

SUNDAY AM	May 21, 2023	May 28, 2023
ANNOUNCE	Mark Vaughan	Mark Vaughan
SONGLEADER	Mike Carpenter	Mark Vaughan
READING	Stacy White	John Stephens
PRAYER	Roy Clark	Ed O'Dell
COMMUNION	Ed O'Dell	Tyler Vaughan
USHER	Roy Clark	Jarritt Flinn
Sound Room	Danny Carpenter Sr.	Adam Carpenter
SUNDAY PM		
SONGLEADER	Roy Clark	Tyler Vaughan
READING	John Carter	Josiah Clark
PRAYER	Ed O'Dell	Mike Carpenter
COMMUNION	Dwain Shears	Mark Vaughan
Wednesday	May 24, 2023	May 31, 2023
Invitation	Ed O'Dell	Mike Carpenter
Song Leader	Mike Carpenter	Tyler Vaughan

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How to be Saved

Hear: Romans 10:14
Believe: Hebrews 11:6
Repent: Acts 17:30
Confess Jesus as Savior: Acts 8:36-37
Be Baptized: Acts 2:38

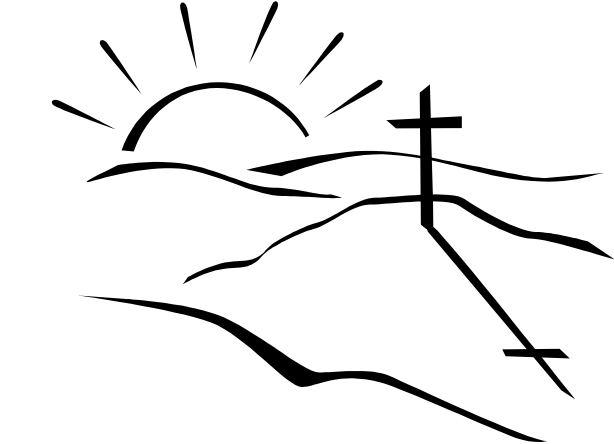
Sunday May 14, 2023

Bible Study	31
Morning Worship	51
Evening Worship	29
Offering	\$1704.00
Wednesday	17

Attendance Goal 80
2023 Baptisms 0
2023 Restorations 1

Meeting Times:

Sunday Bible Class 9:30AM
Sunday Morning Worship 10:30AM
Sunday Evening Worship 6:00PM



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Welcome to Our Worship

Sunday Morning Message: Commission the Twelve
Sunday Evening Message: Honoring Widows

Gopher Holes

A couple of weeks ago, I looked out the front door and saw a small mound of dirt toward the front of the yard. I thought it was a new ant mound and said to myself, “I’ll put some ant killer on that thing tomorrow.” Well, as it would be, I forgot about it for a couple of days and the next time I looked it was now three mounds of dirt. “That’s a gopher run and he’s heading straight toward Ms. Janet’s daylily bed!” Funny thing about those gophers, they make their advancements incrementally instead of one straight shot. They move toward their goal a little at a time and before you know it they’re in your garden or flower bed.

There’s another pest that uses incremental steps to achieve his goals, the old devil himself, Satan. He places small temptations in front of us like bread crumbs on a lost man’s trail. Just little indiscretions, nothing terribly noticeable, like an advancing gopher hole. It may be a wanting glance at the pretty girl, excusing the curse words we hear on our favorite TV series or movie. It could begin with missing a church service or not reading our bibles daily. The thing is, Satan is most successful when he works slowly and gradually. As we get used to these “little sins”, we become desensitized and as 1 Timothy 4:2 says, we’ll have our conscience seared with a hot iron so that sin no longer bothers us. We must be constantly on guard of Satan’s devises (2 Cor. 2:11) and the tricks he uses to fool us into complacency (Eph. 6:11).

