

Acts

The Peril of the Pedestal and the Folly of the Footstool

Acts 14:8-20

- A. The Man Who Was _____ (8)
- B. The _____ (9-10a)
- C. The _____ (10b-13)
- D. The _____ (14-18)
- E. The _____ Continues (19-20)

OTHER NOTES

APPLICATION

- 1. Tether your _____ to Jesus
- 2. Avoid Gift _____
- 3. Avoid Gift _____
- 4. Remember, this is for _____

MAY Food Bank Item: Boxes of Crackers or Saltines

MAY Prayer Focus: Germany

Copies of the APRIL Governing Board minutes & Treasure Reports
are available in the foyer area near the church office.

The Christian Missionary Alliance Church



May 23, 2021

*Together, we will glorify God
and make disciples by sharing the
love of Jesus with the world.*

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May Prayer Focus - Germany

Announcements

Call to Worship

*Hymn 326

Moment by Moment

*Worship through Singing

**Mighty to Save
Goodness of God
In the Secret**

Scripture Reading

Acts 14:8-20

Pastoral Prayer

**"The Peril of the Pedestal and the Folly of
the Footstool"**

Message

*Hymn 299

Blessed Assurance

Benediction

*Please stand as you are able

In the 1970s–'80s, many artists made Berlin, Germany, their home because moving there exempted them from two years of mandatory military service. Currently, up to 50,000 artists live there.

To meet the spiritual needs of this large population, Alliance workers Mike and Elissa Picconatto, with the help of their partner church in Berlin, started an art gallery called Gallery2. "This art gallery was designed to be a greenhouse: a place where artists can develop and grow their gifts," Mike says.

"We went into [the ministry] backwards. Instead of having a plan and then finding a space to fit the plan, we found these amazing rooms," Mike says. "So we just moved in and started praying."

The Picconattos have found unique ways to run their gallery that benefit the artists. Most galleries in their area offer the artist 30–50 percent of the profits and only exhibit a small number of artists.

Thanks to generous donations to the Great Commission Fund, most of the costs of running the gallery are paid off. This allows Gallery2 to give the artist 60–70 percent of the profits.

Mike and Elissa also aspire to "give newer artists a chance as well as giving older artists—who haven't exhibited in a long time—a new chance" through hosting a wide range of artists' exhibits unlike other galleries in their area. "We're rebels in our community," Elissa says. Not only is Gallery2 breaking the mold in the community, but it also is changing the way that artists and Christians relate to one another. According to Mike, the church and artists have not had a well-maintained relationship for quite some time. "When artists started to test boundaries and become more expressive of emotion, the church became very condemning of them," Mike says. "We're trying to rebuild bridges between the artist and the Body of Christ." The art displayed in Gallery2 has opened many doors between the art community and the church.



"Believing that God made us in His image changes the way that I look at art," Elissa says. "And I've been able to share that with people because art has an ability to quickly cut through the superficial." Pray for their continued success in bringing artists to faith in Christ.

	Nursery Today:	Gwen & Emma Culbertson Please contact Gwen Culbertson or the Church Office if you would like to volunteer as a worker
	Next Sunday:	Sandy and Kara Cisney

RECEIVED LAST WEEK		ACCUMULATED TOTAL	
[Weekly General Fund Budget(planned)]	\$ 3,945.71]		
General Fund (received)	\$ 3,911.03		
Building Fund	\$ 387.00	Building Fund	\$116,843.32
Other Funds	\$ 22.00		
Great Commission Fund	\$ 899.00	Great Commission Fund	\$ 26,831.84
		Great Commission Year-End Offering	\$ 990.00
Other Missions	\$ 977.00	Great Commission Sunday Offering	\$
Total Giving	\$ 6,196.03		

*Thank you to my church family for all your prayers
and for the many cards you sent to me. It helps lift
my spirits knowing I am not forgotten.*

Thank you so much.

Sincerely,

Jean Peachey Boonie

ATTENTION ADULT SENIOR 55 or older!

