Day Camp

Ages 3-7 years old

July 11-14 10:00am - 1:00pm

Bible Lessons, Singing, Crafts, & Games
Lunch Provided

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We give a special "Thank You to Lady Bug  
Greenhouse" for the donation of flowers for our  
large planter in the front. And to the special  
lady that planted every one of them!  
Thank You!

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Minford Memorial Day Parade will be Monday,
May 30 @ 11:AM. Plan to come help us honor
the military personnel that died while serving
the U.S. armed forces.

"OUR SUNSHINE 2022" HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

Levi Coriell - Minford
Cayden Cronin - Minford
Samantha Gampp - Minford
Kyle Glispie - Valley
Hayden Henthorn - Minford
Zane Miller - Minford

*You are invited to a graduation party honoring
Zane Miller, May 28 @ 5:00 at his home.
His address is: 60 Bull Run Rd.
Minford, OH 45653

The May Item for Midwestern is
Peanut Butter
For Mid Western Children's Home

Thank You So Much For Your Kindness

Family Bible Time

ADULT CLASSES WEEK OF May 22

*Sunday Evening Auditorium

1 John - Wayne Gampp

*Wednesday Evening Auditorium

1 Kings 1-11 (Solomon) - Jeff Vannatta

*Wednesday Evening Ladies Class

Women of the Bible - June Book
Luke 8:1-3, 24:1-12, John 20:11-18
(Mary Magdalene)

*Men's Class - James Group- Rm. #8

Those Who Serve

Sunday Morning	05/22/2022	05/29/2022	06/05/2022
Worship Leader	Jared McCray	Shaun McCray	Zach Coriell
Scripture Reading	Justin Spengler	Ethan Beekman	Jesse Tunnel
Prayer	Mark Gampp	Troy Gahm	Jeff Hayward
Communion	Eli Cordle	Gabe Coriell	Aaron Kallner
Message	Jamie Riley	Jamie Riley	Jamie Riley
Announcements //			
Prayer	Shaun McCray	Rich Book	Jon Coriell
Sunday Evening	05/22/2022	05/29/2022	06/05/2022
Worship Leader	Jacob Bowe	Dave Deacon	Nick Davis
Communion	Jeff Vannatta	Josh Coriell	Eli Cordle



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

Wednesday Bible Study - 7:00 pm

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Spend time meditating on heaven and spending eternity with Him. Spend more time in prayer, allowing Jesus to intercede on your behalf. Spend time lamenting on those who are sick or suffering and look for ways to help them.

In other words, feed your soul!

Let me encourage you, set aside the media that is trying to invade your lives and fellowship with others. Sit around a table with some friends and enjoy fellowshiping with them.

Take meals to those who are shut-in or sick. Spend time sitting with them or listening to them talk about "the good old days." Turn off the television and open up for Bible studies.

In other words, feed your soul.

Look for ways to do good to others. Reach out to those who may be hurting financially. Join hands with those who are building homes for the less fortunate. Take time to do mission work. Get out and knock-doors or teach when you see a need or when the Elders direct you to do so.

Feed your soul.

I should caution you that if you heed my advice you will find hobbies and sports do not fulfill you the way they used to—your heart will long for something more. You will crave real connections and activities that have a deeper purpose. You will begin to look at things differently.

You will be actively living the life Christ intended you to live!

So, look for ways to feed your soul.

God Loves You and We Love You Too

Have a wonderful day!