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A Guide to Giving

As you plan your giving, a study of the following verses should help.

1. "Beware lest you say in your heart, 'My power and the might of my hand have gotten me this wealth.' You shall remember the Lord your God, for it is he who **gives** you power to get wealth." (Duet. 8:17,18)
2. "Do not lay up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust consume and where thieves break in and steal, but lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust consumes and where thieves do not break in and steal! For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also." (Matt 6:19-21)
3. "Take heed, and beware of all covetousness." (Luke 12:15)
4. "If the you have not been faithful in the unrighteous mammon, who will entrust to you the true riches?" (Luke 16:11)
5. "For God so loved the world that he **gave** his only Son..." (John 3:16)
6. "Thanks be to God for his inexpressible **gift!**" (II Cor 9:15)
7. "It is more blessed to **give** than to receive." (Acts 20:35)
8. "...**give**, and it will be **given** to you; good measure, pressed down, shaken together, running over, will be put into your lap. For the measure you **give** will be the measure you get back." (Luke 6:38)
9. "Having **gifts** that differ according to the grace **given** to us, let us use them...he who contributes, in liberality." (Rom. 12:6,8)
10. "...you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sake he became poor, so that by his poverty you might become rich." (II Cor. 8:9)
11. "So **give** proof...of your love." (II Cor 8:24)
12. "...he who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly and he who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully." (II Cor 9:6)
13. "Each one must do as he has made up his mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful **giver**" (II Cor. 9:7)
14. "What shall I render to the Lord for all his bounty to me?" (Ps 116:12)

We would like all of our Guests to join our members in filling out an attendance card so that we might have a record of your visit.

There are two things that we would like to explain to you about our worship service. Our singing is *acappella* or *without accompaniment*. Although instruments of music were used by the Jews in the Old Testament, they are conspicuously absent in the church of the New Testament. We are told to, "Sing and make music in your heart to the Lord." (Ephesians 5:19)

We partake of the *Lord's supper* or *Communion* every Sunday as the early church did (Acts 21:7). The partaking of the bread and the fruit of the vine is a weekly memorial that reminds us of what our Savior did for us. (I Cor. 11:23-26)

WHAT MUST I DO TO BE SAVED?

HEAR (Luke 11: 28)

But He said, "More than that, blessed are those who hear the word of God and keep it!"

BELIEVE (Mark 16: 16)

"He who believes and is baptized will be saved; but he who does not believe will be condemned."

REPENT (Acts 2: 38)

Then Peter said to them, "Repent, and let every one of you be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins; and you shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit"

CONFESS (Matthew 10: 32)

"Therefore whoever confesses Me before men, him I will also confess before My Father who is in heaven."

BE BAPTIZED (Acts 22: 16)

"And now why are you waiting? Arise and be baptized, and wash away your sins, calling on the name of the Lord."

WELCOME VISITORS:

We are so glad you decided to be here today! It is always such a blessing to be able to meet you and be encouraged by your presence. Thank you for coming our way.

FOR THE CHILDREN:

Children's Worship Bulletins are available at the back for ages 3-6 and ages 7-12.

Attended Nursery for infants through age two. Parents may leave their children in the nursery before the worship service begins.

A Training Room for parents to use anytime during the worship service is also provided across the hall from the attended nursery.

For Your Convenience:

Hearing aid devices are available and may be received from the attendant in the sound room at the rear of the auditorium.



Prayer List

- ❖ **Kitty Bush** is finished with her chemo treatments. She will start radiation treatments later this month
- ❖ **Brenda Shinholser** is able to put weight on her foot now. She still has a long recovery time.
- ❖ **Joe Pine and Evelyn Smith** have been ill for a while.
- ❖ **Dianne Parson** has no more sign of cancer at all.
- ❖ **David Parson** has swelling in hands which doctors have been unable to determine cause.
- ❖ **Carmi Green** has continued health problems.
- ❖ **Al Overfield** continues to improve.
- ❖ **Ernie Zink** still taking radiation treatments.
- ❖ **Pray for Winter Members** as they begin to return.
- ❖ **Helen Piety**, our shut-in.

