

SUNDAY AM	July 2, 2023	July 9, 2023
ANNOUNCE	Mark Vaughan	Mark Vaughan
SONGLEADER	Tyler Vaughan	Mike Bungard
READING	John Carter	JR Flinn
PRAYER	Roy Clark	Dwain Shears
COMMUNION	Roy Clark	Tyler Vaughan
USHER	Adam Carpenter	John Carter
Sound Room	JR Flinn	Danny Carpenter Sr.
SUNDAY PM		
SONGLEADER	Mike Carpenter	Josiah Clark
READING	Noah Carpenter	John Carter
PRAYER	Josiah Clark	Noah Carpenter
COMMUNION	Ed O'Dell	Mark Vaughan
Wednesday	July 5, 2023	July 12, 2023
Invitation	Elvis Galbreath	Mike Carpenter
Song Leader	Tyler Vaughan	Tyler Vaughan

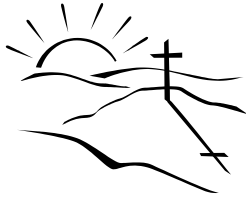
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How to be Saved

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

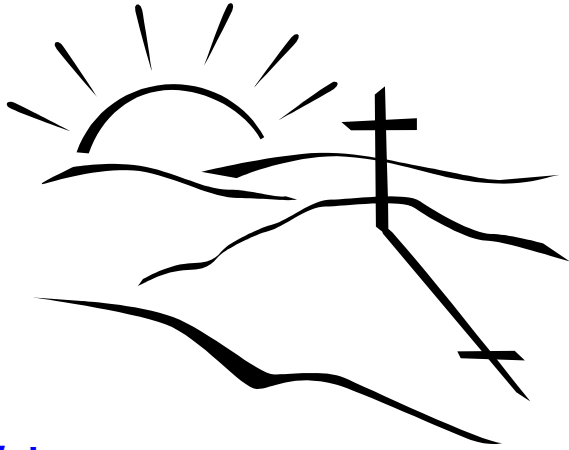
Sunday June 25, 2023

Bible Study 32
Morning Worship 49
Evening Worship 20
Offering \$1396.00
Wednesday 18

Attendance Goal 80
2023 Baptisms 0
2023 Restorations 2

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: Essentials of Growth
Sunday Evening Message: Song Service



Independence from Sin

The Fourth of July—also known as Independence Day or July 4th—has been a federal holiday in the United States since 1941, but the tradition of Independence Day celebrations goes back to the 18th century and the American Revolution. On July 2nd, 1776, the Continental Congress voted in favor of independence, and two days later delegates from the 13 colonies adopted the Declaration of Independence, a historic document drafted by Thomas Jefferson. From 1776 to the present day, July 4th has been celebrated as the birth of American independence, with festivities ranging from fireworks, parades and concerts to more casual family gatherings and barbecues. The Fourth of July 2023 is on Tuesday, July 4 ([History channel.com](http://History.channel.com)).

The apostle Paul asked the question in Romans 6:2, "How can we who died to sin still live in it?" If we have been obedient to Christ, we have our Independence Day over sin. We celebrate living in a country that is free. Much more than that is our freedom over sin. Romans 6:12-14, "Let not sin therefore reign in your mortal body, to make you obey its passions. Do not present your members to sin as instruments for unrighteousness, but present yourselves to God as those who have been brought from death to life, and your members to God as instruments for righteousness. For sin will have no dominion over you, since you are not under law but under grace."

As Christians we are free from the bondage of sin in our lives. In other words, the only control that sin has in our lives is the control we let it have in our lives. But through Jesus Christ we can and will have victory over sin through faith and grace. Being free from the bondage of sin we must present ourselves to God for his service. This presentation will take some time and practice. Jesus said that He needed to learn obedience (Heb. 5:8). It is great to have victory over sin through our Lord and Savior Christ Jesus.

