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RON'S REFLECTIONS

Romans 1:21a says: For although they knew God, they neither glorified him as God nor gave thanks to him....



Today, we approach a national holiday that many of us first learned about in elementary school. We learned that the pilgrims shared this day with the local Indian tribe, the Wampanoag, in 1621 to thank the Lord for their first year of survival in the new country. This story is certainly one to give us warm fuzzies and make us look forward to a great meal with the family of Turkey, stuffing, cranberry salad, green beans, sweet potatoes and pumpkin pie! But wait, there is so much more to know!

Did you know that the Bible mentions that we are to express gratitude or thanks to God 157 times? The Apostle Paul wrote to believers admonishing them to live out the will of God for their lives by giving thanks in every circumstance. 1 Thessalonians 5:18.

Sometimes I think we struggle to give thanks to God because we know about God but we either forget who God is or we have not really gotten to know him in the first place. Did you know that one of God's many names is "El Kanna," which means God is a jealous God.

Now normally we look at jealousy as something bad and ugly. But what if today you were to see God as passionate about his relationship with you? He who created all that you can and cannot see, loves you with a personal, passionate and a steadfast love. He does not want to share you with anyone, because he has bought you with his own blood shed for you on the cross. So, today, don't be like those mentioned in Romans, who knew God, yet did not honor or give thanks to him. This Thanksgiving, thank God for who he is and that he is passionate for you, and loves you with a steadfast love. This is God's will for you to do and it brings him much glory! I am Thankful for you too! Happy Thanksgiving! Love ya!

Pastor Ron

Call or text Pastor Ron
330-704-3690



PRAYER REQUESTS



Please consider writing a card, sending a text, making a call, or visiting some of our church family members that are going through a rough time. There are cards available in the church office if you need some. If you need additional info, please contact Katie Harsh or Pastor Ron Embleton.

Mary Ellen Yoder- 850 Sunnyside St. SW, Hartville 44632; 330-904-2105

Eva Kuhns Potts- 1420 Smith-Kramer St. NE, Hartville 44632; 330-453-0748

Kathleen Patterson- 1976 Gulf St. NW, Uniontown 44632; 330-877-1606

Audrey Ritter- 11750 Klinger Ave, Alliance 44601 Altercare of Alliance Rm 406; 330-823-8263

Ruth DeLong- 4900 Massillon Rd. Apt. 19, North Canton 44720; 330-697-5323

Wayne & Marjorie Byler- 10911 Market St. W, Uniontown 44685; 330-412-4651

Denise Petersen- 1979 Andrews St. NE, Hartville 44632; 330-705-5381

Lynn Schrock- 2995 Raymond St. Uniontown 44685; 330-801-6054

READ THE BIBLE IN A YEAR

This year's Bible Reading Plan give us a little more flexibility. Instead of 7 days, it is only 5, that way in case you miss a day you're not behind. We hope it helps you read through your Bible in a year! Happy reading!

