



Bible Verse of the Week

The heavens declare the glory of God; the skies proclaim the work of his hand. Psalms 19:1

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Lord's Supper Reflection

Jesus Died To Create a Band of Crucified Followers

"Then He said to them all, 'If anyone desires to come after Me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross daily, and follow Me. For whoever desires to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for My sake will save it. For what profit is it to a man if he gains the whole world, and is himself destroyed or lost?" Luke 9:23-25

Offering Meditation

Your Gift to God helps Support Fellow Christians

Relief to Judea "... And in these days prophets ...showed by the Spirit that there was going to be a great famine throughout all the world... Then the disciples, each according to his ability, determined to send relief to the brethren dwelling in Judea. This they also did, and sent it to the elders by the hands of Barnabas and Saul." Acts 11:27-30

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Remember in Prayer:

- \*Rena Morgan - Shut in, health
\*Alexa Rohr - eyesight
\*Phyllis Caldwell - her eyesight
\*Tim Bang - dealing with knee pain
\*Maxine Jones (Laura McGiffin's mom) - Shut in, health
\*Terry McGiffin (John McGiffin's dad) - health
\*Doug Hoff - health
\*Judah and Michelle (friend's of the McGiffin's) - Judah's recent interview
\*David King (John McGiffin's uncle) and his wife Lona - David has heart failure
\*Charlie Lane (friends of the Bang's)
\*Alena's little brother, Josiah - upcoming heart surgery (has a pre-op appt on 9/9)
\*Sammie Swank (Stephanie Bang's friend's 5yr old daughter) - recovering from heart surgery
\*Dale Thomas - New brother in Christ
\*Teresa Sapp (Jerry Thompson's aunt) - has cancer, hospice has been called in
\*Tim McLaughlin's family dealing with the loss of several family members recently
\*Kyle Buckingham - encouragement
\*The Bang's will be traveling this week.

How may we be praying for YOU?

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Attendance and Contribution Record

Table with 2 columns: Sunday, August 23 and Wednesday, August 26. Rows include Bible Classes, AM Attendance, PM Attendance, and Contribution.

Welcome to Greenville Church of Christ



August 30, 2020

Worship Times:

- Sunday Morning Bible class: 9:30am
Sunday Morning Worship: 10:30am
Sunday Evening Worship: 6:00pm
Wednesday Evening Bible Study: 7:00pm

Minister, John McGiffin

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Greenville, OH 45331

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Please welcome our guest speaker, Drew Reece and his wife Maggie. Drew is a graduate of Memphis School of Preaching. He is the minister at the Lincolnway Church of Christ in Columbia City, IN.

We are happy that you have chosen to worship with us today. If you are visiting, you are our honored guests and we would love to have you back with us again. Please take a moment to fill out a visitor's card and let us get to know you.

## A Crisis of Holiness

By Kevin Cauley

Some people can't find it within themselves to "live peaceably with men" (Romans 12:18). Why is it that they seem to make an issue out of every little thing? The answer is that they lack holiness.

### Do you know those who make a mountain out of a molehill?

Holy living is not just being a moral person: one who doesn't commit fornication, drink booze, gamble away money, take advantage of other people, lie, cheat, steal, etc. Holiness certainly avoids these things, but that is not all it is. Holiness means that one is set apart from the world and its ways. This includes not only immoral behavior, but also worldly attitudes. Unfortunately, some glory in their "moral" behavior, but their attitudes are wholly corrupted by the world. The Pharisee who prayed with himself is in this category (Luke 18:9-14).

Let me paint a picture of someone who has a crisis of holiness. This person gets involved in every little scandal. She always seems to be in a panic. He relishes the latest gossip. She is constantly portraying matters in an extreme way to get others sucked into her mind-set. He can't let go of matters that have long since been resolved. She is neurotic and always feels like something is going on that she isn't involved with. He is paranoid and constantly worried about what others may be saying about him. Lack of holiness is why it is a sin to be a busybody (1 Peter 4:15), gossip (2 Thessalonians 3:11), talk idly (Matthew 12:36), be fearful (Revelation 21:8), disobey authority (Jude 8), be envious (Galatians 5:26), and suchlike. These actions are all unholy because the person doing them can't separate him or herself from the world. Moreover, they lead to one engaging in the immoral behavior listed above. May God help us to be holy both in morality, and in attitude.

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Please call John or email him at [jmcgiffin.yayo@gmail.com](mailto:jmcgiffin.yayo@gmail.com) with any prayer requests or announcements you may have for the congregation.

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Serving today and next week:

| Sunday AM Rotation     | Sunday, August 30, 2020 | Sunday, September 06, 2020 |
|------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|
| Announcements          | Brian Allen             | Jason Bang                 |
| Song Leading           | John McGiffin           | Brian Allen                |
| Opening Prayer         | Brian Allen/Guest       | Jason Bang/ Guest          |
| Lord's Supper Comments | Tim Bang                | Tim Bang                   |
| Scripture Reading      | Kyle Buckingham         | Chris McGiffin             |
| Sermon                 | Drew Reece              | John McGiffin              |
| Closing Prayer         | Jason Bang              | Aiden Rohr                 |

## Announcements:

Communion is available as you come in the building, please take only what is needed for today. Hold on to the emblems until the proper time.

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Dale Thomas obeyed the Gospel on Thursday, August 20th!  
Please continue praying for his encouragement and spiritual growth.

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**Gospel Meeting:**  
Theme - Focus on the Family  
September 20-23 with Steven Haguewood

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Potluck for September will be after morning worship on September 20th.

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Daily Bible readings for this week's Bible class:

Topics: David's Family; A Diligent Daughter

2 Samuel 15:2-6, 10-14, 30-37

2 Samuel 16:5-11, 16-18

2 Samuel 17:1-7, 11-16

2 Samuel 18:5-15, 32-33

2 Samuel 19:1-8

Proverbs 11:22

Proverbs 31:11, 13-19, 22, 24, 28-31

1 Peter 3:4

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**Happy Anniversary!**

Ed and Saki Kirchner 9/8

**Happy Birthday!**

Merrill Clapp 9/15

Laura McGiffin 9/29

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TONIGHT we will be having a meal and fellowship after evening services.