Otterbein United Brethren in Christ Church



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THE LORD'S DAY

July 3, 2022

Prelude

Call To Worship

Hymn #2

Kids Korner

Worship Music

Bible Message

Hymn #601

Benediction

Welcome to Worship! An opportunity to bless our Lord God, our Creator, to acknowledge his goodness and mercy to us!

WEDNESDAY - 6:30 Adult (mixed) Bible Study/Prayer

Thank you!

- Many volunteers for VBS!
- Helpers and participants for the COMMON GROUND Silent Auction & Food... total raised was over \$4,000
- Great participation and many contributions to baked sale and BBQ for COMMON GROUND... total raised of \$1,885.00

^{*} Total of 16 youth/leaders are in Florida participating in ministry/outreach of a U.B. Church in Holly Hills. Pray for their safety and effectiveness.



Next Senior Outing Tuesday, July 12 Meet at the new Sunnyway Diner at 9:00 RSVP to Fran Stoner at (717) 597-0189 by Monday, July 11

The minutes and treasurer's report for the June 6, 2022 Administrative Board Meeting

are on the upper lobby desk.

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	This Week	Next Week
1 st Nursery	Garling Family	Deb Michalsky & Amy Fleming
2 nd Nursery	Cindy Rawley & Loretta Robinson	
Acolyte	Leta Sipes	David Rawley
Prelude	Andrina Murray 1st Ben Garrett 2 nd	Grayson Murray 1st Shelby Rife 2nd

Last Week	(6/26/22		
Attendance		219		
General	\$	6,594.50		
Missions	\$	3,778.00		
Building Fund	\$	5,372.00		
Sunday School	\$	156.00		

The Gardenia Plant is to celebrate Bob & Jean Pilgrim's 70th Anniversary!



We appreciate your understanding and tolerance during these months of building renovation and gym closure. We can be creative and positive. We're getting a kitchen! THANKS to the Property Commission and Ben Stoops, who spend many hours assisting with the project!

A way to communicate and share burdens for prayer... our EMAIL PRAYER CHAIN. Simply enter you request or brief explanation for those who will be praying email to Jenny Stayman @ acstayman@comcast.net

We express our great APPRECIATION to Todd and Sue Horner (and Caitlin) and Lorena Davis, Angie Rayarao, and Cindi Keeley who spent countless hours of preparation for our recent week of VBS. And thank you to the many, many volunteers who shuffled kids, managed activities, taught lessons, took pictures, provided sound and computer, and <u>love</u>... each day! Your seeds were planted on earth, but your deeds were recorded in heaven.

Sunday School Teacher Needed for this Fall

5TH & 6TH GRADES

A 5th & 6th Grade Sunday School Teacher Needed Starting in September for Every Other Sunday. Please contact Heidi Myers for more details and/or to volunteer. (717) 321-6073

Happy news for Curtis and Keisha Unger as they welcome Emmett Waylon into their family. Born 6/18 and weighed 6.5 lbs. May the Lord bless his life and this family.

Summer Camps at Rhodes Grove and Joy El OUB will help with the cost of camp! Up to \$150 per child.

When you register, let the them know that you are with Otterbein United Brethren in Christ Church, Greencastle.

They will bill the church directly.

PROSPERITY and CHARITY

(JAMES 5:1-6)

The love of money brings out the worst in people. * The danger is not in wealth, but in wealth so that it love for God and other people. (1 Tim. 1:6-10)
Economic progress/prosperity are accompanied by hidden costs/dangers.
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Wealth is described as God's "blessing" and "reward" (Prov. 10:22, 13:21). Yet
it can also be the [earthly] reward of being "wicked" (Ps. 73:3, Prov. 11:16).
God's concern is simple
• How ?
· What?
CORRODED GOLD? (vs. 2-3) Riches form a hedge against many difficulties. But these statements point out that is against (Prov. 11:4, Eccl. 5:13, Ez. 7:19, Mt. 6:19-21). If justice is "blind," then it is indifferent about money or power. Our divine judge will never be intimidated or bribed or obligated. A wicked peasant and a wicked billionaire both face "misery that is coming upon you."
EXPLOITATION It is part of God's grand design that our skills, time, and resources interact to be mutually beneficent to one another. Mutual employment, investment, enablement, etc. are righteous endeavors. The lure of wealth tempts us to exploit process and people so that we without or leverage an advantage in a way that others THIS INFURIATES GOD who abhors injustice, cheating, manipulation, and abuse of our fellow man. It violates his Law of Love, and he promises harsh retribution on those who swindle, scam, defraud, extort, or oppress others! (Lev. 19:13, Deut. 24:14-15, Ps 64:6-7, Jer. 17:9-11, 22:13, Lk 6:31, Col. 4:1.)

QUESTIONS

- Is my lifestyle one of "luxury and self-indulgence"? (vs. 5)
- Does my "saving" amount to "hoarding"? (vs. 3)
- What can I give to advance God's Kingdom?
- How can I be generous or share my resources with the needy?
- How can I be sensitive to [notice] needs?