

Showing Everyday Faith

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The respect you show God and His Word on Sundays says a lot about your faith in Him.

The attitude you show the world on Mondays says a lot about your faith in God.

How much time you spend reading your Bible and in prayer on Tuesdays says a lot about your faith in God.

The number of brethren you visit with on Wednesdays says a lot about your faith in God.

The opportunities and resources you utilize in helping the needy on Thursdays says a lot about your faith in God.

The amount of energy and frequency you use teaching/telling others about Jesus on Fridays says a lot about your faith in God.

Where you go and what you do on Saturdays says a lot about your faith in God.

Now, I realize that all of these pertain to every aspect of our Christianity every day. I just thought it would be a way to help us realize that we are to take up our cross daily and follow Jesus (Luke 9:23). Do you sacrifice for Christ daily as Paul did (1 Cor. 15:31)?

[Note that the prayer that Jesus taught us how to pray includes the request for “daily bread” Luke 11:3 but Jesus had already called his followers to “take up your cross daily” in Luke 9:23. It seems that carrying our cross daily should be as natural as asking for daily bread. – AB]



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WELCOME!

Sunday

Bible Class- 9:30 a.m.

Worship- 10:30 a.m.

Tuesday

Ladies Bible Study- 10:00 a.m.

Wednesday

Bible Study-7 p.m.

All the churches of Christ greet you.

ROMANS 16:16

Today's Sermon: Gospel of Mark – Pt. 1

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Scripture: 2 Timothy 4:1-11

ANNOUNCEMENTS / UPCOMING EVENTS...

- **Ladies Class: Out for the summer! Watch this space! We will resume in NEXT MONTH.**
- **Wednesday Evening Bible Class:** August 8th at 7pm. We are studying the book of Judges.
- **5th Sunday Singing: September 30th at Endwell. 4:30pm**

Next Potluck: August 12th (barbecue for VBS) This is next Sunday! Please bring side dishes that will go well with hot dogs and hamburgers. Also, desserts and drinks.



- Vacation Bible School, Heroes of the Bible, will be happening on Saturday! We sincerely appreciate any cookies you are able to contribute. We need to have a work party before Saturday to get our building shipshape. Tuesday? Wednesday? Thursday?
- Larry Krause will be arriving in Sayre tomorrow afternoon so he can get busy knocking on doors to announce the VBS. The brethren from Kittanning work very hard every year knocking on doors and planning the VBS for us. If possible please plan to head out to the streets with them to help with the door knocking. We also provide lunches and snacks while the group is working to prepare for the VBS.
- **The 5th Sunday Singing at Ithaca last Sunday was a joyful time for all. We were able to fellowship with many brethren who we haven't see for a long time.**
- Darlene's sister, Vicki Joice, is visiting today. It will be good to have Darlene's family here.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO Jackie ON Friday, August 3rd.

PRAYERS...

- We pray that our **effort at the Athens Street Fair produces fruit and Bible studies. Let's all invite our friends and neighbors to study the Bible and attend worship.**
- Pray for **Andrea Lentz** – lung cancer.
- Pray for **Lori Kashorek** – lung cancer, recovery from brain tumor.
- Pray for Sandy and Arthur's neighbor, **Erin Beiber who** has metastatic breast cancer.
- **Patty and Ruthie's cousin Cathy's husband Bruce** has kidney cancer.
- Please pray for **Ruthie and Patty's cousin Wilda** who has been hospitalized with a painful bowel blockage. There has been some improvement since last week. Wilda is 95.
- **Pray that Dave and Lynne Laton's daughter Natalie** will be able to recover from her cancer (lymphoma). She had a particularly hard time with chemo this last time.
- Pray for our nation's **healing** and repentance.
- Pray for **Ted** as he will be having cataract surgery in the near future, and he will be getting hearing aids that are very costly.
- **Ethan** is suffering with hand, foot and mouth disease, which he came down with last week.
- **Dara Reynolds** has been going through some hard times the last few weeks. Prayers for her.
- Pray for our Sunday morning and Wednesday evening **Bible class attendance and participation.**

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