



John 17:3

And this is eternal life, that they know you, the only true God, & Jesus Christ whom you have sent.

2 Peter 3:18

¹⁸ But grow in the grace & knowledge of our Lord & Savior Jesus Christ. To him be the glory both now & to the day of eternity. Amen.



Matthew 28:19-20

¹⁹ Go therefore & make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father & of the Son & of the Holy Spirit, ²⁰ teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you.

Greeters: Larry Hill

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Sunday School Attendance: 32
Worship Attendance: 99

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We wish a happy birthday today to Eli Watson and later this week to Beth Beckham, and Cassie Mathias. We wish a happy anniversary this week to Lee and Shelly Carter.

Please join us on Wednesday evenings for Bible studies for all ages at 6:30 PM. There is a free meal for children and youth served at 6:00 PM.

We will have a brief members meeting after the morning service on August 24th to vote on the proposed budget for the 2025-2026 fiscal year. There are copies of the proposal on the back table.

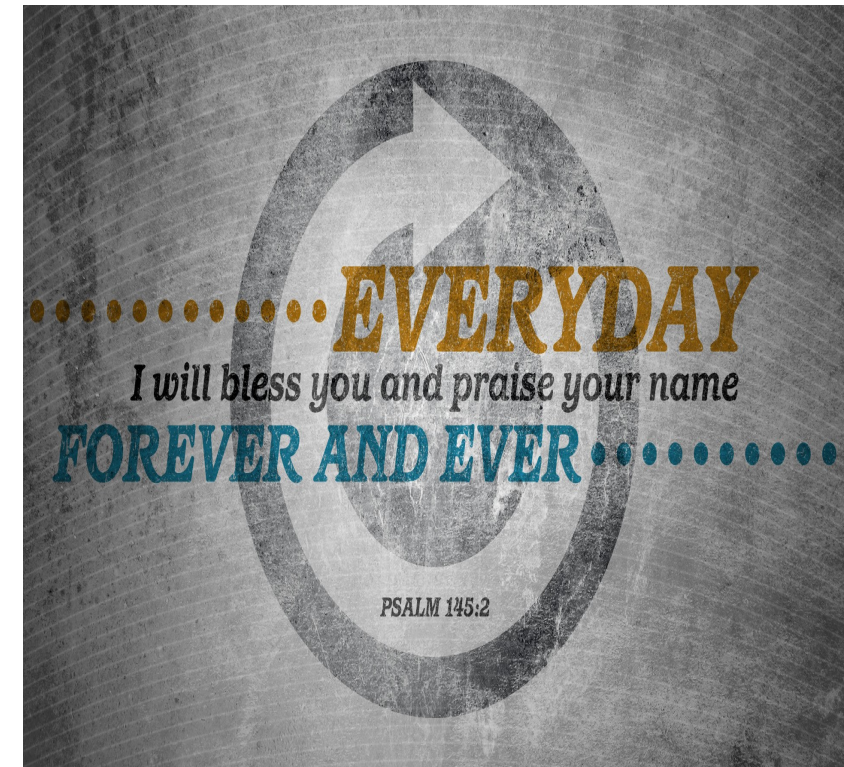
Our next Sunday Night Service will be Sunday August 24th. We will be hosting an ice cream social in the community room at Marian Manor in Chalybeate. Marian Manor is an apartment complex designed for residents age 55+. The address is 80 Marian Manor, Smiths Grove, KY 42171. For more information or to volunteer, see Larry Hill.

Sunday August 10th, 2025



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Call to Worship

I'll Fly Away

Welcome & Announcements

Scriptural Call to Worship

Psalm 145:1-9

Worship through Song

The Church's One Foundation

Yes I Will

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Worship through Giving

Speak O Lord

(After the offering, children 5th grade & under are dismissed to children's church)

Worship through Proclamation

Acts 2:41-42; Luke 6:40; 2 Peter 3:18

Worship through Response

Softly and Tenderly

Benediction

Scripture Reading

Psalm 145:1–9 (ESV) — 1 I will extol you, my God and King, and bless your name forever and ever. 2 Every day I will bless you and praise your name forever and ever. 3 Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised, and his greatness is unsearchable. 4 One generation shall commend your works to another, and shall declare your mighty acts. 5 On the glorious splendor of your majesty, and on your wondrous works, I will meditate. 6 They shall speak of the might of your awesome deeds, and I will declare your greatness. 7 They shall pour forth the fame of your abundant goodness and shall sing aloud of your righteousness. 8 The Lord is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love. 9 The Lord is good to all, and his mercy is over all that he has made.

Acts 2:41–42 (ESV) — 41 So those who received his word were baptized, and there were added that day about three thousand souls. 42 And they devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers.

Luke 6:40 (ESV) — 40 A disciple is not above his teacher, but everyone when he is fully trained will be like his teacher.

2 Peter 3:18 (ESV) — 18 But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To him be the glory both now and to the day of eternity. Amen.

Sermon Notes

The word *disciple* means _____ or apprentice.

Matthew 28:19–20 (ESV) 19 Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, 20 teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age.”

Jesus instructed his followers to make _____, and the process consisted of two things: _____ and _____.

Baptism is a profession of _____ and allegiance to the Lordship of Jesus and a commitment to learn and _____ the ways of Jesus.

The church that baptizes has an obligation to _____; the person baptized has an obligation to _____.

Where no attention is given to teaching and to constant, lifelong Christian learning, people quickly revert to the worldview or mindset of the surrounding culture and end up with minds shaped by whatever social pressures are most persuasive. - N. T. Wright

What the church teaches

The apostles' teaching is what they learned from _____

Where the church teaches

Acts 5:42 (ESV) And every day, in the temple and from house to house, they did not cease teaching and preaching that the Christ is Jesus.

The early church taught in _____ groups (the temple) and in _____ groups (house to house).

Why the church teaches

Ephesians 4:11–13 (ESV) — 11 And he gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the shepherds and teachers, 12 to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ, 13 until we all attain to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to mature manhood, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ.