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What Can I Do?

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Each day the Lord wakes you up, gives you mobility and strength, puts breath in your lungs, and makes your heart beat. But, have you ever asked yourself the question, “What can I do for the Lord today?” I know you are busy with work, family, and life situations that come up every day, but have you ever asked God, “What would you have **ME** to do for you?”

You may think that because of your busy schedule or your limited resources you don't have anything to give Him. How can He possibly desire to use **ME**? I don't have anything to give. **Yes**, you do!

How many of us spend time surfing on the phone because we have one or two free minutes? Here's something that those with little or no money and very little free time can do for God and can easily put it into daily practice:

#1 – Pray and ask God who needs to be encouraged today.

#2 – Listen for God to give you the name of someone you know maybe at work, at church, or a friend you seldom see or see frequently. Maybe it could be someone you know who is sick or going through a bunch of messy problems. Who pops into your mind? Maybe one person, maybe several people.

#3 – Pick up your phone – **YES**, your phone!

- a. Send them a quick text: “Hi, I was thinking about you and pray that you have a wonderful day.” That doesn't take long.
- b. If you are led, give them a **short** phone call just to say, “Hi, I just wanted to hear your voice.” **Warning: If you tend to be**

a garbage can or like to gossip, avoid the phone call and instead send a text message.

Your phone, that can easily distract you, can be used for good! So, I guess the question is – who is in control? You? God? Your phone?

Yep, man designed the phone. Technology advanced the rotary, landline telephone to a handheld cell phone, so we can carry it around constantly. We are not only able to call and see people whenever we desire, but we can easily text them! Hmm. God can take this little instrument and enable us to connect day and night to people everywhere. Are you allowing God to lead you to use it for something good?

Ask God how He would like you to encourage someone everyday by using the phone. Maybe it is by using social media – Face Book, Snapchat, TikTok, Instagram, or whatever else is out there.

Whatever works for you – maybe just ...

#1 picking up the phone,

#2 setting a timer for 1-2 minutes, and

#3 giving someone a “Good morning, have a blessed day” phone call.

Warning: When the timer goes off, it is time to hang up!

It doesn't matter the **way** you allow God to use you, but **it is allowing Him** to use you. He wants to, but will you allow Him access to your time and energy? We expect Him to faithfully be available to us 24/7, but are we committed to being faithful to Him?

Hurry kills **Presence**.

Worry kills **Peace**.

Doubt kills **Faith**.

Ego kills **Love**.

Now, read that right to left.

Rivers of Living Water Service Times

Sunday

Beginning at 9:30 – Intercessory Prayer
10 a.m. – Morning Worship



Wednesday

11 a.m. – Intercessory Prayer
6:30 p.m. – Bible Foundation

Feed **your** Soul
every week.



Post Your Prayer Request on the Cross

"For the eyes of the Lord are over the righteous, and his ears are open unto their prayers." I Peter 3:12



- Our PayPal account info?
- An easy way to e-mail us?
- Our messages preached at Rivers?

You can easily link to any of the above by going to our website: rolwohio.com

NOTICE!

If you would like to submit something to the Channel so **everyone is informed** about what your department is doing, you would like to share some good news, or if someone has passed away, please fill out a yellow form and give it to Cathy Sewell by **Sun., September 21.**



September 1 - Akinya Miller
22 - Mark Hamen
28 - Love'aya Richey
30 - Cherise Dukes



September 22 – Rev. David & Rev. Glenda
Tucker

If money doesn't grow on trees, why do banks have branches?

Big shout out to my fingers, I can always count on them.



STOP looking for a perfect church! Go worship a **Perfect God** today with a congregation of flawed people who need grace as much as you do.



Sunday Sept. 14, 11 a.m.
1st Church Community Picnic
at Walsh Park

This will be a time of Worship Music, Fellowship, Food, and Games. Invite others to come as we would like to share with the community.

Please sign on the bulletin board what you are planning to bring. Be sure to bring one or two large dishes so we have enough for our visitors. The church will provide hot dogs & buns, drinks, table service, condiments, charcoal, and lighter.

We will need volunteers to help set up at 10 a.m., people to grill, and volunteers to clean up. Sign up so we know who is willing to help. If you have any games you would like to share, please see Mother Betty Jones.

Sisters in Christ on the Road
Saturday, Sept. 20, 9 A.M.-3P.M.

Soul Care 2025 Women's Conference
At 6109 W Bancroft St. Toledo, Ohio

All ladies are invited to attend, but you must sign-up today, **Aug. 31st**. The registration fee is \$30 which needs to be turned into Glenda by **Wed. Sept. 3rd**. Carpooling from church, leaving at 7:30 A.M.

Ministerial Sunday September 28

Opening
Bishop Stephen
Llewellyn
Minister
Rev. Theresa Eishen
Closing
Rev. Juanita Llewellyn

We have been blessed with a donation of \$27.83 which came from 12 households.



If you have not linked to Kroger's, please do so, our church will receive quarterly donations from all purchases you make. Remember, these donations do not affect your fuel points. It a double reward and blessing.

Daily Prayer for our Pastors



Lord give my pastors wisdom to prioritize the tasks of each day. Guard my pastors against the tyranny of the urgent and help them discern what is most important.

(Ps. 90:12; 2 Cor. 11:14; Mk. 11:22-24)

Father keep my pastors from pride and self-pity. Allow Pastor Stephen and Pastor Natalie to glory only in the cross and let it be his and her reason for ministry. (Gal. 6:14)

October 25
25th Anniversary Celebration
The invitations have been mailed. If you did not get one, let Sister Julia know.

^[a]Blessed [fortunate, prosperous, and favored by God] is the man who does not walk in the counsel of the wicked [following their advice and example], Nor stand in the path of sinners, Nor sit [down to rest] in the seat of ^[a]scoffers (ridiculers).

But his delight is in the law of the Lord, And on His law [His precepts and teachings] he [habitually] meditates day and night.

And he will be like a tree firmly planted [and fed] by streams of water, Which yields its fruit in its season; Its leaf does not wither; And in whatever he does, he prospers [and comes to maturity].

Psalms 1: 1 - 3 AMP

Informational Facts about our Anniversary Celebration

- **Needed pictures** you have taken over the past 25 years at RLW.
 - **Send them to** RLWpictures@gmail.com
- **Volunteers** to help organize the pictures we receive so we can prepare a presentation for the celebration.
- **Limited tickets** are available. Purchase yours by **Sept. 30** Tickets will be given at the door.
- No children under 8 will be in attendance.
- Pray about a love offering for Apostle & Lady Joyce Jones plus our Senior Pastors Stephen & Natalie Dagg.