Otterbein United Brethren in Christ Church



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A Church That C.A.R.E.S.

146 Leitersburg Street, Greencastle, PA 17225

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The Lord's Day

February 6, 2022

In his pride
the wicked man
does not
seek God.
In all his
thoughts
there is no
room
for God.
(Psalm 10:4)

Prelude
Scripture and Creed
Prayer
Hymn #495
Kids Korner
Worship Music
Bible Message
Hymn #529
Benediction

Yesterday He died for me. Yesterday. This is HISTORY.
Today He lives for me. Today. This is VICTORY.
Tomorrow He comes for me. Tomorrow. This is MYSTERY.

We WELCOME you to this WORSHIP service today! Folks have discovered that the difference between our two worship services is quite pronounced. One is early and one is late! We're glad you can participate today (8:30 and 10:45)

*If you do not currently attend Sunday School, we invite you to take this extra time today. If not for yourself... perhaps for the person who may be impacted by your own testimony. 9:50 - 10:40.

Smaller group. Discussion. Prayer. Friendship.

CHURCH DIRECTORY APP...

- 1. Do you have it on your phone? It is a great tool in knowing, finding, and communicating with folks in your church family.
- 2. <u>Pictures</u> and <u>phone numbers</u> need to be kept updated. You may put your updated info on the pew card (right now!) and drop it into the offering collection bucket on the table across from the library.
 - *Someone will be in the entryway today following the service to snap your picture for the directory. Why? So that folks can know who you are! Let's get'er done!

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Last Week	1/	23/2022
Attendance		204
General	\$	8,251.00
Missions	\$	2,861.50
Building Fund	\$	1,722.50
Sunday School	\$	205.00

	This Week	Next Week
1 st Nursery		Deb Michalsky & Amy Fleming
2 nd Nursery	Cindy Rawley	
Acolyte	Andrina Murray 1 st Ben Barrett 2 nd	Grayson Murray 1 st Shelby Rife 2 nd
Prelude	Leta Sipes	Diana Gruver



We are now in winter! Weather is an unavoidable factor for any service or activity. We will post cancellations on our website. If you question whether something will be cancelled, please check there! If that is not possible, call David or Josh. Sometimes roads are clear but parking lots are not, etc.

Check it out! ... www.greencastleub.org.



Next Senior Outing – Tue., Feb. 8, Meet at the Sunnyway Diner at 8:30 a.m. RSVP to Fran Stoner by Mon., Feb. 7, at (717) 597-0189

Ladies' Bible Study Mon., Feb 7 at 1:00 All are welcome!

Membership Class If you wish to join the membership of OUB, plan to participate in our class on Saturday evening, February 19... 6:00 to 8:00. Membership Vows would be the next day, Sunday, February 20. Membership is a public statement of unity and commitment to OUB. Also, please notify Pastor David.

Dedication of a child or Christian baptism? These will be offered on Sunday, February, 27. IF interested in these, please speak with Pastor David.



WMF Meeting - Thursday, Feb. 3, at 6:30 p.m. All ladies are welcome to attend! Questions? Contact Amy Gour at (717) 597-9202.

REAL RELIGION

(James 1:26-27)

Starting Possibility. Religion is	something that ultimately must be
	Otherwise, though comforting or
meaningful to self or even impre	essive to others, it is actually
(1:26-27)	·
WHAT MAKES RELIGION EFF	FECTIVE OR ACCEPTABLE TO GOD?
1. True FAITH that initiates	an actual with God
(Heb. 11:6, Rom. 5:1-2)	
√ Turning AWAY from .	or
living	
9	n with the goal of,
, and	•
(11 Cor. 5:7-10	
(35 35)	
True MOTIVES that are	and
to God (1 Cor.	4:2-5)
√ shown in	(especially speech)
	(especially to the helpless)
√ shown in	
a non-religious wor	

*These are extremely high markers and our good motives do not always measure up. Is our religion, therefore, useless? The only human who lived in sinless perfection was Jesus. James is describing the basic orientation of our lives, our central commitment and allegiance. The heart's motive. It is not perfection that proves our salvation, but rather our hating our imperfections and seeking (with God's power) to correct them. This makes religion pure in God's sight.