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2021 VISION  
"SEEK THE LORD"



*Christ Came, Died, was Buried,  
Resurrected, & will Return*  
Sunday 10am Bible Study  
Sunday 11am Worship  
Sun. 6pm Zoom Bible Study  
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## GETTING A GRIP ON ANGER

Neville Buchanan

Anger is a dangerous internal feeling of strong annoyance, displeasure, or hostility. It is a response to a perceived threat (hurt or provocation). Sometimes it is expressed but most often it is repressed. Internally it fills the brain with stress hormones that in turn increases the heart rate and elevates the blood pressure.

Anger is also incredibly dangerous to the soul. It robs an individual of peace, joy, contentment, and self-control. From sinful anger Satan gets a foothold in the soul via accusations. The dangerous and enduring result of anger is a bitter root in the soul. So, how do I get a grip on anger?

Turn first to God, in prayer. Look to Him for relief from the distress (event). Ask Him to graciously hear your prayer. Psalm 4:1 (ESV) — <sup>1</sup> Answer me when I call, O God of my righteousness! You have given me relief when I was in distress. Be gracious to me and hear my prayer! Second, "gossip" to God about all that provoked you to anger. Psalm 4:2-3 (ESV) — <sup>2</sup> O men, how long shall my honor be turned into shame? How long will you love vain words and seek after lies? Selah <sup>3</sup> But know that the LORD has set apart the godly for himself; the LORD hears when I call to him.

And, finally, regain your peace by giving God the "problem". Instead of continuously replaying the event in your mind, change your self-talk by trusting God. Psalm 4:4-5 (ESV) — <sup>4</sup> Be angry, and do not sin; ponder in your own hearts on your beds, and be silent. Selah <sup>5</sup> Offer right sacrifices, and put your trust in the LORD.

Dear Father, I need your strength today. I don't want to keep replaying deep hurts from my past in my mind. So, I die daily, and continually give you this damaging anger and all that is part of it. Restore my peace that I may once again be able to lay down and sleep (Ps.4:8). In Jesus precious name, amen.

In *peace* I will  
lie down & sleep,  
for you alone,  
O LORD,  
will keep me safe.  
-Psalm 4:8



## THOUGHTS ON “DISTRACTIONS”

Robert Murphy

I have heard it said several times, “I had a hard time concentrating on worship because So-and-So was doing such-and-such. I am not used to such-and-such an action, so it took my attention off the worship service.” In fact, I have thought this to myself several times as well. People raising their hands in prayer, singing off key, or doing something different from what I am doing have all caused me to lose focus on what is important. They should be more considerate of me because I am trying to worship God. Did they not know that everything was to be done “decently and in order” (1 Cor 14:40)?

However, there are major problems with my thinking here. At best I am being inconsistent and at worst hypocritical. While I am castigating someone for being “selfish” for not being considerate of my worship experience, ***I am also being selfish in thinking only about my worship experience***

***at the cost of someone else.*** If possible, I need to love that person by allowing them to express themselves freely during worship service. I do not want to be rebuked like Michal for despising her husband David’s worship and praise of the Lord (2 Sam 6:20-23).

Therefore, let us stop blaming others for “distracting us” and instead grow in our own discipline and lengthen our attention spans. The next time you are “distracted” by someone’s worship (getting on their knees to pray, lifting hands to God in prayer, saying amen repeatedly, etc.), meditate on how wonderful it is that the person is worshiping God freely and are brave enough to express their worship in a way that is meaningful to them. This will humble us and show us that we are not the only ones worshiping God. We are not the center of the show. We have the joy and privilege of worshiping alongside others who are different from us. This is the beauty of the Gospel!

## APOLOGY

Nancy Carnes

One of the hardest things for me when I was growing up was how to apologize to someone I may have hurt by something I said or did-even if it was unintentionally. I would try to excuse it by making a joke of it or just ignore it thinking it would go away, but sometimes the hurt builds and we lose a friendship by not responding with the simple words, “I’m sorry”.

As I grew older, I learned that saying “I’m sorry” was not as hard as I thought it would be. It just takes practice with a sincere heart

of being sorry and contrite and it’s a lot easier than losing a friendship.

Proverbs 17:9 says, “Love prospers when a fault is forgiven but dwelling on it separates close friends”.

We would all do well by saying “I’m sorry” and ask forgiveness-especially from God.



# News, Notes & Announcements...



## VBS FOLLOW-UP MEETING

We will have a short VBS follow up meeting today immediately following services. The purpose of the meeting is to gather any feedback about VBS, and to plan a friends & family sort of day to invite VBS attendees back to Summit. If you were a part of VBS we **hope you'll join us!**

## WEDNESDAY ADULT CLASS

We will begin a combined Wednesday evening adult class on August 25th. **We'll be discussing the book** *Church Reset* by Jack Wilkie of Focus Press. If you would like a copy of the book, please let Morgan or one of the Elders know.

## HELP WANTED

Mid-Western Children's Home needs a secretary part-time: available candidates or for more information, please contact Barry Boverie via email [barry.boverie@mid-western.org](mailto:barry.boverie@mid-western.org) or by phone 513-877-2008.

## BIBLE STUDY WITH DEVOTIONAL

We will begin to have the Sunday evening Bible study with a brief devotional, in person and on-line, starting September 5th, 6pm.

## COMMUNION PREPARATION

There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board.

## LADIES' RETREAT AT POTTER'S RANCH

Friday, September 10th, 6pm - Saturday, September 11th, 3pm. All ladies are welcome to join us for a wonderful time of fellowship and spiritual encouragement. There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board with more details. Please see Laura Hutchings, Renee Carnes, or Sheryl Herald with any questions.

