

NORTH END CHURCH OF CHRIST

April 16, 2023

Sunday Morning Worship - 9:30 am
 Bible Classes - 10:45 am
 Sunday Evening Worship - 6:30 pm
 Wednesday Bible Study - 7:00 pm

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SERVICE ASSIGNMENTS

SUNDAY AM	April 16	April 23
Announcements	Meredith	Hamm
Song Leader	McIntire	Vaughan
Opening Prayer	Lyons	Mathers
Scripture	Smith	G. Kupfner
Lord's Supper	Butterfield	Duncan
Usher - Auditorium	Warne	Cox
Usher - Foyer	Egnor	Merrill
Usher - Security	Kidder	J. Cook
P.A. System Audio	D. Jones	McHenry
P.A. System Video	G. Kupfner	T. Jones
Pick up cards	Duncan/Duncan	Miller/Miller
Pick up cards	Cook/Vaughan	Duncan/Duncan
Door Greeters	Eaton	Egnor
SUNDAY PM	Sun. PM	Sun. PM
Announcements	Meredith	Kerns
Song Leader	McIntire	Vaughan
Opening Prayer	Merrill	Oblisk
Scripture	Hoschar	Kidder
Closing Prayer	West	Warne
Lord's Supper	Ferrebee	Dean
Door Greeters	G. Kupfner	J. Kupfner
WEDNESDAY	April 19	April 26
Announcements	Meredith	Kerns
Song Leader	Aites	Clark
Opening Prayer	Meredith	Kerns
Invitation	Sanders	Butterfield
Door Greeters	D. Miller	Meredith

If you are unable to serve call Dave Butterfield at 304-482-8917
 *Those serving as ushers, PA and pick up cards are only shown on AM, but they are the same for PM & Wed.

SERVING IN THE MILITARY
Chance Gordon (grandson of Ken & Parma Heaney)
Chandler Hamilton (grandson of Jeff & Mary Smearman)
Allen Hardbarger (nephew of Ruth Dickson)
Nicholas Linville (grandson of Jim & Dianna Kerns)
Andrew Miller Jr. (grandson of Curtis Dickson)
Dustin Miller (brother of Chris Miller)
Nate Ruble (son of Patty Ruble)
Josie Thomas (sister of Jen Miller)

AREA EVENTS

Area Wide Worship Service: April 16, Camden Ave. church of Christ, Speaker: Doug Wells, 3:00 pm

Senior Day: April 22, Chester church of Christ, Chester, WV, Speakers: David Roach & Dale Parsley, 9:30 am - Noon; Lunch will be provided.

Ladies Inspiration Day: May 6, Virginia Ave. church of Christ, Chester, WV, 9:30 - 11:45 am

2nd Annual Tent Meeting: May 8-12, Valley Park, Hurricane, WV 6:30 pm

Friday Night Sing: May 12, Belle church of Christ, Belle, WV, 7:00 pm

Ladies Inspiration Day: May 13, Harrisville church of Christ; Location: Ellenboro city building dining hall. Speaker: Deirdra Miller 9:00 am

2023 Day of Edification: May 13, Chapel Hill church of Christ, Gallipolis, OH, 10:00 am, Various speakers throughout the day.

Youth Events

Traveling Youth Group: April 30th, Rockport church of Christ, 6:00 pm

2023 Prom Alternative: May 6, Riverboat Cruise on the Valley Gem Sternwheeler. 6:00-8:00 pm


WTAP- Sunday, 7:30am
April 23 — Take Up Your Cross

OUR GROWTH FOR 2023

Baptisms.....	0
Request for prayers, Restored.....	1
Placed Membership.....	1

Our Record	Apr. 9	Average 2023
Sunday AM Worship	163	135
Sunday Bible Class	120	111
Sunday PM Worship	95	103
Wednesday Bible Class	87	103

MISSIONS

- Congregational Mission Efforts**
- Dalraida church of Christ**
Chimala
- Greenville Church of Christ**
Greenville, OH
- Indian Missions**
- Panama Missions**
- Aldrin Peter Anson Paul**
India
- Andy Robison**
WV School of Preaching
- Search TV**
Edmond, OK
- Mike Tincer**
Seth, WV
- West Virginia School of Preaching**
Moundsville, WV

Watch What You Say

By Mark Aites

Unless you were born with a physical deformity, God blessed you with the ability to speak. In your conversations, according to Webster's Dictionary, you have some 450,000 words to choose from. Many can be used for good, and unfortunately, far too many can be used to harm.

No passage of Scripture brings it to light like James 3. "And the tongue is a fire, a world of iniquity. The tongue is so set among our members that it defiles the whole body, and sets on fire the course of nature; and it is set on fire by hell...But no man can tame the tongue. It is an unruly evil, full of deadly poison. With it we bless our God and Father, and with it we curse men, who have been made in the similitude of God. Out of the same mouth proceed blessing and cursing. My brethren, these things ought not to be so" (James 3:6,8-10).

