



The Weekly Bulletin of the Summit Church of Christ

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Fix Your Eyes On Jesus 2 • 2 •

Christ Came, Died, was Buried, Resurrected, & will Return

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WHY MUST I SUFFER SO? Neville Buchanan

The command rings out from God to store up comfort: Isaiah 40:1 (ESV) Comfort, comfort my people, says your God.

God was about to restore His people. So, Isaiah was to speak tenderly to Jerusalem. Her warfare was ended, and her sins were pardoned.

But then the prophet continues to give a message that would develop a people prepared to comfort an entire world: Isaiah 40:3–5 (ESV) A voice cries: "In the wilderness prepare the way of the LORD; make straight in the desert a highway for our God. Every valley shall be lifted up, and every mountain and hill be made low; the uneven ground shall become level, and the rough places a plain. And the glory of the LORD shall be revealed, and all flesh shall see it together, for the mouth of the LORD has spoken."

You see, friend, the way God's message goes out is through His Church offering comforting counsel to a world that is not well. Now that "the Lord has spoken" I have two questions to spur us to action: First, are you part of the helpers who bring comfort and peace or the torturers who erect confusing stumbling blocks?

And, secondly, don't you also find it paradoxical that comfort is best felt in a broken heart? Is it not a paradox that the fragrance of a rose is only fully released when crushed?

Paul clears up these paradoxes in 2 Corinthians 1:3–7 (ESV). Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies and God of all

comfort, who comforts us in all our affliction, SO THAT WE MAY BE ABLE TO COMFORT THOSE WHO ARE IN ANY AFFLICTION, with the comfort with which we ourselves are comforted by God. *(Continued on next page)*



For as we share abundantly in Christ's sufferings, so through Christ we share abundantly in comfort too. If we are afflicted, it is for your comfort and salvation; and if we are comforted, it is for your comfort, which	CHILDREN'S HOME GALA!
you experience when you patiently endure the same sufferings that we suffer. Our hope for you is unshaken, for we know that as you share in our sufferings, you will also share in our comfort.	THIS IS THE ANNUAL DINNER AND AUCTION TO RAISE THE NECESSARY FUNDS FOR THE
Here is Paul's paradox made even more clear: the crushing of my heart allows me to comfort others with the comfort I have received. But I must never forget	
that the comfort I use is from God. That means, I am merely to be a conduit through which God's comfort can easily flow.	6:30pm. OTHER FUN AND LIVE AUCTION
So, here is the answer to "why must I suffer so" – it is so that I can comfort others. But, with the real goal of God's glory being revealed when the world looks at the soul that should be crushed, but now is overflowing	453 Ward's Corner Rd, Loveland, OH 45140
with peace and joy instead. Has your heart been crushed? Then stop asking why and start living the answer so God's glory may be	All orders need to be placed by Sunday, Jan 26th. For more details, please see Chris Guin.
revealed. AvoiDING THE BURNOUT by Andrew Ellis	says, "Therefore, my beloved brothers, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that in the Lord your labor is not in vain." No matter how we fee
There are some trials and	about the work we do for the Lord, we should no

temptations that could make us fall away from our faith. One thing that could make anyone lose faith is burnout. Have we ever experienced burnout when it comes to what we do in our faith? Have we ever felt like we were going through the motions when it comes to our faith? If we ever experience burnout it could affect our work as Christians. We could lose our motivation to attend church services. We could lose our motivation to spread God's word to others. We could lose our faith in God and question why we ever put our faith in God.

No matter what could happen because of burnout the best thing to do is to avoid it. How do we make this happen? What does God's word say about staying motivated? 1 Corinthians 15:58

feel discouraged. We should not feel our work is in vain.

We should stay motivated in our work as Christians. Along the way, we should make sure our brothers and sisters in Christ avoid burnout as well. Hebrews 10:24-25 says, "And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near."

We should strive to maintain motivation as we go through our lives as Christians. We need to stay motivated and keep our brothers and sisters motivated to do work for the Lord.

