



*We love sharing the truth of God's Word!*

**December 26, 2021**

Summit  
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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 Bible Study & Devotional  
Wednesday 7pm Bible Study

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Adam Fuller - Worship Coordinator  
Brad Herald - Finance  
Chris Guin - Missions  
Gideon Devadason - Care & Encouragement  
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Jeff Schaefer - Facilities  
Jim Painter - Fellowship  
Kevin Doerr-Visual Communication  
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Office Hours at Building:

Mon-Thurs: 9-1:30pm  
Friday: 9-12pm

## MAINTAINED FOCUS

Andrew Ellis

With the New Year approaching, many traditions will take place to celebrate the upcoming year. Some will watch the Time Square Ball Drop in New York City. Others will watch the Rose Bowl. One of the most common practices that will take place will be New Year Resolutions. Every year people will establish goals they want to accomplish for the upcoming calendar year. Some people plan to lose weight. Others may want to read more. There could be a goal to develop a new hobby. There is a level of enthusiasm and energy to accomplish the goals. What can happen with many people is that same enthusiasm and energy that existed at the beginning of the year tappers off. Sometimes people may not see the results they want. They may lose interest. As a result, the resolutions become an afterthought. The same thing can happen to us as Christians. When we get baptized, there can be a certain level of enthusiasm. It is a new start for each of us. Do we sustain that same energy we had when we put on Christ in baptism?

As Christians, has there ever been anything that has affected our faith? Anything that has left us discouraged? It can be easy to get distracted in a world with so many temptations. It can be easy to lose focus and get off the right path. Paul in Romans 8 discusses the importance of our mindset. Romans 8:5 says, *"For those who live according to the flesh set their minds on the things of the flesh, but those who live according to the Spirit set their minds on the things of the Spirit."* Jesus, in Matthew 6, also emphasized the importance of where we need to set our sights. Jesus said in Matthew 6:33 says, *"But seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be added to you."*

It is good to have goals. Since many will set goals, there will be an emphasis on accomplishing them. While this will be the mindset for many, let us not lose sight of what is relevant in our lives. Let us draw closer to God and become who we need to be for Him!

# News, Notes & Announcements...



## NEW YEAR'S EVE

The Guins would like to invite everyone to celebrate New Year's Eve at their home. Please bring a snack and drink to share, and a favorite game if you'd like. We will enjoy food and fellowship before we sing in the new year.  
12-31-2021; 7:30 PM - ???  
7914 Lancelot Drive  
Cincinnati, OH 45244

## LADIES' 2022 PLANNING MEETING

Sunday, January 9th following a quick lunch after services.  
All ladies are welcome! Please join us to help plan events/activities for the new year.

## TEACHING OPPORTUNITY!

We're still looking for a few teachers for the upcoming quarter. We need three teachers for Sunday mornings (Pre-school, Elementary, and Middle school) as well as one for Wednesday (Elementary).  
The materials are available. We'll be starting the year with the beginning, in Genesis. Please let Steve Proctor know if you're willing to work with a particular age group.

## THANK YOU CARD FROM HEAD START CLASS

Located on the table in the foyer- be sure to check it out! Includes handprints and pictures of students we purchased gifts for.

## 2022 DAILY DEVOTIONAL BOOKS

Titled "His Family"- available for those who would like a copy.

## CHILI COOK-OFF

Mark your calendars for Saturday, January 22nd.  
More details to follow soon.

## 2022 COMMUNION PREPARATION

There's a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board.

## BIBLES TO SIGN

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

## LADS TO LEADERS

If you are interested in participating or have any questions, please see Cori Fuller. Sign-up sheets are on the bulletin board.



## Summit's Prayer List

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

Emmett Harris (baby of Billy & Sheryl's friends) Less than 2 weeks old, in Children's with air in intestines  
Jack & Sally Pape (Renee Carnes' parents) Jack is in Care Spring rehab, Sally is home now  
Jeri Brown (Sharon Hammer's sister) Abnormal heart rhythm  
Jimmy Hutchings Will have a stem cell procedure on 1/17 to alleviate back pain  
John Boland (Melissa Denham's dad) Shoulder replacement surgery on 1/11  
Johnny Bengé (Steve Proctor's uncle) Heart issues  
Joy Adams Diagnosed with early-stage breast cancer  
Joyce (Thelma's friend) Upcoming intestinal surgery  
Justine and Theresa (friends of the Buchanans) Both diagnosed with cancer  
Michelle Robbins Thyroid growth, testing  
Mike & Diane White Both recovering at home following recent surgeries  
Sarah Strassell (Carolyn Schoultheis' sister) In the hospital with COVID, struggling with cough and low oxygen  
Spencer Harlow Halfway through radiation treatments, doing well  
Tracy Menetrey Started medication for abnormal heart rhythm, recheck in three months  
Cancer  
• Dan Read (Dan McNeese's friend) Tumor is shrinking

