

# Sunshine Church Of Christ



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Sunday, May 29, 2022

## Elders

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| Rich Book    | 820-3213 |
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| Wayne Gampp  | 820-3444 |
| Shaun McCray | 935-9701 |

## Deacons

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| Gabe Coriell  | 464-2343 |
| Josh Coriell  | 981-6717 |
| Rick Coriell  | 935-0717 |
| Ryan Coriell  | 464-8646 |
| Zach Coriell  | 981-7758 |
| Dave Deacon   | 357-3840 |
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| Aaron Kallner | 285-0738 |
| Eric Miller   | 820-4944 |
| Eugene Risner | 820-2256 |
| Mark Risner   | 820-2948 |

## Minister

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| Jamie Riley | 935-7812 |
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## Youth Minister

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## Winning The Battle Against Temptation

I do so with Christ's authority for your benefit, so that Satan will not outsmart us. For we are familiar with his evil schemes. —2 Corinthians 2:10-11

Have you ever been simply humming along as a Christian, doing well, when all of a sudden you're barraged with an onslaught of spiritual attacks? You find yourself facing everything from trials of doubts to heavy-duty temptations.

You wonder what's happening, and you'd like all of it to just stop. You'd like to find a little foxhole to crawl into. It's called spiritual warfare, and you're in the heat of the battle.

As Christians, we need to understand that we will move either forward or backward in the spiritual battle. If we are true followers of Jesus Christ, then we will face spiritual warfare.

We have an enemy, the devil, who moves in relatively predictable patterns. It may surprise you to know that Satan uses the same tactics year after year, decade after decade, generation after generation, century after century. He doesn't really change up what he does.

It has been said, "A good general must penetrate the brain of his enemy." Our enemy is the devil, and the Bible says that we need to know about his strategies and deceits. We need to know what he is thinking and what he is up to.

The devil is so cunning because first he fires an arrow at us, and then he condemns us for being hit. It isn't a sin to be tempted. The sin of temptation is not in the bait; it is in the bite. If you refuse the temptation, you have successfully passed the test. As one person said, "I can't stop a bird from flying over my head, but I can stop it from building a nest in my hair."

We need to reject temptation. We can't stop it from coming into our minds, but we don't have to invite it in.

In the spiritual battle, you're either losing ground or gaining it.

God Loves You and We Love You Too

## 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 is expected to be moved to a rehab place for PT when discharged from the hospital.

**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.

**Frelon Sparks Sr.** Please pray for his healing of a severe hip problem.

**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.

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| Judi Allison        | At Home            |
| Marie Coriell       | Elbrooke Room #506 |
| Esther & Gene Crisp | Randall Res. #123  |
| Sarah Gilliland     | Hillview Room L306 |
| 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.

\*Ladies Wednesday Night Bible Class: We're studying Women of the Bible, This week we will study about Martha Please read: Luke 10 & John 11

We'll meet in the annex.  
Come Join Us!

Please share your prayer concerns  
with your Elders.  
They are always ready to help.

## 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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**VBS WOW! It's Next Week!**

**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 1 week away.

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

If you have questions, please let Brittney know.

We will also need LOTS of COOKIES!

Please sign up at the Welcome Center.

Please be praying for a successful week!

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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**

**On line registration available soon.**

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**Minford Memorial Day Parade** will be tomorrow,  
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**

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**CONGRATULATIONS  
TO ALL OUR  
GRADUATES!**

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**"Where God guides, He provides."  
Isaiah 58:11**

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**

**Romans 11 - Jamie Riley**

**\*Wednesday Evening Ladies Class**

**Women of the Bible - June Book  
Luke 10 & John 11 (Martha)**

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

# Those Who Serve

| <b>Sunday Morning</b> | <b>05/29/2022</b> | <b>06/05/2022</b> | <b>06/12/2022</b> |
|-----------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Worship Leader        | Shaun McCray      | Zach Coriell      | Jared McCray      |
| Scripture Reading     | Ethan Beekman     | Jesse Tunnel      | Wes Lyon          |
| Prayer                | Troy Gahm         | Jeff Hayward      | Derek Miller      |
| Communion             | Gabe Coriell      | Aaron Kallner     | Rich Book         |
| Message               | Dave Deacon       | Jamie Riley       | Jamie Riley       |
| Announcements //      |                   |                   |                   |
| Prayer                | Rich Book         | Jon Coriell       | Shaun McCray      |
| <b>Sunday Evening</b> | <b>05/29/2022</b> | <b>06/05/2022</b> | <b>06/12/2022</b> |
| Worship Leader        | Dave Deacon       | Nick Davis        | Zach Coriell      |
| Communion             | Josh Coriell      | Eli Cordle        | Josh Coriell      |
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**Sunday** Worship - 10:00 am  
Bible Study - 6:00 pm

**Wednesday** Bible Study - 7:00 pm

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## Is Sin Ready to Pounce?

"Sin is crouching at the door, eager to control you. But you must subdue it and be its master." — Genesis 4:7

Sin is like a wild beast in our lives, ready to pounce. Cain, for example, was angry that his offering was rejected by God, but his brother's offering was accepted.

God warned him, saying, "You will be accepted if you do what is right.

But if you refuse to do what is right, then watch out!

Sin is crouching at the door, eager to control you. But you must subdue it and be its master" (Genesis 4:7).

God was effectively saying, "You'd better get control over this Cain, or it will get the best of you."

Clearly, Cain had not been doing well up to this point. And ultimately he gave in to sin and killed his brother.

Sin is at our doors, too. The devil is looking for vulnerabilities in our lives. He is looking for weaknesses. The devil is looking for ways to take us down.

That is why the Bible warns us not to give the devil any room. Ephesians 4:26 says, "Don't sin by letting anger control you. Don't let the sun go down while you are still angry, for anger gives a foothold to the devil" (Ephesians 4:26–27).

You don't make deals with the devil; you keep your distance from him.

Don't underestimate the devil. Don't leave a foothold for sin in your life.

You don't make deals with the devil!

Have a wonderful day!