Week 47

Ezra 1-2; John 21

Ezra 3-4; Psalm 92; 1 John 1

Haggai; Zechariah 1; Psalm 138; 1 John 2

Zechariah 2-5; Psalm 93; 1 John 3

Zechariah 6-8; 1 John 4





SCHEDULE

NOV 25 - DEC 1

SUNDAY MORNING

9:00am: Fellowship over a light breakfast

10:00am: Worship Service

12:30pm: Annual Chili Cookoff

WEEKLY

Tuesdays

6:30pm: Grief Recovery Class

Wednesdays

8:00am: Senior Men's Bible Study

Thursday- Thanksgiving

12-1pm: Meal Delivery

4-5pm: Meal Delivery

Fridays

9:30am - Senior Community Group

FOR THE RECORD

OFFERING UPDATE

2024 Weekly Budget: \$5,340

Last Week: **\$4,086.05**

Offering Average: \$4,389.82

Attendance for Nov 24, 2024: 96

2024 Attendance Average: 126

WEDNESDAY

8:00am - Senior Men's Bible Study

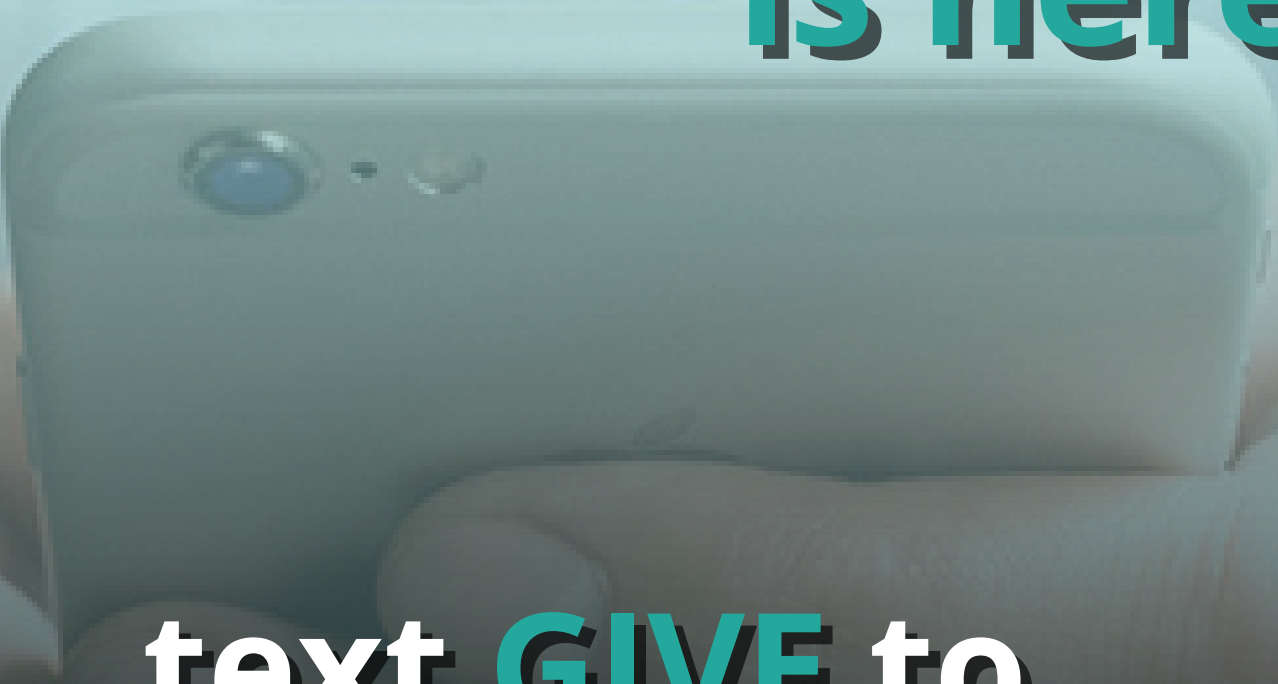
6:15pm: Prayer gathering

7:00pm: Thanksgiving Eve Service; Join us for a short service focused on the steadfast love of God.

Family Night details on Page 7

Knowing Jesus, Growing in Jesus, & Loving Others like Jesus

TEXT TO GIVE
is here.



text **GIVE** to
844-779-7619
and follow instructions

Let's give together, so we can advance the Gospel together

SERVING LEADERS

Children's Director: Nicole Miller

Nursery Director: Rachel Beachy



For the week of Nov 27 - Dec 4

Children's Church: Nicole Miller

Nursery: Larena Byler & Gabby Cymbal

Worship Leader: Scott Miller

Bread: Jerry W. Miller

For the week of Dec 4 - Dec 11

Children's Church: Carolina Venegas & Charlotte Reidl

Nursery: Yadira Miller & Xeni Madderom

Bread: Jerry W. Miller

Worship Leader: Mike King & Jacob Coblentz

Dinner Coordinators: Brian & Christie Johnson

If you'd like to serve in one of these ministries please see the serving leader of the ministry or Katie Harsh.

Happy Birthday

28 XENI MADDEROM
SILAS RUTH

29 JEREMIAH BRED A

30 JEFF SCHLONEGER

COMMUNITY LIFE GROUPS

DISCIPLES MAKING DISCIPLES

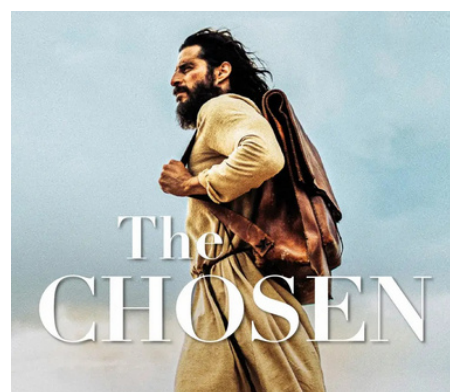
Jason & Chelsea Breda's

Join us in **Apologetic Potluck!** Bring a snack or side dish for after church service to share as we embark in a 12-week course that teaches you how to combat the 7 most common objections to Christianity. Join us the **1st & 3rd Sundays every month @ the church from 12:30PM - 2PM**. All ages welcome!



Brian & Christie Johnson's

Meeting **every other Tuesday** we are currently watching and discussing the 3rd Season of the Chosen. This group meets **at Brian & Christie's home: 336 King Church Ave, Hartville Ohio 44632 at 6pm**. Pastor Ron leads this group. We would love to have you join us!



