



We love sharing the truth of God's Word!

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Summit

Church of Christ

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*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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THE PHYSICAL THERAPY METAPHOR

Daryl Denham

Do your best to present yourself to God as one approved, a worker who has no need to be ashamed, rightly handling the word of truth. 2 Timothy 2:15

Several years ago, I dislocated my ankle and fractured my leg. I had surgery to properly reset the ankle and the fractured bone. Following surgery, I went through an extensive physical therapy program.

Physical therapy provides a great metaphor for learning new things, obtaining new skills, or accomplishing many goals. In simple terms, we get out of it what we put into it. The ways that it is effective include:

- It's self-produced. We may work with a therapist, but the work is done by us, not to us.
- It's gradual. We don't get better after only one session. "Line upon line, precept upon precept."
- It requires our own effort to create the change we seek.
- It's simple. There's no magic elixir, just directed, persistent effort.
- It takes effort. There's no easy answer.

What are you trying to accomplish? What do you want to learn? What skills do you wish to obtain? Would you like to learn more about the Bible? What about conducting a Bible study? Would you like to learn to teach a class?

There's no better time to start than today. It only takes a day to begin to change. Why waste it? "Precept upon precept...line upon line, here a little, there a little" *Isaiah 28:13*. Now it's up to you to decide what it is you want to accomplish!



From Neville's Desk...

IS MOM HAPPY?

Science says the most successful kids need five things from their parents. Can anyone guess what number one is? "They make sure Mom is happy" (t.ly/pX9X). Apparently, Mom's happiness was twice as important as Dad's when it came to the mental health issues in boys. When it came to girls "only their mother's happiness was found to be linked to their mental health as teens".

So, how do we make sure Moms are happy? It is very simple. Show them respect and love. Exodus 20:12 (ESV) "Honor your father and your mother" ... Leviticus 19:3 (ESV) "Every one of you shall

revere his mother and his father".

Practically speaking, how do we show love and respect?

- Show that you care by asking her to share a story from her youth. For instance: "Mom, what did you like to do when you were my age"?
- Notice her emotions. I.e., "Mom, I can see you are frustrated (sad/happy/stressed). "Is there anything I can do"?
- Checking in. Send a quick text. I.e., "Just checking in".
- Make it right. i.e., "Mom, I am so sorry – please forgive me".

Friend, do you still have a Mom? Then follow Solomon's advice: "Her children rise up and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praises her" (Pro.31:28, ESV).

REST

Robert Murphy

Ever since the fall of humankind, our relationship with work has been cursed, "Cursed is the ground because of you; In toil you will eat of it All the days of your life. "Both thorns and thistles it shall grow for you; And you will eat the plants of the field; By the sweat of your face You will eat bread, Till you return to the ground, Because from it you were taken; For you are dust, And to dust you shall return" (Gen 3:17–19, NASB). Originally, God gave humans the task of working in a garden, where exhausting labor was unnecessary. Thus, work was a God-given duty and lacked the frustration and weariness that characterizes work after the fall. Yet, God gives us rest. God gave Israel the sabbath as a blessing so that they would not work on the seventh day. Jesus even said, "Come to Me, all who are weary and heavy-laden, and I will give you rest" (Matt 11:28).

Even today with all our machinery and modern conveniences, many are unable to enjoy God's blessing of rest. We have become workaholics,

and often by our own choice. It may be that we enjoy work too much because it gives us purpose. If this is the case, we need to find our purpose in Christ so that when we work, we work and find enjoyment in him; when we rest, we will rest and find enjoyment in him. Perhaps it is because we want to get ahead and put in more hours to build more financial security. If this is the case, we should heed the words of the psalmist, "Unless the LORD builds the house, those who build it labor in vain. Unless the LORD watches over the city, the watchman stays awake in vain. It is in vain that you rise up early and go late to rest, eating the bread of anxious toil; for he gives to his beloved sleep." (Ps 127:1–2, ESV).

I have already written an article on this topic, but this time I am writing this for myself. I am in the middle of studying for finals and have neglected many things due to studying nearly every waking moment of the day. I will concede to myself and others that there are seasons in life where we will be busier and work more. Yet we need these reminders from Scripture that tells us to stop and find rest in the Lord and know that he gives sleep to his beloved.

News, Notes & Announcements...



FORT HILL WORKDAY

Saturday, May 21st. Volunteers are encouraged to arrive Friday evening and spend the night to get an early start on Saturday.

POTTER CHILDREN'S HOME GLEANER CANS

Available for pick-up. Please contact the office if you would like a can to fill. They will be collected this fall.

