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Sunday, April 13 , 2025

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Having made known unto us the mystery of his will, according to his good pleasure which he hath purposed in himself: That in the dispensation of the fulness of times he might gather together in one all things in Christ, both which are in heaven, and which are on earth; even in him: In whom also we have obtained an inheritance, being predestinated according to the purpose of him who worketh all things after the counsel of his own will: That we should be to the praise of his glory, who first trusted in Christ.

Ephesians 1:9-12

Thousands of people flocked to hear Charles Spurgeon preach in London every Sunday. In fact the number of people who wanted to attend was so far beyond the capacity of the building that tickets were issued for different services to keep the crowd from overflowing. The story goes that a member of Spurgeon's church was visited by a friend from America, and he arranged tickets so his guest could hear his pastor preach. After the sermon as they walked toward the exit, he asked what his friend had thought and the American visitor replied, "What a preacher!" According to the story, Spurgeon happened to be passing close enough to hear, and said to a member of his staff, "I wish he had said what a Savior instead."

The purpose of God for our lives is not for us to receive honor and glory. All the good things that we accomplish are only possible because of Him, and He alone deserves all the praise for anything we do. We must be careful not to allow pride and a desire to be lifted up to fill our hearts and deter us from giving all glory to God. We should seek to do all that we can for Him, in gratitude for all He has done for us, but our motive cannot be our promotion. "And seekest thou great things for thyself? seek them not: for, behold, I will bring evil upon all flesh, saith the LORD: but thy life will I give unto thee for a prey in all places whither thou goest" (Jeremiah 45:5).

Our purpose in everything we do should be to honor and glorify God above all else.

Paul Chappell

Prayer Requests

Tiffany & Lance Allen Please keep them and their unborn baby in your prayers asking God for the healing this child needs.

Penny Ball Please continue prayers for her.

Mike Bouts (Rose Havens Son in Law) Please keep him and Jayne in your prayers for healing .

Gregg Ferrell Please keep him and his family in your prayers as he continues to have very serious health issues.

He has been admitted back to The Pavilion at Piketon.

Juanita Gammon Please keep her in your prayers.

Anna Gampp Please continue praying for her.

Toby Gampp Please pray for pain tolerance and a quick recovery.

Wayne Gampp Please keep him in your prayers for continued healing.

PJ Glauder Please keep him in your prayers for God to give strength and healing.

Paul Harris Please continue prayers for his health to improve.

Peggy Hollback Please pray her health will improve.

Nola Kelley Please keep her in your prayers

Melanie Ramey Please be praying for healing and strength as she goes through treatment.

Esther Crisp	The Courtyard Rm. #138
Sarah Gilliland	Hillview Room L306
Helen Hayward	Homebound
Peggy Hollback	The Courtyard Rm# 104
Nola Kelley	The Courtyard Rm. #109

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

**At noon, darkness came over the whole land
until three in the afternoon.**

**And at three in the afternoon Jesus cried out
in a loud voice,**

**Eloi, Eloi, lema sabachthani (which means
“My God, My God why have you forsaken
me?”)**

With a loud cry, Jesus breathed his last.

Matthew 27:45

But this was not the end.



Home Groups- April 13-27, Sunday Eve.

Sunshine Egg Hunt - April 19, 11:00

Howells Mill Golf Scramble - April 25

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!

KID'S Club

Kids Pre-K - 6th Grade

Wednesday Evening Bible Class.

**It includes a short & fun video
reviewing the lesson taught on Sunday**

Come Join Us!

Wednesday Evening Bible Study

7:00 PM

*** The APRIL Item Is ***

Fruit Cups

For Mid Western Children's Home

Thank You!

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.**

***SPRING HOME GROUPS**

Our Spring Home Groups will continue this evening at 6:00 pm and each Sunday Evening through April 27.

The host homes are listed on the table in the foyer. It's not too late to sign up. There will also be a group meeting here at the church building.

You are very welcome to join any group.

The material is taken from the book:

"Don't give the enemy a seat at your table"

By: Louie Giglio

The Hunt Is On!

*** Sunshine Egg Hunt**

Saturday, April 19 at 11:00 AM

If you would like to help fill some of the eggs for the hunt, we have empty eggs in bags at the welcome center that can be taken home, filled and brought back. There is a sign up sheet if you do want to take a bag home to fill.

There are lots more eggs to fill, so we still need small individually wrapped candy.

Easter Sunday, Sunday April 20
Invite all your family and friends to join us in worship.

***Mother's Day Video Tribute,**

Sunday May 11

Please upload pictures of you and your Mom at go.sunshinecofc.church/photos to be included in the video.

***The Deacons Pancake Breakfast Day**

will be changed to May 11 in honor of Mother's Day.

Looking Ahead:

*** Vacation Bible School**

June 16-20

"True North"

***Sunshine Week at Howells Mill Camp**

July 6 - 11, 2025

Early Bird Camp Registration

Save \$40.00 if you register by April 22

www.howellsmill.org

*** Howells Mill Golf Scramble**

Friday, April 25

Sugarwood Golf Club Lavalette, WV.

Please see Jamie Riley or Jared McCray for more information.

*** Rend Collective Concert**

April 26, 2025 at 7:00 pm

The Vern Riffe Center for the Arts

Shawnee State University

There is a sign up sheet for this event.

Family Bible Time

ADULT CLASSES MONTH OF April

***Sunday Evening Auditorium**

Home Groups

***Wednesday Evening Auditorium**

Jamie Riley

***Wednesday Evening Ladies Class**

June Book

Embracing Grace In Your Prayer Life

Genesis 42:1-24, 45; 50:15-21, 1 Peter 3:8-4:11

Colossians 3:1-17

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

Those Who Serve

Sunday Morning	04/13/2025	04/20/2025	04/27/2025
Worship Leader	Jared McCray	Zach Coriell	Shaun McCray
Scripture Reading	Ethan Beekman	Bill Deacon	Mark Risner
Prayer	Price Gammon	Jon Coriell	Shane Mougey
Communion	Don Coriell	Jeff Vannatta	Dave Deacon
Message	Jamie Riley	Jamie Riley	Jamie Riley
Announcements / Prayer	Shaun McCray	Wayne Gampp	Rich Book
Sunday Evening	04/13/2025	04/20/2025	04/27/2025
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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A Sermon That Really Speaks

I'd rather see a sermon
Than hear one any day;
I'd rather one should walk with me
Than merely tell me the way.

The eye's a better pupil
And more willing than the ear;
Fine counsel is confusing,
But example is always clear.

And the best of all the preachers
Are the men who live their creeds;
For to see good put into action
Is what everybody needs.

— Edgar A. Guest

God Loves You and We Love You Too