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## PRAYER CONCERNS

### JUNE 21<sup>ST</sup>, 2026

- » **Bob Snider** (longtime member and former elder at Water Mill Church of Christ) passed away Monday morning. He was the brother-in-law of **Byron and Gay Nichols** and uncle of **Jill Johnson**. Services were Thursday at Water Mill Church of Christ.
- » **Paula Ortendahl**, wife of former member, **Bob Ortendahl**, is in Mercy being treated for a rare form of cancer in her adrenaline gland. She will be moved to the Maples in the next couple of days for rehab and asks for our prayers.

- Men's Breakfast, June 22<sup>nd</sup>
- DWELL Monthly Areawide Singing @ Watermill Church of Christ, Wednesday, June 24<sup>th</sup>, at 6:30 pm



## SERMON SNAPSHOT

Good morning, and welcome to Sunset!

Who are you trusting? That may seem like a simple question, but **Psalm 146** challenges us to think deeply about it. We live in a world that constantly encourages us to place our hope in people—leaders, experts, institutions, mentors, and even ourselves. While God often works through people to bless us, **Psalm 146** reminds us that human beings are ultimately limited, temporary, and unable to save.

In contrast, the psalm points us to a God who is completely trustworthy. He is powerful enough to create and sustain the universe. He is compassionate enough to care for the hungry, the oppressed, the lonely, and the forgotten. And he is righteous enough to ensure that evil will not have the final word. In other words, we serve a God we can trust wholly!

I'm so glad you've joined us for worship this morning. If there is any way we can serve you, pray with you, or visit with you about something going on in your life, please let me, one of our ministers, or one of our shepherds know.

I love you all,  
Phillip

## TODAY'S LESSONS

A God You Can Trust

**Psalm 146**

Phillip Bates

Scripture Reading: **Jeremiah 17:5-8**

3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday — Devo Night — @ 5 PM

Bible Boot Camp

Chris Livingston



## Worship • Connect • Serve

### WORSHIP TIMES



Welcome!

Sunday

Worship @ 8:15 & 10:30

Bible Classes @ 9:30 AM

Worship Online @ 10:30 AM &  
on demand after noon.

Online @ [SunsetChurchofChrist.org/u-tube/Today's Sermon-Guide](http://SunsetChurchofChrist.org/u-tube/Today's%20Sermon-Guide)

Evening @ 5 PM & **Connect Groups**

Wednesday

Ladies' Morning Bible Class 10 AM

Iglesia de Cristo

Worship 10:30 AM

[IglesiaDeCristoenSunset.org](http://IglesiaDeCristoenSunset.org)

### SHEPHERDS

Bruce Chilton

Jeff Klein

Don Johnson

Don McFall

Doug Johnson

Bryan Vanwinkle

David Kail

Mark Viguet

### DEACONS

Caleb Adams

John Kail

Chase Amyx

David Kaltenberger

Chris Burris

Terry Lawler

Steve Cobb

Daniel Prince

Brian Dahl

Logan Staggs

Mitch Friend

### MINISTERS

Phillip Bates

Preaching

Dwight Samuel

Associate

Shaun Jordan

Campus/Media

Chris Livingston

Community & Family

Ethan Hudgeons

Youth

Mauricio Vanegas

Hispanic

### SHEPHERDS ON CALL

Don Johnson & Bryan Vanwinkle

Speak with a 'Shepherd on Call' about anything you would like the shepherds to discuss (concerns or compliments) or to arrange to meet with them.

### STAY CONNECTED

E-Mail: [office@sunsetchurchofchrist.org](mailto:office@sunsetchurchofchrist.org)

"Instant Church Directory"

[SunsetChurchofChrist.org/member-app](http://SunsetChurchofChrist.org/member-app)

Facebook Group: "Sunset Church Family"  
[SunsetChurchofChrist.org/fb-group/](http://SunsetChurchofChrist.org/fb-group/)

Grapevine: 417-881-4640

Ministry Sign-up: [SunsetChurchofChrist.org/ministries/](http://SunsetChurchofChrist.org/ministries/)

Join Grapevine: [SunsetChurchofChrist.org/grapevine/](http://SunsetChurchofChrist.org/grapevine/)

Online Calendar: [SunsetChurchofChrist.org/calendar/](http://SunsetChurchofChrist.org/calendar/)

Phillip's Blog: <https://phillipbates.com/blog>

Get Connected Here

## FAMILY CALENDAR

You can watch our 10:30AM service live @ [SunsetChurchofChrist.org/u-tube/](https://www.sunsetchurchofchrist.org/u-tube/)

### Father's Day! June 21<sup>st</sup>

Happy Father's Day to all our Fathers.

