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## **Just Go!**

*The LORD your God himself will cross over ahead of you. He will destroy these nations before you, and you will take possession of their land. Joshua also will cross over ahead of you, as the LORD said. And the LORD will do to them what he did to Sihon and Og, the kings of the Amorites, whom he destroyed along with their land. The LORD will deliver them to you, and you must do to them all that I have commanded you. Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid or terrified because of them, for the LORD your God goes with you; he will never leave you nor forsake you." (Deuteronomy 31:3-6).*

The message was to, "Just go! Everything is taken care of because the LORD is going ahead of you. Do not be afraid, I will never leave you, I will defeat them, I will destroy them, all you have to do is take possession." Four times in four verses God said He was in control. What the Israelites saw was, a mighty river, a land of giants and massively fortified cities, each formidable in and of itself, and the Israelites had to overcome them all. Yet, God was reminding them, you are facing them, but they are facing Me!

Too often we see only the task and forget Who goes before us. God calls us to be brave, and He has given us a mission. **"For we are God's workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do (Ephesians 2:10)."** Therefore we are His hands, His feet, His body, and His voice." Christ came **"To seek and to save the lost (Luke 19:10),"** and we are called to be his messengers. No doubt this is a daunting task—or it would be if we set out to do it on our own. However, there is something we need to remember, it's what the LORD was trying to tell the Israelites, *"You are not alone, because I am going before you!"* viewed in that light the task seems much less intimidating. Hence, our job, like the Israelites, is to have faith and, Just Go!

Wade McKnight  
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## ***Please pray for...***

**For our nation as we are going through troubled times**

**For our national leaders and world leaders** as they lead their respective nations.

**For our troops** in Afghanistan, Bosnia, Korea, Iraq, Liberia, Haiti and other places.

**For Todd Fulkerson** (Special Forces in Afghanistan--known to Gabe Coriell)

**For the innocent** who are suffering in the midst of war.

**For the "people in the box"-- the lost in** our families and community.

**For those who are being martyred and persecuted for Christ** in our own time

**For marriage to stand** in our laws as God ordained it.

**For the church in Siliguri and Naresh Chetri**

**For the churches in Honduras and Haiti who partner with us in the gospel**

**Glenna Box** (friend of Serena Miller) is in KDMC with pneumonia and congestive heart problems.

**Scott Gampp** received treatment on Tuesday for his kidney stone, however, further surgery may be needed to resolve the problem.

**Karren Griffith** is scheduled for open heart surgery at KDMC on Thursday, March 5, to repair a couple valves in her heart. The doctor is predicting a 4 -5 day hospital stay and 4 weeks off from work.

**Eugene Bradbury** (Sarah Gilliland's brother-in-law in Florida) fell on Friday and broke his hip. He is scheduled for hip surgery.

**Praise Report: Kay Blevins** (friend of Tamera Green, a few weeks ago on our prayer list with a leg infection that usually results in amputation) goes to Columbus Monday for clearance to go home with both legs. PTL.

**Lacie Rodriguez** (daughter of Laura Greenhill) has been in ICU at SOMC with a twisted bowel and may be life-flighted to OSU Med Center on Monday.

**Joe Brown** (friend of Tamera Green) in ICU at KDMC, non-responsive.

**Donnie Miller** had knee surgery on Friday.

**Chuck Allison** had carpal tunnel surgery on his hand on Monday.



**3/8 - Girl Scout Sunday**

## **Coming Events**

### **Spirit Club Meeting**

This evening at 6 pm.

### **Fitness and Exercise Opportunities**

This week we are restarting our fitness and exercise activities. Check out the details following and feel free to participate. See Jennifer Gampp if you need details.

***Women's Fitness Indoor Class*** -- every Monday starting March 2, at 6:30 pm here at the building. Bring hand weights and walking shoes and invite a friend.

***Friends & Family Outdoor Walk*** -- every Thursday starting March 5, at 6:30 pm. Walk your own speed and visit. For men, women and children. Invite a friend.

### **No Debt-No Sweat Make-Up DVD's**

If you are in the class and have missed any of the first three sessions, we have copies of the DVD that can be loaned to you for the week. See Steve Miller.

### ***VERSE OF THE MONTH***

Keep your tongue from evil and your lips from speaking lies

*Psalm 34:13*



## **Bible Study Curriculum**

### **Sunday**

3/01 Philippians 1  
3/08 Philippians 2  
3/15 Philippians 3  
3/22 Preaching Service  
3/29 Philippians 4

### **Wednesday**

3/04 Numbers 13-14  
3/11 Numbers 15-17  
3/18 Numbers 20-21  
3/25 Numbers 22-24

## Homeless Shelter Needs

Rich and June Book have been in touch with the Homeless Shelter in Portsmouth and there are some items that the shelter needs right away: Breakfast Foods such as eggs, breads, sausage, bacon, etc. Butter, Fruits, Vegetables (already have plenty of canned goods), Men's Socks  
Check with Rich or June about how to supply these needed items to the Shelter.

## Teachers, Look!

Teachers, the new teaching materials for the quarter which starts March 1 are now available. Pick them up from the counter by the windows in the annex. Rich Book.

## Fort Hill Camp News

A lot of big things are happening at Fort Hill. This past week construction has begun on a new boys cabin at the camp, made possible by a generous donation made by a Columbus family to the camp. Also, plans are being finalized for the construction of a new 80' X 100' multipurpose building at the camp. Details and drawings of the new multipurpose building are available in a brochure laid out on the table in the foyer. Also, copies of the February 2009 Camp Newsletter are also available in the foyer. Jack Jennings, one of our members, serves on the board of the camp. If you have questions or comments, see Jack.

