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Philippians 2:12-13

“Wherefore, my beloved, as ye have always obeyed, not as in my presence only, but now much more in my absence, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling. For it is God which works in you both to will and to do of his good purpose.

WHOEVER READS THE WRITINGS OF Christians from earlier centuries is struck with the frequent references to God's providence. Why don't we hear more about it today? What imp sneaked in and stole this good word from our twenty-first century vocabulary? The spirit of naturalism that views all events in nature as ruled by independent natural forces has left its mark on our generation. Too bad. We would do well to reintroduce this grand word to our tongues as well as to our young. While Paul was addressing those sophisticated people on Mars Hill, he spoke of providence when he stated "**in him we live and move and exist**" ([Acts 17:28](#)). Our God not only struck the spark that gave you and me life, He continues to prompt each heartbeat in every chest every second of every minute. And what He does for us as individuals He does for the vast universe about us. Furthermore, what God creates, God sustains. Not only does He number the hairs on our heads, He determines the days of our lives. In doing so, He weaves *everything* together into His design. Ultimately, the tapestry of His handiwork will be something to behold! Let me urge you to remove three words from your vocabulary as you add *providence*. They are chance, fate, and luck. Those shallow terms suggest that there are blind, impersonal, and spontaneous forces at work in the ranks of humanity. *Not!* Only One is at work, as the apostle has written in the above verses from Philippians. So, take heart. God is in full control. Nothing is happening on earth that brings a surprise to heaven. Nothing touches us that has not first passed through the fingers of His hands. Nothing is outside the scope of His divine radar screen, as He guides us safely home.

Chuck Swindoll

Prayer Requests

Penny Ball Please continue prayers for her.

Dick Book (Rich's Dad) Please keep him in your prayers

Esther Crisp Please keep her in your prayers.

Gregg Ferrell Please continue praying for him to regain his health, and for his family during this time.

His new address: The Pavilion at Piketon

Rm. # C26

7143 US 23, Piketon, OH.45661

Price Gammon Sr. (Price's Uncle)

Please remember him in your prayers.

Anne Gampp Please continue praying for her.

Mark Gampp Please continue prayers for his recovery from surgery and strength through his treatment.

Marleigh Gilbert (Cousin to Jon & Don) She has made so much progress. Please keep her in your prayers.

PJ Glauder Please keep him in your prayers as he goes through treatment again.

Sharon Hardin Please be praying for her to have a blessing of comfort, strength and peace.

Teresa Hayward We'll continue praying. Hoping you feel better soon

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

Terese Jones Please keep her in your prayers that she will heal from surgery and ease her pain as she recovers.

Nola Kelley Her health is not good at this time. Please keep her in your prayers. Nola will be staying with her Granddaughter Amanda while she recuperates.

Her address: 1331 5th St.

Wheelersburg, OH. 45694

Esther Crisp

Sarah Gilliland

Helen Hayward

The Courtyard Rm. #106

Hillview Room L306

Homebound

**Please pray for our Country
And our World**



Fall Home Groups - Oct.13-27(Sun. Evenings)

Sunshine Chili Cook Off - Nov.2, 5:00 PM

(Apple Cider Making - 4:00 PM)

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're welcome to pick it up before services on your way into the auditorium.

We Are So Glad You Are Here!

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KID'S Club

Kids Pre-K - 6th Grade

Wednesday Evening Bible Class.
It includes a short & fun video reviewing the lesson taught on Sunday

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**Come Join Us!**

**Wednesday Evening Bible Study**  
**7:00 PM**

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The October Item Is

Bath Soap

For Mid Western Children's Home
Thank You!

**God is our refuge and
strength, an ever present
help in time of trouble...
Psalm 46:1-3**

SUNSHINE CHURCH of CHRIST We Invite You To Join Us

Sunday Morning 10:00 A.M.
Sunday Eve. Class 6:00 P.M.
Wednesday Evening 7:00 P.M.

You may also call 855-565-7670
to hear the lessons by phone.

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Thank You to the Dresbach Family!  
We appreciate your hospitality.  
Everyone had a wonderful evening.  
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*** Fall Home Groups**

Who is this Jesus?