## POTTER CHILDREN'S HOME 19th ANNUAL FALL FESTIVAL

Saturday, September 18th. Activities begin at 9:30am. A day of family fun! Please see bulletin board for more info.

## MEN'S RETREAT AT POTTER'S RANCH

Friday, September 24th, 6pm - Saturday, September 25th, 3pm. All men are welcome. You can attend the full retreat or just come when available. There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board with more info. Please email the office with any questions.

## FAMILY RETREAT AT FORT HILL

Mark your calendars for Friday, October 29th - Sunday, October 31st. More details coming soon!

## BIBLES TO SIGN

Please stop by the counter in the foyer to sign the five Bibles of those recently baptized.

## Summit's Prayer List

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

Billie Rogers Skin grafting to help heal wound  
Cori Fuller & Family Her dad, Steve Smith, passed away  
Don Vickers Home now, difficulty breathing, seeing a pulmonologist  
Gayle Krummen (Denise Henson's aunt) In rehab recovering from open-heart surgery  
Jeri Brown (Sharon's sister in FL) Covid, feeling better  
Ryan & Katrina Weghorn Ryan will have ankle surgery one more time before more serious intervention; Katrina diagnosed with MS  
Spencer Harlow Six surgeries so far; pray that he remains infection free and that blood flow increases to his lower leg  
Sue Gorman (Nancy Carnes' sister) Growth around arteries and nerves in colon, evaluating options

### Cancer

- **Dan Read** (Dan McNeese's friend) Tumor is shrinking
- **Dave Hammer, Jr** (Sharon's son) Cancer is stable
- **Dorothy Whorley** (friend of Sharon Hammer's son) Radiation
- **Sean Timmerding** (Sheryl Herald's friend) Radiation for brain tumor
- **Shellee Jenkins** (Melissa Denham's cousin) Completed chemo; struggling emotionally
- **Tylene Clark** (Sheryl Herald's cousin's wife) Cancer recurrence

### Long-term Needs

- **Dan McNeese** Pray for a full recovery from the effects of COVID
- **Dennis Ratliff** (Sheryl Herald's friend) Awaiting surgery for liver disease
- **Harold Painter** Pray for a full recovery from his heart attack
- **Joey Adams** Needs a suitable group home
- **Ken Smith** (Sheryl Herald's brother) Recovering from a stroke
- **Kerri Herald** Pray for her ability to be independent as an adult
- **Raye Arroyos** (Melissa Denham's mom) Recovery from her stroke is going well
- **Stephanie Gilliam** (Mike Hein's friend) Liver failure

### Shut-In Members

- **Clara Downard**
- **Dana Fuller**
- **Shirley Holt**

### Ongoing Requests

Ben Buchanan-Alaska mission  
Neville Buchanan-counseling work  
For our country and our leaders  
For our members to grow in the Word  
Our Community's lost souls  
Summit's planning efforts for the future  
Summit Family-greater love for one another



## ~ Order of Worship ~

**Song Leader:** Robert Murphy  
*Call to Worship #290 Shine, Jesus, Shine*

**Opening Prayer:** Adam Fuller  
*Hymn #611 Walking in Sunlight*  
*Hymn #731 Take Time to Be Holy*  
*Hymn #364 Come, Share the Lord*

**Lord's Supper:** Michael Braswell

**Offering:** Philippians 4:19  
*Hymn #450 Give Me the Bible*

**Scripture Reading:** Eli Painter

**Message:** Neville Buchanan  
*Invitation Hymn #961 There Is A Balm*

**Closing Prayer:** Daryl Denham

### AM SERMON NOTES:

GIVE ME THE BIBLE

Ps.119:103-104

1. LOVING THE BIBLE BY M\_\_\_\_\_

PSALM 119:97

2. PRODUCES B\_\_\_\_\_

PSALM 119:998-100

3. TO THE B\_\_\_\_\_

PSALM 119:101-104

## ~ Wed., August 25th Service Leaders ~

**Song Leader - Steve Proctor; Opening Prayer - Andrew Ellis**  
**Speaker - Josiah Fuller**

## ~ For the Record ~

### Upcoming Events

Sunday, August 22	VBS Follow-up Meeting
September 10-11	Ladies' Retreat at Potter's
Saturday, Sept. 18	Potter CH Fall Festival
September 24-25	Men's Retreat at Potter's

### Mark Your Calendars

October 29-31	Family Retreat at Fort Hill
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<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>AM</u>	<u>Wed</u>
July 25, 2021	66	138	51
Aug 01, 2021	80	141	115
Aug 08, 2021	78	142	63
Aug 15, 2021	64	126	48

YTD AVG Attendance 111

YTD Baptisms 7

### CONTRIBUTION

Weekly Budget \$4,815.00	YTD AVG - \$5,130.89
Over/Under: +\$10,424.80	
July 25, 2021-\$6,844.00	Aug 01, 2021-\$5,787.00
Aug 08, 2021-\$5,661.00	Aug 15, 2021-\$3,493.00

### Serving the Nursery

08/22—Bettie Courtney & Debra Martin  
 08/29—Emma Guin & Emma Doerr

### Communion Preparation

August—McDole



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!



### AUGUST 22ND—29TH

JOSEPH GORMAN	22ND
DUSTIN MENETREY	22ND
JON PRESNELL	23RD
JACKSON GUIN	27TH
NATALIE DENHAM	28TH
TOM TURNER	28TH

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