## Update on the 2009 Budget

Last Sunday morning our lesson was about giving and where we are as a congregation in meeting the 2009 budget goals of the congregation. Since so many of us were out of town for Winterfest or returning from Haiti, I wanted to make sure everyone received the basic information that was conveyed in the lesson.

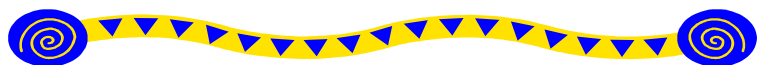
Our budget goal for 2009 is \$7350/week. \$2300 of that weekly budget number is set aside for "Future Expansion." "Future Expansion" relates to all those things we must do as a congregation to accommodate new growth in our present location and to get us ready for a move to a new facility sometime in the future. The other \$5050/week is what it takes to cover the normal ministries and activities and expenses of the church. Last year (2008) we were able to maintain our normal activities and ministries of the church **and** accumulate

\$150,000 toward "Future Expansion."

Up through 2/15/09 our weekly giving has been averaging \$4950/week. Without too much effort on anyone's part we can increase our giving to cover the \$5050/week we need to keep our normal activities and ministries going. At a minimum we are asking everyone to adjust their giving to make sure we cover the day-to-day operations of the church. Under no circumstances do we want to cut back on any of our normal activities. At the very least we want to maintain our normal programs and if at all possible, we want to keep moving forward, making progress toward our long term goal of Future Expansion. If our giving is under \$5050/week we will be falling back. If we give \$5050 each week, we are holding steady. And when our giving goes above \$5050/week we will be moving forward, making progress toward our long-range goal of providing a bigger and better facility for the Lord's work.

In Hebrews 10:38, the writer of Hebrews quotes the words of God as they are found in Habakkuk 2:4 "But My righteous one shall live by faith; And if he shrinks back, My soul has no pleasure in him." The writer of Hebrews then adds his own inspired comment in 10:39--"But we are not of those who shrink back to destruction, but of those who have faith to the preserving of the soul." Here God describes **who** His people are and **what** His people do. God's people are not those who shrink back in fear, but God's people are those who move forward in faith. We are God's people. In the matter of our collective giving, let us not shrink back in fear, but let us be people of faith, moving forward even in difficult times.

Steve



**Wine is a mocker, strong drink is raging: and whosoever is deceived thereby is not wise.**  
*Proverbs 20:1*

# Those Who Serve

## Sunday Morning

Welcome & Prayer  
 Song Director  
 Scripture Reading  
 Prayer  
 L Server 6  
 O Server 5  
 R Server 4  
 D Wine  
 S Bread  
 S Server 3  
 U Server 2  
 P Server 1  
 E  
 R Message  
 Closing Prayer

## March 1

Tom Kelley  
 Ralph Gampp  
 Steve Williams  
 Aaron Kallner  
 Mark Risner  
 Jack Jennings  
 Mike Gampp  
 Dewey Cordle  
 Jason Coriell  
 Tim Coriell  
 Mark Gampp  
 Jacob Miller  
 Steve Miller  
 Jamie Riley

## March 8

Don Coriell  
 Scott Gampp  
 John Berry  
 Jamie Riley  
 Jerry Gampp  
 Tyler Jones  
 Dale Kuhn  
 Gary Glispie  
 Wayne Gampp  
 Barry Gampp  
 Josh Coriell  
 Eric Copas  
 Steve Miller  
 Aaron McCray

## *Regular Service Times*

### Sunday

Worship - 10:00 am  
 Bible Study - 6:30 p.m

### Wednesday

Bible Study - 7:30 p.m.

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Deadline for each issue is 5 p.m. Friday. News items may be called to **Al Graff** or **Steve Miller** or e-mailed to:

**info@sunshine-church.org**

## Sunday Evening

Song Director  
 Scripture Reading  
 Lord's Supper  
 Assist  
 Prayer  
 Bible Class

Zach Coriell  
 Spike Ferrell  
 Ira Coriell  
 Eric Copas  
 Derek Miller  
*Philippians 1*

Caleb Miller  
 Bob Havens  
 Shawn Gragg  
 David Gampp  
 Eric McLaughlin  
*Philippians 2*

## Wednesday Evening

Song Director  
 Prayer  
 Bible Class Text

Gabe Coriell  
 Rich Book  
*Numbers 13-14*

Matthew Hoskins  
 Zach Coriell  
*Numbers 15-17*

## Children's Bible Time Schedule

March: *Parables of Jesus*

3/5: Jessie Coriell, Zach Coriell, Renee Higbee

6/8: Christy Veach, Laryssa Grashel, Cindy Coriell

April: *Resurrection - Beauty in Life's Cycle*

3/5: Marybeth Coriell, Ira Coriell, Josh Coriell, Christian Coriell

6/8: Kristin Riley, Kayla Coriell, Renee Higbee

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*If you are unable to serve as scheduled, please contact Dewey Cordle at 820-4624*

# SCRIPT-O-GRAM

The jumble of letters below is a simple letter-substitution code of a familiar verse from Philippians 1. Figure out the correct letters to reveal the verse. Hint: I=E

U L F   C L   Q I   C L   R T S I   T O

K E F T O C ,   W M G   C L   G T I   T O

H W T M .