

Sunday, April 14, 2024 610 36th Street, Vienna, WV 26105 304-295-9696 | 36thStreetChurch@gmail.com 36thstreetchurchofchrist.com Office Hours 8am-2pm (Monday-Friday)



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<u>SECRETARY</u>

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DEACONS

Randy Craig John Eckhart John Garner Chuck Jones Jerry Lemley Dan Mincks Jim Taylor

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

"Her Parents Named Her Jezebel!"

by Doug Kashorek

This is what my late wife, an elementary general music teacher at that time, said quite a few years ago when she came home from the first day of school and saw her class lists. It made sense. In previous generations, even among those who had very little biblical knowledge of this name, calling someone a "Jezebel" was to accuse them of being sexually immoral. But, as that knowledge dwindled even further and the stigma of sexual immorality lessened—was even celebrated within the culture—the negative connotation associated with it disappeared until it sounded like a nice name to the poor girl's parents.

Jezebel, of course, was Ahab's wife, the wicked queen of the Northern Kingdom. She was the one who conspired to kill Naboth to steal his vineyard and made even Elijah, the LORD's prophet, flee for his life after he had her 450 prophets of Baal and 400 of Asherah put to death. And, when Jehu, fresh from assassinating Jezebel's reigning son, came, the queen mother, instead of mourning or pleading for her life, "painted her eyes and adorned her head" to seduce him ... but found that her wiles had quite literally gone to the dogs.

That was not the end of her, however, as in the first century Jesus tells the church in Thyatira that "you tolerate that woman Jezebel, who calls herself a prophetess and is teaching and seducing my servants to practice sexual immorality and to eat food sacrificed to idols" Revelation 2:20. Not all there but like a mold that grows and spreads, the church had to be remediated from its sin. Jesus speaks to the unsullied and exhorts them, "Only hold fast what you have until I come."

Many in the Lord's church today can identify with the faithful in Thyatira. We have seen the culture and some even in the church become not just accepting of Jezebel's seductions but antagonistic towards those who don't fall for her ploys. Truth is outdated, the gospel restrictive. Salvation is opened and offered to anyone regardless of belief or behavior.

Are you holding fast?

OUR PRAYER LIST

Rita Taylor
Shirley Dotson
Paul McDaniel
Ray and Karen Hoover
Jack Beckett



Jim Kelley
Liz Hardman

Bob and Pat Hill

Jody Boone

Karen Mitchell (Charles Doyle's sister)

Shawn Butterfield (son of Linda Butterfield)

Patty Hoover (Ray Hoover's sister-in-law)

John Daggett (Aidan Klingler's grandpa)

Joyce Helmick (cousin of Judy and Karen Kibble)

Long Term Care Residents:

(full addresses on foyer bulletin board)

Betty Armstrong– Waterview Pointe room 519 **Lola Hitzel** Rockland Ridge room 301

Peggy Smith - Altercare of Summit Acres Apt 308

<u>Homebound:</u> Betty Logan, Helen Sweeney, and Martha Nulter

Patty Hoover 3305 Smith Street Parkersburg, WV 26104



This is the sister-in-law of Ray and Karen Hoover and she is dealing with bone cancer. It was requested that we pray for her and send cards.

Birthday and Anniversary

4/16— Karen Hoover birthday

4/17—Bob and Pat Hill anniversary

4/20—Jason Snyder birthday

~ Thank You ~

We want to thank those of you who sent cards wishing us a Happy Anniversary. They meant a lot to us and were very much appreciated.

-Bob and Brenda Reed

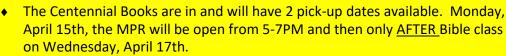
Thank you for all the prayers, get well cards and our anniversary cards. I sincerely need the prayers. We enjoyed all of our anniversary cards. They were beautiful.

—Jim and Rita Taylor

Thank you for the April bags made up by Karen and Judy. We loved the treats, activity books and other fun surprises inside. We couldn't wait to show our mom and dad the felt baby chicks we made during church. We always enjoy seeing what is new at church!

