

**Lesson #3:** Each setback CONTAINS THE SEED for progress.

Joseph: "You meant evil against me, but God meant it for good, to bring it about that many people should be kept alive."  
Genesis 50:20 ESV

"I have not failed. I've just found 10,000 ways that won't work."  
Thomas Edison

"Comfort and prosperity have never enriched the world as much as adversity has."  
Billy Graham

**Lesson #4:** MY ATTITUDE about setbacks determines MY DISCOVERY of progress.

"The attitude you should have is the one that Christ Jesus had."  
Philippians 2:5 GNT

"I have been put here for the defense of the gospel." Phil 1:16 NRSV

"God in his grace chose me even before I was born..." Galatians 1:15 GNT

"Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, before you were born I set you apart; I appointed you as a prophet to the nations."  
Jeremiah 1:5 NIV

**Lesson #5:** PERSONAL SETBACKS should be viewed against backdrop of CHRIST'S PROGRESS

"So how am I to respond? I've decided that I really don't care about their motives, whether mixed, bad, or indifferent. Every time one of them opens his mouth, Christ is proclaimed, so I just cheer them on!"  
Philippians 1:18a The Message

# Welcome to



a community loving God and loving people.

## Welcome to Father's Day @CR

We're so glad that you are here! We plan to celebrate Christ's love for seventy-five minutes tonight and we hope you'll sing, pray, laugh and learn along with us. Are you worried about the rules - when to stand, when to sit, what to say? Concerned that you might be embarrassed? Don't be! We've worked hard to make our time together informal and easy-going. So sit back, relax, and enjoy the service. You are definitely among friends here at Church Requel.

## Tonight: 5 Setback Lessons

What are some of the most important lessons you can teach your children? Tonight we learn one of the key principles from the letter of Philippians: Life doesn't always go our way, but we advance in the setbacks. How important is attitude? Tonight we learn from our setbacks.

## Next week: Inside-Out

Living as a Christ follower is different than we expect. Our loss becomes victory, our death become life. How do we remember these truths when life becomes inside-out and upside-down?

## Don't Forget Our Move to Ontario Christian Fellowship!

Next week is our move to OCF! We've been talking about it for a month now, but we want to make sure we leave no one behind. Look around! Who's not here tonight? Give your CR friends a call and remind them about next week at OCF. Same church. Same time. New location!

## Info Card

Would you do us the favor of filling out the green Info Card from top to bottom? We will keep you posted on what's happening at Church Requel. Drop off your card in one of the offering baskets as you exit. Thanks!

## White Donation Envelope

We appreciate your worship by giving tithes and offerings to support the ministry of Church Requel. Use the white envelope in your program and drop in one of the offering baskets on your way out.

## Prayer Requests and Praises

Do you have something you'd like us to pray about? After our communion time, we'd be happy to pray for your need. Fill out the

## Church Requel Will Be Moving!

Are you as excited about this move as I am? No more scrambled weekends trying to find a place to meet! A great location just a mile south of the mall! Wonderful children's facilities! A place where we could really grow into the church Christ has in mind for us. (And a little lower rent... that will be a blessing in some months!)



Will you do me a favor? Will you talk to at least one other person this week about our move? Look around. There are some folks that haven't been here in a few weeks and I hate the idea of them showing up at Mid-Ohio and wondering what happened to us. Also, think about some of your friends who haven't been here yet. Maybe Mid-Ohio wasn't their thing, but OCF fits the bill. Whatever the reason, the church will benefit if you find just one other person (or two or three) to share the good news about Church Requel moving to Ontario Christian Fellowship.

The address is 636 Lexington-Springmill Road, just one mile south of Richland Mall. Remember... same church... same time... new location!

With much affection, Pastor Mark

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peach prayer request card and drop it on the communion table

### Music for Tonight

Here's the lineup for tonight's service in case you want to find the music for your own worship:

- "One Way" by Hillsong United
- "Glory to God Forever" by Fee
- "We Fall Down" by Kutless
- "Another Hallelujah" by L Brewster

### Communion Tonight

Tonight we will celebrate communion together. If you know Jesus Christ as your Savior and Lord, you may share this communion celebration with us. You do not need to be a member of our church. When we come to this place in our service, you may take a piece of bread and a cup back to your seat. Take the bread and the cup when you are ready to do so.

### Are You a Keyboardist?

We're looking for someone to play the keyboard occasionally with our Praise Band. If you or someone you know might be able to play the keyboard, please call Nate Williams at 419-989-9313.

### Want to Read Philippians?

We still need a few more people who would be willing to read a section of Philippians for our CD. Yep, we're recording an audio CD using our own voices! If you'd like to participate, just write Pastor Mark on the back of your Info Card.

### Children's Ministry

We need one more teacher to be able to offer an elementary class Sunday nights. If you like to work with children just for two weeks out of every six, please write "TEACH" on the back of your Info Card.



"I want you to know, brothers, that what has happened to me has really served to advance the gospel, so that it has become known throughout the whole imperial guard and to all the rest that my imprisonment is for Christ. And most of the brothers, having become confident in the Lord by my imprisonment, are much more bold to speak the word without fear.

"Some indeed preach Christ from envy and rivalry, but others from good will. The latter do it out of love, knowing that I am put here for the defense of the gospel. The former proclaim Christ out of rivalry, not sincerely but thinking to afflict me in my imprisonment. What then? Only that in every way, whether in pretense or in truth, Christ is proclaimed, and in that I rejoice."

Philippians 1:12-18a ESV

**Lesson #1:** Life includes both **PROGRESS** and **SETBACKS**

advance (ESV, NIV), progress (NASB, GNT)

προκοπή (prokopé)- describes not merely moving ahead but *doing so against obstacles*. The related verb was used of an explorer or of an army advance team hacking a path through dense trees and underbrush, moving ahead slowly and with considerable effort. Resistance is inherent with this kind of progress.

**Lesson #2:** Setbacks in life are not the **RESULT** of the gospel,

but may be a new means of **PROCLAIMING** the gospel.

*Consider every chapter of Acts!*