

# Good News From Chardon Church of Christ

128 Maple Ave., Chardon, Oh 44024  
March 30, 2025 Issue 13

## Schedule of Services

Greeting: Tom

Song Leader: Dale

Opening Hymn:

**2—We're Marching To Zion**

Opening Prayer: Myron

Hymn:

**358—When The Saved Get To Heaven**

Scripture Reading: Robert

1 Corinthians 10:12-17

Hymn:

**649—I Gave My Life For Thee**

Lord's Supper: Robert

Hymn:

**459—The Glory-land Way**

Sermon: Tom

Invitation Hymn:

**607—All Things Are Ready**

Closing Hymn:

**655—God Be With You**

Closing Prayer: Myron

♪ Savior, grant me rest and peace,  
Let my troubled dreamings cease;  
With the chiming midnight bell,  
Teach my heart that "all is well."  
I would trust my all with Thee,  
All my cares and sorrows flee,  
Till the breaking light shall tell  
Night is past and "all is well."  
I would seek Thy service Lord,  
Leaning on Thy Promise word;  
Let my hourly labors tell  
I am Thine, and "all is well." Amen ♪

## CALENDAR

Mar 30—Bible Study 10 am, Worship 11 am  
Speaker Tom

April 5—(b) Ken

April 6—Bible Study 10 am, Worship 11 am  
Speaker Mark. Business Meeting

April 12—Ladies Day Mentor Church

April 13--Bible Study 10 am, Worship 11 am  
Speaker Mark

## Once Saved Always Saved

Recently, one of the members of our local congregation was discussing the Bible with another individual. The person maintained that once you were saved that you could not then be lost or fall away from the grace of God. The doctrine is usually expressed as, "once saved, always saved." It seems rather amazing that anyone claiming to be a Christian, could take such a position. It seems obvious that many simply do not study the Bible carefully. Consider what the scripture says about this very important subject.

1) It is possible to "fail of the grace of God." Hebrews 12:15 -- "Looking diligently lest any man fail of the grace of God; lest any root of bitterness springing up trouble you, and thereby many be defiled."

2) It is possible to harden one's heart in sin. Hebrews 3:8 -- "Harden not your hearts, as in the provocation, in the day of temptation in the wilderness." Hebrews 3:13 -- "But exhort one another daily, while it is called To day; lest any of you be hardened through the deceitfulness of sin." Hebrews 3:15 -- "While it is said, To day if ye will hear his voice, harden not your hearts, as in the provocation."

3) It is possible to depart from the living God. Hebrews 3:12 -- "Take heed, brethren, lest there be in any of you an evil heart of unbelief, in departing from the living God."

4) It is possible to let the things that we have heard "slip." Hebrews 2:1 -- "Therefore we ought to give the more earnest heed to the things which we have heard, lest at any time we should let them slip."

5) It is possible to neglect our salvation. Hebrews 2:3 -- "How shall we escape, if we neglect so great salvation; which at the first began to be spoken by the Lord, and was confirmed unto us by them that heard him."

6) It is possible to come short of God's promise. Hebrews 4:1 -- "Let us therefore fear, lest, a promise being left us of entering into his rest, any of you should seem to come short of it."

7) It is possible to fall because of unbelief. Hebrews 4:11 -- "Let us labour therefore to enter into that rest, lest any man fall after the same example of unbelief." 1 Corinthians 10:12 - "Wherefore let him that thinketh he standeth take heed lest he fall."

8) It is possible to fall away and not be able to be renewed again unto repentance. Hebrews 6:4-6 -- "For it is impossible for those who were once enlightened, and have tasted of the heavenly gift, and were made partakers of the Holy Ghost, And have tasted the good word of God, and the powers of the world to come, If they shall fall away, to renew them again unto repentance; seeing they crucify to themselves the Son of God afresh, and put him to an open shame."

