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Weekly Bulletin

Sunday, May 21, 2023

Sundays at 10:30am 3836 S Madison Ave, Norwood, OH 45212

#### Pentecost

Pentecost Sunday is next Sunday, May 28th, and we have so much scheduled. We are having a Pentecost prayer hour from 8:00am-9:00am in the church sanctuary with guided prayers, a church prayer list, and folks to pray with you. Come and go as you please during that time. Also, we will have a Pentecost teaching during worship followed by a Pentecost picnic at Upper Millcrest Park. See Molly Love for the potluck signup link.

#### Secret Sis

Valley Ladies, our Secret Sis reveal lunch will be Sunday, June 11th right after morning worship. Hang on to your last gift and you'll have the chance to give that gift to your Secret Sis in person. Thank you so much for celebrating each other this spring.

#### **Summer In The Psalms**

We are kicking of the Summer in the Psalms on June 4th and you can follow along with your own Psalms Journal Bible. They are on the table in the sanctuary and we ask that you consider a \$5 donation for them (to help us order more when these are gone).

### Baptism

We are doing another baptism service on Sunday, May 28th during morning worship. Have you been interested in being baptized? See Pastor Chuck to schedule a time to meet.

## LAST WEEK'S GIVING TOTAL: \$1,906.71

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# Acts 28:1-31

There are two sections in chapter 28 that conclude Paul's journey to Rome. Both were ordained by God and bridge the story of Acts to the rest of redemptive history.

Paul and his companions meet natives on the island of Malta. What was their behavior toward the sailors? How is the moral law of God demonstrated in the hearts of pagans?

Paul demonstrates humble leadership on the ship, but also on the island? How? And what can we learn?

Tradition teaches that a church was started on Malta and Syracuse during this time. How does Paul demonstrate the ability to have a gospel impact even in the midst of trials? What can we glean from that truth?

Paul gets to Rome and has the chance to teach the Jewish leaders there. He teaches of the Kingdom of God through the Law of Moses and from the Prophets. How does that gospel presentation line up with the gospel presentation today? Has anything changed?

How does the whole Bible show the gospel of salvation? What is the Kingdom of God and how does it compare to the kingdom of the world?