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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES SUNDAY:

Bible Classes.....9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship.....10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship.....6:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY:

Bible Classes.....7 p.m.

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WELCOME!

We of the Cambridge church of Christ
invite you to all our services.

“...the churches of Christ salute you” (Romans 16:16)

ROLE OF WOMEN IN THE CHURCH

INTRODUCTION: 1 Tim. 2:9-15

1. Men and women have specific roles ordained by God.
2. What attitude should be lived by the Christian woman in the church?

I. THEY BEAUTIFY THIS WORLD (9).

- A. In Respectable apparel; godly modesty; not inviting sensuality (Pro. 7:10; Jer. 4:30; 1 Pet. 3:3).
- B. In “Shamefacedness” that which brings no shame; bashful, shy; not loud, boisterous, or demanding (1 Pet. 3:4).
- C. In sobriety (two senses of the word).
 1. Soundness of mind, as the worthy woman of (Pro. 31:10-16).
 2. No drunkard; uses only a little wine (Titus 2:3; cf. 1 Tim. 5:23).
- D. Fancy hairdos, costly jewelry, and the latest fashions do not make a beautiful, decent, godly woman; *a modest, godly attitude does!* (cf. Pro. 31:30)

II. THEY EXEMPLIFY GODLY SERVICE (10).

- A. I see women (and men) *professing* godliness almost every time I’m on Facebook; but then I see something they have said or approve of which is certainly ungodly (Mt. 5:16).
- B. The godly woman who confesses Christ with her words and works “is in the sight of God of great price” (1 Pet. 3:4), or value.
- C. Peter’s mother-in-law (Mt. 8:14-15; cf. Pro. 31:31).

III. THEY PERSONIFY HUMBLE LEARNING (11).

- A. Women must quietly receive instruction with submissiveness.
- B. They must learn in silence, or quietness and submission 1 Cor. 14:34-35.
- C. This does not seem to be absolute silence, but more of an attitude of quietness

IV. THEY TYPIFY RESPECTFUL SUBMISSION (12-15).

- A. How (12)? Because they do not teach over men in the assembly
 1. They do not usurp (exercise dominion) over a man.
 2. They conduct themselves in quietness, and gentleness of spirit—failure is sin.
- B. Why (13-15)? Because of Creation (13).
 - a. Adam was created of the dust of the earth (Gen. 2:7).
 - b. Then Eve was created from one of Adam’s ribs (Gen. 2:21-22).
 - c. Paul’s inspired explanation is that since Adam was first, he is the leader; (1 Cor. 11:3).
2. Because of Sin (14). The woman sinned first (Gen 3:1-6). Adam listened to the voice of his wife (Gen. 3:17).
3. Because of Conduct (15).
 - a. Saved through childbearing ???—many interpretations—because by woman Christ was brought into the world?
 - b. Continuance in the faith and in Christian love & holiness
 - c. Remaining sober

GOOD RULES TO LIVE BY: THE SEVEN “UPS”

1. **WAKE UP!** –decide to have a good day. “This is the day the Lord hath made; let us rejoice and be glad in it” (Psa. 118:24). [Note: the “day” in this context refers to the *days* of the church age].
2. **DRESS UP!** — The best way to dress up is to put on a smile; this is the least expensive way to improve your looks. “The Lord does not look at the things man looks at. Man looks at outward appearance; but the Lord looks at the heart” (1 Sam. 16:7).
3. **SHUT UP!** – Say nice things and learn to listen. God gave us two ears and one mouth, so he must have meant for us to do twice as much listening as talking. “He who guards his lips guards his soul” (Pro. 13:3).
4. **STAND UP!** — for what you believe in. Stand for something or you’ll fall for anything. “And let us not grow weary while doing good, for in due season we shall reap if we do not lose heart. Therefore, as we have opportunity, let us do good to all, especially to those who are of the household of faith” (Gal 6:9-10).
5. **LOOK UP!** –Look to Jesus, “the author and finisher of our faith” (Heb. 12:2). “I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me” (Phlp. 4:13).
6. **REACH UP!** —for something higher. “Trust in the LORD with all your heart And lean not on your own understanding; In all your ways acknowledge Him, And He shall direct your paths” (Pro. 3:5-6).
7. **LIFT UP!** –your prayers. “Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God (Phlp. 4:6).

REMINDER: “All individuals in Ohio must wear facial coverings in public at all times when ...at an indoor location that is not a residence”. The order only requires those 10 years old or older to wear a mask” (<https://ohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/site/media-center/news-and-events/covid19-update-07222020>). **Additional exclusions are posted on the foyer bulletin board.**

IN OUR PRAYERS: Jerry & Erma Endly, Mike Grove, Angela Herald, Cathy Jackson, Bruce & Kim Johnson, Gary & Debbie Jones, Lois Knight, Rick Lambert, and Flavil Miller.

SHUT-INS:
Nancy Love, and Jack Mitchell.

FAMILY AND FRIENDS: Nellie Richard, Weston Boulet (great-grandson of Shirley Patterson), Carter Campbell (John and Marys Smith's grandson), Vickie Gardner, Colleen Kiester (Mo Smith's sister), Linda Potts (Joyce Starrett's sister-in-law), Addy Reed, Mona Stoffer (Flavil Miller's daughter), Mitch Vick, Bob & Marge Watson, and remember to pray for **one another**.

Welcome! To our visitors, we are thankful for your presences. Please fill out one of the blue cards and place it in one the collection boxes or leave it on the seat. Allow us to answer any questions you may have.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- Our sympathy to **Colleen Adkins** at the passing of her husband Jeff, on Friday, his 61st birthday. Arrangements are incomplete.
- **Betsy Cooke** fell at home and had surgery on Monday to stabilize a stress fracture in her hip. She will be at *Riverside Manor* in Newcomerstown for 2 weeks of rehabilitation.
- **Vickie Gardener** has taken a turn for the worse and is in comfort care.
- **Mike Grove** continues to recover at home and awaiting another surgery.
- **Angela Herald** continues to suffer with severe back pain and is mostly bed-fast.

REMINDERS:

- ❖ **Our Gospel Meeting with Sam Bartrug, April 26-30.**
- ❖ Remember to submit any questions or topics you would like addressed from the pulpit.
- ❖ Let John know of any changes to our *Friends and Family* prayer_list.

TODAY'S LESSONS

AM: The Role of Women in the Church (1 Tim. 2:9-15).

PM: Titus (Titus 1:1-4).

Bible Study	AM Worship	PM Worship	Wednesday	Contribution
34	67	34	26	\$2575