Clay Akins'

Are you a young adult looking for a small group to join? You are welcome here! This group is connecting **every other Friday @ Clay's house (8632 Wedgewood Ave North Canton 44720) @ 7PM**.



INTERESTED IN JOINING?
CONTACT PASTOR RON OR KATIE HARSH
330-877-1250 | 330-685-2689

WEDNESDAYS.

FAMILY NIGHT | 7-8:30PM

CORNERSTONE YOUTH GROUP

Our youth group ranges from 6th grade through 12th grade. They are led by our wonderful youth leaders, Ivan & Carolina Venegas. Each week has the potential for God to reveal new things to the kids as they read their Bibles together. They are currently going through a series on apologetics. Great opportunity to bring a friend!



MEN'S BIBLE STUDY



Come join a wonderful group of men of all ages where we discuss how to interpret the Bible (hermeneutics). We also discuss what the Bible has to say of things going on in the world and our lives, pray and worship. Jason Breda and Pastor Ron lead this group and are working through the book of Romans.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY



We are studying through the book of Romans for the rest of the year. We are learning so many good and practical truths and how to apply these wonderful truths to our everyday lives. Pastor Ron's wife, Wanda, leads this group wonderfully. Woman of all ages are welcome. We pray for each other and share our hearts with one another.

DISCIPLESHIP

focused.



"SALVATION IS FREE, BUT DISCIPLESHIP COSTS EVERYTHING WE HAVE." - BILLY GRAHAM

Discipleship is not solely a New Testament idea; it runs throughout the entire Bible. A compelling Old Testament illustration is the bond between Moses and Joshua. Moses not only led the Israelites out of Egypt but also dedicated time to mentor Joshua, preparing him to continue God's mission.

As Joshua served faithfully alongside Moses, he observed his leadership style, learned to trust in God, and developed into a leader himself. In Exodus 24:13, Joshua is referred to as Moses' assistant. Throughout their time together, Moses exemplified reliance on God, courage in the face of challenges, and leadership marked by humility.

When Moses' journey came to an end, Joshua was well-prepared to assume leadership, thanks to Moses' investment in him. Deuteronomy 31:7-8 shares Moses' encouraging words to Joshua: "Be strong and courageous... The Lord Himself goes before you and will be with you."

The Challenge:

Who are you mentoring today? Like Moses, consider guiding someone in their spiritual journey. Identify a "Joshua" in your life—someone you can uplift, direct, and prepare for God's purposes. Start this week by sharing a lesson you've learned from God or inviting them to pray or explore Scripture together.

Discipleship goes beyond personal growth; it's about nurturing the next generation of devoted followers. Who is your Joshua?

- Jason Breda

PARABLES OF JESUS

LAST WEDNESDAY
OF EVERY MONTH

adult & youth study



At Cornerstone, we emphasize discipleship based on Titus chapter 2, where older members mentor the younger generation. On the last Wednesday of each month, youth join adult Bible studies to explore Jesus' parables through collaborative learning. Upcoming meetings are:

- **December 18:** Parable of the two debtors, led by Pastor Ron

ADVENT CELEBRATION

& CHILI COOK-OFF

DECEMBER

1ST @ 10AM

**JOIN US FOR SUNDAY
MORNING SERVICE
FOLLOWED BY OUR ANNUAL
CHILI COOKOFF.**

Due to the cold weather, we will be having our previously scheduled day at Wingfoot at our church instead. We will still be doing all the fun things we had planned. We'd love to have you stay all day.





LADIES MAKE and BAKE DAY

Join us for a delightful crafting gathering on Saturday, December 14, starting at 10 AM, where creativity and community come together! Ladies are invited to enjoy a day of knitting, crocheting, and other exciting crafts. If you love baking, don't miss our cookie exchange at 1 PM — bring your favorite recipe and some delicious treats to share.

This event is a wonderful opportunity for fellowship and mentorship, allowing you to connect with others and perhaps learn a new skill or two. Children are welcome to attend, though please note that daycare services will not be available. Feel free to stay for the entire day or drop in for the cookie exchange. We look forward to crafting and sharing cookies with you!



LADIES CHRISTMAS DINNER

DEC 6, DOORS OPEN AT 6PM

WE ANTICIPATE A FUN AND ENCOURAGING TIME OF FELLOWSHIP. WE'LL ALSO BE REVEALING THIS YEAR'S SECRET SISTER AND ASSIGNING A NEW ONE FOR THE UPCOMING YEAR.

APOLOGETIC POTLUCK

ONLY 2 MORE LESSONS LEFT
SUNDAY, December 15
FROM 12:30-2PM

IS THE
NEW TESTAMENT
RELIABLE?
PART 2



WITH
FRANK TUREK

