

TRUMPET

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Seek the lost, equip the saints, send the sowers

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MONDAY MORNING MUSING (851)

Let's do good things for the kingdom this year.

Seven weeks after the first Passover (50 days), God gave the Israelites his Ten Commandments. He spoke the words of his law from Mt. Sinai, and the entire congregation heard it. According to the Jewish calendar, this is the 3,333rd anniversary. celebration of that event. The Jewish faith calls it *Shavuot*, and they celebrated it yesterday May 16th.

And God spoke all these words, saying,

"I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery.

"You shall have no other gods before me.

"You shall not make for yourself a carved image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. You shall not bow down to them or serve them, for I the LORD your God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers on the children to the third and the fourth generation of those who hate me, but showing steadfast love to thousands of those who love me and keep my commandments.

"You shall not take the name of the LORD your God in vain, for the LORD will not hold him guiltless who takes his name in vain.

"Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. Six days you shall labor, and do all your work, but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the LORD your God. On it you shall not do any work, you, or your son, or your daughter, your male servant, or your female servant, or your livestock, or the sojourner who is within your gates. For in six days the LORD made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, and rested on the seventh day. Therefore the LORD blessed the Sabbath day and made it holy.

"Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long in the land that the LORD your God is giving you.

"You shall not murder.

"You shall not commit adultery.

"You shall not steal.

"You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.

"You shall not covet your neighbor's house; you shall not covet your neighbor's wife, or his male servant, or his female servant, or his ox, or his donkey, or anything that is your neighbor's."

The Jews call it *Shavuot*, but Christians call it *Pentecost* (the Greek word for 50). This Sunday is Pentecost, and it is a special day for the Church. The day the Holy Spirit came down and took up dwelling in the born-again Christian. This year is the 1988th year since the establishment of the kingdom of God in the Church on earth. Occasionally our solar calendar and the Jewish lunar calendar line up, and Pentecost/Shavuot are on the same day. I find it interesting that God gave the Ten Commandments and the Holy Spirit on the first day of the week.

By the way, in 12 years, it will be the 2,000th anniversary of Jesus' resurrection, ascension, and the Church's birth.

Preacher Bill

Acts 2.1-4

Church Servants

May 16, 2021

Serving the Table:

Meditation: B Lott

Prayer: J Kattine

Serving South Charleston: T Geake

Communion Preparation:

Flowers for the month of May:

Worship Team: R Bennington/P Corbet/ W Lott/P Tidd

Musicians: L Burkholder/C Graf/J Dwyer/D Hays/

B Long/P Long/D Ritenour

Cradle Roll:

Kid's Grove:

Attendance

S.S.-

Worship

Offering

05/09/21

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Our Prayers Are With. . .

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Mary, Ron, Pat, David, David, Brenda, Brett, Beverly, Molly, Joyce, Logan , Dewitt & Pauletta, Tim & Shelby, Nora, Hunter, Carol, Nora, Danny & Peggy, Mary, Bob, Carissa, Branden, Brandon, Tim & Cynthia, Bill & Marilyn, Kathy, Steve, Laura, Rachel, Denise & Tim, Tony, Our Missionaries, The Petty Family, Mark, Tina, Tom, Lori, Elizabeth, Bentley, Charlie, Jordan, Tina, Hank, Sarah, Jackie & Randy, Shawn & Tom

Shut-ins. . . Loretta (Elmcroft, Xenia)

Cancer. . . Rita, Deidra, Darrel, Eileen, Cindy Julie, Hayden, Travis, Bonnie, Tracy, Shirley, Panji, Shelly, Wilma, Tammy, Angela, Carla, Caleb, Ron, Terry, Dennis, Jim, Robbie

May Birthday's:

May 10 Bob H, Tina T

May 14 Jacob M

May 16 Jaynie M

May 18 Carol R

May 19 Jordan K, Joan S

May Anniversaries:

May 10 – Jack & Liz W

May 12 – Bill & Marta L

May 14 – Dan & Emilia L

May 15 – Tom & Sarah G

Serving the Table for May:

23 J Kattine/J Michael

30 J Michael/J Corbet

If you would like to join in on the Zoom Prayer Meeting or Bible Study, email the church and Bill will send you an invitation.

Up & Coming Activities In Our Family. . .

May 18 Ladies meet at the church at 9 am.

See details below

May 20 Zoom Bible Study, 7 pm

May 23 Morning Worship, 11 am

Youth, Online, Uploaded in the morning

May 24 Zoom prayer meeting, 7 pm

May 25 Ladies meet at Teaberries in Springfield.

See detail below

May 29 Kairos

Kairos from May 15st is now on Facebook and YouTube. Next Kairos will be on May 24th.

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Ladies, (Tomorrow) Tuesday, May 18 at 9:00 A.M.– We will be planting flowers around the church, trimming up bushes, cleaning up brush in flower beds (bring your tools and a pack of annuals)

Three June dates to add: Sunday June 20 -Ladies will be fixing the men “Father’s Day” treats to eat or take with them as you depart Church.

Tuesday June 22 – Ladies at Clifton Mill for Breakfast @ 9:30 - Sign-up sheet is in foyer.

Saturday June 26- Our first “Saturday Ladies Ministry Coffee Meeting”: It will be held at 9:30 at Orion’s in Cedarville, Ohio (devotions and discussion)

Needs for the Jamestown Food Pantry (unopened products): Toilet paper, Paper Towels, Kleenex, Bar Soap, Flour, Sugar, Potato Flakes, Spaghetti O’s, Ravioli, Canned Vegetables, Mac & Cheese, Canned Fruits, Canned Meats (Tuna, Chicken), Cans of Soup, Boxes of Cereal, Dry Rice, and Dry Beans. These items can be dropped off at Jamestown United Methodist Church, 22 East Washington Street, Monday thru Friday, 9am – 11am. You can make other arrangements by calling (937)760-3581. For more information, please see the bulletin board in the foyer.



Butler Springs Christian Camp is asking the Grove to supply 60 boxes of cereal (no cheerios or rice krispies) for summer camp this year. If you can donate, the boxes need to be here by Sunday, May 23 so they can be delivered to the camp later that week. Thank you in advance.