UPCOMING EVENTS...

GRADUATION CELEBRATION

Summit will celebrate graduates on **Sunday, June 5th** during the fellowship meal. If you know of someone to include, please send their name to Melissa Denham or Sheryl Herald.

FORT HILL YOUTH CAMP

June 26—July 2nd, 2022. Registration is now open on the Fort Hill website. Please don't let the registration cost prevent you from registering—see one of the elders for additional information if assistance is needed. If you want to carpool, have questions about camp, etc., please contact Jeannette.



Summit's Prayer List

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

Ethan Judy (Friend of Fullers) Undergoing treatment for stomach cancer

Jeff & Renee Carnes Both have covid

Kyle Lomax (Sheryl's cousin) Moved to rehabilitation

Kyle Proctor Recovering from covid

Melanie Schaefer Recovering from knee procedure

Michael Braswell Rotator cuff/shoulder problems

Samantha Pearson In the hospital recovering from open-heart surgery

Sarah Webster Infection in sphenoid sinus cavity, taking strong antibiotics for next 3 weeks

Thelma Rachford In the hospital recovering from hip surgery

Ukrainian brothers and sisters in Christ Please pray for their safety

Cancer

- Dan Read (Dan McNeese's friend) Tumor is shrinking
- Dave Hammer, Jr (Sharon's son) Latest scans good
- Joy Adams— Recovering from breast cancer surgery
- Ruthann Taylor— Radiation treatments
- Vickie Steffan (Jeff Brown's sister) Chemo
- Wayne Young (Ann Young's son) Cancer in remission

Long-term Needs

- Evon Herald— Onset of dementia
- Joey Adams- Needs a suitable group home

- Kerri Herald- Pray for her ability to be independent as an adult
- Parker Webster— Juvenile diabetes
- 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
- Lloyd Eastham
- 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

Summit's Deacons-encouragement in service

Summit's Elders-wisdom & love for the flock

Summit's Seniors-faithfulness & mentoring

Summit's Teachers-thankful for our teachers



~ Order of Worship ~

Song Leader: Robert Murphy
Call to Worship #577 We Bow Down
Hymn #226 Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing

Opening Prayer: Michael Braswell
Hymn #122 The Love of God
Hymn #945 Kneel At the Cross

Lord's Supper: Steve Proctor

Offering: Matthew 25:29
Hymn: Before the Throne

Scripture Reading: Eli Gray

Message: Neville Buchanan
Invitation Hymn #797 Lord, We Come Before Thee Now

Closing Prayer: Billy Herald

SERMON NOTES:

BOWING IN LOVE BEFORE OUR KING

EPHESIANS 3:14-21

1. THE A_____, EPHESIANS 3:14-15

2. THE S_____, EPHESIANS 3:16-19

3. THE K_____, EPHESIANS 3:20-21

~ Wed., May 11th Service Leaders ~

Song Leader - Steve Proctor
Opening Prayer - Andrew Ellis
Speaker - Billy Herald

~ For the Record ~

Upcoming Events

May 13-14, 2022	Cross-Congregational Men's Retreat at Fort Hill
Saturday, May 14	Mid-Western 5k Run/Walk
Saturday, May 21	Ft Hill Workday
May 27-29	Ft Hill Young Adult Retreat
May 27-29	Spanish Speaking Gospel Meeting at Summit

Mark Your Calendars

Sunday, June 5	Fellowship Meal and Graduation Celebration
June 26-July 2	Fort Hill Youth Camp
Saturday, July 23	Church Picnic at AJ Jolly
July 31-Aug 3	Vacation Bible School
September 23-24	Men's Retreat at Potter's
October 21-23	Summit Retreat at Fort Hill
Wednesday, Oct. 26	Trunk-or-Treat

Attendance

Apr 10, 2022
 Apr 17, 2022
 Apr 24, 2022
 May 01, 2022

Class

70
 54
 70
 100

AM

125
 135
 140
 126

Wed

52
 46
 41
 46

YTD AVG Attendance

125

CONTRIBUTION

Weekly Budget \$4,876.00	YTD AVG - \$5,056.00
Over/Under: +\$3,243.00	
Apr 10, 2022-\$7,686.00	Apr 17, 2022-\$2,361.00
Apr 24, 2022-\$5,791.00	May 01, 2022-\$4,967.00

Serving the Nursery

05/08—Douwene and Sarah Watts
 05/15—Nancy and Ashley Brown
 05/22—Stephanie and Aubri, Alexa Painter
 05/29—Bettie C. and Debra Martin

Communion Preparation

May—Jeff & Nancy Brown

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.