

CORNER STONE Christian Church

August
2018

Calm And Quiet
Psalm 62

We live in a frenetic world. The number one thing you quickly learn about people is how busy and tired they are. Virtually every conversation includes a rehearsal of items that have been done and are expected to be done immediately, if not sooner.

Some things are necessary. Some are not. Some folks are pressed by family and job expectations; some things we engineer ourselves into and then suffer the consequences.

Yet scripture holds up silence, which in Psalm 65:5 also holds the meaning of quietness, relaxation, rest, and stillness, as an environment in which meaningful communion with God can happen. Other similar texts include Lamentations 3:26; Psalm 37:7, 46:10; and Habakkuk 2:20.

Even Romans 10:17 lets us know that faith comes by hearing the Word. And that can be hard against a cacophony of noise, much of which we produce or bring upon ourselves.

Are you getting any silent, relaxing times? More to the point, are you setting aside time when, in stillness, you can spend moments seeking God's direction for your life? Here are five occasions (and there are many more which could be mentioned) when times of stillness and listening are vital:

When disturbances, big and little, enter our lives-
When decisions must be made-
When giving counsel to others-
When planning-
When evaluating our own spiritual growth-

No one denies the press and hustle of modern life. Which is why it is more important than ever that we seize time to be alone with God, listening through His Word and allowing His Spirit to make application to our circumstances. Have you listened today?

Blessed to be serving with you,
Jay

Serving in August

Communion Meditation:

8/5- Joe Rightmyer

8/12- Chuck Dodd

8/19- Video

8/26- Wayne Nickols

Nursery:

8/5- Sarah McKemey

8/12- Kandace Purdy

8/19- Sarah McKemey

8/26- Dianna Stover

Greeters:

8/5- Loyd & Gladys
McBride/Carolyn
& Ken Crook

8/12- Loyd & Gladys
McBride/Charlie
Grider

8/19- Loyd & Gladys
McBride/Mike &
Blake McBride

8/26- Loyd & Gladys
McBride/Carolyn
& Ken Crook

Colossians 3:12-14

So, as those who have been chosen of God, holy and beloved, put on a heart of compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience; 13 bearing with one another, and forgiving each other, whoever has a complaint against anyone; just as the Lord forgave you, so also should you. 14 Beyond all these things put on love, which is the perfect bond of unity. (NASB)

DON'T MISS.....

August 5 (Sunday)- Cornerstone's Annual Meeting- Everyone is urged to attend the annual meeting that will take place right after the morning corporate worship. This is when the budget is approved for the next fiscal year, and the treasurer and congregational secretary will be approved. We try to keep our meeting time as short as possible, but we will have a few items to discuss. The budget will be released to you in advance. Again, please make plans to join us as we look to the new fiscal year.

August 7 (Tuesday)- Elder's Meeting at 4PM. Please note that this is a change from our usual first Monday meeting date. Talk with Jay or Larry if you have any business you want them to discuss, or if you desire to meet with them.

August 14 (Tuesday)- Ladies Bible Study, 6:30 PM.
DISCERNING THE VOICE OF GOD
 with Priscilla Shirer

Explore a more intimate relationship with Him, one that can make hearing Him; His will, His heart, and His voice your ongoing experience. Discover how you can listen with greater confidence, clarity, and discernment. Please bring a snack to share, your bible and workbooks. See Dianna Stover for more info. See you then!

August 22 (Wednesday)- AWANA Registration, 6 PM. It's time to sign up for another season of growing in the Word of God! There'll be fun activities and sharing with friends. Be praying for a good turnout of young folks, and invite those you know to get involved!

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29	30	31	1 Bible Study & Youth/6PM	2	3 Quilting/9AM-Noon	4
5 Sunday School/9:30 AM Worship/10:30 AM	6	7 Elders Mtg/4PM Al-Anon/6-9PM	8 Bible Study & Youth/6PM	9 Survivors of Suicide Support Group/6PM	10	11
12 Sunday School/9:30 AM Worship/10:30 AM Anniv/Loyd & Gladys McBride	13 B-Day/Shelby Sword	14 Ladies Bible Study/6PM	15 Bible Study & Youth/6PM	16	17 Quilting/9AM-Noon	18
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