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THE VALLEY CHURCH

Weekly Bulletin

Sunday, May 9, 2021

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Sundays at 10:30am

3836 S Madison Ave, Norwood, OH 45212

Happy Mother's Day

Happy Mother's Day to all of our moms at The Valley. The way you honor our Lord in raising your children is honored here today. All of the ladies in our church are welcome to take a succulent plant with you on your way out as a small gift of love from our church.

Member Meeting

Next Sunday is our next Member Meeting! All members are expected to attend and all prospective members are welcome to attend. Join us as we worship together, receive new members, reveal our summer calendar, honor volunteers, and so much more. Note the time is 6:00pm and childcare is provided.

The Valley Students Event

The Valley Students (6th-12th grade) are having an afternoon hike at Caesars Creek next Saturday, May 15th! All students should meet at church at 1:00pm and be dressed for the outdoors. The cost is free and the church bus will plan to return at church at 5:00pm. There's a signup sheet in the lobby and please grab a permission slip to return to Cameron or Elizabeth Sawyer.

LAST WEEK'S GIVING TOTAL:

\$4,812.62

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Luke 22:63-71

The Jewish legal system was generally a solid system with the core value of seeking truth. But their denial of the truth of Jesus corrupted the leaders in Jerusalem to the point of dishonesty and the pursuit of destroying Christ.

Christ was put on trial over a charge He didn't incur. In fact, He absorbed blame that wasn't His. The blame was ours. Can you pause for a moment and dwell on that grace?

Jesus broke no law yet the religious leaders, the night of the trial, broke many laws. Do you see the hypocrisy that was exhibited in the name of religion and justice? Is corruption evident in our religious culture today?

Our text says the judges were attempting to find FALSE WITNESSES. Why not look for real witnesses? Because they knew the truth but cared about their own selfish desired results instead.

One of the witnesses claimed that Jesus said He would destroy the temple and build it back in three days. Christ was referring to His body yet His words were misinterpreted. Do you see the danger in misinterpreting the Word of God? Do you see how easy it is to make the Word of God say whatever you desire it to say?

By faith we are able to believe that Christ is who He claimed to be. And, even though His guilty verdict was false, our guilty verdict is true. Yet we are declared innocent by His blood.