Nothing New

As we finish up our current series this Sunday, I'm very excited, and already looking forward to our new series, called, Nothing New: The Uncompromising Christ in a Compromising Culture.

Don't get me wrong, Jesus will continue to be the focus of every lesson. Nothing other than Christ will ever take center stage in any sermon that I preach, but what I will emphasize and the primary question that I will answer is, "How do I live in this increasingly bizarre world?"

We are called to be in the world, but not of the world. So it's crucial today to understand the Biblical approach to religious differences, cultural differences, political differences, hostility, law and authorities, etc.

Jesus says of His followers in Matthew 5:13,14, 16

13 You are the salt of the earth...14 You are the light of the world...16 Let your light shine before men in such a way that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father who is in heaven.

Jesus doesn't qualify this commandment. He doesn't give exceptions to the rule.

In fact, just to make it clear to us that there are no exceptions, Jesus says in the same chapter in verses 44 and 45

I say to you, love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you, 45 so that you may be sons of your Father who is in heaven;

I'm doing this series because God has called us to be a people who are proactive, not reactive. I don't want to fail Jesus in how I respond to the world around me, but I'm not going to do the right things and say the right things accidentally. I need to plan ahead. I need to have my responses ready at a moment's notice.

The ultimate goal of this series is to better equip us to win the world for Christ. He is the only hope in a lost and perishing world. Join me in getting excited about the part we get to play in showing Jesus to the world and living out our destinies as the salt and light of the world.

Much Love!

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PRAYER LIST

Gene Deffenbaugh, Lonnie Bennett, Carolyn Martin, Kevin Hunt

Teachers and students as the deal with this school year.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SERVICES

We will begin Wednesday night services here at the building this Wednesday, September 16 at 7:00 p.m.

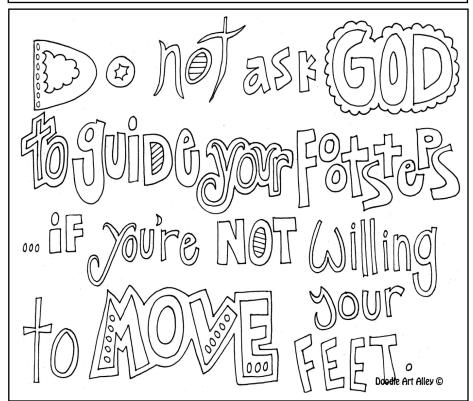
WESTVIEW GROCERY PICK UP

There will be a grocery pick up for Westview Boys Home on October 5. This will give us plenty of time to pick things up for these boys. There are bags by each door, so grab one, fill it. There is a letter on the bulletin board if you want to read about how they are doing.

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Sandy Albin—19thWade Colwell—19thSarah Bradbury—22ndJill DeJarnett—22ndChuck Cole—26thLinda Wartick—27thDarlene Cooney—30thLeroy Lewis—30th

Deanna Garver—20th Rita Carroll—23rd Jennifer Hines—28th



Those Who Serve September 2020						
	9/6	9/13	9/20	9/27		
Elder in Charge:	R. Harris	R. Harris	R. Harris	R. Harris		
Opening Prayer:	K. Dodds	M. Neal	Brian T.	D. Pierce		
Song Leader:	W. Pierce	W. Pierce	W. Pierce	W. Pierce		
Communion Prayers:	R. Harris	M. Kline	E. Newberry	T. Norris		
Contribution Prayer	A. Shields	A. Shields	A. Shields	A. Shields		
& Collection:	P. Dodds	P. Dodds	P. Dodds	P. Dodds		
Ushers:	L. Helton J. Church	L. Helton J. Church	L. Helton J. Church	L. Helton J. Church		
Closing Prayer:	M. Kline	E. Newberry	T. Norris	R. Harris		
Deacon in Charge:	L. Lewis	L. Lewis	L. Lewis	L. Lewis		
Note concerning COVID-19: During this month we are asking all public non-speaking participants to wear a face covering while performing their duties. This applies to ushers and to the men collecting our contribution. If you are unable to fulfill your assignment for any reason, please call the Deacon in Charge.						
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September 13, 2020						
Welcome						
Prayer						
Song	"10,000 Reasons"					
Song #869	Song #869 "We're Marching to Zion"					
Song	"In Christ Alone"					
Communion Prayers						
Contribution Prayer						
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Lesson						
Song #71	"As the	e Deer"				
Closing Praye	er					