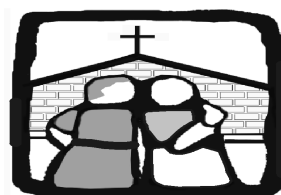


Otterbein United Brethren in Christ Church



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The Lord's Day

Sunday, March 27, 2022

Prelude
Cherub Choir
Worship Music
Holy Communion
"O Happy Day" (532)
Bible Message
"He Lifted Me" (522)
Benediction

* 9:00/11:10 Children's Church (basement)

Christianity has no **rock** (Islam), no **river** (Hindu), no **relic** (Judaism). Christian crusaders vigorously pursued a fragment of the holy cross or a glimpse of the holy grail. But such things are not our connection to God. Visiting Bethlehem or Jerusalem does not bring the reality of a Savior into our lives. What do we have? We have a symbol or sacrament. Bread and wine. Body and blood. Taste and trust. Believe and receive. This symbol is not geography, politic, or culture. It is a ritual rooted in relationship, initiated by a person. Jesus said, *"This is my body given for you; do this in remembrance of me"* (Luke 22:19). If our repentance is real and our faith is sincere, God expects and invites us to make this witness for Christ, to eat this bread. We also ENCOURAGE YOU to participate, to seize this symbol as if it were a personal salvation. It is!

Sunday School classes for all ages today at 9:50. This is a convenient opportunity to go deeper into God's Word. It is also a chance to know more people in a more personal way!

WEDNESDAY – 6:00 – Snak Shak

6:30 – Common Ground, Adult Bible study (children with Pastor David)

7:30 – Adult choir practice

EASTER WEEK

14 (Thursday) - G-A Community Maundy Thursday service at Trinity Lutheran (6:30)
*No Wednesday evening at OUB on the 4/13

17 (Sunday) - Easter morning SUNRISE service at Tayamenasachta (6:30)
- Combined Easter worship (9:30) with no Sunday School classes
KOINONIA, a singing group from Grove City College will share music in this service

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	<i>This Week</i>	<i>Next Week</i>
1st Nursery	Sean & Tara Tracey	
2nd Nursery		Cindy Rawley
Acolyte	Ava Witmer 1 st Sophia Harvie 2 nd	Anrina Murray 1 st Ben Garrett 2 nd
Prelude	Josh Lance	

Last Week	3/20/22
Attendance	244
General	\$ 7,981.03
Missions	\$ 2,729.00
Building Fund	\$ 1,176.50
Sunday School	75.00



You can order a tulip and/or lily for the Easter Service on Sunday, April 17. You can take the plants home after the second service. The cost for each plant is \$10.

How to place an order: There will be order forms and envelopes in a basket on the upstairs landing table. You can make your dedication "in memory of" or "in honor of." Put the card and money in the envelope and drop in the offering baskets. The envelopes will be collected by the church office. A list of dedications will be printed for the Easter Service.

The Altar Flowers
are from Susie Angle
in memory of her son, Dale



Need Children to Volunteer
to carry palm fronds on Palm Sunday, April 10.
Meet in the library shortly before each service.

Attention Adult Sunday School Teachers!

There will be a >short< meeting on TODAY, Mar. 27, following SS. We'll meet in room 100 at the top of the stairs.



Building Addition Update
Starting tomorrow Monday, March 28,
the multi-purpose room will be closed
until further notice.

*Of all the kingdoms ever told
Of all the kings since days of old
Of all the battles ever fought
And souls of men that were ever bought
Of righteous kings, those just and true
There is only ONE that died for you!*
James Larson

FREEDOM OF SPEECH

(James 3:2-12)

REGRET (3:5)

- small _____ > big _____
- small _____ > big _____

THREAT (6)

- fire _____ by _____
- fire _____ by no _____ source

*Satan seeks to influence and use our words to fulfill his evil purpose, to corrupt, and destroy.

FRUSTRATION/FUTILITY (7-8)

All types of _____ have been trained to become _____ and _____, brought under human control. Not so, the tongue. It is intrinsically prone to be irresponsible, irrepressible, and savage.

CONTRADICTION/CONFUSION (9-12)

We judge certain anomalies to be _____, _____, and _____. Yet a tongue that blesses and curses is no less _____ and _____ to the Lord.

MATURITY (2)

The compulsion to “talk” is our most _____ and _____ human desire. If you are able to control your tongue, then you have discovered the power that would enable you to control _____ urge, temptation, or weakness.

There is only one way to control your _____. Control your _____.
There is only one way to control your _____. Let God _____ it.
a) Let his _____ clean it out. Let his _____ fill it up.
(Galatians 5:16-17, Ephesians 3:16-19, Titus 3:5)

“The control of the tongue is more than an evidence of spiritual maturity, it is a means to it.”
J.A. Motyer