

Parkman Congregational Church

August 13, 2023

Member of the Conservative Congregational
Christian Conference

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If there is an emergency, please call one of the Elders'
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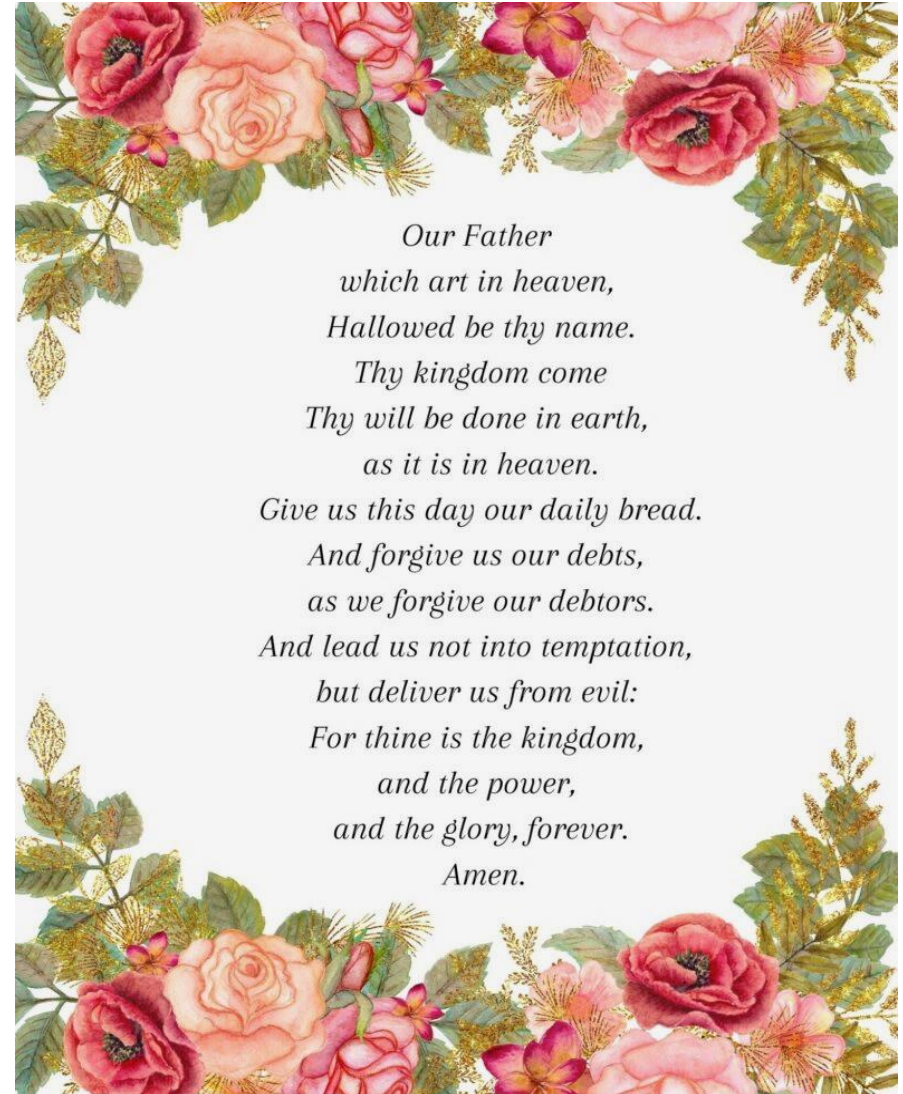


SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE 10:30AM
SUNDAY EVENING PRAYER SERVICE 6:00 - 7:00PM

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1823 - 2023 Bicentennial



*Our Father
which art in heaven,
Hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come
Thy will be done in earth,
as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our debts,
as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil:
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power,
and the glory, forever.
Amen.*

Pastor: Reverend Will Coley
Ministers: Members of this Congregation

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THIS WEEK'S CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday, **August 13** Sunday school, 9:00 am
Fellowship Time, 10:00 am
Worship Service, 10:30 am
Evening Prayer Service 6-7:00 pm

Monday, **August 14** **DINNER OUT – 'BACK 40', 5:45pm**

Saturday, **August 19** AA, 8:30 pm

Sunday, **August 20** Sunday school, 9:00 am
Fellowship Time, 10:00 am
Worship Service, 10:30 am
Evening Prayer Service 6-7:00 pm



*NOT God's plan for my life
BUT my life for God's plan
NOT God's vision for our church
BUT our church for God's Vision*

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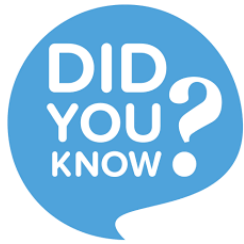


MATTHEW	
8/13 – Matthew 6:5-9	The Lord's Prayer



Scripture of the Month
***"You therefore must be perfect,
as your heavenly Father is perfect"***
Matthew 5:48

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You therefore must be perfect, as you're heavenly Father is perfect. Many argue, "Jesus doesn't mean that we're called to be perfect, because He understood that no one's perfect. Everyone falls short of the glory of God, so He must mean something else." But He meant what He said – we are to be perfect, just as in the Old Testament where God said to His people, ***"Be holy; for I am holy."*** (Leviticus 11:44).

We cannot be holy the way God is holy, nor can we reach perfection before we get to heaven. Jesus knows that, and He knows that this ethic is a difficult one. He also knows that we adjust our personal standards to our level of performance. Every last one of us has done this. Instead of elevating our performance, we reduce the standard. Jesus is explaining that God's standard does not change, and God's standard is perfection.....

That is what the gospel is all about, and that is why the law drives us to the gospel every time. When I read Jesus' words, I hear the law. I hear what I am required to do, which causes me to pray, "Lord, I cannot do these things. Help me!" He gives me One who did do those things, and He cloaks me in the righteousness of Christ, which is what grace is. Grace is not that God abolishes or compromises the standard. Grace is what He gives us as a gift. He has given us a Savior who is not only adequate but also perfect. That is the amazing thing about grace.

- RC Sproul

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SUNDAY EVENING PRAYER SERVICE



PARKMAN CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
6:00 -7:00 PM

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All Church Night Out
Back 40 BBQ
15405 Burton Windsor Road
Middlefield, Ohio 44046

Monday, August 14th
\$35.00 per adult person
Children by donation

5:45 pm Arrival
6pm Appetizers
6:30pm Dinner served
Contact: Denise Toth

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We are looking for volunteers to help at the Geauga County Grange Diner during the Geauga County Fair.

Brian and Chris Lanstrum manage the diner with the profits going to several local organizations. Parkman Church has been a partnering organization for the past few years.

To sign up or for more information see Brian or Chris. You may also sign up on the bulletin board or online using the following link.

www.signupgenius.com/go/508084ea9ab2da4fb6-2023#/