



Woodsfield Church of Christ
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“Serving others as we serve Jesus.”

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Minister

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Family Life Minister

Sunday

Wednesday

Bible Class.....9:00 a.m.
Worship.....10:00 a.m.

Bible Class.....7:00 p.m.

Sunday Evening Bible Class....6:00 p.m.

Office Hours – Sherry Lallathin – Mon – Fri. 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Elders

Deacons

Jeff Bettinger
Bob Burrow
Keith Jones
Duane Landefeld
Brian Rose

Ronnie Beardmore
Eric Carothers
Dan Christman
Mark Henthorn
Shawn Howell

Butch Lallathin
Brent McConnell
Jeff Seidler
Howard Spengler
Jesse Stalder

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Elizabeth Trusler, (friend of Sue Dearth) health issues and upcoming tests; Rodney Bettinger, (Jeff Bettinger's brother) upcoming triple heart bypass; Jessica Summers, (Janet Schwall's daughter) health issues; Carol Stine, (Sharon Leasure's cousin) spine surgery recovery; Dan Christman, knee surgery recovery; Kim Hickenbottom, trouble with her diabetes; Roger Langsdorf; Sandy Resecker, heart issues; Karen Ault; the widows and widowers of the congregation.

Those battling cancer – Logann Kehrer (a friend of Bob Burrow's co-worker) diagnosed with terminal cancer; Linda Workman; Andy Copley; Patty Norris (friend of Keith Coss); Kevin Guiler (leukemia); Roger Jones (prostate cancer); Donna Hughes (friend of Naomi Ault); Marie Rose; Roger Highman (prostate cancer); Tammy Carter (friend of John Ackerman); Nina Christman.

Pregnancies

Please keep Amanda Antill in your prayers—for her health and the health of the baby she is carrying.

* **Please update the office of any changes to those on the prayer list.** We update the prayer list periodically, removing names if we have not received recent updates on that person.



August 28th, 7:00 p.m.- 8:30 p.m. in the Educational building teen room. The program is 13 weeks, this is a no cost program and is open to anyone who is interested in joining. There is a sign-up sheet in the foyer to give an idea of how many may be attending.



Walk4Water

We will be hosting and sponsoring a Walk4Water on Saturday, October 21st on the church grounds. If you have any questions please contact Amanda Bates, Abby McFarland or Lindsay Stalder.

Who Knocked Down the Walls of Jericho?

The new minister was asked to teach a boys' class in the absence of the regular teacher. He decided to see what they knew, so he asked who knocked down the walls of Jericho. All the boys denied having done it, and the preacher was appalled by their ignorance. At the next deacons' meeting he told about the experience. "Not one of them knows who knocked down the walls of Jericho," he lamented. The group was silent until finally one seasoned veteran of disputes spoke up. "Preacher, this appears to be bothering you a lot. But I've known all those boys since they were born and they're good boys. If they said they didn't know, I believe them. Let's just take some money out of the repair and maintenance fund, fix the walls, and let it go at that."**

You laugh, but I bet you there are Christians somewhere who don't know who knocked down the walls of Jericho! As our society becomes more and more secular, biblical knowledge is decreasing. It's tempting to think of this as an outside problem, but the reality is that as the knowledge of the Bible declines in secular culture, so it does in the church. Although a decline of Bible knowledge in the church may not be as drastic or noticeable, it is something we must continually guard against. This is why, for the next few weeks, we will be focusing on God's word—how to study it, why it's important, and some of the things associated with a growing into a good working Bible knowledge. Join us for these next few sermons as we go through our series, "Light for a Dark Path."

**Story taken from http://www.sermonillustrations.com/a-z/b/bible_ignorance_of.htm

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August 27, 2023

OUR FAITH IN ACTION

August 20, 2023

Sunday Morning Bible Classes	103	Sunday morning Live feed views	11
Attendance at the building	175	Post-Sunday sermon online views	15
Bible Hour Attendance	26		
Sunday night Bible Class	61	J.O.Y. Bus Attendance	
		4 Rider	4 Workers
Wednesday night Bible Class	51		
Budget	\$ 5,100		
Contribution	\$ 5,738		



Congratulations

Congratulations to Brian & Rhonda Jackson on the birth of their first grandchild. Devin & Rachel welcomed their baby girl, Amara Maria Jackson, on Thursday August 17th and everyone is doing well.

Feed the Flock

Feed the Flock will be Wednesday, September 6th, at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Building. The dinner will be sloppy joe and hot chicken sandwiches. Please bring a dessert and a friend!

Upcoming Area Meetings – All Information for events are posted in the foyer.

September 9th 2:00 p.m. – Ladies Tea – Amazing Grace for a Woman’s Heart – Sixth & Washington Street Church of Christ – Marietta, OH – Guest Speaker – Morgan Ball – Pickerington Church of Christ

September 16th 9:30 a.m. Potter Children’s Home Fall Festival – Bowling Green, KY – Activities include, Silent Auction, Live Auction, Resale Shop, Bargain Bin, Christmas Shop, Tours of Campus, Gift Shop, Certificates Board, Inflatables and Activities for Children

September 22nd – 23rd 38th Annual Men’s Leadership Retreat – Spiritual Renewal – Round Lake, Lakeville, OH – Speakers include – Rob Long – Bruce McLarty – Woody Biggs – Jamie Riley and Russ Bone.