

LEARN Volume 10: What Does the Bible Say About the Future?

Week 2: 'Jesus Wants Us to Finish Well'

Matthew 25.1-13

"Then the Kingdom of Heaven will be like ten bridesmaids who took their lamps and went to meet the bridegroom. 2 Five of them were foolish, and five were wise. 3 The five who were foolish didn't take enough olive oil for their lamps, 4 but the other five were wise enough to take along extra oil. 5 When the bridegroom was delayed, they all became drowsy and fell asleep.

- 6 "At midnight they were roused by the shout, 'Look, the bridegroom is coming! Come out and meet him!'
- 7 "All the bridesmaids got up and prepared their lamps. 8 Then the five foolish ones asked the others, 'Please give us some of your oil because our lamps are going out.'
- 9 "But the others replied, 'We don't have enough for all of us. Go to a shop and buy some for yourselves.'
- 10 "But while they were gone to buy oil, the bridegroom came. Then those who were ready went in with him to the marriage feast, and the door was locked. 11 Later, when the other five bridesmaids returned, they stood outside, calling, 'Lord! Lord! Open the door for us!'
- 12 "But he called back, 'Believe me, I don't know you!"
- 13 "So you, too, must keep watch! For you do not know the day or hour of my return.



Vitals for October 2nd

Weekly Need: \$3,200 Actual Given: \$2.034

Sunday School - 46 Morning Service - 67

3 easy ways to give:

1. 'Tithes & Offerings' box in the lobby

2. Go to newheightsconnersville.com/giving

3. Mail to the church office



Lawrence Johnson
Jean Tinch – liver biopsy Oct. 12th
Karianna Gibbs – knee problems
Gary Lore (Milbourn's neighbor)
Theo Atwood (Donna Parrett's great grandbaby)
Lynne Wilhelm – Heritage House
Art Carroll

Names are left on the prayer list for only three weeks; but if you wish for a name to remain longer, please let the office know.

**A weekly updated long term prayer list can be picked up in the lobby.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

K through 5th grades will be dismissed to Children's Church after Communion/Offering time.

MEN FOR CHRIST 'LADIES NIGHT'

Monday, October 10th at Mahoning Valley. The speaker for the evening will be John Caldwell, Dinner is at 6pm, Program starts at 7pm.

JESUS GIRLS GATHERING

Tuesday, October 11th at 6:30pm All ladies are invited!

WEEKLY BIBLE STUDY

Join us every Thursday at 6pm as we study the Gospel of John!

ARK ENCOUNTER

Saturday, October 15th we will be going to the Ark Encounter. Those who have signed up please make sure you get your ticket money in today! You can pay by check, cash, or online at newheightsconnersville.com/giving

ALL-CHURCH PICNIC AT MVCSC

Please join us on Sunday, October 16th at Mahoning Valley for a day of worship, food and fellowship. The day will begin at 10:30 am with a worship service and continue after that with our annual church 'pitch-in' picnic. Please plan to bring a side dish and/ or dessert to share. Meat and drinks will be provided.