

Good News From Chardon

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9:45—10:00AM Getting Connected and Set Up Time
10:00AM—10:45AM Bible Study Class—Dale
10:45—11:00AM Break between Bible Study & Worship Service
11:00AM Worship Service

Getting the Most out of Sermons and Bible Lessons

By R. W. McAlister

Have you ever left a Bible class or worship service and thought, “I just didn’t get much out of that.” I daresay we all have at one time or another. Let me offer some suggestions that may help us.

- I know it’s not always possible, but come to worship or Bible class well-rested. If you’re tired, it’s going to be difficult to pay attention and stay awake.
- Before you arrive at the service, prepare yourself to be a good listener and have your mind on God. Some read their Bibles or pray. Others may watch, “A Bible Answer” or “In Search of the Lord’s Way” on TV. Whatever helps you get your mind focused, do it.
- Remind yourself of how important it is to hear God’s Word proclaimed. There is always something new for us to learn or be reminded of.
- When it comes to Bible class, come prepared to participate. If you have some insight on the topic being discussed, share it so that all can benefit from it.
- Don’t be afraid to ask questions in Bible class.
- When it comes to listening to the sermon, have a positive attitude – decide that you’re going to hear something that will help you or someone else. Don’t focus on the mispronounced words or the unintentional errors. Instead, focus on the overall message and what you can learn from it.
- Follow along with the Scriptures, or, if so many are used that you can’t turn to them quickly enough, write the references down and look at them later.
- If taking notes helps you stay focused, then take notes.
- If the lesson being taught reminds of something you need to be doing, do it, because we’re not supposed to be just hearers only, but doers of God’s Word (Jas. 1:22).

Are you getting as much as you can from the Bible class and the sermons? Let us all be “swift to hear” and “doers of the Word” (Jas. 1:19 & 22).

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Schedule of Services:

Greeting: Mark
Song Leader: Ray
Opening Hymn:
19—All Hail the Power
Opening Prayer
Myron
Hymn:
545—O Thou Fount of Every Blessing
Scripture Reading:
Gary
James 1:19-27
Hymn:
287—The Lord’s Supper
Lord’s Supper:
Dale & Tom
Hymn:
414—Shall We Gather at the River
Sermon: Mark
Invitation Hymn:
188—Where He Leads
Closing Hymn:
359—O Think of the Home
Closing Prayer:
Mark

PRAYER LIST

- *Larry and Ruth. Ruth fell recently.
- *Pat and Ron and their daughter Bonnie.
- *Richard and Rosemary.
- *Gary & Cindy and their family.
- *Juanita’s sister Betty.
- *Mary and her family.
- *Nina’s brother, James.
- *Robert and Sara
- *Juanita and her family.
- *Ray and Barbara
- *Dale, his mother and his cousin Jayna and her family. Dale’s uncle passed away recently.
- *Zarna and her family.
- *Ray, Rebecca, and Steven.
- *Myron & Carole
- *Margaret and her family.
- *Mark and his family
- *Our congregation

CALENDAR

- Apr. 5—a. Richard & Rosemary
- Apr. 14—b. Sara
- Apr. 14—a. Brandon & Lisa Marie
- Apr. 16—b. Eric
- Apr. 27—a. Tim & Tammy
- Apr. 30—b. Breana
- May 8—b. Lisa Marie
- May 14—a. Albert and Margaret
- May 19—b. Tammy

Answer to Puzzle: Pure and undefiled religion before God and the Father is this: to visit orphans and widows in their trouble, and to keep oneself unstained from the world.

Qualities Needed in Trials

Scripture Reference: James 1:19-27

ANYONE	BELOVED	BLESSED
BRETHREN	CONTINUES	DECEIVING
FILTHINESS	FORGETFUL	HIMSELF
IMMEDIATELY	IMPLANTED	LIBERTY
MEEKNESS	NATURAL	OBSERVES
OVERFLOW	PERFECT	PRODUCE
RECEIVE	RELIGIOUS	RIGHTEOUSNESS
THEREFORE	WICKEDNESS	YOURSELVES

P Y U S R A P E N A Y N S F W D D H
R U L N E E N E D O E S W I O E F I
I E L E R U R Y U E E D I L L V R M
E L L F T H N R O N I O C T F O G S
I F E I T A S I S N B O K H R L N E
B C O E G E I U T S E N E I E E E L
T F R R L I O D E N A O D N V B R F
E B G V G E O R E T O E N E O O D A
N D E T T E V U U M C C E S H E F A
T S D H H E T R S U M E S S R I S T
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T T E D F R O M T H G E L W O R L D

Hidden Message: _____

Try to be like the turtle – at ease in your own shell.

SUNDAY: Bible Class — 10:00 am; Worship — 11:00 am; Evening — 6:00 pm

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