As children we heard the old adage, "Sticks and stones will break my bones, but names will never hurt me." Sticks and stones can indeed cause significant harm to the human body, but to suggest that words cannot hurt is ridiculous. People can be driven to tears, homes can be torn apart, lives can be ruined, etc., all from malicious words.

Perhaps we would use greater caution in what we say if we would remember the Golden Rule. "Therefore, whatever you want men to do to you, do also to them, for this is the Law and the Prophets" (Matt. 7:12). If you don't want others to speak evil of you, or to say things that are hurtful, then you should be careful in the things that you say.

Jesus warned, "A good man out of the good treasure of his heart brings forth good things, and an evil man out of the evil treasure brings forth evil things. But I say to you that for every idle word men may speak, they will give account of it in the day of judgment. For by your words you will be justified, and by your words you will be condemned" (Matt. 12:35-37).

Since the tongue is such a powerful thing, watch what you say!

Prayer List

Our Members

Mark & Candy Berry
Karen Blair
Art Clegg
Richard & Eva Cook
Evelyn Dean
Fran Egnor
Van & Ronnie Ferrier
Dianna Kerns
Ken Long
Ethel Mathers
Helen May
Greg & Randi Michael
Becky Petty
Marvin & Joan Petty
Sharon Pugh
Mary Rose Talbott
Jim Ullom
Barb Walker

Family & Friends

Rosellen Allen (*P. Kupfner*)
Morgan Barrett (*Vaughan*)
Patty Buck (*Talbott*)
Kelly Clark (*Shockey*)
Beverly Coe (*Blair*)
Dennis Cooper (*Cooper*)
Josie Cunningham (*S. Eaton*)
Steven Keith (*Dickson*)
Laura King (*Warne*)
Ralph Layfield (*Blair*)
April Range (*Warne*)
Loretta Sawyers (*Shockey*)
Elsie Smith (*May*)
Fred Steed (*Steed*)
Tracey Steed (*Steed*)
Carol Sullivan (*Dickson*)
Donnie Teters (*McHenry*)
Delmas Tingler (*Cox*)
Brent West (*West*)

Remember In Prayer

Becky Kidder is recovering from knee replacement surgery. She began physical therapy last week.

Kirk Malone is doing well since his hip replacement. He wants to thank everyone for the calls, cards, and prayers.

Becky Petty is having some breathing issues and is being treated with antibiotics. Becky is at the Willows Center in room 214.

Jim Ullom was admitted to the hospital last week. He was dehydrated and had low kidney function. He is in Marietta Memorial Hospital.

Jeff & Sally McHenry requests prayers for their newborn grandson, **Adrien**. He was born three weeks early and was having breathing issues.

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***Our Gospel Meeting begins today!***



**Gospel Meeting  
with  
PHIL SANDERS  
April 16 – 19, 2023**

Sunday morning worship – 9:30 am  
Bible classes – 10:45 am  
Sunday evening worship – 6:30 pm  
Monday – Wednesday – 7:00 pm

## Announcements

**Attendance Cards:** Members, please fill out a tan attendance card and pass it to the aisles. Visitors, please fill out the blue cards.

**Sermons:** Phil Sanders, speaker for “In Search of the Lord’s Way”, will be delivering lessons for us this morning, this evening, and Monday through Wednesday evenings. Please make the time to attend all these services.

**Bible Class:** Brother Sanders will speak in our auditorium Bible class this morning. All adult classes, and middle and high school classes will remain in the auditorium.

**Fellowship Meal:** Today we will have a fellowship meal. We invite our visitors to join us. We will meet in our multi-purpose room following Bible classes.

**Opportunity Cards:** Group Three will pick up their opportunity cards tonight. Please send a card, make a visit or a phone call.

**Area Wide Worship Service:** The annual Area Wide Worship Service will be today at 3:00 pm at Camden Ave. church of Christ. Doug Wells will be delivering the lesson.

**Pictures:** If you were unable to get your picture taken for our directory. You may submit a picture and it will be put in the directory. Please send pictures to Eydie by email: churchofchristnorthend@gmail.com or text 304-481-7331.

**Youth:** On Saturday, April 29th our youth will deliver balloons to our shut-ins. Following the deliveries there will be lunch and a devotional. Meet at the building at 10:00 am.

**Men’s Retreat:** A Men’s Retreat is being planned for September 29-30. The cost will be \$35 per person. It will be held at the Wood County 4-H Camp in Mineral Wells. Any men who are interested in attending, please sign your name on the list in the foyer. If you have any questions see Ken Heaney.

### Elders

Mark Berry  
David Hamm  
Randy Meredith  
Harvey West

### Elder Meetings

April 23 - 5:00 pm  
May 7 - 5:00 pm

### Deacons

Dave Butterfield  
Ron Cook  
Harley Cox  
John Duncan  
Ken Grose  
Kevin Grose  
Jim Kerns  
Josh Kupfner  
Dan Lyons  
Dennis Miller  
Mike Oblisk  
Jim Ullom  
C.J. Vaughan

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### Today’s Scripture

AM~ To be announced  
PM~ To be announced