You'll Never Walk Alone

Rodgers and Hammerstein

When you walk through a storm

Hold your head up high

And don't be afraid of the dark.

At the end of the storm

Is a golden sky

And the sweet silver song of a lark.

Walk on through the wind,
Walk on through the rain,
Tho' your dreams be tossed and blown.

Walk on, walk on
With hope in the LORD *
And you'll never walk alone,
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I would like to sing this song after the lesson today. It is a much-loved classic that goes along with the sermon this morning. I have changed two words that are highlighted. The original version speaks of hope in your heart, but true hope must come from the LORD if it is going to bring comfort to our hearts. After all He is the one who gives us our hearts, but He does let us tune our hearts to whatever we wish. Peter gives us the key to tuning our hearts.

...but in your hearts honor Christ the Lord as holy, always being prepared to make a defense to anyone who asks you for a reason for the hope that is in you; yet do it with gentleness and respect. 1Peter 3:15

And we have the prophetic word more fully confirmed, to which you will do well to pay attention as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts. 2 Peter 1:19



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WELCOME!

Sunday Bible Class- 9:30 a.m.

Worship- 10:30 a.m.

<u>Tuesday</u> Ladies Bible Study- 10:00 a.m.

<u>Wednesday</u> Bible Study-7:00pm

All the churches of Christ greet you.

ROMANS 16:16

Today's Sermon: You'll Never Walk Alone

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Scripture: Ecclesiastes 4:9-12

ANNOUNCEMENTS / UPCOMING EVENTS...

- Ladies Class: Tuesday, March 27th, 10am. We will be studying Day 3 of the third chapter.
- Bill Colwell from World Bible School in TX will be here on April 14th to do a workshop presentation for the purpose of getting us involved in using that very effective resource for reaching the lost all over the world, as well as locally.
- > 5th Sunday Regional Singing @ Horseheads, April 29th, 4:30pm.
- Housewarming Celebration- Thursday, May 31st- Sunday, June 3rd. Speakers so far are Don Myers from Montgomery, AL, Larry Krause from Kittanning, PA, and Steve Connors from Horseheads, NY.

Next Potluck: Next Sunday! April 15th



- Our baptistery is fully functional!
- Please plan to stay after worship today and enjoy fellowship with us as we eat our monthly potluck dinner. We will have the advantage of our new kitchen for preparation for the first time today.
- We regret to report that the Dodge van that was delivered to the Kittanning church failed to pass inspection there and will have to be scrapped.
- We need to organize several work days to clean and paint the downstairs of our building.
- Lani is away today and will be next week also. If anyone is able to pick Jerry up next week, please let Arthur know.

PRAYERS...

- Thank you, Lord for the visitors we have been welcoming since our change of location! Help us to know how to teach them of your word.
- **Donald** has been searching for a better job and is thankful that his present company offered him a better deal.
- **Dara,** Darlene's sister, is searching for employment, as both of her current jobs have been cutting back hours.
- Pray for Andrea Lentz as she has radiation to deal with the mass on her lungs.
- Lori Kashorek has started her experimental chemo treatments, and we pray it will keep her lung cancer in check and not make her too sick to continue working as a music teacher.
- Pray for Vicki Joice as she continues Herceptin treatments until June. Also, pray that she doesn't become discouraged dealing with lymphedema on a daily basis.
- Sandy and Arthur's neighbor, Erin Beiber has metastatic breast cancer throughout her body. She asks for prayers to help her deal with her impending death.
- **Emily Barry** will have thyroid surgery on the 24th of April in Sayre. She has started a new job and is also enrolled in an online university.
- Patty and Ruthie's cousin Cathy's husband Bruce has kidney cancer. Also, please pray for their sister in law, Deborah, who is suffering excruciating pain in her jaw. Pray that her doctors can determine the cause of this pain and relieve it.
- The Riveras are thankful that Pancho was able to return to work a few weeks ago. Pray that he can find a position within his company that doesn't require him to drive.
- **Connie** is looking for work in the Sayre area. She asks for prayers for that effort. She also is looking for a reasonably priced car.
- **Ted** has been very ill with flu and is still recovering his strength.
- Dave and Lynne Laton's daughter Natalie has been diagnosed with Diffuse Large B-cell Lymphoma in her chest, neck and armpit area. They have asked for prayers from everyone!

If you have any prayers or news that you would like included in the bulletin, please contact Sandy Barry:barncat7237@gmail.com or text or call (607) 261-0911.