



Marion Road  
**CHURCH**  
of **CHRIST**

*Growing in Faith Together*

March 2, 2025



**Immediately After Morning Worship Today!**

Chili—Soup—Crackers—Cornbread—Desserts

**MARCHING FOR THE MASTER!** As we enter the month of March, we remain positive and confident, serving a great God, proclaiming a great gospel, and reaching out into a great harvest field. If we pray hard enough, work hard enough, stay united, and trust the Lord, good things are bound to happen! Just watch and see!

**FAMILY NEWS.** Please pray for **Jay Dennison** who is recovering from back surgery. Also, please pray for **Bill Dennison**, who will have surgery on Thursday at the Bucyrus Hospital. In addition, please pray for **Derella Crews** (Logan Wilburn's grandmother) who is in Georgia and has developed a blood clot. Please keep praying for **Kim Ponziani** and **Cindy Dyer**.

**AMAZING GRAYS!** We are asking all the seniors from **Marion Road** to join the seniors from Richland Road for a senior gathering on **Tuesday, March 11**, at the **Old 30 BBQ** here in Bucyrus at **11:30 AM**. Immediately after the meal, the group will come to the Marion Road building to listen to **Terry Fawley** speak. If you have any questions, please see Russell Howard.

**SPECIAL STUDY BEGINS ON MARCH 6.** If you are interested in learning church history as well as understanding what many in the religious world teach in comparison to what the Bible teaches you will find our new study on *“Exploring the Doctrines of Men in Light of the Word of God”* of interest. This study will start this **Thursday, March 6**, at **7:00 PM**, in **Room 11** at Richland Road Church of Christ in Marion. The class will meet every Thursday (weather permitting) for about eight weeks. We will look at the teachings of Muslims, Catholicism, Mormonism, and several main line denominational teachings. There is a sign-up sheet in the foyer if you are interested in being part of this new study. We would love to fill up the classroom!

**REMEMBER THAT YOU ARE THE “LINK”** between someone and God (2 Corinthians 5:20). You are the one person who could bring that individual to worship, engage them in a religious conversation, invite them to attend a Life Group with you, or invite them to attend our **Friends Day** on **April 20**. As never before we must seek to reach every available person for Jesus! – Russell

**JOIN US ON WEDNESDAY EVENING AT 7:00 PM FOR OUR STUDY OF JUDGES 13-14**

**BY THE NUMBERS – WEEK OF FEBRUARY 23**

Sunday Morning Worship – 61  
Sunday Morning Bible School - 31  
Wednesday Night Bible Study – 13  
Contribution - \$1,274

Worship: Sunday Morning—10:30 AM ~ Bible Study: Sunday—9:30 AM, Wednesday—7:00 PM ~ [Marionroadcofc.org](http://Marionroadcofc.org)

# JESUS IS GREATER THAN MY DESPAIR

## He Can Give Me Hope in My Despair

Romans 8:18-28

### **THE \_\_\_\_\_ OF HOPE**

Hope helps us to get a \_\_\_\_\_.

- Romans 8:18
- 2 Corinthians 4:16-18
- James 1:2

Hope provides a \_\_\_\_\_ while we \_\_\_\_\_.

- Romans 8:22-23

Hope enables us to \_\_\_\_\_ than we \_\_\_\_\_ we \_\_\_\_\_.

- Romans 8:24
- Romans 5:2,3, 5
- Isaiah 40:31

### **FIVE \_\_\_\_\_ FOR HOPE**

Our \_\_\_\_\_ is only \_\_\_\_\_.

- Romans 8:18
- I Peter 1:6

We have the \_\_\_\_\_ that \_\_\_\_\_ is \_\_\_\_\_.

- Romans 8:20-21
- John 14:1-3

We can be \_\_\_\_\_ about \_\_\_\_\_.

- Romans 8:23
- Colossians 1:5
- I Corinthians 15:42-44
- Revelation 21:1-4

We have the \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_.

- Romans 8:23, 26

God has a \_\_\_\_\_ behind our \_\_\_\_\_.