

Cornerstone Christian Church

May 2024

Serving through Christ's Strength!

(Philippians 4:13; 1 Peter 4:11)

What's My Role?

Colossians 1:9-12

God has purpose for every Christian's life. We're the body of Christ, and body parts are expected to function. Healthy ones, anyway!

Notice I wrote "purpose," not "**A** purpose." Rather than think "big" or "little," think "purpose." What does God want me to be doing with my life that pleases Him and advances His kingdom? Being His servant in the context of my life, where He's put me.

Sometimes we fool ourselves into thinking unless we're knocking in the winning run in the World Series, or pulling someone out of a burning building, or influencing millions of people with our incredible talent and abilities, that we're not doing anything worthwhile.

Paul expected one result of his prayers for the Colossian believers to be that they would learn to "please (God) in all respects." A healthy component in Christ's body would want to do just that and would find joy in doing so. Some will be equipped to do big, impressive things. Most of us will impact our seemingly "small," immediate circumstances. The big question is, are we focused on serving and thereby pleasing God?

1 Corinthians 12:18 says, *But now God has arranged the parts, each one of them in the body, just as He desired* (NASB). We are where God has placed us. Someday He may move us, but until then our mission field is before us. In the church we are part of, in our families, among our friends, among our associates where we live. Ask God to show you the open doors, the deeds that need done, the lives you can influence, comfort, help direct into Godly things. Be a faithful student of the Word and look for positive change within your own heart. He will teach you how to please Him.

Happy to be serving with you,

Jay

Communion Meditation:

5/5– Larry McKemey

5/12– Ken Crook

5/19– Wayne Nickols

5/26– Rocco Arnold

Greeters:

5/5– Paul & Wanda Reynolds

5/12– Edwina Oliver & Linda Jackson

5/19– Kathy Bonds & Cliff Willcutt

5/26– Jack & Linda Jackson

MAY...MAY...MAY!!!

Friday, May 3rd at 9 AM- Cornerstone Quilters meet. If you are interested in quilting for ministry purposes, come join in!

Saturday, May 4th at 8 AM- Ladies Prayer Breakfast. Food, fellowship, devotions.

Monday, May 6th at 4PM- Elder's Meeting- If you have something for the elders to discuss see Jay, Jack or Larry. The elders are available to meet with you throughout the month, as well. See one of us to make arrangements.

Wednesday, May 8th at 5 PM- Fellowship Meal- Spaghetti with salad, bread, and dessert. **Praise, Prayer, and Bible Class** follows at 6.

Saturday, May 11th at 8:30 AM– Workday! Come at 8 for donuts. See Victor Clark for more information.

Tuesday, May 14th at 6 PM- Ladies Bible Study.

Friday, May 17th at 9 AM- Cornerstone Quilters meet. Come join in!

Saturday, May 18th at 5 PM- Women's Appreciation Banquet- the women of Cornerstone will be recognized and appreciated by the men! Make plans to attend.

Wednesday, May 22nd at 5 PM- Fellowship Meal- Tacos with the fixins. **Praise, Prayer, and Bible Class** follows at 6.

Friday, May 24th - Keenagers Luncheon at Chappy's on Carmichael Road. Arrive at 11 AM, eat at noon. See Gladys for more information.

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MAY 2024

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| 28 | 29 | 30 | 1 Bible Class, Prayer, and Praise/6 PM | 2 | 3 Cornerstone Quilters/9 AM | 4 Ladies Prayer Breakfast/8 AM B-Day/Ken Crook |
| 5 Sunday School/9:30 AM Worship/10:30 AM | 6 Elders Meet/4 PM | 7 | 8 Fellowship Dinner/5 PM Bible Class, Prayer, and Praise/6 PM Anniv/Joe & Melanie Rightmyer | 9 Survivors of Suicide Support Group/6 PM | 10 | 11 CCC Workday/8:30 AM |
| 12 Sunday School/9:30 AM Worship/10:30 AM | 13 | 14 Ladies Bible Study/6PM | 15 Bible Class, Prayer, and Praise/6 PM | 16 | 17 Cornerstone Quilters/9 AM | 18 CCC Women's Appreciation Banquet/5 PM |
| 19 Sunday School/9:30 AM Worship/10:30 AM | 20 | 21 | 22 Fellowship Dinner/5 PM Bible Class, Prayer, and Praise/6 PM | 23 Survivors of Suicide Support Group/6 PM | 24 Keenagers/Chappy's on Carmichael Road/Arrive at 11, eat at noon | 25 |
| 26 Sunday School/9:30 AM Worship/10:30 AM | 27 | 28 | 29 Bible Class, Prayer, and Praise/6 PM | 30 B-Day/Bill Winn | 31 | 1 |