

Good News From Chardon

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Me First!

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"Be ye therefore imitators of God, as beloved children; and walk in love, even as Christ also love you, and gave himself up for us, an offering and a sacrifice to God" (Ephesians 5:1, 2 ASV).

"Me, me, me!" my one-year-old grandson protested as he tried to push his three-year-old sister off my lap. He is still a baby, and already two of his four words are "me" and "mine."

We learn very early to stand up for and protect what is ours and what we want. People seem to have a built-in selfish streak. They put themselves before all others. They want to be the best, to have the best, and to be first in line to have anything good. They believe they deserve to have the best.

The disciples of Jesus were no exception. James and John asked Jesus, "Grant unto us that we may sit, one on thy right hand, and one on thy left hand, in thy glory" (Mark 10:37). Over and over Jesus tried to show them that they should love their neighbor as they loved themselves. The Master and Teacher even washed their feet.

Jesus is God. He gave up His glory in heaven to come to this poor world and save us. When we think of who Jesus is and how He left it all to die for our sins, we cannot help but be humbled. He didn't just wash our feet, but His blood washes and cleanses our souls. Because of Jesus, we have the best, but not because we deserve it.

Christians must give up their pride and arrogance and wanting to elevate themselves. May we imitate our Lord and walk in love, putting others before ourselves and serving them. Let us become His humble ambassadors.

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Schedule of Services:

Greeting: Tom

Song Leader: Myron

Opening Hymn:

50—He Leadeth Me

Opening Prayer:

Ray

Hymn:

561—It Is Well With My Soul

Scripture Reading:

Ryan

Mark 10:35-45

Hymn:

287—The Lord's Supper

Lord's Supper:

Mark & Robert

Hymn:

273—Oh How I Love Jesus

Sermon: Tom

Invitation Hymn:

78—Hark, the Gentle Voice

Closing Hymn:

27—Be With Me Lord

Closing Prayer:

Dale

ATTEND INTERACTIVE BIBLE STUDY AND WORSHIP

For anyone choosing to call in using regular landline or regular cell phone use the following number:

(312) 626-6799 when prompted enter the meeting ID: 81430241090

Password: 444015 if requested

(depending on your phone contract LD charges may apply)

For anyone connecting with a computer or smart phone use the following link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/4481825466>

Or browse to zoom.us and select **Join a Meeting**

Then use the meeting ID: 81430241090

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

PRAYER LIST

*Zarna's father had fluid removed because of liver damage. Her friend is out of his coma.
 *Larry and Ruth. Ruth now has blood clots in her legs.
 *Pat and Ron and their daughters.
 *Juanita's sister Betty.
 *Mary and her family.
 *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.
 *Ray, Rebecca, and Steven.
 *Myron & Carole
 *Margaret and her family.
 *Mark and his family
 *Our congregation
 *Our Veterans
 *The World and our Nation

CALENDAR

May 24—Bible Study 10 am
 With Dale
 May 24—Worship 11 am
 Speaker: Tom
 May 25—b. Rosemary
 May 31—Bible Study 10 am
 With Dale
 May 31—Worship 11 am
 Speaker: Tom
 Jun. 5—b. Ryan
 Jun. 6—b. Mark
 Jun. 7—b. Michael
 Jun. 15—b. Audrey
 Jun. 19—a. Danny & Susan

Greatness Is Serving

Scripture Reference: Mark 10:35-45

AMONG	AUTHORITY	BAPTISM	BAPTIZED
BEGAN	CALLED	CONSIDERED	DISPLEASED
DRINK	EXERCISE	GENTILES	GLORY
GRANT	GREATLY	HEARD	HIMSELF
INDEED	JAMES	JESUS	OTHER
PREPARED	RANSOM	RIGHT	RULERS
SAYING	SERVED	SHALL	TEACHER
THEIR	THOSE	WHATEVER	ZEBEDEE

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Hidden Message: _____

Answer to Puzzle: whoever desires to be-
 come great among you shall be your servant
 and whoever of you desires to be first shall
 be slave of all.

**The only place success comes before work
 is in the dictionary.**

SUNDAY: Bible Class — 10:00 am; Worship — 11:00 am;
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