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"Serving others as we serve Jesus."

## Scott McFarland Minister

Keith Jones Family Life Minister

#### Sunday

Wednesday

Bible Class......9:00 a.m. Class......7:00 p.m. Worship......10:00 a.m.

Bible

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 Ronnie Beardmore Brent McConnell Jeff Seidler Eric Carothers Dan Christman Howard Spengler Shawn Howell Stalder

Jesse

#### **REMEMBER IN PRAYER**

Roger West; Kathy Antill (broken shoulder); June Ady, upcoming eye surgery; Angela Smith (Gary & Bev Jones' daughter), heart issues, spleen aneurysm and a spot on a lung; Sam Bartrug, battling C Diff; Debbie Chambers, shoulder surgery recovery; Tiffany Comstock (Gary & Bev Jones's daughter), epileptic seizures; Sandy Resecker; widows and widowers of the congregation.

<u>Those battling cancer</u> – Joyce Helmick (Denise Harris' sister), stage 4 pancreatic cancer; John Whitacre (Dan & Sue Fussell's nephew); Danny Weddle (Patricia Copeland's brother); Parker Miley, leukemia; Sue Hooper, chemo therapy for 3 months; Lisa Jones, stage 3 lung cancer; Logann Kehrer (a friend of Bob Burrow's co-worker), diagnosed with terminal cancer; Andy Copley; Donna Hughes (friend of Naomi Ault); Tammy Carter (friend of John Ackerman); Nina Christman

\* 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.



We would like to express our heartfelt gratitude for your support and prayers during Leah's pregnancy. Your kindness and intercession lifted us up when it was needed the most.

Thank you for being our church family and standing by us in prayer. Friday, they delivered by C-section and a month early, a perfect little boy 7 lbs and 7 oz. Mom and baby are doing fine. May God continue to bless you abundantly and may our church family thrive as we support and strengthen one another. In Christian. Love Joy & Jim Yontz



The next Vacation Bible School meeting will be held Sunday, April 14<sup>th</sup> immediately after morning

services at the front of the auditorium.

# What is a Woman?

It sounds so crazy to even ask that question, "What is a woman?" Half a century ago, no one would have questioned what defines a woman or makes her who she is. But, here we are today, trying to redefine gender and sexuality, attempting to reimagine cultural norms so we can create a new world where definitions of masculinity and femininity are fluid and "non-conforming."

My point is not to rant about the ills of society, but I do mention that to bring up a point I have been thinking of recently. Since when did we let the world dictate what we believe as truth? The church must be careful as the world progresses more and more into relativism and redefinition not to be swept away by the currents of culture. John has some helpful thoughts on how to discern false teaching within the church that I believe also applies in principle outside the church:

Beloved, do not believe every spirit, but test the spirits to see whether they are from God, for many false prophets have gone out into the world. By this you know the Spirit of God: every spirit that confesses that Jesus Christ has come in the flesh is from God, and every spirit that does not confess Jesus is not from God. This is the spirit of the antichrist, which you heard was coming and now is in the world already. (I John 4:1-3)

Don't believe everything you hear. Test it. Examine it to see if it is from God. Examine the source. In this day and age, we can never be sure. In the end, Scripture and God's revelation of reality is our only hope to holding on to truth. Everything else is suspect.

Scott McFarland

April 7, 2024

## Small Groups Bible Study

Small groups will begin again tonight, April 7<sup>th</sup>. There are sign-up sheets in the auditorium by the nursery; please place only one name per line on the sheets.



The 2025 Bible Bowl will be March 1<sup>st</sup> – March 2<sup>nd</sup> and will be held in Centerville, Ohio, near Dayton. The book of Luke, chapters 1-24, is the study material for the competition. The teams will include younger and older teams with grades 3-12 included. If you are interested, please see Merna.



Are you ready to launch and go out of this world? Join us for VBS 2024 , June 23rd-27th 6:00 p.m. each

evening! It's going to be STELLAR!



Potter Children's Home & Family Ministries will be collecting the following food items until May 5, 2024, Rice Krispies Cereal; Honey Nut & Almond Cereal; Tea Bags; Bottled Water; snack size potato chips. There will be a tote in the foyer to collect the items

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