



Women's Tuesday Bible Study will be at 6:30 (not 7:00)
Deacon/Deaconess Meeting May 26th, next Sunday (please attend)

### **One's Works Matter**

Ezekiel 36:26 is a great passage that is familiar to many. "Moreover, I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit within you; and I will remove the heart of stone from your flesh and give you a heart of flesh.

When God does that in an individual's life, that individual is on their way to perfection. Now instantly upon regeneration, the moral status of this person is perfect, because the believer's moral position is not based on their own actions but on the perfect righteousness of Christ. The righteousness of Jesus Christ is imputed to believers and they are perfect before God. But, Lazarus is a good picture for us in the Bible. Lazarus had been given new life when Jesus raised him from the dead, but he walked out of the tomb in his old grave clothes. When God regenerated us, we are made righteous before him, but our new self is wrapped in old flesh. The new life of a born-again believer is a life of working out the salvation that is within them. Anyone who truly knows Christ has new desires and goals. One's focus is changed from earthly to heavenly. Christians are no longer living for themselves but for the glory of God. So they must battle continually against the desires of that old flesh and die to themselves daily. When you watch someone's life, it's usually made clear what they are living for. As God continues to do the sanctifying work in His people, they are visibly seen living for Him. Our text for this morning talks about God's judgment on people's deeds. This is in no way a works-based salvation text. No one can earn favor before God by doing good deeds. But, when God regenerates and makes alive an individual, that individual will begin to live different. No individual is saved by their works. However, everyone that is saved, is saved by God unto works. So the way one lives is important. God will judge perfectly the deeds of individuals.

#### **Church Events:**

Sunday 9:00 Sunday School 10:00 Worship 6:30 Bible Study

> Monday 6:30 Men's Bible Study

Tuesday 6:30 Women's Bible Study

Wednesday 6:30 Rooted

Thursday
10:30 Senior
Bible Study
7:00 20's & 30's
Bible Study

<u>Friday</u> 7:00 Friday Bible Study

Saturday 5:00 Community Meal (2nd & 3rd of every month)

# Deception Discernment & Deliverance 2024 Conference

The Bondage of Religious Deception Clouds Without Water Delivering Catholics from Darkness to Light Discerning Truth in an Age of Deception

> Sunday Morning message from Justin Peters

# FRIDAY 5/31 6:00 - 9:00 PM

@ PARK UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH FELLOWSHIP HALL 109 E GRANDVIEW AVE, ZELIENOPLE, PA 16063 REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED

SATURDAY 6/1 9:00 AM - 2:15 PM
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CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST & LUNCH PROVIDED

## SUNDAY 6/2 10:00 AM SERMON BY JUSTIN PETERS

@ MESSIAH BIBLE CHURCH LOCATED IN KINSEY-VOLZ **FUNERAL HOME** 114 W. SPRING STREET, ZELIENOPLE, PA 16063 FELLOWSHIP MEAL TO FOLLOW

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