

In Our Prayers:

Kevin Atkins, Diann Bachmann, Gary Jones, Jody Main, Helena Tewksbury, Hazel Leep, Sandra Holmes (Hiliary's mother), Erma Endly, Ruth Ann Keith (John Keith's mother) she is having health issues, Larry Kidder Gout, Don Klieves (Friend of Colton) Stage 3 prostate cancer.

Kevin Robinson (Nancy's Husband), Peggy Albright (friend of the Starrett's), Betty Cox (Diann Backmann's sister), Rodney Reeves (Erica Cunningham's father), Wilma Carpenter (Ardith's Sister), Pam Alchire (Friend of Lonnie), Beverly Wilson (Marley's Aunt) breast cancer, Jason Shy (Richard's nephew) cist on prostrate, Sheryl Taylor (Diane Lyon's sister) is at home recovering, Amy Smith (Demetra's sister) Has cancer.

Church of Christ

1002 Clairmont Avenue, Cambridge OH

July 19, 2026

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Schedule of services

Sunday:

Bible Classes....9:45am

Morning Worship....10:30am

Evening worship....6:00pm

Tuesday:

Word watchers at 11 am

Wednesday:

Bible classes....6:00pm

Colton Ferrell, Minister Welcome! We invite you to all our services.

### **Announcements:**

The next men's meeting will be August 9 at 5:15 pm.

Next Men's breakfast will be August 8 at 9 am. (Chelsie's).

We will be evangelizing on August 1 at 11 am.

Word watchers will resume July 28<sup>th</sup>.

Christian will be moving to Moundsville for school on August 15<sup>th</sup>.

### **Gospel Meetings:**

Be sure to check the bulletin board for more information.

### **No More Excuses**

Excuses are easy to make, but they do not remove our responsibility before God. When Moses was called to lead Israel, he offered several excuses: "Who am I?" "What shall I say?" and "I am slow of speech" (Exodus 3:11, 13; 4:10). Yet God patiently reminded Moses that His power was sufficient. Jesus also warned about those who make excuses when invited to follow Him. One wanted to examine his land, another wanted to test his oxen, and another allowed family matters to keep him from responding (Luke 14:16–24). Their excuses may have sounded reasonable, but they caused them to miss the great supper.

People still make excuses today: "I am too busy to worship," "I will obey the gospel later," "I am not good enough," or "Someone at church hurt me." However, none of these excuses changes what God has commanded.

Jesus said, "If you love Me, you will keep My commandments" (John 14:15). God does not expect perfection before we come to Him, but He does expect faith, repentance, obedience, and faithfulness. Instead of asking, "What excuse can I give?" we should ask, "What would the Lord have me do?"

Serving in worship:

Greeters: Suzie Horton & Susie Gibson

Announcements: Jared Jamiel

Song Leader: Kevin Norris

Opening Prayer: Raymond Wayble

Lord's Table:

John Starrett

Andy Keith

R. Cunningham

John Smith

Scripture: Mark Fowler

Sermon: Christian Lopez

Closing Prayer: Russ Singleton

Question of the Month:

How much time have you spent in God's word?

Ideas for Outreach:

We must think of ways to reach the lost. Imagine if everyone reached one lost soul and brought them to

Christ? Matthew 28:18-20

If you have any updates, let Colton know!

Ministers' info:

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Office Hours:

Monday – 9 am to 1 pm

Tuesday – 9 am to 1 pm

Wednesday – 1 pm to 7 pm

Thursday – 9 am to 1 pm

Friday – Off / Visits

Sermon AM:

Stand fast and be strong / 1 Cor. 16:13-14

Sermon PM:

Rodger Rush / James 4:13-17

Class material:

Sunday mornings – Galatians

Wednesday Evening – 1 Timothy

Future Projects

**Guernsey county faith booth: Just encouraging others to be a part of the booth this year. We are looking to do it three days this year. Time: 5-7pm in September.**

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## Revive us again

- I. When spiritual life becomes weak.
  - A. The Psalmist did not pray for revival because everything was going well spiritually.
  - B. A congregation may continue meeting, singing, praying, preaching, and taking the Lord's supper while individual members gradually lose their spiritual zeal.  
Revelation 2:4
  - C. Yet something essential had changed: their love had grown cold.  
Revelation 2:5
  - D. We need revival when we make excuses for not doing what God has told us.  
Ephesians 5:14  
Hebrews 2:1
- II. Repentance

A. Psalm 85 connects revival with turning away from sin.

Psalm 85:8

2 Chronicles 7:14

B. Peter preached:

Acts 3:19

Psalm 51:10-12

C. It begins when we remove anything from our lives that is separating us from God.

James 4:8-10

2 Corinthians 7:10

III. A return to God's word.

A. Only the truth of God can transform the heart.

Psalm 19:7

2 Kings 23:3

Nehemiah 8:8

B. The early Christians devoted themselves to the Apostles teaching, fellowship, the breaking of bread and prayers.

Acts 2:42

2 Timothy 4:2

IV. Each one of us.

A. Each Christian must examine his own heart.

2 Corinthians 13:5

Lamentations 3:40

B. God is able to revive us.

Isaiah 40:29-31

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