LADIES FAITH DEVOTIONAL

FREEDOM AND ACCOUNTABILITY BY CORI FULLER

As an entrepreneur, one of the things I struggled with at the beginning was being accountable. I LOVE freedom and flexibility, and wasn't that one of the reasons I was working for myself, so I didn't have to answer to anyone else?! There were people I COULD have been accountable to, but I didn't HAVE to be. There were no punishments if I didn't. So, for a while, I didn't!

Let me tell ya how that worked out.... Turns out, when you only work when you feel like it, you sometimes don't work very often. Fast forward a few years, I made a decision that ended up changing everything. It was one of those oddly defining moments, where I can remember where I was and what the room around me looked like, even though I had no idea at the time how significant that decision would be. I decided that no matter what, I was going to be accountable every single week.

Inch by inch, I found myself becoming more consistent. I found myself more eager to do the work. I found myself and my business growing. Most surprisingly, I found myself feeling more FREE. That one didn't make any sense to me-how is that possible?

"Freedom is not the ability to do whatever you want. Freedom is the strength of character to do what is good, true, noble and right." Matthew Kelly

Doing what I knew I should, what I really wanted to have been doing all along, built my character and produced a sense of freedom in me.

Many of us likely began this year with some intentions to improve an area or two of our life. For many of us this might have included things like attending worship more regularly, becoming involved in a bible class, reading our Bible more, or praying more often. Rightfully so, as these are some of the most important intentions we could make during our earthly journey.

Did you know that January 17th has been dubbed "Ditch your New Year's Resolution Day?" It's thought that by that day, many have already abandoned the intentions they set just 17 days before! For many who find themselves there, one key element that's missing could be accountability.

Thankfully, God knew this about us ahead of time, and set us up with built in accountability in His church, our spiritual family. Proverbs 27:17 tells us "Iron sharpens iron, and one man sharpens another." 1 Thessalonians 5:11 says, "Therefore encourage one another and build one another up, just as you are doing."

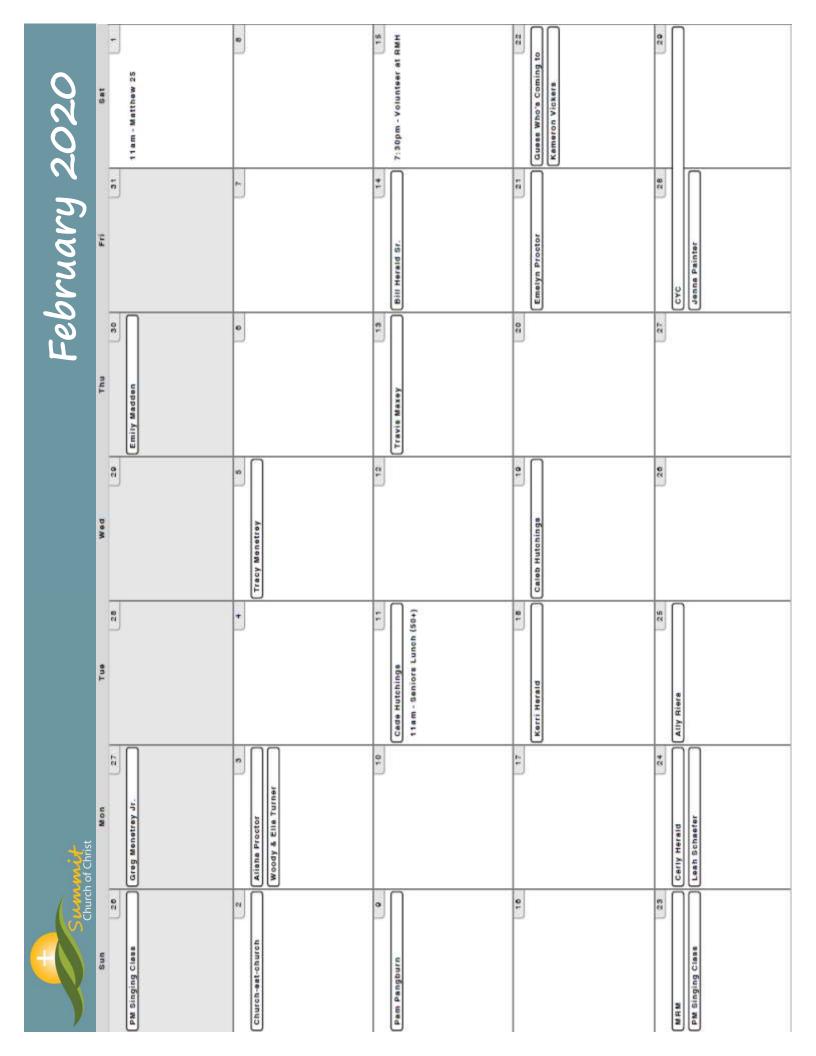
Just as being accountable in our jobs helps us to be more productive or reach a goal, so can being accountable with our spiritual family help us grow in our faith. It's not something that can happen overnight, as it takes time to open ourselves up to accountability. Where could you step out in faith this week that could begin to set you up for greater accountability in our church family?

