

“Christ and the Church”

May 21, 2023



See if you can find the **BOLD** and **UNDERLINED** words.

Ephesians 5:21-33 “²¹ **submitting** to one another in the **fear** of God. ²²**Wives, submit** to your own **husbands**, as to the **Lord**. ²³For the husband is **head** of the **wife**, as also **Christ** is head of the **church**; and He is the **Savior** of the **body**.

²⁴ Therefore, just as the church is subject to Christ, so let the wives be to their own husbands in everything. ²⁵ Husbands, **love** your wives, just as Christ also loved the church and gave **Himself** for her, ²⁶ that He might **sanctify** and **cleanse** her with the **washing** of **water** by the **word**, ²⁷ that He might **present** her to Himself a **glorious** church, not having **spot** or **wrinkle** or any such thing, but that she should be **holy** and without **blemish**. ²⁸ So husbands ought to love their own wives as their own bodies; he who loves his wife loves himself. ²⁹ For no one ever **hated** his own **flesh**, but **nourishes** and **cherishes** it, just as the Lord does the church. ³⁰ For we are **members** of His body, of His flesh and of His bones. ³¹ “For this reason a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh.” ³² This is a great mystery, but I speak concerning Christ and the church. ³³ Nevertheless let each one of you in particular so love his own wife as himself, and let the wife see that she respects her husband.” (NKJV)

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21 submitting to one another out of reverence for Christ. 22 Wives, submit to your own husbands, as to the Lord. 23 For the husband is the head of the wife even as Christ is the head of the church, his body, and is himself its Savior. 24 Now as the church submits to Christ, so also wives should submit in everything to their husbands. 25 Husbands, love your wives, as Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her, 26 that he might sanctify her, having cleansed her by the washing of water with the word, 27 so that he might present the church to himself in splendor, without spot or wrinkle or any such thing, that she might be holy and without blemish. 28 In the same way husbands should love their wives as their own bodies. He who loves his wife loves himself. 29 For no one ever hated his own flesh, but nourishes and cherishes it, just as Christ does the church, 30 because we are members of his body. 31 "Therefore a man shall leave his father and mother and hold fast to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh." 32 This mystery is profound, and I am saying that it refers to Christ and the church. 33 However, let each one of you love his wife as himself, and let the wife see that she respects her husband. - **Ephesians 5:21-33 ESV**

I. Paul's admonition for the husband and wife is based on Christ and the church. (vv. 21, 23-27, 29-30, 32)

21 submitting to one another out of reverence for Christ.

23 ... Christ is the head of the church, his body, and is himself its Savior.
24 Now as the church submits to Christ ...

5 so we, though many, are one body in Christ, and individually members one of another. - **Romans 12:5 ESV**

25 ... Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her, 26 that he might sanctify her, having cleansed her by the washing of water with the word, 27 so that he might present the church to himself in splendor, without spot or wrinkle or any such thing, that she might be holy and without blemish.

5 Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus, 6 who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, 7 but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. 8 And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. - **Philippians 2:5-8 ESV**

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II. The Church is the example for the wife. (vv. 22-24, 33)

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III. Christ is the example for the husband. (vv. 25-33)

25 Husbands, love your wives, as *Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her, 26 that he might sanctify her, having cleansed her by the washing of water with the word, 27 so that he might present the church to himself in splendor, without spot or wrinkle or any such thing, that she might be holy and without blemish.* 28 In the same way husbands should love their wives as their own bodies. He who loves his wife loves himself. 29 For no one ever hated his own flesh, but nourishes and cherishes it, *just as Christ does the church, 30 because we are members of his body.* 31 "Therefore a man shall leave his father and mother and hold fast to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh." 32 *This mystery is profound, and I am saying that it refers to Christ and the church.* 33 However, let each one of you love his wife as himself ...
- **Ephesians 5:25-33 ESV**

The Bond Of Love

Verse 1

We are one in the bond of love
We are one in the bond of love
We have joined our spirit
With the Spirit of God
We are one in the bond of love

Verse 2

Let us sing now ev'ryone
Let us feel His love begun
Let us join our hands
So the world will know
We are one in the bond of love

O The Deep Deep Love Of Jesus (Ebenezer)

Verse 1

O the deep deep love of Jesus
Vast unmeasured boundless free
Rolling as a mighty ocean
In its fullness over me
Underneath me all around me
Is the current of Thy love
Leading onward leading homeward
To my glorious rest above

Verse 2

O the deep deep love of Jesus
Spread His praise from shore to shore
How He loveth ever loveth
Changeth never nevermore
How He watches o'er His loved ones

