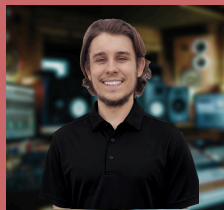


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How then will they call on Him in whom they have not believed?
And how are they to believe in Him of whom they have never heard?
And how are they to hear without someone preaching? (Rom 10:14)

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2026, YOUR FUTURE IS BRIGHT

BY BILL POWELL

Yesterday afternoon, a gentleman stopped by the studios. He said he is a monthly supporter and wanted to increase his monthly giving. I asked him where he lived, and he said New Smyrna, but before that, I lived in Port Orange. As is my custom, I asked, “How long have you been listening? I believe he said that since around 2008. What are your favorite programs? He said Alistair Begg. I mentioned he is probably our most popular program. He said, “would you like to hear my Alistair Begg story?” Michelle and I were all ears.

His father was 88 years old, and he tried as he might to talk to him about the Lord. He just couldn't get through to him. The father had a radio, and he decided to set 3 of his buttons to the Cornerstone. The father often forgot which station was which, so why not make it easy and set three of the buttons to the Cornerstone? When his father heard Alistair Begg and his Scottish accent, he began to listen. Alister was able to connect with him where others had failed. Our listener was then able to discuss his faith, Jesus, salvation, and have the talks he always wanted. The best part is that he was able to lead him to the Lord before he passed away. This is why we do what we do. One thing is for sure, and that is no one gets out of this life alive.

As long as we have breath, reaching the lost will always be our purpose. Never give up on anyone, no matter how old or young. The Cornerstone is a lighthouse in the darkness. We must always be ready to give an answer for the hope we have in us. *(1Pe 3:15 ESV)* But in your hearts honor Christ the Lord as holy, always being prepared to make a defense to anyone who asks you for a reason for the hope that is in you; yet do it with gentleness and respect,

When I think of all the programs, we have that teach us the truth of God's word, I realize how blessed we are. There are so many things that compete for our time and money. Other than the church, there is not an easy place to go for eternal life's questions and answers.

(2Ti 3:16 ESV) All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness,

(2Ti 3:17 ESV) that the man of God may be competent, equipped for every good work.

Whether it's family issues, spiritual issues, creation, doctrinal, health, or money problems. God's word has the answers, and we broadcast the programming you can trust to help supply those answers.

We are listeners supported, and together we have a job to do until the coming of the Lord. Although radio is not as popular as it once was, it has never been more needed, and what we provide is essential. Join us next month for our spring sharathon, March 11,12 and 13. We are going to have many reasons to tune in and help you realize all the different ways you can listen. You won't want to miss it. Our theme is “Yesterday, now, and forever”. We are going to look back on yesterday, on Wednesday. Thursday now, and forever on Friday. Make sure you make us part of your mix and part of your life. Praise God for who all blessing flow. -Bill

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We have entered the month of February and for those of us who work or volunteer at The Cornerstone, this is the time of year where things get put into high gear! Our 2026 Sarathon is in the works and we ask for your prayers as we prep and plan and put into action.

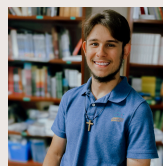
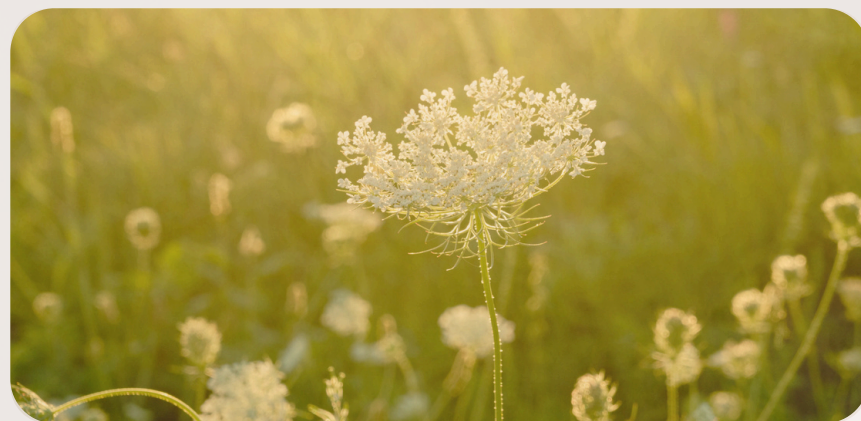
We ask that you join us in praying for the current temperature in our nation and around the world. We know that nothing that is happening is outside of God's knowing and that ultimately He is ruling over all things. We trust Him to do His work even when we don't understand it. Because one thing we do understand is that God is Holy, just, and sovereign and we praise Him and thank Him in all circumstances. Amen