Have we shared our spiritual goals or intentions with our church family, who could help encourage us? Hebrews 10:24 says, "And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works."

Start a conversation with someone we have maybe never talked with? Make a decision to attend a Sunday evening service, come early for class, or attend a Wednesday evening bible study? Invite someone into your home for a meal to get to know them better?

As a church family, we have responsibility here too. Galatians 5:13-14 says, "For you were called to freedom, brothers. Only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for the flesh, but through love serve one another. For the whole law is fulfilled in one word: "You shall love your neighbor as yourself."" We are called to love each other, and to watch out for one another. Find ways to serve each other. Notice our church family members who might be struggling. Lend a helping hand when and where we see needs. Taking time to stop and notice each other. Encourage those we see taking a step out in faith. Send a card. Say a prayer. Share a kind word.

			S	ervice Lead	Service Leaders February 2020	2020		
Date	Song Leader	Elder	Scripture Reading	Preside	Assist	Usher, Side Aisles	Usher, Center Aisles	Count Contribution
2/2	Steve Proctor	Billy Herald	Eli Painter	Andrew Ellis	Jackson Guin	Jeff Carnes	Joel Devadason	Adam Fuller
					Greg Menetrey Sr	Glen Gray	Steve Eastham	Paul Watts
					Greg Menetrey Jr.			
					Roy Gentry			
2/9	Billy Herald	Tom Painter	Brad Herald	Jeff Schaefer	Jim Painter	Travis Maxey	Kevin Henn	Adam Fuller
					Gideon Devadason	Clint Henson	Romeo Dumlao	Paul Watts
					Josiah Fuller			
					Jacob Doerr			
2/16	Steve Proctor	Daryl Denham	Roy Gentry	Kyle Proctor	Jeff Schaefer	Paul Watts	Maddox Proctor	Adam Fuller
					Dave Carnes	Gage Proctor	Rick Dischar	Paul Watts
					Jesus Riera			
					Joel Devadason			
2/23	Chris Guin	Billy Herald	Josiah Fuller	Tom Painter	Adam Fuller	Danny Rogers	Jeff Carnes	Adam Fuller
					Jeff Carnes	Dimitri Baloglou	Vincent Dumlao	Paul Watts
					Brad Herald			
					Joel Devadason			
Sunday PM	y PM				Wednesday PM			
Date	Song Leader	Opening Prayer	Preside	Closing Prayer	Date	Song Leader	Opening Prayer	Speaker
2/2	Steve Proctor	Billy Herald	N/A	Billy Herald	2/5	Steve Proctor	Jacob Doerr	Adam Fuller
2/9	Gage Proctor	Kyle Proctor	Steve Proctor	Tom Painter	2/12	Gage Proctor	Steve Proctor	Jeff Schaefer
2/16	Billy Herald	Andrew Ellis	Bill Herald Sr.	Daryl Denham	2/19	Daryl Denham	Billy Herald	Steve Proctor
2/23	Chris Guin	Steve Proctor	Jeff Schaefer	Billy Herlad	2/26	Steve Proctor	Andrew Ellis	Daryl Denham
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News, Notes & Announcements...