EXTENDED FAMILY AND FRIENDS

- ❖ **Virginia Shinholser** continue to pray for her recovery. This will take a long time.
- ❖ **Glenda Friend**, sister of Carol Johnson, is at home.
- ❖ Glen and Joanne Wooters' son, **Debbie Vigar** (Marjorie Vandivor's sister has started radiation treatments), **Carolyn Shook**, cousin of Betty Parker, **Sherry (Johnson) Brown** ex daughter-in-law of Harry and Carol Johnson are all currently undergoing treatment for cancer.
- ❖ **Mae Dorst**, 96 year-old-mother of Patty Massey, continues to have health concerns
- ❖ **Lynn Einfeldt**, father of Rachel Capps is back at the Palms for physical therapy.
- ❖ **Rachel Olerud**, relative of Clyde and Kitty Bush, has a rare form of lymphoma.
- ❖ **Marilyn Martin**, friend of Mary Welsh, has a cancer in her thyroid.
- ❖ **Randy Showalter**, friend of Patty Massey, has a brain tumor.
- ❖ **Thelma Eubanks**, Gwin Barnum's mother, has been placed in the care of hospice and is in a declining condition.

MISSION EFFORTS

- ❖ **Anil Tejpaal and family and Javeed Ally** in Guyana.
- ❖ **Vovo Shoot and family and Dema Galook and family** in Chernovtsy.
- ❖ **F. H & Becky Gates** in Brazil

Our Record: September 10, 2006

Bible Study	77
Sunday AM Worship	106
Sunday PM Worship	NA
Contribution	\$2202
Wednesday Bible Study	NA
Building Fund	\$20
Ukraine Building Fund	\$0
F.H. Gates	\$0
Special Mission Efforts –	\$0
World Bible Translation (Ladies Class)	\$0
Clothing Room/Pantry 9/14	22

Upcoming Birthdays



Donna Roberts	9/17
Jody Rugenstein	9/18
Bradley Benton	9/19
Bob Maire	9/20
Cliff Blain	9/26
Julie Oregon	9/26
Charlaine Adams	9/27
Henry Hargrove	9/28

Upcoming Anniversary

Delbert & Eleanor Mason	9/21
Jim & Sue Morris	9/24

Visitors for September 10, 2006

Ray Fisch
Cam & Charlotte Usher
Gaylin, Aaron & Megan Thomas
Dawn & Autumn Camp

The Best Tool

Romans 1:16 gives us four reasons why the gospel is our most effective tool for evangelism.

First, it is **POWER**. The original word is similar to our word for dynamite.

Second, it is **OF GOD**. Though Rome with her imperial power was great, the power of God was greater. However sincere the motive, any alteration or substitution of that power only weakens it.

Third, it is **UNTO SALVATION**. In addition to being a past event and a future hope, salvation is a present reality. It can turn hate into love, despair into hope, and defeat into triumph.

Fourth, it is **FOR EVERYONE**. The saving power of the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ is for all!

Dowel Flatt

Preaching Schedule



9/17 Alex Bayes AM
 Alex Bayes PM
 9/24 Carl Martin AM & PM
 10/1 Charles Wilson AM & PM

Ladies Class Schedule



September 19th at 10:00am
 September 26th at 10:00am

Clothing Room

We will be holding a two day give away in the clothing room on September 22nd and 23rd from 9am-3pm. On that week only, we will not hold the Thursday schedule. We will need volunteers to work a two hour shift. If you have any furniture or household items to donate for use in this ministry, please let Betty Abrams or Harry Johnson know. There is a sign up sheet on the bulletin board in the hallway or see Betty.



Searching For Truth

There are still a lot of copies of World Video Bible School DVD *Searching for Truth*. These copies are located on the tables in the foyer of the main building and at the exits in the fellowship/classroom building. The elders encourage everyone to take these DVD's and share them with friends, family, and those in the community.

