

FOR OUR GUESTS

We are glad you chose to worship with us today! We want to make your experience with us as easy and enjoyable as possible. The following information will help you to know what to expect today.

Please take advantage of our children's programs:

Nursery (ages 0 through 2 yrs.)

A staffed, teaching nursery is located out the auditorium doors to the right.

Jesus' Farm (Ages 3 yrs. - K)

Jesus Farm is our pre-school program, offered during both hours, to help children know that God loves & cares for us. Every activity is geared to the child's learning level. It is located out the auditorium doors to the left. Your child may be checked in at the wagon.

rEVOLve (Grades 1 - 5)

rEVOLve is our elementary-age program located in the lower level of the fellowship hall. Bring your child down at 9:00 for Sunday School. Children will head to the lower level and enter a time of worship & an environment to develop a relationship with Jesus Christ through different activities.

The Offering - It is a privilege to give back to God a portion of the material blessings He has given us. Offering boxes are located on the walls at the back of the auditorium or you can give online @ ripleycoc.com.

Communion - We choose to offer the Lords' Supper each Sunday for all Christians to share. This is done to provide an opportunity to obey Christ to commune "in remembrance" of His death on the cross. Use this quiet time to draw close to the sacrificial Savior. Emblems can be picked up at the table in the foyer.

Decision and Dedication - Times for public responses to God are included in our worship. If you believe that Jesus is the Son of God, has the power to be your Savior, and has the right to be your Lord, this is an invitation for you to come to the front at the invitation song to announce your belief publicly and to

accept Christ by immersion in water (baptism). If you are an immersed believer in Jesus, and desire to be an active member of this body of believers, then come to affirm your faith publicly and express that desire. Responses for rededication and prayer are also encouraged by coming to the front at the invitation song.

If you would like further information about either of these decisions, feel free to schedule an appointment with one of our staff members. Individuals may make these decisions throughout the week and need not take place in the worship service.

If you need additional information or assistance, please ask an usher or greeter. They are here to assist you.

Ripley Church of Christ

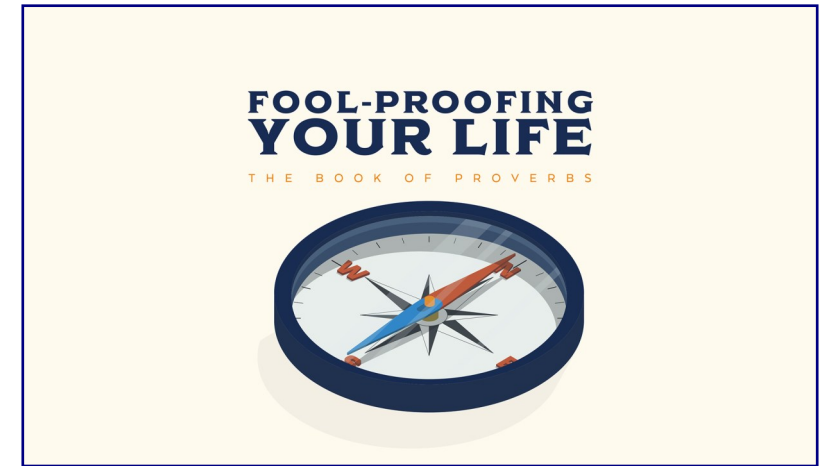
9:00 am Sunday School

10:15 am Worship

Ph. 330-567-2320

www.ripleycoc.com

For more detailed information about our church, service opportunities or ministries, stop by our welcome center or visit us on the web. You'll find access to sermons, resources, calendar, and more.



May 29, 2022

Tom Benter
Senior Minister

Mike South
Youth Minister

Jeremiah Stivers
Associate Minister

Ariel Stivers
Children's Ministry Coordinator

Sermon Notes

Fool Proofing Your Life Week 5

Why Choose Wisdom?

When we choose wisdom we find _____
-Proverbs 8

What true wealth do we receive?

1. J_____ Attitude

-Nehemiah 8:10, Psalm 30

2. G_____ Heart

-Proverbs 11:24-25

3. Sense of P_____.

-Proverbs 17:1, Psalm 4:8

Upcoming Sermon Series Summer School



Car Wash Fundraiser

Sunday, June 5 immediately after service, we will be having a car wash back by the pavilion. The cost is donation, with all proceeds going toward helping students with their cost and any extra work projects we are able to do while at the mission. Thank you for your support!

This Week

Today:	9:00 a	Sunday School
	10:15 a	Worship,
	5-7:00 p	Senior Citizens & Youth Bingo (& Cookout)
	6-8:00 p	Ladies' Bible Study
Tue:	10:00 a	Matter of Balance
Wed:	7:00 p	Men's Bible Study

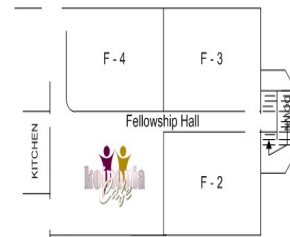
ABF Classes / Locations

9:00a


Adult Study, Acts F3
Youth Sunday School, Basement
Women's Class; Next Door Savior by Max Lucado, Conf. Room
College / Young Adults, Choir Room
Ladies' Class; She Works His Way, F2

6-8p Sunday

Ladies' Study: Gospel of Mark, Conf. Room
(not meeting in June)



May 22 Giving \$6,129.03 Budget \$7,692.31

 ***NOTE: Masks and communion supplies are available in the foyer as you enter.**

Upcoming Events

Senior Citizens & Youth Bingo and Cook-Out Night, Tonight, May 29, 5-7:00p, All our Senior Citizens, please join our youth for a fun night of Bingo, Food & Fellowship. Sign-up Sheet at the Registration Station.

Sunday Night Ladies' Bible Study will be meeting tonight, May 29 but will *not* meet in June. Exploring summer meeting options; let Debbi know your thoughts / availability (330.231.0378).

Move-Up Sunday, June 5, Children's Promotion Sunday

PICK YOUR PATH is the ultimate DIY adventure. Families will blaze their own path through an island paradise, completing tasks and collecting points along the way! Join us on June 12 starting at 4p - Dinner provided! Families register at www.ripleycoc.com
We are also looking for volunteers to help along the way. Please check out our Luau Display in the foyer to see where you can help!



Looking for Volunteers to cover the Ripley office June 10 and July 12 & 14; all day or part days. See or contact Janelle at the office or call or text 330.466.9664.

Ladies' Fellowship will meet Monday, June 13 at 6:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. All are welcome. Speaker will be from Operation Christmas Child, talking about the Shoeboxes. Please bring items for the Shoeboxes- small hair brushes, colored pencils, notebooks, coloring books, wash cloths, pencils, large erasers, pencil sharpeners. All items must be new. Items can also be put in the workroom. We are also collecting funds toward the \$10 shipping fee. Funds can be given to Janet Barnes.

Lost & Found: If you lost a *pocket knife*, check with Janelle at the secretary's office. Are you missing a Travel Mug or Water Bottle? Check the Workroom; there is a collection starting.

Auditorium Doors - When entering or exiting the auditorium, please do not allow the door to swing freely; slow the door behind you. This will eliminate noise and the potential to hit someone in the hallway.