TUESDAY 05/25/21 Detwiler Field WALKING 9:00 AM

Weather permitting

**Also, we are starting to plan for board games with a new
hostess. We need suggestions for a movie at the Clifton.**

Let me know if anyone is interested in this!

*If so, please contact Ruth Scalia by email
or phone:*

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or text my phone (814)386-9530





MAY FOOD BANK BOXES OF CRACKERS OR SALTINES

*"always giving thanks to God the Father for
everything, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ".*

Ephesians 5:20

Thank you for your donations of Jars of Applesauce and \$510!



ANNOUNCEMENTS



WHO WILL YOU CALL THIS WEEK?

Who will you call to be an encouragement and build up the body of Christ?

WELCOME VISITORS

We are grateful you have decided to worship with us. Would you take a moment after the service and find Pastor Rob and introduce yourself? He will find a visitor information card for you to fill out. He might even invite you out for lunch.

Good to have you here!

IMPORTANT COVID NEWS "Update" for 05/23/2021

As the global and local circumstances have changed surrounding COVID, mask wearing will be at your own discretion. Thank you!

On behalf of the Governing Board, Pastor Rob

OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

Various small groups/Bible studies are available through the week – just ask for details

TODAY:	Sunday School	9:30AM
	Morning Worship Service - Rev Rob Hill	10:45AM
	Annual Congregational Meeting	7:00PM
WEDNESDAY:	Alliance Youth Fellowship	6:30PM
	studentsnworship@huntingdoncma.org	
SUNDAY:	Sunday School	9:30AM
	Morning Worship Service - Rev Rob Hill	10:45AM

For the morning worship service online/live go to....
"Huntingdon CMA Church" Facebook Page OR
www.huntingdoncma.org & select "LIVE STREAM"

AYF YOUTH SNACKS NEEDED!

Bottled Water / Flavored Water / Juice Boxes / Capri Sun / etc
Fruit Cups / Chips, Pretzels

Pre-packaged are much appreciated! Thanks for your generosity!

Please deliver items to the Youth Room #203 on the 2nd floor

MAHAFFEY

TABLE

Alliance Women are asking for money contributions to be given to our international workers and Envision Teams this year.

This provides our International Workers and Envision Teams the necessary supplies they need for ministry.

Please make donations to
“Mahaffey Table” on the Church envelopes or give to one of the officers.

The last day to give

July 11, 2021

Thank you in advance for your financial support!

SUNDAY SCHOOL "NEWS"

✦ **Toddler class - 1 to 2 year olds:**

Room 113 - Bonnie Dickson

✦ **3 year old through kindergarten:**

Room 124- Bethlyn Corbin

✦ **Kindergarten, 1st and 2nd grade:**

Room 210 - Trish Norris

✦ **3rd, 4th, and 5th grade:**

Room 213 - Mike Corbin

✦ **Junior/Senior High (6th - 12th)**

Room 204 - Christian Long

✦ **Shifter's Class:**

Room 207 - Jesse Honn

This class is a discussion format. This quarter the class is studying 2 Corinthians. The class wrestles openly with questions of, not only what the text means, but how it applies to us every day. All adults are welcome.

✦ **Berean Class:**

Fireside Room - Mike and Beth Long

This class covers Books of the Bible - studying Old Testament one quarter then moving to the New Testament in the next. All adults are welcome.

✦ **Ambassador Class:**

Room 139 - Chuck Culbertson

This class has the same curriculum as the Berean class in a small group setting. Group discussion is greatly encouraged. All adults are welcome.

✦ **Women's New Beginnings News - beginning May 23**

New Beginnings classroom – Basement

30 Life Principles by Charles Stanley. This is a study on truths from the Bible that have never failed and never disappoint. Led by Sue Himel

✦ **POP (Pray on Purpose) written by Janie Hill.**

Room 124

Janie will be taking a small group (10) of women through this study that she wrote with the Lord. If interested please see Janie for details.



Please feel free to ask the ushers for direction to any of the classrooms.