



“A Message For the Birds”

Luke 2:15

When the angels had returned to heaven, the shepherds said to each other, “Let’s go to Bethlehem! Let’s see this thing that has happened, which the Lord has told us about.” **NLT**

When you have important information to relay to someone, how do you do it? Phone call? Text message? Email? Courier pigeon? Probably not the latter, if it’s information that you really care about finding it’s way to it’s intended recipient.

Strangely, however, God uses humble means to communicate his messages. In the case of Luke 2, shepherds are among the first to take the message out. And in the case of 2 Corinthians 5, it looks like the job falls to you and me! I wonder who’s more reliable, me, or a shepherd? Maybe God should have sent a pigeon instead...

We’ll talk about it more this Sunday. See you then! - Zach

Sermon in a Sentence

“God’s _____ may be unimpressive, but his _____ are anything but.”

Luke 2:1-15

It’s All Greek to Me!

“*thaumazo*” - to marvel at something, to be surprised

1 Samuel 17:32-37

“*makarios*” - blessed, in a position of favor, beneficiary of a special relationship

Luke 2:16-20

Luke 4:18-19

Three Weekly Challenges

2 Corinthians 5:17-6:2

1. Communicate the Message _____
2. Communicate the Message _____
3. Communicate the Message _____

Prayer Requests

Larry Clark
Donna Parrett
Bob Alvez
Sam Clark
Myrna Carlson

Marcia Clark
Rose Burk
Joyce Peak (Mona Nichols' friend)
Teresa Scott

****A long-term prayer list with updates can be found in the foyer.**

Sunday
July 21 - 5pm - 7pm
Join us for
Sundae Family Fun Day
Hosted by
JESUS GIRLS



Rise Kids Children's Church



K - 5th grades will now meet in the gym for the full morning worship session. Don't forget to check in your children at the registration desk located in the breezeway.

Coffee & Conversation with the Lord

Join us on Sunday mornings at 8:30 starting August 4th for coffee, a light breakfast, and PRAYER.

It is vital to recognize the importance of prayer in the life of the church. Prayer is not simply a religious ritual but a powerful means of connecting with God, seeking His will, and experiencing His transformative work in our lives and our community. Please consider joining us on Sunday mornings as we lift our voices together in prayer.

"In the morning, O Lord, you hear my voice: in the morning I lay my requests before you and wait expectantly." - Psalm 5:3



**Mark Your Calendars...
For Opportunities to Serve!**

New Heights Work Week - July 28th - August 3rd

There are several tasks inside and outside of the building that we need help completing.

We will have a sign-up list out in the foyer next week, along with a list of the jobs that need to be completed.

Please consider volunteering for one or two of the items on the list.



Mowing Day @ Mahoning Valley September 7th

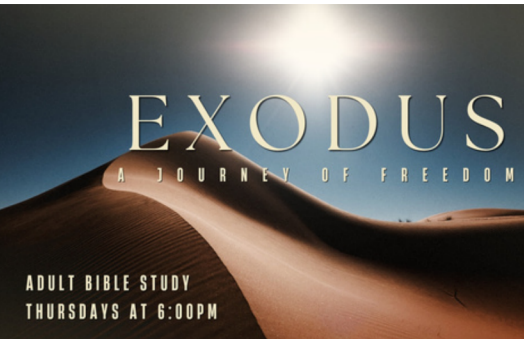
If you have a mower or trimmer and would like to help on that day, please contact the church office to let us know you are interested.

Birthdays & Anniversaries
Guy Nichols 7/14
Sam Clark 7/18
David & Diane Burks 7/17
Lawrence & Rita Johnson 7/17



EXODUS
A JOURNEY OF FREEDOM

ADULT BIBLE STUDY
THURSDAYS AT 6:00PM




Vitals for July 7

Weekly Need: \$3,200
Actual Given: \$1354
Sunday School - 22
Morning Service - 67

3 easy ways to give:

- 'Tithes & Offerings' box in the lobby
- newheightsconnersville.com/giving
- Mail to the church office

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