Died to call them all His own
How for them He intercedeth
Watches over them from the throne

Verse 3

O the deep deep love of Jesus
Love of every love the best
'Tis an ocean vast of blessing
'Tis a haven sweet of rest
O the deep deep love of Jesus
'Tis a heaven of heavens to me
And it lifts me up to glory
For it lifts me up to Thee

O Perfect Love

Verse 1

O perfect Love all human thought transcending
Lowly we kneel in prayer before thy throne
That theirs may be the love that knows no ending
Whom thou for evermore dost join in one

Verse 2

O perfect Life be thou their full assurance
Of tender charity and steadfast faith
Of patient hope and quiet brave endurance
With childlike trust that fears nor pain nor death

Verse 3

Grant them the joy that brightens earthly sorrow
Grant them the peace which calms all earthly strife
And to life's day the glorious unknown morrow
That dawns upon eternal love and life

We Are God's People

Verse 1

We are God's people the chosen of the Lord
Born of His Spirit established by His Word
Our cornerstone is Christ alone
And strong in Him we stand
O let us live transparently
And walk heart to heart and hand in hand

Verse 2

We are God's loved ones, the bride of Christ our Lord
For we have known it, the love of God outpoured
Now let us learn how to return
The gift of love once given
O let us share each joy and care
And live with a zeal that pleases heav'n

Verse 3

We are the Body of which the Lord is Head,
Called to obey Him now risen from the dead
He wills us be a family
Diverse yet truly one;
O let us give our gifts to God
And so shall His work on Earth be done

Verse 4

We are a temple the Spirit's dwelling place
Formed in great weakness a cup to hold God's grace
We die alone for on its own
Each ember loses fire
Yet joined in one the flame burns on
To give warmth and light and to inspire

Church Activities

SUNDAY, May 21

9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
11:00 a.m. International Fellowship
5:30 p.m. Youth Bible Study
5:30 p.m. Experiencing God Bible Study

TUESDAY, May 23

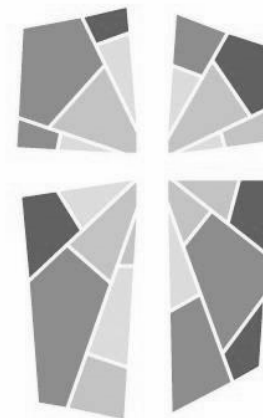
6:15 p.m. Visitation Ministry

WEDNESDAY, May 24

6:15 p.m. Prayer Meeting

THURSDAY, May 25

11:00 a.m. Bible Study
6:00 p.m. Community Life Group
7:00 p.m. LEAP English School (last before summer break)



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To Know CHRIST and To Make CHRIST Known

5225 Fort Avenue

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Morning Worship

Third Sunday of May

May 21, 2023

11:00 a.m.

Evening Bible Study

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5:30 p.m.

*I will greatly rejoice in the LORD,
 My soul shall be joyful in my God;
 For He has clothed me with the garments of salvation,
 He has covered me with the robe of righteousness,
 As a bridegroom decks himself with ornaments,
 And as a bride adorns herself with her jewels.
 Isaiah 61:10 ESV*

ADULTS: Tonight at 5:30, we continue our study of Experiencing God, as we will be discussing Unit 10.

YOUTH: You influence people, did you know that? Whether you like to believe it or not, people watch you. They watch how you talk, walk, and how you treat others that are closest to you. So, the question this week is this... "How will you use your influence to help others?" Join us tonight @ 5:30 as we continue our conversation.

PreludeAnne Wilkinson

Song of Praise, #423
The Bond of Love Congregation

Welcome and Announcements Rev. Ian McManamey

Song of Praise, #352
O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus Congregation

Offertory Prayer.....Ben Wilkinson

Song of Worship, #458
O Perfect Love..... Congregation

Message..... Rev. Ian McManamey

"Christ and the Church"
 Ephesians 5:21-33 (page 1823 in the pew Bible)

Song of Response, #399
We Are God's People Congregation

Closing Prayer.....David Johnson

PostludeAnne Wilkinson

Announcements:

Deacon Nomination Letters have been set out in the main vestibule. While we have four vacancies, if you can only think of one or two recommendations, please go ahead and put those on a form. Thank you for your help!

You are invited to join in our Thursday morning Bible study, each **Thursday at 11 a.m.** Lessons are taught by Vye Esposito and David Johnson, on a rotating basis, and cover a variety of interesting Biblical subjects.