Please check your information on the updated directory sheets in Classroom 2 if you have not already done so. Tracey Stalter will be available today to take pictures of those who do not have a picture for the directory or for those who would like and updated picture of their family. As soon as all information has been verified, we can begin to publish the new directory.

From the Elders

We will continue with a number of preachers trying out. It may take several months to make a selection. Please give the elders your input in writing as to any feedback you wish them to consider. There are forms on the tables in the back for you to use for this purpose. Remember the scale to use with 1 being best and 5 being poorest.



- Canned Kidney, Pinto & Navy Beans
- Green Peas
- Canned Meats
- Spaghetti and Sauce
- Macaroni & Cheese
- Chili
- Stew
- Chicken & Dumplings
- Canned White and Sweet Potatoes
- Rice
- Baby Food & Baby Cereal
- Toothpaste
- Bar Soap
- Deodorant
- Small Boxed Cereal

God's Prescription for Stress

- “Wait for the Lord.” Ps. 27:4
- “He leads me beside the still water; He restoreth my soul.” Ps. 23:2,3
- “Be still and know that I am God.” Ps. 26:10
- “The race is not to the swift.” Eccl. 9:11
- “Peace I leave with you; my peace I give unto you...Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid.” John 14:27
- “And the peace of God, which passes all understand, shall keep your hearts and mind through Christ Jesus.” Phil 4:7

SHEPHERDS

- Harry Johnson 655-3386**
 (Evangelism/Membership
 Directory/Membership
 Fellowship Clothing Room)
- Dave Marcum..... 385-8899**
 (Treasurer/ Administration)
- Olin Shinholser..... 382-1060**
 (Worship Services/ Education)
- Paul Talbert..... 385-3756**
 (Building & Grounds/
 Benevolence/ Membership
 Services)

DEACONS

- Bill Benton 453-6002**
 (Treasurer/Visitation)
- Chris Fowler..... 386-4661**
 (Youth Director/ Services
 Director/ Substitute Teacher
 Assignments/Sound Room)
- Roger Gurganus..... 453-3939**
 (Building & Grounds
 Maintenance (Outside)/
 Transportation/ Communion)
- Tracey Stalter..... 471-9736**
 (Building Maintenance (Inside)/
 Membership Directory/ Pews)
- BJ Thomas..... 385-7270**
 (Building Maintenance (Outside)/
 Benevolence, Clothing Room)
- Don Ware..... 382-0194**
 (Special Mission Efforts/
 Timothy Class)

A Little More

- Do more than exist-----
LIVE!
- Do more than touch-----
FEEL!
- Do more than look-----
OBSERVE!
- Do more than read-----
ABSORB!
- Do more than hear-----
LISTEN!
- Do more than listen-----
UNDERSTAND!
- Do more than think-----
PONDER!
- Do more than talk-----
SAY SOMETHING!