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CHRIST THE SERVANT

BY LUCAS WILLIAMS

Why did Jesus live on this earth for over 30 years? What was His mission and purpose? He tells us Himself in Matthew 20:28: “the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve others and to give his life as a ransom for many.” (NLT)

To serve others. This is why Jesus came. This is something we forget in our understanding of the Lord, isn't it? We tend to think of His mission to die on our behalf, or to heal the sick, or even to proclaim the coming of the Kingdom of God. But to serve? To give Himself away as a servant? We don't think this way too often, do we?

Jesus didn't see Himself as a hero or a leader. He saw Himself as a servant. A servant, first of all, of the Lord. But He also saw Himself as a servant of those around Him. He wasn't there to get. He was there to give.

We see ourselves in a similar way here at the Cornerstone. We are first of all servants of the Lord. But we also see ourselves as serving you, our listener. We are here for you. To “reach the lost and disciple the saved.” Our Spring Sharathon is coming up next month, when we seek to raise the money we need to continue to serve this community with this gospel. Won't you partner alongside us? Through your generous support the Lord provides us with the means to do His work each and every year, and we can't wait to see His faithfulness this year!



THE MASK OF LOVE AND THE TRUTH OF CHRIST

BY CHRISTINA HUTCHINSON

Yes, it's the love month... “All you need is love...” “We've got to love one another...” You hear it everywhere. You see it on shirts, in songs, in movies, and across social media. Love is the most used word in our culture, yet at the same time, it is one of the most misunderstood. We celebrate it, chase it, and build our lives around it. And still, so many people are left feeling empty, hurt, and confused. The truth is, love is everywhere... at least the word is. But true love is hard to find; *until you open your Bible.*

The world defines love as a feeling. Something emotional. Something that rises and falls with circumstances. Something that depends on how someone treats us or how they make us feel. When that feeling fades, we assume love has faded too. But Scripture shows us something much deeper. Love is not merely a feeling; it is a nature. And that nature comes from God alone.

“Beloved, let us love one another, for love is from God, and whoever loves has been born of God and knows God. Anyone who does not love does not know God, because God is love.”
– **1 John 4:7–8 esv**

This is where many miss the mark. We strive for love without first surrendering to *the source of love*. We try to manufacture it in our own strength. We try to define it by our standards. But love apart from Christ becomes a mask. A beautiful one, sometimes, but still a mask. It is our human attempt to cover our brokenness, to protect ourselves, and to prove we are good enough on our own. Yet Scripture reminds us of our true condition:

“The heart is deceitful above all things, and desperately sick; who can understand it?”
– **Jeremiah 17:9**

Without Christ, even our best intentions are filtered through our fallen nature. We may show kindness, generosity, or affection, but without God, love remains incomplete. It becomes conditional, fragile, and easily distorted by pride, fear, and self-preservation. True love begins with the acknowledgment that we cannot create it ourselves. *“We love because He first loved us.”* – **1 John 4:19** God's love does not start with us being lovable. It starts with us being lost. *“But God shows His love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.”* – **Romans 5:8**

That is real love. Love that sacrifices. Love that pursues. Love that does not wait for perfection before giving itself away. The world teaches love as attraction. **The Bible teaches love as surrender.** The world teaches love as emotion. **The Bible teaches love as obedience.** The world teaches love as self-fulfillment. **The Bible teaches love as self-giving.**

“By this we know love, that He laid down His life for us, and we ought to lay down our lives for the brothers.” – **1 John 3:16**

This kind of love cannot exist apart from Christ. It is not something we work harder to achieve. It is something we receive and then reflect. When Christ lives in us, love stops being a performance and becomes a fruit. *“But the fruit of the Spirit is love...”* – **Galatians 5:22**

Notice love is not a product of effort, but a product of the Spirit. So during a season when love is everywhere, on cards, in stores, in music, and in conversation, this is our reminder: *the greatest love story ever written was not penned by poets or sung by artists. It was written on a cross.* True love isn't found by searching within ourselves. True love is found by surrendering to Christ. And once we do, love is no longer a mask we wear. It becomes a truth we live. God Bless!