Our Tuesday night visitation team had a great evening this past week. Come be a part of it – you'll meet here at church on Tuesdays at 6:15 p.m.

Our **next Business Meeting** has been moved to Sunday, **June 4, at 6 p.m.**

Please mark your calendars – the next **Neighborhood Blitz** will be **Saturday, June 17, from 1-3 p.m.**

Offertory Prayer
 May 28 – Joyce Parker
 June 4 – Mark Sihlanick

CHESTNUT HILL BAPTIST CHURCH PRAYER CONCERNS
May 18, 2023

IN THE HOSPITAL

AT HOME

Carol Deans
Jean Brown
Patrick Parnell
Malcolm Gowell
Kelly Parnell
Tim Saxon
Ray Simms
Ida Wright
May Shieh
Mary St. John

IN RETIREMENT HOME OR NURSING HOME

Pete and Grace Monroe, Runk & Pratt @ Liberty Ridge, Apt. 313, 24502
Shirley Tweedy, Bentley Commons, 1604 Graves Mill Road, #102, 24502
Helen Howard, Summit Health & Rehab., James River Unit, 1300 Enterprise Dr., #216, 24502
Beulah Woodson, the Summit Assisted Living, 1320 Enterprise Dr, #206, 24502
Dale Shelton, Fairmont Crossings, 173 Brockman Park Drive, #131, 24521
Velma Jackson, Valley View, Apt 112, 1213 Long Meadows, 24502
Carolyn Smith, Valley View, Apt 400, 1213 Long Meadows Dr, 24502
Joyce Myers, 102 David Ridge Rd., Galax, VA 24333
Frank Harris, Runk & Pratt Pearls of Life, rm #11, 107 Monica Blvd., 24502
Wilma Jean Wright, Bedford County Nursing Home, 1229 County Farm Rd, #204A, 24523
Cindy Hammond, Lynchburg Health & Rehab, 5615 Seminole Ave., #47, 24502
Ken Bush, Forest Health and Rehab, 2406 Atherholt Road, rm 501, 24501

SPECIAL PRAYER CONCERNS

Wayne Figg, nephew of Delores Figg in Richmond, adrenal cancer
Aleta Robertson's daughter, Candis Grishaw
Reggie Akers, heart/health issues
Phil Davis, Jean Gilliam's brother, cancer
Carolyn Smith, breast cancer and heart issues
Bobby Moyer, Debbie Montgomery's brother, heart issues
Ann Reynolds, Elizabeth Johnson's daughter, cancer
John "Rocky" Ruffin, friend of Barnes family, lung cancer
Jerry Zengler, George Barth's brother-in-law, complications after heart surgery
Lucille Marten, friend of Bernard and Bettie Almond, cancer
Pat Doss, macular degeneration
Mary St. John, kidney issues and dialysis
Nancy Barnes, breast cancer treatment
Janice Guthrie, Nancy Barnes' cousin, cancer
Jane Thurber, health issues and for safety while living in a troubled area
Destiny Amos (friend of the McManamey family) recovering from brain surgery
Michael Bomar, recovering from lung transplant surgery
Ken Carlton, back issues
Bobby Pugh, recovering from aneurism repair
Ida Wright, health concerns
Gwen Arthur, breast cancer, recovering from surgery
Ronnie Sault, recent cancer diagnosis, requested by Bobby Pugh
Tony Henson, Faye Henson's brother-in-law, recent cancer diagnosis
Delores Figg, abscessed tooth
Kelly Parnell, health issues, upcoming tests/appointments in May
Shirley Tweedy, heart health issues
Linda Thacker, recovering from knee replacement surgery
May Shieh, recovering from partial hip replacement surgery
Sylvia Clements, health issues, recent fall
George Barth, recent Parkinson's diagnosis

Prayer for salvation request list:

Christy	Brian	L.
D. and L.	John	C.G.
		M. G.

To join our conference call prayer meeting at 6:15 on
Wednesday evenings, call: (351) 999-4569

Prayer Requests from our neighbors:

Ms. Delphia – Her brother-in-law Renaldo Lynch has cancer. She also struggles with chronic pain in her legs.

Mildred Jones – Asked for prayer for her children Delina, Anthony, and Herman Jones. She also asked for prayer to stop smoking.

Chris Stamp – He was thankful to have gotten his driver's license back and he also asked for prayer to stop smoking.

Mr. O'Neal

Cedric and cousin O'Brian who is having health issues and is not doing well.

The Bowman Family – has specific request for son and daughter in law that have to make some decisions about education soon.