

The Church of Christ @ Fremont

3361 W. State Street, Fremont, OH 43420

Worship Services

Sunday Bible Study 10:00 am
Sunday Worship 10:45 am
Wednesday 7:00 pm

Classes for all ages

Preachers: Ted Bowen and Sean Rizor

What Must I Do To Be Saved?

1. Learn the truth (Hear) (John 8:32; 17:17; Rom 10:14-18)
2. Believe in Christ (John 8:24; 20:31; Heb 11:6)
3. Repent of all sins (Luke 13:3; Acts 17:30; Rom 2:4; 2 Cor 7:9,10)
4. Confess faith in Christ (Rom 10:10; Acts 17:30; Matt 16:16)
5. Be baptized into Christ for remission of sins (Acts 2:38; 22:16)
6. Live faithfully (Revelation 2:10)

7 THINGS TO REMEMBER DURING THE LORD'S SUPPER!

- 1 LORD. "There is one Lord." (Ephesians 4:5)
- 2 THIEVES. "There were also 2 others, criminals, led with Him to be put to death."
(Luke 23:32)
- 3 CROSSES. (Luke 23:39-43; Ephesians 1:7)
- 4 PARTS of HIS GARMENTS. "Then the soldiers, when they had crucified Jesus, took His garments and made four parts, to each soldier, a part, and also the tunic." (John 19:23)
- 5 WOUNDS. His head was crowned with thorns. His back was scourged.
His side was cut open. His hands were pierced. His feet were pierced. (John 19-20)
- 6 HOURS of AGONY. Christ was crucified at the 3rd hour and died at the 9th hour.
(Mark 15:25-37)
- 7 SAYINGS of The CROSS. (Matthew 27:46; Luke 23:34, 43-46; John 19:26-30)

"WHEREVER GOD LEADS ME"

Jeff Cason

November 27, 2022

Songs: Melvin Monroe

Lord's Supper: Melvin Monroe

Speaker: Sean Rizor

Wednesday Bible Study

Invitation: Chris Frantz

Birthdays

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3 Tina Smith

4 Jordan Chapman

4 Stephanie Rizor

5 Chloe Rizor

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Anniversaries

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Prayer List

Gen Stanley

Jean Adkins

Betty Davis

Mike Baker

Kathy Foos

Connie Runion

Julie Wagner

Jacob Runion

Deb Hall & family

Mack Stanley

Tina Smith

Deb Rowan

We hear an expression from time to time, "wherever God leads me." It said in a very humble way and in a way that indicates submission to God's will. From that perspective, it is an admirable attitude. Many in the world direct their own paths (Prov. 14:12) with little or no thought of how God would have us to live. But the attitude of the person who says in regard to their plans and directions in life

"wherever God leads me," seems to be a person who is willing to be led by God's will.

However, in continuing the discussion with someone who says this, we usually find that they are waiting for some sign, some event, some message in any form from God before deciding what to do next. Such miraculous signs ceased in the first century (I Cor. 13:8-10). Such signs were sometimes not given even to those who were inspired apostles of Jesus Christ! Here are some passages that demonstrate this fact.

1. II Corinthians 1:15-17 – Paul made plans but had to change those plans. In fact, the revised plans were better than the original plans. He was an inspired apostle. Why didn't the Holy Spirit just tell him where to go and what to do?

2. Acts 15:6-18 – The men who gathered to study the question of circumcision didn't rely on "wherever God leads me." They used the 3 methods of authority (command/statement, approved/disapproved example, and inescapable conclusion) to determine that the Gentiles could be saved without having to comply with the Law of Moses, especially regarding circumcision.

3. Acts 15:19-22 – After determining and understanding the will of God, the men used judgment in writing letters to the Gentiles and in choosing the men who would take the message to the Gentiles.

4. Acts 15:36-41 – Paul made the judgment that he and Barnabas should not take John Mark on the second missionary journey. Barnabas made the judgment that he would take John Mark with him in a different direction. Neither God nor the Holy Spirit directed them to make those very important decisions.

5. Paul made the decision to not initially mention his Roman citizenship in Philippi, thus suffering a beating and imprisonment (Acts 16:22-40) and yet at another time asserted his Roman citizenship (Acts 22:22-29) to prevent such. He used appropriate judgment.

So, how does this apply to us today? We should always have a humble, submissive attitude toward God and His word (Psalm 1, I John 1, Matt. 7:21). We need to realize that the age of miracles has ceased but we have something even better in the fully revealed word of God (II Peter 1:3 and 19; II Peter 3:1-2; I Peter 1:10-12). We need to realize that God expects us to make wise decisions and judgments in accordance with His word. His word could not possibly tell us everything specific thing we need to do to be pleasing to Him, because if it was constructed that way, it would be non-sensical to those in the past and irrelevant to those of us in the present. So, let's be led by God and His Holy Spirit by understanding the will of God (Eph. 5:17) and using judgment that shows others that Christ is in us (Gal. 2:20, I Cor. 6:19-20).