We are thankful for our country and we are thankful for those who have obeyed the commandment of God. Romans 6:17, "But thanks be to God, that you who were once slaves of sin have become obedient from the heart to the standard of teaching to which you were committed." We are blessed to live in a great country and we are blessed to have a savior that loves us so much!

For His Glory! —Elvis Galbreath



Sunday, July 2: Evening song Service
Tuesday, July 4: Happy 4th of July
Thursday, July 6: Ladies Night Out Western Sizzlin 5:30pm
Sunday, July 9: Evening guest speaker
Sunday-Friday, July 9—14: OVCYC junior Week Bible Camp ages 8-11
Sunday, July 23: Pot-Luck after morning worship—everyone is invited!



- + We are happy to report that Donnie Hendershot is doing better. He is much stronger and able to walk on his own. Please continue the prayers for healing.
- + Please keep praying for Carol Johnson as she continues to heal and go to therapy.
- + Please pray for Judy, Ruth Lemon's daughter as she is having trouble with her liver and kidneys.
- + Please keep Bobby O'Dell in your prayers. He is waiting for a liver and kidney transplant and is not doing well.
- + Remember Kathy Simmons as she is now living in North Carolina. She continues to get stronger.
- + Margaret O'Dell is still having difficulty with her hip and walking.
- + Please keep Jeff Dunn and his family in your prayers as he has taken a turn for the worst.
- + Please keep Jennifer Parsons in your prayers as she is dealing with a heart condition called SVT.
- + We are happy that Oakley has finally gone home from the hospital and doing better. Thank you for your continued prayers.
- + Connie Stephens foot doctor is just going to watch her foot at this time. She will have another appointment in August.
- + Mark Berry, an elder at North End church, had eye surgery last week. He may need another eye surgery in about three months.

Family & Friends In Need of Prayer

Please provide an update every 4 weeks

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

Birthdays

Connie Stephens 7/1

Anniversaries

None



OVCYC Bible Camp
Junior Week
July 9-14, ages 8-11
WWW.OVCYC.COM



We are so thankful for those who gave money towards food for Ohio Vally Christian Youth Camp. Your generosity is greatly appreciated!!

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July 8, 2023
11 AM - 4 PM

BBQ DINNER
W/SIDES/DRINK
\$11 (DONATIONS ACCEPTED)

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Essentials of Growth

Our text suggests a vital and close _____ between Christian growth and _____ love discussed in First Peter 1:22-25.

1. There are different _____ of Growth as a Christian.

First, one is a _____ in Christ

1 Peter 1:2

1 Corinthians 3:1-3

Hebrews 5:12-13

Second, one is a little _____ or little _____

1 John 2:12

1 John 2:14

Third, one become a young _____ -Fourth, one grows to _____

1 John 2:13

Fifth, one reaches _____

Hebrews 5:14

Sixth, growth arrives at _____ of fulness in Christ

2 Corinthians 3:18

Ephesians 4:15

Hebrews 6:1

7. There are some _____ to growth.

There must be the " _____ " or " _____ " of certain things.

1) "All malice"

Romans 1:29

1 Corinthians 5:8

Ephesians 4:31-32

Titus 3:3

2) "All guile," translated from "a term the verb of which means to _____ with bait;" thus, here, pretense, _____.

1 Peter 3:10

John 1:47

3) "Hypocrisies." _____

Matthew 15:7-9

4) " _____ "

Matthew 27:18

Acts 7:9

Acts 15:5

1 Corinthians 3:3

Galatians 5:21

1 Corinthians 3:1-2

Hebrews 5:14

Acts 20:32

1 Peter 2:2

2 Peter 3:18



Thank You so much to Mike Bungard, Ed O'Dell and Mark Vaughan for the hard work of putting in a new water heater. Your work and dedication is appreciated.



The church is in need of a refrigerator to store the communion. Our old refrigerator quite a few months ago. If you know of anyone that has a old one they are looking to get rid of please let us know. The only requirement is that it still cools.

Thank You for Your Help!