Sunday Evenings at 6:00 p.m. Oct.13-27

The host homes are listed on the table in the foyer, if you haven't signed up yet there is still time and plenty of places. Please plan to come join in the Bible study and also enjoy all the company. There will also be a group meeting here at the Sunshine building. You are welcome to come join us.

***Sunshine Chili Cook Off**

Saturday, November 2

4:00 PM - Apple Cider Making

5:00 PM - The Chili Tasting Begins with a variety of options, including hot & spicy or mild & tasty. The winner will be decided by our three expert taste testers and by popular vote. In addition to chili, there will be grilled cheese or peanut butter sandwiches, a campfire to roast hot dogs and make s'mores.

So bring your favorite Chili, or Dessert
Please add this date to your calendar.
Everything will be right here at Sunshine.
Come join us!

*We extend our sympathy to the family and friends
of Ken Rose.*

*We pray the Lord will bless, comfort and give you peace
during this time of loss.*

~~~~~ The U in Jesus

Before U were thought of or time had begun,
God stuck U in the name of His Son.
And each time U pray in His name,
you'll see that it's true:
You can't spell JesUs and not include U.
U are a pretty big part of His wonderful name
For U, He was born; that's why He came.
And His great love for U is the reason He died
It even takes U to spell crUcified.
The stones split away, the gold trumpet blew;
This word resUrrrection is spelled with a U.
When JesUs left earth at His upward
ascension, there was one thing He just had to
mention.
"Go into the world and tell every creature,
It's true that I love them all just like I love U."
He sent the Holy Spirit on Pentecost Day;
He started the chUrch to show men the way.
So many great words are spelled with a U;
Don't forget jUdgement is too.
Will we be ready?
It all depends on what U will do;

Family Bible Time

ADULT CLASSES MONTH OF OCTOBER

***Sunday Evening Auditorium**
HOME GROUPS

***Wednesday Evening Auditorium**
Jeff Vannetta

***Wednesday Evening Ladies Class**
June Book

Embracing Grace In Your Prayer Life
Matthew 18:21-35, 5:38-48, Genesis 37, 39-41

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

Those Who Serve

Sunday Morning	10/13/2024	10/20/2024	10/27/2024
Worship Leader	Shaun McCray	Jared McCray	Zach Coriell
Scripture Reading	Paul Jacobs	Mark Risner	Greg Coriell
Prayer	Bill Deacon	Gary Glispie	Derek Miller
Communion	Dave Deacon	Steve Williams	Troy Gahm
Message	Jamie Riley	Jamie Riley	Jamie Riley
Announcements / Prayer	Wayne Gampp	Shaun Gampp	Rich Book
Sunday Evening	10/13/2024	10/20/2024	10/27/2024
Worship Leader	Home Groups	Home Groups	Home Groups
Communion			



Sunday Worship - 10:00 am
Bible Study - 6:00 pm
Wednesday Bible Study - 7:00 pm

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The Anchor at the End

The Navy's USS Dwight D. Eisenhower weighs 95,000 tons, carries more than 6,000 sailors, and serves 18,000 meals a day. It has two anchors. Each anchor weighs 60,000 pounds and is attached to a chain that weighs 665,000 pounds. Each solitary link in that chain weighs 365 pounds.

Every ship has an anchor that is at the end of a long series of individual links. If you trace those links one by one, you will eventually get to the anchor. It is the anchor that keeps the ship from drifting to stay on the right course.

That is the way families are. Each family member is one link in a long chain that stretches out sometimes for hundreds of years. God knows each link, but He is most concerned with one link— you. You must be strong.

You may be the link that holds your family to Christ for the next 100 years (Deut.6:1-2).

“What makes greatness is starting something that will live after you.” said Ralph w. Sockman.

God gives parents the opportunity to do something great — teach the children the importance of Him.

(Deut. 11:19, Psalm 44:1, 71:18, Isa. 38:19)

“Train up a child in the way he should go, and even when they are old
they will not turn from it.” Proverb 22:6

Have a wonderful day!