

Unsung Heroes Series

Ananias

Acts 9:10-17

THE _____ FOLLOWER

Acts 9:10

God _____ Ananias

God _____ to Ananias

THE _____ PLAN

Acts 9:11-12

God's _____ were _____

God's _____ was _____

THE _____ PRAYER

Acts 9:13-16

Ananias had _____

God's _____ is _____

THE _____ SERVANT

Acts 9:17-19

Ananias _____ to Saul

Ananias was _____

THE _____ FOR US

God uses _____, available _____

God's _____ an _____ can _____ any _____

Next Week: Youth Day

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Richland Road
**CHURCH
of CHRIST**

May 25, 2025

NEXT SUNDAY

Join us for 3 important events!

YOUTH DAY

Our young men will lead the worship service
and we will honor the Class of 2025

SPECIAL GIVING

Anything given over the weekly budget will go
towards church camp scholarships

PROMOTION SUNDAY

All students will be promoted to the next grade level for
Bible Class

Reaching out to meet your needs through His love



. . . Be filled with the Spirit, ¹⁹addressing one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody to the Lord with your heart, ²⁰giving thanks always and for everything to God the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, ²¹submitting to one another out of reverence for Christ. (Ephesians 5:18-21)

Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly, teaching and admonishing one another in all wisdom, singing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, with thankfulness in your hearts to God. (Colossians 3:16)

Recently, a class began with the purpose of training men who would be able to guide us in our singing as we worship the Lord. The men who organized this class share the same belief as your elders that singing is an extremely important part of our time together as believers in Christ.

As you can see from the passages quoted above, singing is meant to be not only a way that we express our love and thankfulness to our Heavenly Father, but also a way to encourage one another as we sing together. Remember how encouraging it was to their fellow prisoners when Paul and Silas were praying and singing hymns to God, despite the fact that they had been beaten and locked in prison (Acts 16:25)? And Matthew 26:30 tells us that on the night when Jesus was going out to the place where He would be betrayed and arrested, He and the disciples took the time to sing a hymn together.

Now I’m not a very good singer. You’ll hear me miss notes more often than I find them. But I love singing whenever we have the chance to worship our Lord. Unfortunately, as I look around, I often see brothers and sisters who don’t join in, and I find that discouraging.

As we gather together this week, won’t you consider how you can encourage your brothers and sisters by singing and praising God together with them? What a sweet, sweet sound that will be.

Brian

Bible Hour and Junior Worship are offered at the 2nd service.

FOR THE RECORD - May 18, 2025			
BIBLE CLASS.....	69	WEDNESDAY.....	76
SUNDAY AM.....	250	CONTRIBUTION.....	\$6,125.74
LIFE GROUPS.....	69	BUDGET.....	\$7,250.00

WE REJOICE with the angels in heaven that Adam, Lincoln, and Gracie Utzinger were baptized into Christ on Thursday. Husband and children of Amanda (Buckland) Utzinger.

THE CHURCH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED TOMORROW FOR MEMORIAL DAY.

FOOD GIVEAWAY TICKETS—Appointment tickets will be available to pick up tomorrow, from 10:00 AM to Noon, Tuesday, from 5:00 to 7:00 PM, and Wednesday, from 5:00 to 7:00 PM. Available until they are gone.

WOMEN OF PURPOSE—The Women of Purpose will meet this Wednesday, at 11:30 AM in the Fellowship Hall for pizza and salad. Contact Terry Fawley for details.

BIBLE DISCOVERY—This Wednesday will be the last night of Bible Discovery for this school year. Bible Discovery will begin again in September.

CAMP STAFF PLANNING MEETING—There will be a Camp Staff Planning Meeting this Wednesday in Room 11 after Bible Class. Anyone 18 years of age or older needs to see Kim Ball before camp for a background check.

OUR HEARTS are saddened at the passing of our dear sister in Christ, Norma Hughes. A Graveside service will be held this Thursday @ 2 PM at the Marion Cemetery.

FOOD GIVEAWAY VOLUNTEERS—Help unload the food this Friday, at 11:00 AM in the Fellowship Hall.

FOOD GIVEAWAY— The Food Giveaway will be held this Saturday. Volunteers need to arrive by 7:30 AM.

CLOTHING GIVEAWAY—The Clothing House will be open this Saturday from 8—11 AM.

YOUTH DAY—Next Sunday, our young men will be leading both morning worship services. We will recognizing our graduating seniors with a slideshow and the Elders will then present them with a bible .

PROMOTION SUNDAY—Next Sunday, all school age students will be promoted to the next grade level for Bible Class.

SPECIAL GIVING—Next Sunday, the Elders have decided to have a special giving,. Everything given over the weekly budget (\$7250) will go towards camp scholarships.

TEEN FELLOWSHIP—All teens are invited to come make and eat dinner together on Wednesday, June 4 @ 5 PM in the Fellowship Hall.

SUMMER KICK-OFF—On Wednesday, June 4 the Children’s Ministry will be having its Kick-off to Summer Pizza Party in the Fellowship Hall @ 7 PM.

MEN’S BIBLE STUDY—On Thursday, June 12, all men are invited to a Bible Study at Panera Bread @ 7:30 AM.

CHURCH CAMP—Church Camp registration is now open. If you want to register your child aged 7-20 for Josh Ball’s week, June 15-21, you can go to nwocyc.org and do that today. The cost of camp this year is now \$250.



CLASS OF 2025
GRADUATION OPEN HOUSES



Aidan Medley
THIS FRIDAY FROM 5:00—8:00 PM
AT 390 E. CENTER ST., MARION, OHIO



Jayda Baker & Tommy Gary
THIS SATURDAY FROM 2:00—5:00 PM
IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL



Magi Hallabrin
NEXT SUNDAY @ 3:00 PM
AT 2945 COUNTY ROAD 24, CARDINGTON, OHIO

Emily Ball
SATURDAY, JUNE 28 @ 2:00 PM
IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL