



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

July 3, 2022

Summit
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## Jta11

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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### **A LIGHT**

George Reagan

I am amazed by the number of applications one can have on one's cell (smart) phone. The camera can be linked to applications that allow you to identify trees and plants, bar codes on packages and even identify an airplane passing overhead. The one application that I use frequently is the flashlight. The light is produced by a small light emitting diode (labeled as a LED). It also serves as the flash for the camera when needed. The light is very bright. I have a cover on the back case of the phone, which covers the camera lenses and the light. Several times unknowingly, I have touched the icon and turned on the light and wondered why my battery usage rate is so high after 4 to 5 hours. With the light covered, it is hard to notice its illumination. I have discovered this at the most inopportune times.

A covered or hidden light is a waste of energy and serves no useful purpose other than to baffle the user why there is so little battery left. When the light is not covered, where we are looking is illuminated. The dark area is no longer dark. A lighted room raises spirits and eases worries or troublesome thoughts. A light on the front porch is a welcome to the weary traveler.

Jesus said, "No one lights a lamp and puts it in a place where it will be hidden, or under a bowl. Instead they put it on its stand, so that those who come in may see the light. Your eye is the lamp of your body. When your eyes are healthy (generous), your whole body also is full of light. But when they are unhealthy (stingy), your body also is full of darkness. See to it, then, that the light within you is not darkness. Therefore, if your whole body is full of light, and no part of it dark, it will be just as full of light as when a lamp shines its light on you." (Luke 11: 33-36)

I must be a welcoming light rather than a hidden light that is wasting energy on my own self-importance. I need and must seek God. Daniel said that our God is a God of light that illuminates the dark places. (Daniel 2:22)

BE A LIGHT IN THIS DARK WORLD



### From Neville's Desk...

### THE SECRET LIFE

She walked into my counseling office, completely broken by sin. A very well-hidden secret had come to light. Could this be describing you?

Many years ago, the tribes of Reuben and Gad, and the half-tribe of Manasseh asked Moses for permission to live on the wrong side of the Jordan River. After assuring Moses that they were not trying to shirk their duties, Moses agreed with this warning: "But if you will not do so, behold, you have sinned against the Lord, AND BE SURE YOUR SIN WILL FIND YOU OUT" (Num.32:23).

### UNITED

### Nancy Carnes

On the fourth of July, our country will again celebrate its independence from England and its right to govern itself. One of these rights was the freedom of worship. The country stood united in its effort to protect this right along with many others.

Although we still celebrate, it seems that some people just look on it as a holiday from work. For years the world has been chipping away at our freedom to worship. They have taken away Bible reading and prayer in schools.

The problem with sin is that it does not want to stay hidden. Last week, Douwene was out of town. How easy it would be for me to sneak into "Little Caesars" and order a Pizza. I mean, Douwene would never find out — right?

This happened to "a friend of mine". He went to Little Caesars and ordered the cheapest pizza on the menu — without his wife's knowledge. But then something very unfortunate happened. They told him that they could not sell him a pizza because of the time. So, they offered him two pizzas and his choice of chicken wings. However, because it was done in secret, he is now unable to tell anyone of his good fortune.

Friend don't be like "that friend of mine". Rather remember, "Nothing is covered up that will not be revealed or hidden that will not be known" (Lk.12:2).

They try to suppress the importance of worshipping God. As Christians, if we don't stand united in our faith, we could easily fall into the world's rejection of one of the rights that this country was founded on.

Deuteronomy 31:6 tells us to "be strong and courageous. Do not fear or be in dread of them for it is the Lord your God who goes with you. He will not leave you or forsake you".

Even though the world tries to take away our right to worship, God helps us to stand united in worshipping Him. As it states on all our currency, "In God We Trust".

### News, Notes & Announcements...



#### RETIREMENT PARTY

Please join us to celebrate Jeff Brown's retirement during our fellowship meal today directly following services. The Browns are providing lunch (pizza, sub sandwiches, salad and dessert).

Everyone is welcome!

### LADIES DAY AT GRANT COUNTY CHURCH OF CHRIST

Saturday, July 16th from 9am-1pm (registration at 8:30am). Please see the bulletin board for more details.

### SENIORS LUNCH

The seniors are meeting for lunch this Wednesday, July 6th, 12:30pm at the Cracker Barrel in Cold Spring. Please let Sheryl Herald know if you plan to attend.

### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Summit will host Vacation Bible School July 31-August 3, 7:00-8:30 PM. This year we will be using the Apologetics Press curriculum titled *Fearless*. We will be looking at the lives of Luke, Peter, Paul, Priscilla & Aquila, and Stephen and focus on what made them have a fearless faith.

If you would like to help with VBS in any way, see the sign-up board in the foyer for volunteer opportunities. We will try to do most of the early prep and planning virtually to cut down on meetings since summer schedules are busy for everyone. Please consider helping to plant seeds of faith in children from our congregation and community. Let's work together to make this year's VBS a success!

### **CHURCH PICNIC**

Saturday, July 23 at AJ Jolly Park.

### July Wedding Anniversaries

Brandon & Sarah Webster	14th
Bob & Kimberly Lilie	16th
Bill & Sheryl Herald	23rd
Josh & Stacie Herald	25th
Daryl & Cindy Tucker	27th
Jesus & Elena Riera	27th

# Summit's Prayer List

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

Cory Crabb (Harding student) Remains in a drug-induced coma, attempts to bring him out resulted in more seizures

Douwene Buchanan Covid

Family of Jacob Lykins (friend of Brody Caudill/Denhams) 18 years old, passed away suddenly

Jake Whitford (Friend of Nick & Chelsea Brown) Tore muscles in leg therapy prior to surgery

Kandi Horn (Proctor's friend) Stage zero breast cancer, prognosis good, MRI results

Michael Braswell Surgery for torn ligament scheduled for some time in October

Thelma Rachford Moved to Carmel Manor (100 Carmel Manor Rd, Fort Thomas, KY 41075, Room #1015)

Ukrainian brothers and sisters in Christ Many displaced, please pray for their safety

Vickie Compton (Jody Hammer's mom) Placed in hospice, please keep the family in your prayers

Vielka Bonaga (Dalys' sister) Treatment for colon cancer Cancer

- Dave Hammer, Jr (Sharon's son) Latest scans good
- Ethan Judy (Friend of Fullers) Treatment for stomach cancer
- Joy Adams- Treatment
- Vickie Steffan (Jeff Brown's sister) Recovering from surgery 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
- Thelma Rachford

### 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: Steve Proctor

Call to Worship #869 We're Marching to Zion

Hymn #647 Soldiers of Christ, Arise

**Opening Prayer:** Billy Herald

Hymn: The Battle Belongs to the Lord

Hymn #337 Hallelujah! What a Savior

**Lord's Supper:** Michael Braswell

Offering: Proverbs 3:9

Hymn: We Shall Assemble

Scripture Reading: Eli Painter

Neville Buchanan Message:

Invitation Hvmn #619 A New Creature

**Closing Prayer** Billy Herald

### SERMON NOTES:

GOD'S LOVING FAMILY

EPHESIANS 4:1-16

AS SEEN IN OUR ...

1. U\_\_\_\_\_, EPH.4:1-6

2. D\_\_\_\_\_, EPH.4:7-11

3. F\_\_\_\_\_, EPH.4:12-16

### ~ Wed., July 6th Service Leaders ~

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

# ~ For the Record ~

**Upcoming Events** 

Sunday, July 3 Retirement Party &

Fellowship Meal

Wednesday, July 6 Seniors Lunch, 12:30pm Saturday, July 16 Ladies' Day at Grant Co.

Saturday, July 23 Church Picnic at AJ Jolly July 31-Aug 3 Vacation Bible School

**Mark Your Calendars** 

September 23-24 Men's Retreat at Potter's October 21-23 Summit Retreat at Fort Hill

Wednesday, Oct. 26 Trunk-or-Treat

Attendance Class Wed AM Jun 05, 2022 32 61 120 Jun 12, 2022 60 104 44 Jun 19, 2022 61 110 44 Jun 26, 2022 72 33 120

YTD AVG Attendance 124

### CONTRIBUTION

Weekly Budget \$4,876.00 YTD AVG - \$4,969.00

Over/Under: +\$2,423.00

Jun 05, 2022-\$5,987.00 Jun 12, 2022-\$4,050.00 Jun 19, 2022-\$3,479.00 Jun 26, 2022-\$4,175.00

### Serving the Nursery

07/03—Emma Guin, Josiah, and Kameron

07/10—Morgan and Vana

07/17—Douwene and Sarah Watts

07/24—Nancy and Ashley Brown

### **Communion Preparation**

July—Dalys Hill



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