9) It is possible to be sanctified and then despise the blood of the covenant. Hebrews 10:28-29 -- "He that despised Moses' law died without mercy under two or three witnesses: Of how much sorer punishment, suppose ye, shall he be thought worthy, who hath trodden under foot the Son of God, and hath counted the blood of the covenant, (continued on back)

## PRAYER LIST

**Mynda** as she travels. **Caleb's** back surgery recovery  
Her **Aunt Donna** and family. The **Brown Family**  
loss of grandfather and mother.  
**Tom & Nina** health, **Nina** is at home and improving.  
Daughter **Jenny** and family  
**Mark** and **Debbie** as they travel. Mark's brother **Dale**  
**Their daughter & husband's job.**  
**Tom's Bible Study** with **Roberta, Channing, and Kris.**  
**Bonnie's** health, as she travels to Missouri, grandsons  
**Devin, Dakota, Dillon, Mick, Connor & Keegan.**  
Daughters **Ronda** and **Renee.**  
**Wanda's** migraines; son **Allen.** friend with brain bleed. Her  
sister **Joyce's** brother in law health  
**Carole** - friend's son **Brad** heart issues  
**Mary, Carl and family, Ryan's** ankle, **Keatha**—Mary's  
sister-in-law. Mary's brother **David** with health issue,  
**Jim and Beverly G.** with health issues. Bev was in the  
hospital but home now and waiting on testing  
**Wayne and Diane G.** with health issues  
**Kathy's** health, her foot and upcoming tests  
**Linda's** health and back pain, Her thyroid testing. **Tiffany &**  
family. **Christian,** Daughter in law, **Becky,** health  
**Zarna** and her family  
**Juanita** and her family.  
**Ray** and **Barbara** and their family.  
**Dale's** health issues, headaches, His family. His **Mothers**  
upcoming knee replacement surgery. 7 year old girl,  
**Lucie,** with Leukemia. Cousins, **Randal** physical &  
mental health, **Jalen's** mental health. Uncle **Earl**  
with cancer, **Aunt Rose** health, Brother in Christ  
**Johnston** surgery recovery. Uncle **Jimmy** stroke.  
**Ray's** health and his family. **Rebecca** was in the hospital  
and will have further procedures, **Steven, and**  
**Asher**  
**Pat** and her family  
**Robert & Sara,** Son **Michael,** Daughter **Maddie**  
**Brenda's** health, son **Mark's** heart issues, sister-in-law  
**Linda** with breast cancer, grandson **Jason** with  
herniated neck disc, granddaughter **Amanda.**  
Her **brother's** health. Friend **Marge** with cancer.  
**Larry & family**  
**Mike & Debra** as they prepare to travel to Ohio  
**Betty's** friend **Judy,** in rehab  
**Mark L.**—stimulator in his back  
**Dennis T**—heart attack

*(continued from front)*

wherewith he was sanctified, an unholy thing, and  
hath done despite unto the Spirit of grace?"

10) It is possible to sin wilfully after receiving  
the knowledge of the truth, and to find oneself  
without a sacrifice for sins. Hebrews 10:26 -- "For  
if we sin wilfully after that we have received the  
knowledge of the truth, there remaineth no more  
sacrifice for sins."

11) It is possible to cast away one's confidence in  
Christ and in His word. Hebrews 10:35 -- "Cast  
not away therefore your confidence, which hath  
great recompence of reward."

12) It is possible to be made free from sin, and  
then go back to the law of Moses and fall from  
grace. Galatians 5:1-4 -- "Stand fast therefore in  
the liberty wherewith Christ hath made us free, and  
be not entangled again with the yoke of bondage.  
Behold, I Paul say unto you, that if ye be  
circumcised, Christ shall profit you nothing. For I  
testify again to every man that is circumcised, that  
he is a debtor to do the whole law. Christ is  
become of no effect unto you, whosoever of you  
are justified by the law; ye are fallen from grace."

My dear friend if you can read these scriptures  
and still maintain that "once saved, always saved"  
is a true doctrine, there must be a problem with  
either not knowing the scriptures or with denying  
the scriptures, because the Bible is very clear on  
this subject!

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## WHERE IS IT WRITTEN?

Blessed is the man that endureth  
temptation: for when he is tried, he  
shall receive the crown of life, which  
the Lord hath promised to them that  
love him

*Answer: James 1:12*

**1 Corinthians 10:12-17** 12 Wherefore let him that thinketh he standeth take heed lest he fall. 13 There hath  
no temptation taken you but such as is common to man: but God is faithful, who will not suffer you to be  
tempted above that ye are able; but will with the temptation also make a way to escape, that ye may be able  
to bear it. 14 Wherefore, my dearly beloved, flee from idolatry. 15 I speak as to wise men; judge ye what I  
say. 16 The cup of blessing which we bless, is it not the communion of the blood of Christ? The bread which  
we break, is it not the communion of the body of Christ? 17 For we being many are one bread, and one body:  
for we are all partakers of that one bread.

SUNDAY: Bible Study—10:00 am, Worship—11:00 am  
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