POWER - PACKED POIGNANT POINTS

by Ron Adams

The milk of human kindness never curdles.

Do not let kindness and truth leave you; Bind them around your neck, Write them on the tablet of your heart. Proverbs 3:3

The only people you should try to get even with are those who helped you.

So then, while we have opportunity, let us do good to all men, and especially to those who are of the household of the faith. Galatians 6:10

Never pay back evil for evil to anyone.

Repay no one evil for evil, but give thought to do what is honorable in the sight of all. Romans 12:17

Do all you can and trust in God to do what you cannot.

Trust in the Lord with all your heart, And do not lean on your own understanding.In all your ways acknowledge Him, And He will make your paths straight. Proverbs 3:5-6

Fault-finding is an exercise in futility.



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WELCOME!

<u>Sunday</u>	Bible Class- 9:30 a.m.
	Worship- 10:30 a.m.
<u>Tuesday</u>	Ladies Bible Class- 10:00 a.m.
<u>Thursday</u>	Home Bible study-7:00pm

ALL THE CHURCHES OF CHRIST GREET YOU. ROMANS 16:16

Today's Sermon: Excuses, Excuses?. Sermons are recorded and are available for listening on the church website. Bulletins are archived on the website. valleycitieschurchofchrist.org aicoc.org (Antioch Initiative) Find us on Face Book www.facebook.com/valleycitiescoc Scripture: Matthew 27:11-14

ANNOUNCEMENTS / UPCOMING EVENTS...

- > Next potluck: February 19th Theme: Mexican!
- Ladies Class: 10am, Tuesday, January 31st at the building. We will be discussing chapter 3 of <u>Struggle, Seek, Grow</u>, which is about Esther.
- Midweek Bible study @ McElhaney's Thursday nights at 7pm. Coffee and dessert is usually served. All contributions gladly accepted!



• Please return your **plastic baby bottles** as the special collection will finish on Tuesday.



- Today, at 4:30 is the 5th Sunday Regional Singing at Horseheads. These have not been very well attended the last few times, but are well worth going to. Come and be edified by the wonderful singing of the area brethren.
- Don Myers and Jimmy Davis of the Antioch Initiative are worshiping with the Endless Mountain church in Tunkhannock today. Yesterday, Arthur joined them as they interviewed a young man who has expressed an interest in preaching there. The two men will also be attending the regional singing this afternoon at Horseheads.
- Darlene is scheduled for surgery on Tuesday in Williamsport.
- Remember this is the cold and flu season. Take care of yourself and others.



PRAYERS...

- Several people have been sick with colds and digestive upsets. Pray that we can all get healthy again soon.
- Pray for Patty and Ruthie's sister in law, Deborah, who has stage 4 breast cancer. Her spirits are good and she feels well.
- Endless Mountains Pregnancy Center requests prayers for their clients, that abortion-minded women will have a change of heart, and that all will accept the abundant life in Christ.
- Pray for all of our family members and loved ones who are yet lost or have strayed far away to come (back) to Christ.
- Darlene has been diagnosed with early stage breast cancer. She anticipates surgery on Tuesday. Pray for her complete recovery and peace.
- Keep praying for the Endless Mountains church in Tunkhannock and their search for a preacher, especially this week.
- Pray for comfort for those from war-torn countries who have no homes, are starving (Northeastern Nigeria) and without water and are not safe and have lost friends and relatives in the violence that surrounds them (Aleppo).
- Remember to pray for Ben Wright (diabetes) in Kittanning, Matthew Lowe (needs care) in Ohio, and Edna Jarrett (blood cancer), of the Bronx. Also Lori Kashorek (lung cancer) in Plattsburgh, NY and Rocky Perry (seeking the Truth) of Sayre.
- Pray for our country as we start out under a new administration. Help us to appreciate and uphold the government that we are fortunate to live under, which allows us to worship God freely.

If you have any prayers or news that you would like included in the bulletin, please contact Sandy Barry

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