SCHEDULED TO SERVE		ORDER OF SERVICE FOR MORNING WORSHIP
THIS SUNDAY	NEXT SUNDAY	
<p>Prepare Communion: Nancy Stalter & Carolyn Thomas</p> <p>Greeters: Ron Horton Tracey Stalter Bill Sweeton Nancy Stalter</p> <p>Pick Up Cards: Victor Orgeon & Austin Ritenour</p> <p>Pick Up Communion Cups: Forest Ritenour & Joshua Fowler</p> <p>Sound Room: Tracey Stalter</p> <p>Secure Building This Week: Tracey Stalter</p>	<p>Prepare Communion: Nancy Stalter & Carolyn Thomas</p> <p>Greeters: Ron Horton Clem Smith Bill Sweeton Margaret Smith</p> <p>Pick Up Cards: Forest Ritenour & Nicholas Stalter</p> <p>Pick Up Communion Cups: Nathan Ramer & Austin Ritenour</p> <p>Sound Room: Bill Benton</p> <p>Secure Building Next Week: Bill Benton</p>	<p>Announcements: BJ Thomas</p> <p>Song: 108 - The Lord is in His Holy Temple</p> <p>Opening Prayer: Don Gunter</p> <p>Song: 266 - Majesty</p> <p>Song: 232 Worthy, You Are Worthy</p> <p>Communion</p> <p>Offering</p> <p>Song: 187 - Great is the Lord</p> <p>Song: 103 - He Has Made Me Glad</p> <p>Lesson: Alex Bayes</p> <p>Invitation Song: 909 -There's a Fountain Free</p> <p>Song: 567 - Restore My Soul</p> <p>Closing Prayer: Cliff Blain</p>
<p>Announcements: BJ Thomas</p> <p>Song Leader: Chris Fowler</p> <p>Opening Prayer: Don Gunter</p> <p>Lord's Supper:</p> <p>Preside: Bill Benton</p> <p>Serve: 1. Bob Parnett 4. James Ware 2. Clem Smith 5 Herb Ellis 3. Nicholas Stalter 6 Don Ware</p> <p>Closing Prayer: Cliff Blain</p>	<p>Announcements: Dave Marcum</p> <p>Song Leader: Paul Talbert</p> <p>Opening Prayer: Don Ware</p> <p>Lord's Supper:</p> <p>Preside: Olin Shinholser</p> <p>Serve: 1. Rick Cochran 4 Carl Martin 2. Chuck Miller 5 Dale Spung 3. Leon Tubbs 6. Edison Green</p> <p>Closing Prayer: Don Gunter</p>	<p>Reminder</p> <p>If for some reason you find that you cannot serve as scheduled in the monthly assignment schedule, please call Chris Fowler as soon as possible so that a substitute can be selected.</p> <p>Those serving are asked to be here at least 10 minutes before the service starts.</p> <p>Those who participate Sunday morning are asked to wear appropriate dress attire, preferably, though not required, a dress shirt and tie. At other services casual sport shirt and slacks are acceptable; no T-shirts or shorts should be worn while serving the congregation.</p> <p>Thank you for your cooperation.</p>
Sunday Evening	Sunday Evening	
<p>Song Leader: Mike Tubbs</p> <p>Opening Prayer: Clem Smith</p> <p>Lord's Supper: Bill Benton</p> <p>Closing Prayer: Dwain Chambers</p>	<p>Song Leader: Don Ware</p> <p>Opening Prayer: Harry Johnson</p> <p>Lord's Supper: Olin Shinholser</p> <p>Closing Prayer: Roger Gurganus</p>	
Wednesday Evening	Wednesday Evening	
<p>Song Leader: Troy Talbert</p> <p>Invitation: Harry Johnson</p> <p>Closing Prayer: Chuck Miller</p>	<p>Song Leader: Robert Capps</p> <p>Invitation: BJ Thomas</p> <p>Closing Prayer: Gordon Smith</p>	
<p>FREE BIBLE STUDY BY MAIL</p> <p>If you would like to receive a series of Bible Study Lessons, send this request to:</p> <p>Sebring Parkway Church of Christ 3800 Sebring Parkway Sebring, FL 33870</p> <p>Name _____</p> <p>Address _____</p> <p>Age Range: <input type="checkbox"/> 0 - 10 yrs <input type="checkbox"/> 11 - 17 yrs <input type="checkbox"/> 18 - 50 yrs <input type="checkbox"/> 51 - ?? yrs</p>	<p>MEET WITH US</p> <p>Sunday Bible Study.....9:00 AM Sunday AM Worship.....10:00 AM Sunday PM Service.....6:00 PM Wednesday Bible Study....7:00 PM</p> <p>Website: http://www.sebringcoc.com</p> <p>Email: sebringparkway@sebringcoc.com</p> <p>Office Hours: 9am-2pm M-F</p>	<p>One who has a light view of sin never has great thoughts of God, because God hates sin.</p>

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