



Sunday, March 3, 2024

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Office Hours 8am-2pm (Monday-Friday)

All the People Arose as One Man

by Doug Kashorek

The Levite cutting his dead concubine into twelve pieces and sending them to every tribe in Israel awakened God's people to how far they had drifted spiritually from their unity at Mt. Sinai when Moses had mediated a covenant relationship between God and His people. When the Levite explained what the Sodomites of Gibeah had done, Judges 20:8 says, *"And all the people arose **as one man**, saying, 'None of us will go to his tent, and none of us will return to his house'"* until they had righted what was wrong.

How long had it been since God's people had been united? Almost 200 years before 8:28 says, *"the land had rest forty years in the days of Gideon,"* but only Gideon's 300 soldiers struck *"the Midianites as one man"* (6:16). Soon after, the Ephraimites took offense and *"all Israel whored after"* Gideon's ephod as an idol and snare (8:27). No, if God's people had unity in anything in the time of Judges, it was in doing *"what was right in [their] own eyes"* 21:25.

Circling like vultures around Joshua who was about to die, God's people expectantly awaited their inheritance in the Promised Land but were told to *"choose this day whom you will serve"* (Joshua 24:15) and that they had much conquering left to do—externally *and internally* to truly be united in their God as His people.

Perhaps we have to go all the way back to the second telling of the Law and the laying out of blessings for obedience and curses for disobedience before Moses died and Joshua was selected to lead God's people across the Jordan. At Jericho, under Joshua and the heavenly commander of the LORD's army, God's people **as one man** marched silently around the city for six days before waging war, not as the world does, but with a shout that truly had *"divine power to destroy strongholds"* 2 Corinthians 10:3-5.

That unity, of course, was short-lived as well, as Achan kept some devoted things for himself. What would it take for God's people today to arise as one man?

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SERVICE TIMES

Sunday

Bible Class 9:30 AM
Worship 10:30 AM
Evening 6:00 PM

Wednesday

Bible Class
1:00PM and 7:00PM

FACEBOOK

36th Street Church
of Christ
(Public Page)

36th Street Church
of Christ Members

OUR PRAYER LIST

Gary Curkendall
John Morehead
Ed Lemley
Pat and Bob Hill
Karen Hoover
Liz Hardman
Tommy Morrison
Nancy Sams



John Daggett (Aidan Klingler's grandpa)
Family of John Mollendick (friend of Fran Talbert)
Shawn Butterfield (Linda Butterfield's son)
Georgia Grace Marlow (neighbor of Patty Lemon)
Karen Mitchell (Charles Doyle's sister)

Our Long Term Care Residents:

(full addresses on foyer bulletin board)

Betty Armstrong— *The Pines at Glenwood Apt 124*
Lola Hitzel *Rockland Ridge room 301*
Eva Leonhart *Eagle Point Room 105-B*
Peggy Smith - *Altercare of Summit Acres Apt 308*

Homebound: Betty Logan, Helen Sweeney, and Martha Nulter

Celebrate

Birthday and Anniversary

3/8—Kim Shelene birthday
3/9—Tom Morrison birthday
Ray & Karen Hoover anniversary

~ Thank you ~

Thanks to my church family for all the birthday cards. I love you all and enjoyed my cards very much!

—Shirley Dotson

Thank you for all your prayers for John Mollendick and his family at his passing.

—Fran Talbert

News and Centennial



- ◆ Thank you to everyone who turned in changes on our pages or sections to help us with details and accuracy. As soon as the final formatting is done, we'll get the centennial book off to the printers. The plan is to distribute books sold, just before our centennial month—May 2024.
- ◆ Centennial clothing orders will be taken again March 15-31.
- ◆ Book sales and banquet tickets will be available until each is sold out now. We will have 200 copies of the book, selling for \$15 each. We have also increased the number of banquet tickets to 200 now, selling for \$10 a ticket. Please make sure to pass this along to those who might be waiting to buy. Currently, **112 books** and **157 banquet tickets** have been sold.

Would you like to send a card?

You may place cards in the basket by the Deacon's desk & we will mail them out.



Checked out our website lately?
Scan this code to go there!

