Making Plans

by Greg Gwin Collegevue church of Christ Columbia, TN

A financial planner observed that most folks spend more time planning their summer vacation than they devote to planning their most important lifetime goals. That is, without doubt, a sad but true fact. How can we hope to succeed in life without planning and goal-setting? If you want to be a successful student, businessman, politician, etc. - it takes planning!

Surely this same point can be made in regards to our spiritual service to God. In fact, it may be even truer in this particular realm. We might even say that some folks appear to spend more time planning what they will do after supper on a given night than they have ever spent charting their plans for serving God. It's a sad situation, to be sure.

The problem is that we have gotten our priorities out of order. Notice what Jeus said: "Therefore take no thought, saying, What shall we eat? or, What shall we drink? or, Where withall shall we be clothed?... for your heavenly Father knoweth that ye have need of all these things. But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you." (Matt. 6:32-33)

Do you see it? Jesus said that we ought not to worry about the things that we most often do worry about. And, He said that we should give careful consideration to our spiritual work - putting it first in our lives.

Christian, are you making your plans to be faithful to God and to be active in His service? Have you spent any time lately planning about the things that are really most important?

Oct. Birthdays 13 Casey Orton 27 George Golias 29 Mark Dailey		Oct. Anniversaries 01 Bill & Joyce Flanagan 04 Milton & Joan Cook 05 Zach & Lisa Hansen 12 Don & Kelly Henry 26 David & Jessica Alcorn
Nov. Birthdays 04 Rick Fees 05 Ray McArthur 05 Connor Orton 07 Anna Brink 08 Lisa Nichols	08 Lisa Hansen 19 Bev McArthur 26 Laura Kyle 28 Charles Bennett	Nov. Anniversaries 27 Dennis & Darlene Reed
Dec. Birthdays 02 Laura Lehning 05 Dennis Reed 17 Carol Jones		Dec. Anniversaries None for Dec.

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NEWSLETTER

Nov. 03, 2019

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Schedule of Services

Sunday AM Bible Study 9:45 AM Sunday AM Worship 11:00 AM

No Sunday PM Service

Tuesday Ladies' Bible Study 10:00 AM Wednesday PM Bible Study 7:00 PM

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We welcome all who are here today.

If you are a visitor we are honored to have you with us. Please fill out a *Visitor Card* (on the back of the pew in front of you) so we may have a record of your visit. Later in the service we will pass around a collection plate. As a visitor you are obviously not expected to give but we would like for you to place the *Visitor Card* in the collection plate. Thanks.

There is a nursery at the rear of the auditorium up the stairs for infant care.

Please keep cell phones and other noise making devices silent during Bible study and worship.



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Prayers In our prayers, let's praise God, recognize His greatness, and thank Him for His blessings.

Butts Sumner Let's pray for him as he continues to deal with health issues. Let's pray for Edie also.

Edward and his young son. They were with us last Sunday. Let's keep them in our prayers as they deal with some issues.

Cassandra Kern, Louella Hopkins' granddaughter, had dental surgery recently.

David Alcorn had an endoscopy recently and found no cancer.

Bryan, Denise Garlitz' son in law, is having health issues. He will have ear surgery in Dec.

Jessica, Rick & Fran Fees' daughter, will have gall bladder surgery soon.

Gene Russell, Wayne Carter's cousin in Richmond, VA had quadruple bypass surgery Oct. 28. Things went fine.

Sharron Gantt Let's keep her in our prayers as she continues to recover from recent eye surgery.

Let's pray for children, families, and the staff at Potter Children's Home.

Let's pray as we continue our preacher search process.

Let's pray for the congregation in Fenwick, ONT as they do the same.

Upcoming Events (Lord willing)

Nov. 03 Today. Potluck Groups 4, 5, & 6 to setup and cleanup.

Nov. 05 Election Day

Nov. 11 Veterans Day

Nov. 16 Security Meeting with Dave DiTullio here at the building. 2:30-4:30 PM
There will be an hour presentation and an hour question and answer period.
The entire congregation is invited. If you have concerns, please come to the meeting.

Nov. 17 Men's Business Meeting

Nov. 28 Thanksgiving Day

LADIES BIBLE CLASS

The Ladies Bible Class began a new series of lessons this past Tuesday morning dealing with living in peace. Jean Cameron is facilitating the class, examining the word "peace" and the necessity for it in all aspects of our lives. The class begins promptly at 10 AM and all ladies are encouraged to join the group for fellowship and study. Lessons can be obtained from Audrey.

LADIES NIGHT OUT

Mark your calendar for November 21st at 7 PM for a presentation of "*The Miracle Worker*" at Niagara Falls High School Performing Arts Center. More details coming soon.

Ladies Save the date

Ladies Holiday Party Dec. 14th More info to follow later.

Note from Denise Garlitz

Any ladies planning on attending the Ladies Holiday Party please make sure to get a questionnaire from Denise to fill out. Thanks.

Classes and Sermon

Sun. AM Adult Bible Study Matthew

Tuesday Ladies' Bible Study 10 AM

Sermon Topic Today: What We Bring To The Table

I Cor. 10:14-22

2nd Kings



Serving Today

Announcements Wayne Carter
Song Leader Rodney Jones

Direct Communion Ray McArthur

Serve Wayne Carter

Richard Wheeler

Serve Richard Wheeler
Serve Doug Flanagan

Clean Trays Joanne Morden

Note from Carol Jones

Heart, Love & Soul

Scripture Reading:

No Sun. PM Service

Wed. PM Bible Study

We are starting a new donation ministry with Heart, Love & Soul. 939 Ontario Ave. Niagara Falls, NY 14305 Please help yourself to a flyer with the attached list of amenities for the *Necessary Shop*. If you would like to volunteer please call 716 282-5687 and ask for Sister Diane. If you have questions please feel free to see me. Love & blessings, Carol. Prov. 14:31 Prov. 19:17

Note:

The flyers are on the table in the foyer at the parking lot entrance and on the table at the back of the auditorium.

Notice

The carpets here in the church building are scheduled to be cleaned on Friday Nov. 15, 2019 beginning at 8 AM.

Thank You

Emily Sestack, Sherry Carter's cousin in Wilmington, DE, sends her thanks for the card from the Ladies Bible Class.

POTLUCK TODAY

Setup and cleanup for the *POTLUCK*. Groups 4, 5, and 6. (Based on the *Phone Tree*)

Grp. 04. Ray & Bev McArthur (group leaders)

Grp. 05. Mark & Audrey Dailey (group leaders) Grp. 06. Dennis & Darlene Reed (group leaders)

If you are in one of those groups it's your turn.
This includes making sure the building and the lift are secure.

Business Meeting Minutes

Minutes of the Oct. 27, 2019 business meeting are on the back table.



Please join us in congratulating

Zachary and Lisa Hansen

on their recent marriage.

A pot-luck reception will be held
in their honor on

in their nonor on

Sunday, November 3rd,

following morning worship.

There will be a Money/Gift Card Tree if you would like to honor them. They are also

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registered at Target and Bed, Bath and Beyond