



Bulletin - September 22, 2024



## “Forgive and Forget”

### **Luke 5:18-21**

*Some men came carrying a paralyzed man on a sleeping mat. They tried to take him inside to Jesus, but they couldn't reach him because of the crowd. So, they went up to the roof and took off some tiles. Then they lowered the sick man on his mat down into the crowd, right in front of Jesus. Seeing their faith, Jesus said to the man, “Young man, your sins are forgiven.” But the Pharisees and teachers of religious law said to themselves, “Who does he think he is? That's blasphemy! Only God can forgive sins!” NLT*

**While we were still sinners, Paul says, Christ died for us. Most people are unwilling to die for good people, though they may die for someone who is especially good, but, again, Paul says that God illustrates his love for us in this, that while we still sinners, Christ died for us. This is a paraphrase of Romans 5. Let me ask you something, would it be easier for you to forgive an enemy, or heal one? I think most of us would choose to spare our enemies pain, these days, but it's difficult for us to forgive them. Christ illustrates that we need to be willing to forgive our enemies no matter what. He may not need our help to forgive others, but he sure offers his help to us when we need to forgive others. We'll talk more about it this weekend. -Zach**

*Sermon in a Sentence*

“Christ offers \_\_\_\_\_ and he offers \_\_\_\_\_ when it comes to \_\_\_\_\_ others.”

### **Luke 5:17-26**

*It's All Greek to Me!*

### **Psalm 103:8-13**

“echthroi” - a hostile person, a word rooted in hate

### **Romans 5:6-10**

# Prayer Requests

Larry Clark  
Donna Parrett  
Bob Alvez  
Sam Clark

Marcia Clark  
Rose Burk  
Teresa Scott  
Myrna Carlson

Lawrence Johnson  
Mona Nichols  
Ruth Harrison  
Bob Hanze

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



## Vitals for September 15

Weekly Need: \$3,200  
Actual Given: \$1018  
Sunday School - 24  
Morning Service - 60

Fellowship



Gather Together



Worship

**Jesus Girls**  
Fall Kick Off  
**Ladies' Pitch-In Luncheon**  
Ladies of all ages are invited to attend.  
Please sign up in the Cafe area  
**September 22nd**  
Immediately Following morning worship

Outdoor Service & Pitch-in lunch 10/27 at  
**MAHONING VALLEY Christian Service Camp**

3 easy ways to give:

- 'Tithes & Offerings' box in the lobby
- [newheightsconnersville.com/giving](http://newheightsconnersville.com/giving)
- Mail to the church office

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WE ARE BACK!

SUNDAY  
SEPTEMBER 29  
6 - 8 PM



Serve Together

Working

Sharing

Save THE Date

**CONGREGATIONAL MEETING WITH PITCH-IN**  
SEPTEMBER 29, 2024  
IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING MORNING WORSHIP  
ELDER PRESENTED FOR REAFFIRMATION: BRYAN JENNINGS  
DEACON PRESENTED FOR REAFFIRMATION: ROBERT CHALKER  
ELDERS PRESENTED FOR AFFIRMATION: BRIAN CLARK & BRIAN KENNEDY

COMMUNITY SHARING FOOD DRIVE

Donations will be collected throughout the month of September.

Don't Miss! Yeti Con!  
October 5th  
1:00 - 5:00 pm

Laughing Celebrate Together Loving

Thank you New Heights Family for all the cards, meals, and calls. I love each one of you. Thank you for the use of the wheelchair. It's been 1 year, but I'm doing great.  
Your sister in Christ  
Teresa Scott

praying Grow Together Studying

**Birthdays & Anniversaries**  
Brenda L. 9/29  
Jerry & Pam Gobin 9/22  
Jordan & Kayla Clark 9/25  
Jim & Linda Powell 9/27

THE BOOK OF  
**1 JOHN**  
Bible Study  
Thursdays at 6:00 pm

LOVE ONE ANOTHER