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**November 28, 2021**  
**A.M. WORSHIP**  
**Welcome:** Roger Ditter  
**Song Leader:** Gordon Franklin  
**Prayer:** Jeff Jadwin  
**Reading:** Keith Shaner  
**Sermon:** Gordon Franklin  
**Officiating:** Daryl Hurst  
**Dismissal:** Phil Shirer

**AT THE TABLE**

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**NURSERY ATTENDANTS**  
**AM:** Jennefer Wright  
**AM Alternate:** Caren Charles

**AT THE DOORS**  
**AM Arch St.**  
**AM Race St.**  
**PM Race St**  
**Upper Ramp**  
**Lower Ramp**

**P.M. WORSHIP**  
**Song Leader:** Jared Smith  
**Prayer:** Gordon Brown  
**Reading:** Ben Lowe  
**Sermon:** Daryl Hurst  
**Officiating:** Jim Clegg  
**Announcements:** Roger Ditter  
**Dismissal:** Roger Ditter

**ONE ANOTHER**

**Proverbs 27:17**  
*Iron sharpens iron, and one man sharpens another*

We are told that we need to be there for each other, but are we? When we are in times of need do we look to our church family for help? Jesus taught His disciples to help and love others. If we are like Jesus, shouldn't we look to help each other out, rather than looking for a time or opportunity to degrade or talk bad about someone? None of us are perfect and we all need as much help as we can get. If we can't find that in our church family then where will we look? When we come together on Sundays and Wednesday are we coming to be an encourager or a gossip who talks bad about people?

**Hebrews 10:24-25**  
*And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near.*

We are called to stir up love and encouragement, not to gossip and have hard feeling about each other. Even when we come to worship we need to be there, first and foremost to praise and worship God, but then we are to be there for each other. If we can't help a brother or sister out in times of trouble and in good and happy times without gossiping or putting them down, then what are we even doing here? We have enough troubled times with the world; we don't need them from our church family. We need to love and pray for our families and the ones we love so that we can be an encourager and not be a stumbling block for a fellow Christian. This world is hard and we never know how much time we have, so be a good example to someone. Love and Prayers church.

In Him  
**Donnie**



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**“SAM”ANTICS**

*“For you are all sons of God through faith in Christ Jesus. For as many of you as were baptized into Christ have put on Christ.” (Galatians 3:26-27)*

When faith matures to the point that we wish to be part of God’s family, God has appointed that baptism be the point in time when sin is erased from your soul and you become one of His children. Being cleansed of sin is only part of the blessing that grows from baptism, however, Paul adds that ...

- We have **“put on Christ.”** As a penitent and baptized believer we now have Jesus as an intimate part of our lives, He is our spiritual clothing.
- Our salvation eliminates designations such as **“Jew” nor “Greek”; “slave” nor “free”; “male” nor “female”** but all of us are **“one in Christ.”** The overriding point Paul is making here doesn’t mean we all have the exact same roles in the work of the Lord, but that all of us are of equal standing and value in the eyes of God.
- To belong to Christ makes us God’s **“true”** Israel today for we are the authentic **“seed of Abraham.”**
- We inherit all that God has to offer because we **are “heirs according to the promise.”**

How blessed we are when we are baptized into Christ! How poor we are if we decide to remain outside of Him!

... Sam Bartrug

**WORSHIP AND BIBLE CLASS**

**Sunday Bible Class -----9:15 AM**  
**Sunday AM Worship -----10:15 AM**  
**Sunday PM Worship -----6:00 PM**  
**Wednesday Bible Class -----7:00 PM**

<p><b>ELDERS</b> Gordon Brown: 740-454-2476 Jim Strouse: 740-453-9373 Donnie Watts: 740-868-2517</p>	<p><b>DEACONS</b> Joe Kennedy: 740-819-0025 Ben Lowe: 740-624-8088 Paul Lowe: 740-455-3032 Keith Shaner: 740-454-9810 Jim Sprague: 740-674-6988 Joe Stoneburner: 740-221-5337</p>
<p><b>MINISTER</b> Sam Bartrug: 740-651-8058</p>	

## Sunday, November 21, 2021

### A.M. SERVICE

Welcome	Roger Ditter
Song Leader	Charles Savage
First Song	
Second Song	
Prayer	Jim Sprague
Third Song	
2 Corinthians 9:6-8	Joe Kennedy
"Our Offerings to God"	Sam Bartrug
Invitation Song	
Fifth Song	
Communion	Joe Henthorne
Offering	Joe Henthorne
Closing Song	
Dismissal	Mark Allen

