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Sabbath Worship Services

Sabbath School—9:30 a.m.

Lesson Study: “The Compassionate Savior” Adults

Memory Text: “When he saw the crowds, he had compassion on them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd.” Matthew 9:36 NIV

Sharing Time—10:40 a.m.

Song of Welcome Paul Cochran
Welcome & Announcements Doug Cross
Singing Praises Paul Cochran

Worship Hour—10:50 a.m.

Call to Worship** “Where the Spirit of the Lord Is”

Invocation* Pastor Shultz
Opening Hymn “Take The World, But Give Me Jesus” #329
Worship in Giving World Budget Jim Ball
Joys & Requests Jim Ball
Children’s Collection New Church

Mission Spotlight

Scripture Reading Matthew 26:6-13 Ruth Eldred
Special Music Brenda Flannery & Pat Ball
Sermon “Something Better” Pastor Shultz
Benediction*** Pastor Shultz
Pianist* Jann Biegel

Sabbath School Classes

Bob Biegel—left of sanctuary
Lynda Cross—downstairs, Room #2
Mars Hill—downstairs, Room #5

SERMON NOTES

“Something Better”

“Something better’ is the watchword of education, the law of all true living. Whatever Christ asks us to renounce, He offers in its stead something better. Often the youth cherish objects, pursuits, and pleasures that may not appear to be evil, but that fall short of the highest good. They divert the life from its noblest aim. Arbitrary measures or direct denunciation may not avail in leading these youth to relinquish that which they hold dear. Let them be directed to something better than display, ambition, or self-indulgence. Bring them in contact with truer beauty, with loftier principles, and with nobler lives. Lead them to behold the One ‘alittleover lovely.’ When once the gaze is fixed upon Him, the life finds its center. The enthusiasm, the generous devotion, the passionate ardor, of the youth find here their true object. Duty becomes a delight and sacrifice a pleasure. To honor Christ, to become like Him, to work for Him, is the life’s highest ambition and its greatest joy.” Education page 296-297.

I. Doing something better with our time—Luke 10:38-42
   1. Our days are like grass—Psalms 103:15-17
   2. Teach us to number our days—Psalm 90:12
   3. Redeem the time—Ephesians 5:15,16

II. Doing something better with our money—Matthew 26:6-13
   1. Life does not consist of the abundance of things—Luke 12:15-31

III. Having something better to talk about—John 20:1-2
   Negative words and John 20:11-18—negative turned to something better.
   1. Pleasant words are sweet and healthy—Proverbs 16:24
   2. What kind of words? The power and glory of God—Psalms 145:9-12
   3. The gift to speak the right words in the right way at the right time—Isaiah 50:4

TODAY Sunset 8:25
Elder Jim Ball
Deacon in Charge Dale Hoie
Greeters The Bischoff’s
Luncheon Hosts

NEXT WEEK Sunset 8:15
Sermon Pastor Shultz
Elder Virginia Smith
Greeters The Decker’s
Offering Church Budget
Luncheon Hosts Bob Biegel’s SS Class

Church Family Prayer List

Laurie Heinrich—feeling better all the time! PTL!
Bill Shiffer—continued healing.
Sam Regehr—is in failing health.
Jere Patzer—see update on Bulletin Board.
Cherie Morey—health and family.
George, Joanna’s brother—spiritual, physical healing, job
Paul Cochran—completing contractors licenses & clients.
Maxine Hauser—hip and back pain.
Bob Hauser—chemo therapy for cancer.
Cheri Hoie—complete healing.
Shears—that they see their need of Jesus.

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As a people we hold the Bible in supreme regard as the revealer of God's truth to guide us to salvation. Our love and devotion is rooted supremely in Christ who we worship as our Savior, Creator, Lord and King.
We believe that forgiveness, healing and eternal life are offered freely to all on the basis of what Jesus has already accomplished for us at the cross, and continues to do as He ministers on our behalf in the heavenly sanctuary above. God's mercy and grace are infinite and are received by faith, to prepare a people for Jesus' second coming.

The “New Covenant” provides not only forgiveness for sin, but also God’s promise to write His law on our hearts so that our greatest joy will be to do His will. We keep His commandments, not in order to be saved, but because He has already en-circled us in His saving arms. His law includes also the fourth commandment Sabbath which invites us to spend a special time of fellowship with God on the seventh day.

We feel compelled as a people to share with a perishing world these messages of God's love in the context of God’s final judgment-hour message in Revelation 14. Because of our devotion to Christ we joyfully look forward to His soon return in the clouds of heaven when we shall see our Savior face to face.