UPCOMING EVENTS

- ★ **TODAY**—Teachers meeting in MPR at 4:30PM before evening services
- ★ **Mar 4 (Mon)**—Leadership Meeting at 7PM in MPR
- ★ **Mar 4 (Mon)**—**YOUTH**—Monday Night Merge at Rockport at 7PM
- ★ **Mar 9 (Sat)**—Saturday Breakfast at 9AM at Mary B's on Garfield
- ★ **Mar 10-14 (Sun-Thurs)**—Gospel Meeting at Hopewell Church of Christ with Roger Rush speaking. 7PM weeknights
- ★ **Mar 11(Mon)**—**YOUTH**—Monday Night Merge at Lubeck at 7PM (last one)
- ★ **Mar 14 (Thurs)**—Centennial Meeting at 7PM in MPR
- ★ **Mar 15-16 (Fri-Sat)**—**Youth** Rally at North End Church of Christ. See flyers on foyer desk to register and for more info
- ★ **Mar 17-22(Sun-Fri)**—Gospel Meeting at Hillview Terrace Church of Christ in Moundville, WV with Ken Burton. 7PM weeknights



We would like to organize some type of event for the youth for April 1st when they are still off school. We need parent inputs on whether or not your child would be available for that day. Please talk to Doug to let him know ASAP.



The Service Station

Canned fruits

Kids' Corner

Of the seven "I am" statements in John, which one does Jesus say He is in 10:11?

- A. the way, the truth, and the life
- B. the door of the sheep
- C. the good shepherd
- D. the light of the world



Tell the correct answer to Jim Shuman (and wish him a happy birthday yesterday!) for a prize.

Hey moms, dads, grandparents and **KIDS!** There is a new activity packet for school-age or younger children in the foyer on the first Sunday of every month.

Sunday, March 3, 2024 10:30 AM

TODAY'S WORSHIP SERVICE

Opening Song

Song Leader: Jay Houser

Welcome & Opening Prayer
Spencer Mason

Song After Prayer

Song Before Communion

Table Speaker: Aidan Klingler

Scripture Reading: Mike Hale
Judges 20:6-8

Speaker: Doug Kashorek
"All the People Arose"

Invitation Song

Announcements & Closing Prayer:
J Carrico

6:00 PM SERVICE

Song Leader: Jay Houser

Welcome Prayer: Jim Kelley

Scripture Reading: Aidan Klingler
Psalm 51:10-12

Speaker: Doug Kashorek
"Create in Me a Clean Heart"

PM Communion

Randy Craig

Announcements / Closing Prayer:
Joe Carrico

Ushers

Jerry Lemley, Duane Smith, Aidan Klingler

Privileged to Serve

	<u>3/10/24</u>	<u>3/17/2024</u>
Song Leader	J Eckhart	A Klingler
Welcome/Prayer	D Smith	J Shuman
Table Speaker	J Houser	J Kelley
Read Scripture	G Grimm	C Doyle
Speaker	D Kashorek	T Garner
Closing Prayer	T Garner	J Carrico

Evening Services

Song Leader	S Mason	J Houser
Welcome/Prayer	J Taylor	D Mincks
Read Scripture	R Hoover	R Kellar
Speaker	D Kashorek	A Klingler
Communion	J Lemley	M Hale
Closing Prayer	T Garner	J Carrico

Lead Usher	J Lemley	J Taylor
Usher 1	D Smith	S Wigal
Usher 2	A Klingler	T Morrison

Attendance & Contribution Week of 2/25/24

Sunday AM Bible Study: 59
Sunday AM Worship: 102
Sunday PM Worship: 49
Wednesday Bible Study: 57
Contribution: \$3,194.59
Weekly Goal: \$4,250.00

Direct deposit contributions can be made here:
<https://tithe.ly/give?c=1322070>

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☆☆ **Those Serving in the Military:** ☆☆
☆☆ **Chris & Melanie DePuy, U.S. Air Force** ☆☆
☆☆ *(son of Jeff & Julie DePuy)* ☆☆
☆☆ **Brad Gibbs..U.S. Navy** ☆☆
☆☆ *(grandson of Kelly & Genny Gibbs)* ☆☆
☆☆ **Luke George, National Guard** ☆☆
☆☆ *(grandson-in-law of Anna Hart)* ☆☆
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