### Children's Bible Hour (ages 2-K) Rm 5A

When dismissed. June Teachers: Mariah P, Donna S, Angie K, Geanie G, Jennifer S, & Annalise S.

### Sunday Evening Prayer Grp Today @ 4:30 PM

Meet in multi-purpose Rm 4B.

### Ladies' Sewing - Monday Morning @ 8:30 AM

Monday Mornings—Everyone is welcome!

### Ladies' Wednesday Morning Bible Class

Meet at 10 AM in Multi-Purpose Rm. 4B.

### Sunset's Wednesday Night Summer Series 7 PM

Schedule [SunsetChurchofChrist.org/summer-series](https://www.sunsetchurchofchrist.org/summer-series)

### Men's Monthly Breakfast June 22<sup>nd</sup>, 6:30 AM

Meet at Cedar's Restaurant on S. Campbell. 🍌

### DWELL at Watermill Church of Christ June 24<sup>th</sup>

Meet at Watermill @ 6:30 pm. No Classes.

### 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday Devo & Dinner June 28<sup>th</sup> @ 5 PM

Meet in the Fellowship Hall—Italian! Bring (Italian sides & desserts.)

### Youth Group Game Night July 2<sup>nd</sup> @ 5 PM

Meet in the Fellowship Hall. 🎮

### 250<sup>th</sup> Celebration of Our Independence Day July 4

Celebration on the 4<sup>th</sup>, **Office closed on July 3<sup>rd</sup>**. 🇺🇸

### Ladies' Monthly Breakfast July 9<sup>th</sup> @ 6:45 AM

Meet at Jimmy's Egg, 3837 S Campbell.

### Secret Sisters Prayer Group Potluck July 12<sup>th</sup>

Meet in the Fellowship Hall after 2nd Service.

### Sunset VBS—July 19<sup>th</sup>–22<sup>nd</sup>—5 to 7:30 PM

## ONGOING PRAYER

**Anita Allen**, Linda Sievers (Miranda Amyx's mom), **Sue Andrews**, **Melissa Bates**, Ariana Brooks (Debi Crowley's granddaughter), **Alma Cummins**, **Ramona Davison**, **Maxine Ghan**, **Bob & Jane Hancock**, **Alex Hartle**, **Edith Hudson**, **Clifton & Judy Jewell**, **Bill Johnmeyer**, **Brian, Ronnie & Les Horton**, **Janelle McFall** (Don McFall's sister), **Cyndi Owen**, **Sandra Robinson**, **Joe Ryan**, Shirley Ryan (Joe Ryan's mom), **Ramona Farrell**, **Rhonda Foutch**, & **Randy Franklin** (Karen Scott's sister, cousin, & brother), **Athylie Scott** (Mike Scott's mom) & **Pat Wiseman**.

## LAST WEEK'S STATISTICS

Worship Total	423
(1 <sup>st</sup> – 166 & 2 <sup>nd</sup> – 257)	
(Online 76)	
Sunday Bible Classes	231
Evening Service Total	102
(Connect Groups DNM)	
Wednesday Classes	213
Hispanic Worship	26
Giving Options — <a href="https://www.sunsetchurchofchrist.org/give/">SunsetChurchofChrist.org/give/</a>	
Contribution	
Budget	

# GAME NIGHT

YOUTH GROUP

JULY 2<sup>nd</sup>

5–11 PM

## Special Wednesday Area-Wide Singing Series

- May 27th at Sunset at 6:30 PM
- June 24th at Watermill at 6:30 PM
- July 29th at Brookline at 6:30 PM
- August 26th at Union Hill at 6:30 PM

**\*No adult or children's classes these nights.**

The building will be closed June 24<sup>th</sup>, July 29<sup>th</sup>, & August 26<sup>th</sup> to attend.

# Secret Sisters

Prayer Group Potluck  
July 12<sup>th</sup> - After 2<sup>nd</sup> Service

# GENESIS to JESUS

connecting the dots

## Save these Dates!

July 19-22<sup>nd</sup> - 5-7:30 pm

VBS 2026  
Registration is now open!  
Ages 3 thru 6<sup>th</sup> Grade

register online



Ethan Hudgeons,  
Youth Minister

## Is Your Child New to Sunset's Youth Group? (6<sup>th</sup> Grade moving to 7<sup>th</sup>)

There are informational packets available to help you and your child get and stay connected.

Get your packet in the Youth Rm.