### P.M. SERVICE

Song Leader	Paul Lowe
Prayer	Gordon Franklin
Luke 13:1-5	Frank Howell
"Repentance"	Sam Bartrug
Communion	Jared Smith
Announcements	Roger Ditter
Dismissal	Keith Shaner

## Wednesday, November 24, 2021

### BIBLE STUDY

Song Leader	Jared Smith
Prayer	Keith Shaner
Devotional	Tom Maxwell
Announcements	Roger Ditter

### HELPING HANDS

Helping Hands was able to deliver 50 gift bags to Willow Haven in October and 50 to Adam's Lane in November. We plan to make 50 for another facility in December. We are in need of more items. Thank you all for your donations.  
-Joyce Sprague-

### BIRTHDAYS

November 21: Leah Allen  
November 24: Caitlin Rennix  
November 25: Nancy Snack  
November 27: John Beardsley



Blue=child/teen Red=shut in/mail cards

### ANNIVERSARIES

November 24: Jim and Linda Strouse  
November 26: Joe and Teresa Neff



### POTTER CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS GIFTS

**Sunday, December 5:** We are collecting Christmas gifts for children in need. We have a table in the Foyer with information packets and a signup sheet. If you would like to buy a gift of any size **please sign up this morning**. Once you sign up, you will be required to attend a short meeting this morning after AM Worship. During this meeting we will assign you children to buy for (based on your preference), we will team you up with other members to coordinate purchases, we will provide you with a wish list for your child, and give you instructions. We want several members to sign up so we can work together to purchase gifts. If you cannot purchase gifts but want to donate money for the church to purchase gifts, please let Roger Ditter know. You can also contact the Office if you have any questions.

### EYE GLASS DONATIONS

Lauren Jadwin is collecting used eye glasses for those in need as a school service project. If you can help, please contact her.

### THANK YOU

Dear Norval Park Friends, I can't possibly thank you enough for the beautiful pendulum clock! I will be at my sister's house for a while but we are already enjoying it. My brother-in-law likes it so much he says, I'll have to leave it when I move out. Fat chance! Thanks again for your kindness.

-Linda Fleegle-

Thank you to the church for presenting me, as a veteran, and for the 2 beautiful carnations! It was an honor to serve our Country.

-Lester Hurst-

### KROGER REWARD UPDATE

Thank you to everyone who has registered their Kroger Rewards Card. 12 families have registered and Norval Park Church of Christ has earned \$42.45 this quarter for our Teen Group. If you have not registered your Reward Card and would like to, please pick up an instruction sheet from the Rack in the Foyer.

### PANTRY INFORMATION

**Items Needed:** Canned soups, Canned fruit, Peanut Butter, Jelly and Baked Beans, Pasta sauce, Canned potatoes, Canned meat, Elbow macaroni, Bread, Egg noodles, Instant stuffing, Cereal and Crackers.

**Monday, December 20:** The pantry is open from 4 to 6 PM as a drive-thru event. Please share the information with anyone that is in need.

**November Update:** We helped 7 families. Thank you for all of our donations and volunteers!

### "STEP-UP TO SERVE"

You can pick up a monthly calendar with weekly service goals in the Foyer Rack or on our Website. Calendars can be turned into the Office.

### WEEKLY SERVICE GOAL

Tell your children, parents or special family members that you love them.

### STEPPING STONES NUT SALE

Muskingum Valley Stepping Stones members are selling nuts. Please see the Bulletin Board for more information. The funds raised benefit Ohio Valley University. See Sharan Shaner or Jennefer Wright if you have any questions.

### MEMBERSHIP UPDATE

#### ELIZABETH DENNIS

**Address:** Altercare Zanesville RM # 312  
4300 Harrington Dr.  
Zanesville, OH 43701

#### MARGARET YOUNG

**Address:** Adam's Lane RM #111  
1856 Adam's Lane  
Zanesville, OH 43701



**\*\*Please remember to update your records\*\***

### THANKSGIVING MEAL

**Saturday, November 27:** At 6:00 PM we will have a Thanksgiving meal in the Multipurpose Room for members and their loved ones. There are signup sheets on the Bulletin Board for those wanting to attend, willing to help prepare food, deliver food or clean up. Please see Kim Welsh, Jessica Lowe or Erin Hittle-Smith if you have any questions.



### TODAY IN THE NURSERY

**AM Service:** Sharon Clegg  
**AM Alternate:** Jackie Jadwin

### RECORD REPORTS

Sunday, November 14 Bible Class	-----84
Sunday, November 14 AM Worship	-----140
Sunday, November 14 PM Worship	-----45
Wednesday, November 17 Bible Class	-----72
Sunday, November 14 Contribution	-----3,683
2021 Average Contribution	-----4,809
2021 Baptisms	-----5