• Dave Hammer, Jr (Sharon's son) Cancer is stable  
• Vickie Steffan (Jeff Brown's sister) 2nd round of chemo  
• Wayne Young (Ann Young's son) Cancer in remission  
Long-term Needs  
• Evon Herald- Onset of dementia  
• Harold Painter- In rehab at Emerald Trace  
• Joey Adams- Needs a suitable group home  
• Kerri Herald- Pray for her ability to be independent as an adult  
• Parker Webster- Juvenile diabetes  
• Peggy Holt- Recovering from stroke  
• Raye Arroyos (Melissa Denham's mom) Recovery from her stroke is going well  
• Stephanie Gilliam (Mike Hein's friend) Liver failure  
Shut-In Members  
• Billie Rogers  
• 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



## ~ Order of Worship ~

**Song Leader:** Billy Herald

*Call to Worship #543 Wonderful Words of Life*

*Hymn #483 Is It For Me*

**Opening Prayer:** George Reagan

*Hymn #509 I Will Sing the Wondrous Story*

*Hymn #315 When I Survey the Wondrous Cross*

**Lord's Supper:** Michael Braswell

**Offering:** Matthew 25:29

*Hymn #458 Redeemed*

**Scripture Reading:** Roy Gentry

**Message:** Neville Buchanan

*Invitation Hymn #837 I Need Thee Every Hour*

**Closing Prayer:** Daryl Denham

### SERMON NOTES:

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## ~ Wed., Dec. 29th Service Leaders ~

**Song Leader - Steve Proctor**  
**Opening Prayer - Adam Fuller**  
**Speaker - Billy Herald**

## ~ For the Record ~

### Upcoming Events

Friday, Dec. 31  
 Sunday, Jan. 2  
 Sunday, Jan. 9

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Saturday, Jan. 22

New Year's Eve at Guin's  
 Monthly Fellowship Meal  
 Ladies' 2022 Planning Meeting  
 Bible Bowl Zoom Class on book of Joshua, 5-6pm  
 Chili Cook-off

### Mark Your Calendars

Friday, Feb. 11  
 February 25-27  
 April 14-17  
 April 30, 2022  
 May 27-20

Caring Hearts Gala  
 CYC in Pigeon Forge  
 L2L Convention  
 Parenting Workshop  
 Ft Hill Young Adult Retreat

### Attendance

Nov 28, 2021  
 Dec 05, 2021  
 Dec 12, 2021  
 Dec 19, 2021

### Class

62  
 67  
 57  
 59

### AM

129  
 139  
 117  
 123

### Wed

56  
 44  
 49  
 54

### YTD AVG Attendance

116

### YTD Baptisms

10

### CONTRIBUTION

Weekly Budget \$4,815.00  
 Over/Under: +6,170.80  
 Nov 28, 2021-\$3,904.00  
 Dec 12, 2021-\$4,407.00

YTD AVG - \$4,936.00

Dec 05, 2021-\$5,185.00  
 Dec 19, 2021-\$3,367.00

### Serving the Nursery

12/26— Nancy and Ashley Brown  
 01/02—Stephanie and Aubri, Alexa Painter  
 01/09—Bettie C. and Debra Martin  
 01/16—Emma Guin and Emma Doerr

### Communion Preparation

December—Jeff & Renee Carnes  
 January—Morgan and Vana



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

DEC. 26TH—JAN. 2ND

**KEN CARTER**

**27TH**

**STACIE HERALD**

**28TH**

**BRINKLEY THOMPSON**

**29TH**



Do you have an item for *The Summit Bulletin*? Please email it to Morgan at [nkychurch@gmail.com](mailto: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](mailto:nkychurch@gmail.com) too.