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What Is 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). God is the most forceful, the most comprehensive definition of "love." It is beyond us, as finite beings, to fully understand God's capacity to love? He is infinite.

Such is also 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 over and over again. 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 truly and sincerely repent (Prov. 28:13).

He did not place a limit on how many sins He will forgive before we use up all of His mercy. We need to be ready to extend that much mercy in our interactions with others!

But 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 seem clear that our time to repent and take advantage of God's mercy ends when our days on this earth end.

Time for humanity as a whole clearly seems to come to an end when Christ returns on the final day of 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 and unrepentant, the fault is all ours.

If we face our Lord before His judgment seat unprepared we can only blame ourselves. (2 Cor. 5:10)

God's love, and His willingness to be merciful, is such that He is ready to forgive us anytime we are ready to properly seek His forgiveness.

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Prayer Requests

Penny Ball Please continue prayers for her.

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

Danica Clarkson Please pray for healing from Hodgkin's Lymphoma.

Gregg Ferrell He has been moved to Good Shepherd-Manor. Please keep him and his family in your prayers

Ernie Forshey Requesting prayers for his health issues.

Juanita Gammon Please keep her in your prayers.

Anna Gampp Please continue praying for her.

Paul Harris Please continue prayers for his health to improve.

Teresa Hayward Please pray for complete healing from surgery.

Peggy Hollback Please pray her health will improve.

Nola Kelley Please keep her in your prayers

Melanie Ramey Please continue praying for healing.

Janet Risner Please keep her in your prayers as she goes through treatment.

Esther Crisp	The Courtyard Rm. #138
Sarah Gilliland	Hillview Room L306
Helen Hayward	Homebound
Peggy Hollback	The Courtyard Assisted Living Rm.#104
	900 Pirate Drive
	Wheelersburg, Ohio 45694
Nola Kelley	The Courtyard Rm. #109

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

**We extend our sympathy to the
Family and Friends of P.J. Glauder.
He was a good friend to so many.
Please keep his family in your prayers.**

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**Our condolences go out to the Preston  
Family at the loss of their daughter.**

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**We extend our sympathy to Doug
McLaughlin and Family at the passing
of his wife Rachel. May God bless you
with comfort and give you peace.**



Sunshine Free Sale - July 26
Back to School Back Pack Giveaway- July 26
Red Cross Blood Drive - August 12, 9-2:30
Ice Cream Social - Sunday, August 17
Noble Farm Day - Sunday, September 7

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 July Item Is ***
Canned Soup
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.

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*We are very happy to share this wonderful news!
Several of our young people were baptized into Christ. They are such a blessing to us. We are very thankful for each one. Please keep them in your prayers as they grow in their faith.

Aaliyah King	Bennett Kayser
Maddie McCleese	Jaheim Henderson
Mason McCleese	Emmalyn Coriell
Charlee McCleese	Mykah Coriell
Adam Lemon	Alex Coriell
Lucy Montgomery	Hannah Lemon

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\* **Back Pack Giveaway**, we still have cards available, or give cash donation to buy supplies. please see Garris.  
The Back Pack giveaway will be held in conjunction with the Free Sale.

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* **Sunshine Free Sale /**
Back Pack Giveaway
Saturday, July 26, 9:00
If you have things you'd like to donate for the Free Sale, Please bring them to the area at the end of the annex by the back doors.
We will appreciate lots of help getting set up for this event at 7:00 Saturday.

CONGRATULATIONS!

Kayleigh & Brice
Married July 12,2025
May your be lives be blessed with
much love and happiness.

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\*We have copies of the **Updated**  
**Sunshine Directory** available for you at  
the Welcome Center.

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* **American Red Cross Blood Drive**
Tuesday, August 12, 9:00 am-2:30pm
Sunshine Church of Christ
To schedule an appointment please call
1-800-733-2767 or visit
RedCrossBlood.org and enter:
sunshinecofc to schedule.

Our goal is to have 28 donors.
Please add this date to your calendar
to come donate if you can.

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\* **Ice Cream Social (date change)**  
We are planning one of our very favorite days of summer.  
Our Ice Cream Social will be Sunday Evening, **August 17** after worship service  
Be sure to come join us!  
More information will be coming soon.

**Family Bible Time**

**ADULT CLASSES MONTH OF July**

**\*Sunday Evening Auditorium**  
**Jamie Riley**

**\*Wednesday Evening Auditorium**  
**Logan Boston**

**\*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

| <b>Sunday Morning</b>     | <b>07/20/2025</b> | <b>07/27/2025</b> | <b>08/03/2025</b> |
|---------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Worship Leader            | Shaun McCray      | Zach Coriell      | Jared McCray      |
| Scripture Reading         | Justin Spengler   | Sam Williams      | Ethan Beekman     |
| Prayer                    | Bill Deacon       | Jon Coriell       | Josh Coriell      |
| Communion                 | Jeff Vannatta     | Price Gammon      | Don Coriell       |
| Message                   | Logan Boston      | Jamie Riley       | Jamie Riley       |
| Announcements /<br>Prayer | Rich Book         | Shaun McCray      | Wayne Gampp       |
| <b>Sunday Evening</b>     | <b>07/20/2025</b> | <b>07/27/2025</b> | <b>08/03/2025</b> |
| Worship Leader            | Shaun McCray      | Shaun McCray      | Zach Coriell      |
| Communion                 | Josh Coriell      | Jon Coriell       | Jacob Book        |



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

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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 always ready to forgive, He wants to forgive, but we must repent and seek His forgiveness in the way He has instructed us to seek it.

If we will do so, God in His mercy will forgive us and reserve a home in Heaven for us.

"But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us." (Rom. 5:8) ...

God Loves You and We Love You Too