March 23, 2025 A Complicated Parable, An Uncomplicated Application Luke 16:1-17

1. The Complication! What is the steward commended for?

His failure and firing. v. 1-2

His plan. v. 4-7

His commendation. v. 8

#### 2. Don't miss the comparisons!

Give an account v. 1-2

What to do. v. 3

What if.

Left out to dry. v. 9

True riches. v. 11

Faithful. v. 10

#### 3. The Uncomplicated Application.

What type of eternity are you looking for. v. 9  $\,$ 

#### You cannot serve two masters. v. 13

You cannot justify yourself. v. 15

The importance of God's Word. v. 16-17

THIS WEEK: MARCH 23–30
Sunday Morning Prayer 8:30 am room 207
Sunday School for all ages nursery room 110
Coffee Fellowship Time 10 AM in the Fireside Room
Morning Worship/Children's Church nursery room 205
Facebook Live Church 10:30 AM
Online Church 10:30 AM, Noon, 6 PM
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Good News Club, Youth Group, Adult groups 6-7:30 PM3/23Ladies' Bible Study 9:30 AM room 1033/25Volleyball ages 15 and up 6 PM3/25Wednesday Prayer 7 PM in room 1053/26Morning Worship/Children's Church nursery room 2053/30Good News Club, Youth Group, Adult Groups 6-7:30 PM3/30

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# **UPCOMING EVENTS & MEETINGS**

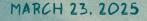
La	adies' Bible Study 9:30 AM room 103	4/1
V	olleyball ages 15 and up 6 PM	4/1
W	/ednesday Prayer 7 PM in room 105	4/2
Μ	ahaffey Camp Mother/Daughter Getaway April	4 & 5
Y	outh Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser 5:00 PM tickets available	4/5
В	oard of Ministries 7 PM	4/10
Μ	ahaffey Camp Ladies' Spring Tea 11:00 AM—1:30 PM	4/12
Ρ	alm Sunday Dinner following morning worship	4/13
E	lder Board 7 PM	4/15
Μ	aundy Thursday Dinner, Service, and Footwashing 6 PM	4/17
G	ood Friday evening service 6 PM	4/18
E	aster Sunday Service 10:00 AM No Sunday school	4/20
Μ	issions meeting 1:00 PM	4/24

## PASTOR/ELDER CONTACT INFORMATION

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# **ONLINE GIVING OPTIONS**

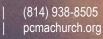
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#### March 23, 2025

#### Welcome and Announcements

Verse of the Month: Psalm 103:10-12 ESV He does not deal with us according to our sins, nor repay us according to our iniquities. For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is His steadfast love toward those who fear Him; as far as the east is from the west, so far does He remove our transgressions from us

#### Acknowledgement of God's Presence

"Happy Day"

Meet and Greet

"Your Love Never Fails"

"See a Victory"

"Do It Again"

#### Children's Church Dismissal

Our Worship in Giving

#### "Message: "A Complicated Parable"

"Way Maker"

**Parting Prayer** 

## WELCOME!

We start with Jesus—He is the One who is the source of our love, the cause of our worship, and the core of our message. Acts 1:8—We rely on Holy Spirit filling as we seek to fulfill our calling to every segment of society. Family—We are at our best when we do this together—serving in a local church and among a community of local churches.

We sincerely WELCOME you today! If you are a first-time guest, we invite you to stop by the table in the narthex to select a gift from us.

## KOINS FOR KIDS

The total Koins for Kids collection for March 9 was \$296.90. Thank you for your faithful giving towards missions!

## **ATTENTION GRADUATES**

If you graduated in the fall/winter of 2024 or will be graduating this spring, please write your name, contact number, and the school you are graduating from on an index card in the pew rack and place it in an offering plate. Save the date! Graduation Sunday is June 8.

# **BABY BUNDLES**

The Baby Bundles group is collecting items to distribute to new moms at the Punxsutawney hospital. Suggested donations include TRAVEL SIZE: baby lotions/oils/shampoos, newborn diapers/onesies, rattles, teethers, travel size women's lotions/deodorants/shampoos or other health and beauty aids. A donation basket is in the narthex. Thanks!

# LADIES' BIBLE STUDY

Join us on Tuesdays at 9:30 AM as we study *Experiencing the Heart of Jesus,* by Max Lucado. All ladies are welcome to attend! See Judy Anthony with any questions. Bring your favorite Keurig pod and a friend or two!

## MAHAFFEY YOUTH CAMPS SCHOLARSHIPS \$4,000-

Kids Camp, Teen Camp, STEM Camp, \$3,500 -Basketball Camp, Horse Camp and more! \$3.000-These are just a few of the many summer \$2,500camps we hope to send the children from our \$2,000church to, but we need your help in offering scholarships to help defray costs. Join us by \$1.500 choosing an amount from the tree in the \$1,000 narthex and placing your donation in an \$658 offering plate. Thank you for helping us reach \$500our goal of \$4,000! \$250-

#### BAPTISM

Please see Pastor Jones if you are considering baptism for the April 20th Resurrection Sunday service.

#### **BABY CONGRATULATIONS**

Congratulations to Kyle and Megan Beatty on the birth of their daughter, Adiline Rose Beatty. Adiline was born on Friday, March 14, was 9 lbs 3 oz, and 21 inches long. Doug and Kathy Reagle and Larry Beatty are the proud grandparents. Congratulations!

#### LOOKING AHEAD

Save the dates! MISSIONS WEEK: June 4-8 with Sarah YOUTH YARD SALE: Collection days - June 21, 23, 24, 25 Sale days - June 26, 27, 28 SUMMER FAMILY NIGHTS: June 8, 22, July 13, 27, Aug.10, 24

Attendance Last Week		2025 Finances	Needed Weekly	Received
Inside	112	3/2/25	\$6,770. <sup>00</sup>	\$4,702.42
Facebook	31	3/9/25	\$6,770.00	N/A
Online	4	3/16/25	\$6,770.00	\$4,930.03
Total	147	3/23/25	\$6,770.00	

Holy Week

# Palm Sunday Dinner, April 13

FOLLOWING MORNING WORSHIP NO SUNDAY NIGHT GROUPS Ham, Scalloped Potatoes, Roll & Drink provided. Bring a side dish and/or a dessert to share. Sign up in the narthex.

# Maundy Thursday, April 17

6:00 PM IN THE FIRESIDE ROOM

The Maundy Thursday Service is centered on a three-part remembrance of Jesus' Last Supper. We will share a Common Meal (Chicken, rolls & beverages provided; bring a side dish or dessert to share), celebrate Communion, and participate in a foot washing (bring a small towel.) This service is a blessed time in which we remember the sacrifice of our Lord.

# Good Friday, April 18

6:00 PM IN THE SANCTUARY

All are welcome to join us on Good Friday evening for An Evening of Remembrance of His Death at 6:00 PM.

# **Resurrection Sunday, April 20**

NO SUNDAY SCHOOL NO SUNDAY NIGHT GROUPS 10:00 AM BAPTISM, COMMUNION & WORSHIP



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TOTAL PAID CASH AT \$8.50 EACH

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# YOUTS SPAESETTI DINNER FUNDRAISER

Saturday, April 5 @ 5:00 PM Punxsutawney Alliance Church All proceeds benefit LIFE 2025 \$10 per person Children 4 and under free Tickets available from any youth Homemade pies for dessert

Fry pies available for purchase Take out available