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She is more precious than rubies...

Proverby 3:15



We offer FREE: 4 Bible correspondence course series by mail: an 8 lesson series by Hurt, a 6 lesson series "Acts Of The Apostles" by Pharr, the "Studies In The Bible" 30 lesson series, and the 20 lesson series "Getting To Know Jesus" by Pharr. Let everyone know!

#### FORTY THINGS WE NEED TO KNOW ABOUT CHRISTIAN LIVING - Part 2

The following is the conclusion of brother Hugh Fulford's article as submitted by Jerry Sturgill. Part One was published previously and concluded in this issue of The Herald. Again, we being New Testament Christians should reflect on the lessons continued in the following:

- 21. Christian living demands that we "watch, stand fast in the faith, be brave, be strong," and that we "let all that [we] do be done with love" (I Corinthians 16:13).
- 22. Christian living requires us to present our bodies as living sacrifices, holy, acceptable to God, knowing that such is our reasonable service (Romans 12:1). (Note: The entirety of Romans 12 is a succinct guide to faithful Christian living.)
- 23. Faithful Christian living demands that we abstain from the works of the flesh (Galatians 5:19-21).
- 24. It expects us to produce the fruit of the Spirit (Galatians 5:22-26).
- 25. Christian living demands that we "walk worthy of the calling with which we have been called" and that we endeavor "to keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace" (Ephesians 4:1-3).
- 26. It requires us to put away lying and to speak truth with our neighbor (fellowman) (Ephesians 4:25).
- 27. It requires us to put on the whole armor of God that we may be able to stand against the wiles (snares, traps, tricks) of the devil (Ephesians 6:10-18).
- 28. Christian living necessitates thinking on the right kinds of things (Philippians 4:8).
- 29. It involves setting our mind on things above, not on things on the earth (Colossians 3:1-2).
- 30. Christian living requires taking heed that we not develop an evil heart of unbelief in falling away from the living God (Hebrews 3:12).
- 31. Christian living demands that we make our calling and election sure by adding various Christian graces to our lives (II Peter 1:5-11).
- 32. It requires that we understand that religion is not something we "get," but something we do (James 1:27).
- 33. Christian living requires continuous walking in the light (I John 1:1-10).
- 34. Christian living demands that we not be gullible in what we believe, but that we put all teachers and teaching to the test, knowing that "many false prophets have gone out into the world," including many who profess to be followers of Christ (I John 4:1).
- 35. Christian living requires abiding in the doctrine of Christ (II John 9).
- 36. Christian living requires earnestly contending for "the faith which was once for all delivered to the saints" (Jude 3).
- 37. It involves avoiding lukewarmness in our relationship with the Lord, and instead demands that we be "fervent in spirit, serving the Lord" (Revelation 3:14-16; Romans 12:11).
- 38. Christian living demands that we be "steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord," knowing that our labor is not in vain in the Lord (I Corinthians 15:58).
- 39. Christian living requires us to be "faithful unto death," knowing that we shall receive the crown of everlasting life (Revelation 2:10).
- 40. Christian living is centered in the reality that "to live is Christ, and to die is gain" (Philippians 1:21).

"Yet if any man suffer as a Christian, let him not be ashamed; but let him glorify God on this behalf", 1 Peter 4:16 -Hugh Fulford

## News & Notes



#### Sermons This Week

AM: "As a Mother Cherishes Her Children"

PM: "Kindness"

Scripture Reading: Ephesians 4:29-32

#### **Dyer/Cox Wedding Shower**

Everyone is invited to a wedding shower for Olivia Dyer & Josh Cox this Saturday, May 19th at 1pm in the annex. Olivia & Josh are registered at Belk, Kohl's and Target.

#### 2018 Dates to Remember

May 15- Ft. Hill Camp- early regist. deadline

May 15- Prime-timers- 10a- annex

May 19 - Olivia Dyer/Josh Cox shower 1p

May 20 - elders/deacons/preachers meet-4:30p

May 22- Prime-timers- 10a- annex

May 25-ladies luncheon-11:30a-tbd

May 26 – David & Denise Smith vow renewal

ceremony—Old Post Office bldg.—7p—RSVP

May 27 - Graduate Honor Night - 7p - annex

May 29- Prime-timers- 10a- annex

#### **2018 Fellowship Dates**

June 24- Potluck- 12p- annex

July 14– church picnic @ building

Aug 12- ice cream social- 7p- annex

Sept 9 – potluck – 12p – annex - after 'Creation Is Scientific' Seminar (Sept. 7th, 8th, 9th)

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Oct 27 – Trunk O' Treat/ Chili Supper-6p Nov 4 – Bring A Friend Day & potluck

Dec 1 - Scott family pancake breakfast-8a



#### **New Member Contact Information**

Matthew Goshorn was baptized March 27 by his brother, Daniel. Matthew's address is 3413 Morgan Ave., Ashland, KY 41102. His cell number is 859-486-7635. Please, note this in your member directory.

#### **Graduate Honor Night**

On Sunday, May 27th, following evening worship, we will honor our 4 graduate members with a reception in the annex. We will honor Hannah Carter & Audrey Goshom, college graduates and Sinclaire Dorsey and Madi Wallace, high school graduates. Please, let Ann Hughes know if you will bring sandwiches.

#### Ft. Hill Camp Open To All

The deadline for the discounted price for registration for Fort Hill Youth Camp is May 15. The congregation is paying for anyone and their friends who want to go our week of July 1-7 If you have any questions, speak with Jeremiah Smith.

#### Save the Date: May 26th

Everyone is invited to the 25th anniversary vow renewal ceremony of David and Denise Smith. The event will be at 7pm in the Old Post Office Building in Ashland. An RSVP is requested by text or email to Denise Smith before May 11th. No gifts are wanted, please.

#### **Prime-timers**

This open discussion Bible study group meets Tuesdays at 10am through May in the annex classroom. Everyone is encouraged to attend.

## **Gauging Our Faith**

	<u>05/06/18</u>	Goal	<u>05/07/17</u>
Bible Study	118	110	109
<b>AM Worship</b>	165	160	168
PM Worship	98	110	108
Mid Week	nc	110	nc
Contribution:	\$7867.75	\$5900.00	\$5986.98

### യ Today's Servants ശ

### WELCOME:

AM/PM: Jerry Sturgill

#### **SONG LEADER:**

AM: Nathan Adkins PM: Steve Wallace

#### FIRST PRAYER:

**AM:** David Trimble **PM:** Nathan Parks

#### LORD'S TABLE:

Presiding AM: Mark Parks
Assisting: Greg Conley,
Greg Hall, Chris Scott,
David Castle, Ernie Perry,
Shelby Steele, Jason Fouts

**Presiding PM**: Daniel Goshorn

**Assisting:** Will Scott

#### **CLOSING PRAYER:**

AM: Lowell Parsley PM: John Gambill

### **80 Wednesday Servants 63**

**WELCOME**: Mark Parks

**SONG LEADER:** Steve Wallace

**PRAYER**: Greg Hall

**DEVOTIONAL**: Jeremiah Smith

### w Weekly Servants cs

**POWER POINT:** Matt Vonderheide **BLDG. ATTENDANT:** Brad Morris **ATTENDANCE:** Michael Perry **COORDINATOR:** Brad Morris

### Welcome, Visitor!

# We are so pleased to have you as our guest today.

If you are a **first-time visitor** with us, **please, fill out a 'visitor card'** that you find on the back of the pew. Please, put it in the collection plate or hand it to one of the men at the auditorium doors as you exit.

We have tract racks on the wall in the foyer with **free tracts and literature**. We offer **free Bible correspondence courses** you can receive by mail at no cost to you. Let our preacher know if you would like to set up an **in-home Bible study**. Thank you for attending. Come back anytime!

### \*\*\* Youth Notes \*\*\*

\*\* Every Sunday \*\*
Pew Packers

### at 5:45pm in front auditorium

geared to age 12 & under but anyone can attend! Boys: have a song ready to lead

\*\* by May 15!! \*\*

### Ft. Hill Youth Camp Early Registration

Go to camp with your friends and the congregation will pay your way the week of July 1-7