ELDER VISITS WITH SUMMIT FAMILIES

Please return your pink form to let us know your preferences about when and where to schedule the visits. The elders are excited to get to know each of you better!

MATTHEW 25 MINISTRIES

We are signed up to volunteer on Saturday, February 1st from 11am - 1pm. Please let Laura Herald know today if you plan to attend or if you have any questions.

FIRST SUNDAY FELLOWSHIP MEAL

On Sunday, February 2nd, we will have PM worship immediately following the fellowship meal. To ensure plenty of food, plus variety, the following recommendations have been suggested for our meal next Sunday.

- A-F Fruits, vegetables, salads
- G-L Cookies, desserts
- M-Q Entrees, meat/protein
- R-Z Soups, sides

GREAT SMOKY MTN MARRIAGE RETREAT

God's Dream for Your Marriage. February 5-9, 2020 in Pigeon Forge, TN. Summit will pay the \$100 registration fee for all couples who attend. Please see the flyer on the bulletin board or visit www.smokymountainmarriage.com for more info.

OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE AT THE RONALD MCDONALD HOUSE

We have scheduled 6 dates in 2020. The first is on Saturday, February 15th at 7:30pm. We can take a maximum of 10 people

each time and the minimum age is 10 if accompanied by their parent. Sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board, If you have questions, please contact Melissa (513-310-2050).

SENIORS BIBLE STUDY & LUNCH

Tuesday, February 11th, 11am Bible Study at the building and noon lunch at Cracker Barrel.

BIBLE BOWL WRITTEN TEST

Wednesday, February 19th at 6:45pm.

GUESS WHO'S COMING TO DINNER?

Our next dinner is scheduled for Saturday, February 22nd. Sign-up sheets will be on the bulletin board soon.

BIBLES TO SIGN

Please stop by the lectern in the foyer and write a word of encouragement for those recently baptized.

2020 LADS TO LEADERS CONVENTION

April 10-12, 2020.. Please see Cori Fuller for more information or if you have any questions.

YOUNG MEN'S SERVICE

Sunday, March 29th at 6pm.

MEMORY SCRIPTURE OF THE WEEK

Matthew 24:36 ESV ³⁶ "But concerning that day and hour no one knows, not even the angels of heaven, nor the Son, but the Father only.

Summit's Prayer List

Pray for these - Send a card - Make a call - Visit someone - Help with needs – Encourage someone today!

Bev Raleigh Esophageal cancer; chemotherapy Brad Haskins (friend of Kate Sloan) Hodgkin's lymphoma in the lymph nodes; starting chemo after they put in a port

- Caleb Robbins (Dalys' grandson) Has been in the hospital for five weeks; more tests this week
- Dave Hammer A previously stable area, near his spinal cord, shows change
- Debbie Hagadorn (Sheryl's friend) Severely injured after falling from attic; moving to rehab soon

Donna Painter Sick for 4 weeks, awaiting blood test results Donna Stewart (Point Pleasant) Continuing to improve in rehab Elizabeth Gorman Health struggles

Jeff Brown Recovering from shoulder surgery on 1/21 (torn rotator cuff & bicep, fracture)

Linda Schalk (Clint Henson's mom) In her final stage of life Norma Carter Physical therapy following knee surgery Patricia Mitchell (Becky's aunt) Went home from rehab on 1/20 Sarah Webster Shoulder surgery on 1/24

Cancer

Christy Tucker (Amanda Robinson's friend)

Dan Read (Dan McNeese's friend)

- Maci Teegarden (Janie's great-granddaughter)
- Melissa Bredwell (Renuka's friend)
- Tylene Clark (Sheryl Herald's cousin)
- Vickie Steffen (Jeff Brown's sister)
- Long-term Needs
- Barry Johnson-needs a liver transplant
- Dana Fuller-health struggles
- Danny Stamper-health struggles
- Rosy Gray's mom & sisters-health struggles
- Stephanie Gilliam (Mike Hein's friend)-liver failure Shut-In Members
- Clara Downard
- Shirley Holt
- Sue Painter
- Dappy Star
- Danny Stamper
 World Bible School Update:

Pray for our 9 active students & 3 active teachers <u>Ongoing Requests:</u>

Ben Buchanan-Alaska mission Neville Buchanan-counseling work For our country and our leaders For our members to grow in the Word



~ Order of Worship ~

Song Leader: **Bill Herald** Call to Worship Hymn #543 Wonderful Words of Life

Welcome

Bill Herald Hymn #528 I Know That My Redeemer Lives

Hymn #509 I Will Sing the Wondrous Story

Elder **Opening Prayer:**

Hymn #382 Why Did My Savior Come to Earth?

Lord's Supper: Tom Painter Offering: Deuteronomy 16:17

Hymn #699 I'll Be A Friend to Jesus

Scripture Reading: Eli Painter

Message: Neville Buchanan

Invitation Hymn #662 I Surrender All

Closing Prayer:

Elder

AM SERMON NOTES:

SEEING JESUS BAPTIZED

MARK 1:9-11

1. WE SEE JESUS COMING FOR C_____,

MARK 1:9

2. WE SEE JESUS COMING FOR THE C_____,

MARK 1:10

3. WE SEE JESUS COMING FOR THE C

MARK 1:11

PM LESSON NOTES:

HOW GREAT IT IS TO WORSHIP

PSALM 92 (ESV)

- 1. DISCIPLES D_____ TO WORSHIP
- 2. UNBELIEVERS D DELIGHT TO WORSHIP
- 3. WORSHIPING DISCIPLES F_____

~ PM Service Leaders ~

Song Leader-Chris Guin; Opening Prayer-Jackson Guin Lord's Supper-Andrew Ellis; Closing Prayer –Tom Painter

~ Wed. Jan. 29th Service Leaders ~

Song Leader - Steve Proctor; Opening Prayer - Jeff Schaefer Speaker - Andrew Ellis

~ For the Record ~

Upcoming Events

Feb 01, Saturday Feb 02, Sunday Feb 5-9 Feb 07, Friday Feb 11, Tuesday Feb 15, Saturday Feb 19. Wednesday Feb 22, Saturday Feb 28—Mar 1st **Mark Your Calendars** Mar 14, Saturday Mar 29, Sunday Apr 10-12 May 16, Saturday May 31, Sunday Jun 13, Saturday Jul 25, Saturday Aug 09, Sunday Aug 30, Sunday

Matthew 25 Ministries, 11am-1pm First Sunday Fellowship Meal Great Smoky Mtn. Marriage Retreat Midwestern Children's Home Gala Seniors Bible Study & Lunch Ronald McDonald House, 7:30pm Written Bible Bowl Test. 6:45pm Guess Who's Coming to Dinner? CYC in Pigeon Forge

Ronald McDonald House, 7:30pm Young Men's Service Lads to Leaders Convention Ronald McDonald House, 10:30am Young Men's Service Ronald McDonald House, 10:30am Ronald McDonald House, 1pm Ronald McDonald House, 1pm Young Men's Service

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YTD AVG Attendance YTD Baptisms

Contribution Weekly Budget \$4,815.00

Over/Under: -\$4,624.00 Dec 29, 2019-\$3,124.00 Jan 12, 2020-\$2,605.00

YTD AVG - \$3,273.67

Jan 05, 2020-\$4,347.00 Jan 19, 2020-\$2,869.00

Serving the Nursery 01/26—Evon Herald & Laura Herald

Communion Preparation

January-Jeff & Renee Carnes February—Buchanan





Happy Birthday!

JAN 26TH-FEB 2ND

GREG MENETREY JR.

EMILY MADDEN

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Do you have an item for The Summit Bulletin? Please email it to Morgan at nkychurch@gmail.com by Thursday. If you have announcement items for the website, or any questions/comments in general about the website, please submit them to nkychurch@gmail.com too.