—Aria and Kalynn Craig

Rews and Centennial





◆ <u>ALL BANQUET TICKETS ARE SOLD!</u> Books will continue to be available for \$15 each, as long as we have them. Currently, **126 books** have been sold.



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

Would you like to send a card?

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



- Apr 14-17(Sun-Wed)—Gospel Meeting at North End Church of Christ with Mark Posey. 7PM weeknights
- **△** <u>Apr 14-17(Sun-Wed)</u>—Gospel Meeting at Bridge Street Church of Christ in New Martinsville, WV with Scott Judge. 7PM weeknights.
- **△** Apr 14-17(Sun-Wed)—Gospel meeting at Ullman Street Church of Christ in Beverly, OH. Various speakers. 7:30PM weeknights.
- Apr 19(Fri)—Area wide sing at Sissonville Church of Christ. 7PM
- Apr 20(Sat)—Church Work Day 9AM-12PM
- Apr 21(Sun)—Gospel meeting at Mineral Wells church of Christ with Terry Jones speaking. See flyer with more details.
- ♠ Apr 27(Sat)—Mid-Ohio Valley Ladies' Inspiration Day at Camden Avenue Church of Christ. Registration begins at 9AM with refreshments and then lunch provided. "Tell Your Story" is presented by Hannah Colley. Flyers are on foyer desk
- **♦** Apr 27(Sat)—Youth Spring Camp at WVCYC from 10AM-8PM. Ages 11& up. Theme is *Too Far Gone: Lessons on Redemption*

****Don't forget to check out the schedule of all the Friday Night Sings****

SATURDAY APRIL 20TH 9AM-12PM CHURCH WORK DAY



Vienna, WV 26105



We must love everyone but, according to Luke 6:27, who in particular should we love?

- A. parents
- B. siblings
- C. friends
- D. enemies



Tell the correct answer to Karen Hoover (and wish her a happy birthday this week!) 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, April 14, 2024 10:30 AM

TODAY'S WORSHIP SERVICE

Opening Song

Song Leader: Charles Doyle

Welcome & Opening Prayer

John Eckhart

Song After Prayer

Song Before Communion

Table Speaker: Terry Garner

Scripture Reading: Ted Cramer

Revelation 2:25-28

Speaker: Doug Kashorek "Hold Fast What You Have"

Invitation Song

Announcements & Closing Prayer:

Joe Carrico

6:00 PM SERVICE

Song Leader: Spencer Mason

Welcome Prayer: Jim Taylor

Scripture Reading: James Snyder

Psalm 56:8-11

Speaker: Doug Kashorek "What Can Man Do to Me?"

PM Communion

Jerry Lemley

Announcements / Closing Prayer:

Joe Carrico

Ushers

Kelly Gibbs, Tom Morrison, Randy Craig

Privileged to Serve

	4/21/24	<u>4/28/2024</u>
Song Leader	J Eckhart	A Klingler
Welcome/Prayer	K Gibbs	S Mason
Table Speaker	J Kelley	J Shuman
Read Scripture	G Grimm	S Wigal
Speaker	A Klingler	D Kashorek
Closing Prayer	T Garner	J Carrico

Evening Services

Song Leader	J Houser	M Hale
Welcome/Prayer	D Mincks	J Kelley
Read Scripture	R Hoover	R Kellar
Speaker	A Klingler	D Kashorek
Communion	J Carrico	F Newberry
Closing Prayer	T Garner	J Carrico

Lead Usher	K Gibbs	J Lemley
Usher 1	B Hill	D Smith
Usher 2	R Hoover	A Klingler

Attendance & Contribution Week of 3/31/24

Sunday AM Bible Study: 53 Sunday AM Worship: 110 Sunday PM Worship: 68 Wednesday Bible Study: 68

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Contribution: \$5,012.22 Weekly Goal: \$4,250.00

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

$^{\wedge}$ 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) ☆

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Luke George, National Guard (grandson-in-law of Anna Hart)