Our 2026 Spring Sharathon is coming up March 11-13. We ask that you not only lift us up in prayer as we prep and build our fundraiser, but we also ask that you would pray over your own hearts and consider the ways in which you can partner with us financially. We appreciate every single one you! God Bless!



THE CORNERSTONE'S PROGRAM GUIDE

The Cornerstone offers something for everyone, all day, every day. From uplifting music and sacred hymns to solid Bible teaching, family-focused programs, children's shows, and practical encouragement for everyday life, our on-air lineup is designed to strengthen your faith and meet you where you are. Whether you're looking for worship, learning, inspiration, or quiet reflection, you'll find programming that speaks to your heart.

Be sure to visit our Program Guide to explore everything we offer. It shows you what's playing throughout the week so you can easily find the programs that fit your interests, schedule, and spiritual needs. Take a few moments to browse, discover something new, and make The Cornerstone a daily part of your walk.

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FOR GOD SO LOVED THE WORLD

BY ELAINE LEAF

On this Valentine's Day, our heart turns to the greatest love story ever told - For God So Loved The World - and this, of course, was long before cards and flowers and chocolates. God set the standard for love by giving Himself for us. This is a love we did not earn. It is the ultimate sacrificial love. So as we celebrate Valentine's Day, we're reminded that true love begins with God's heart reaching out to a broken world with grace and hope and forgiveness.

We often celebrate Valentine's Day with a focus on romance; but God's love goes much deeper than feelings. It is a love that acts, that stays and that restores. God loved us first, showing us what it means to love others selflessly. So, whether you're celebrating with someone special or spending the day quietly alone, remember that God's love meets you right where you are - whole, personal and unchanging.

Let's reflect on that perfect love and let it shape how we live and love today - loving unconditionally with forgiveness, kindness and compassion in our relationships. On this Valentine's Day may we not only receive God's love, but also share it freely, realizing that the greatest gift of all is love rooted in Him.

REFLECTIVE LOOK

How can I allow God's sacrificial love to reshape the way I love others today—not based on feelings or expectations, but through grace, forgiveness, and selfless action?



WORTHY TO SUFFER: A BIBLICAL PERSPECTIVE ON PERSECUTION AND FAITH

BY JOHN STOREY

Considering the trajectory of the world politically and spiritually, I think it is becoming more important than it has been in a very long time to ground ourselves in the Word of God and to understand the real reasons we are here on this earth, and how Jesus would have us handle the situations we are either facing or soon will be facing, of increased persecution and hostility toward Christians. If you haven't read *Tortured for Christ*, I would encourage you to get a copy and read it. I want to share a story with you from that book to hopefully bring some perspective, then go to the Word.

In post-WWII Romania, the USSR had taken over their country, and once free Christian institutions were now targeted and brought under state rule, or the leaders/ministers were arrested and new ministers were hired who would teach the heresy that even the state was above God. Eventually, anyone convicted of being a Christian and refusing to renounce Christ was sentenced to the gulag for years or even decades of daily torture, beatings, and being fed food with animal feces in it. Here's how people reacted to being sentenced to such a place: when the verdict was read, the courtroom erupted in joyous singing, praise, and thanksgiving that they had been deemed worthy to suffer for Christ. Quite a different perspective from American Christianity today.

Now let's look at what the Word says about how to handle these situations of persecution. Jesus said in the Sermon on the Mount, "But I say to you, love your enemies, bless those who curse you, do good to those who hate you, and pray for those who spitefully use you and persecute you, 45 that you may be sons of your Father in heaven; for He makes His sun rise on the evil and on the good, and sends rain on the just and on the unjust. 46 For if you love those who love you, what reward have you? Do not even the tax collectors do the same? 47 And if you greet your brethren only, what do you do more than others? Do not even the tax collectors do so? 48 Therefore you shall be perfect, just as your Father in heaven is perfect." Matthew 5:44–48 NKJV. Also read Luke 6:27–36 and Matthew 5:10–12. It's pretty clear that we are expected to love those who will be coming to persecute us and rejoice as they persecute us, because our reward in heaven will be great. They persecuted the prophets the same way, and we were found worthy to suffer for the name of Christ. Pray and read the Word until this perspective comes naturally to you.

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