So when you see one of those gopher holes Satan is putting in your way, remember the words of James, “Therefore submit to God. Resist the devil and he will flee from you.” (James 4:7)

Jay Launius –
2023 Maud church of Christ
Maud, Texas



- Sunday, May 28: Sunday Morning Potluck-Good-bye to Kathy Simmons.—Notice the date change.**
- Sunday, May 28: Traveling Youth Group @ Hopewell church of Christ 6:00pm**
- Thursday, June 1: Ladies Night Out Western Sizzlin 5:30pm**
- Sunday, June 4: Sunday Evening Song Service**
- Monday, June 12: Elders & Preacher meeting 4:30pm**

PRAYER

Cast all your anxieties on him, because he cares for you.
- 1 Peter 5:7

- † Please keep praying for Carol Johnson she continues in therapy and improving.
- † Bill Spears fell last week and could use your prayers.
- † Please pray for Judy, Ruth Lemon’s daughter as she is having stomach problems.
- † Kathy Simmons is recovering at Ohio Valley Health Room 111. She will be getting out May 26th and plans to be at worship with us May 28th. Then moving to North Carolina to live with Susan on May 29th.
- † Ruth Lemon is still having problems with shaking and weakness. Her heart monitor report came back fine.
- † Margaret O’Dell will start a new therapy treatment. Her scan came back only showing previous injuries.
- † Ronda’s sister is recuperating from rotator cuff surgery. She has about five weeks to recover.
- † Roy Clark is being treated for possible Barrett’s esophagus. Please keep him in your prayers.
- † Angie Mollohan, a friend of Cristeena Robinson, has been diagnosed with stage three breast cancer and it is fast spreading. Please pray for her as the doctors make their plan.

Birthdays

Tim Phillips 5/24

Delbert White 5/26

Anniversaries

Paul & Ronda Facemire 5/24



OVCYC Bible Camp

Senior Week

June 18-23, ages 14-19

Intermediate Week

June 25-30, ages 11-14

Junior Week

July 9-14, ages 8-11

www.ovcyc.com



We are looking for a sports director and male Bible Teacher for junior week. If you can help please see Elvis.

Youth Night

New Concord church of Christ
For pre-teen through College age
For fellowship, food, faith and fun.

June 5th

6pm-8pm

New Concord church of Christ
13333 Maple Lane
New Concord, OH 43762

Sunday May 28th will be Kathy Simon's
last Sunday before she moves to North
Carolina.

We will have a potluck Sunday morning after worship. We will be giving her gift cards to help with things in the future. Gift card suggestions are: Wendy’s, Arby’s, McDonald’s, Subway, Dominos, Hardee's, and Bojangles.

Commission the Twelve

After _____ that Jesus summoned His _____ (10:1) and providing a list of their names (10:2-4), Matthew included Jesus’ specific _____ for their limited commission.

I. The _____

Matthew 10:5-7

Mark 6:7

Luke 10:1

Matthew 15:24

Isaiah 53:6

Jeremiah 50:6

1 Peter 2:25

Matthew 10:23

Matthew 3:1-2

Matthew 4:17

II. The _____

Matthew 10:8-11

Mark 16:17

Hebrews 2:3-4

Mark 6:12-13

Matthew 10:9-10

Mark 6:8

Mark 6:9

Luke 22:35-36

Luke 10:7

1 Timothy 5:18

III. The _____

Matthew 10:12-15

Acts 18:6

Luke 12:48

The _____ point of Jesus’ statement is that _____ equals responsibility.

Honoring Widows

God has _____ had a high regard and _____ heart toward those who in _____ circumstances with no means of providing for their daily _____.

Deuteronomy 14:28-29

Zechariah 7:9-10

Matthew 23:14

I. Honor _____

1 Timothy 5:3-6

A “widow” is:

Luke 2:36-37

Ezekiel 16:49

II. R _____

1 Timothy 5:7-8

1 Corinthians 13:13

1 Timothy 1:14

1 Timothy 2:15

III. The _____ list

1 Timothy 5:9-10

Three qualifications to be on the list:

1.

2.

3.

Luke 7:44

John 13:3-17

Galatians 6:7-10

Family & Friends In Need of Prayer

Please provide an update every 4 weeks

<i>Dan Carpenter Sr.</i>	<i>Davy Dye</i>	<i>Helen McIntyre</i>
<i>Robert Dotson</i>	<i>Diane Knox</i>	<i>Wes McIntyre</i>
<i>Megan Dougherty</i>	<i>Janice Martin</i>	<i>Bill Spears</i>
		<i>Martha Whited</i>