

NORTH END CHURCH OF CHRIST

June 11, 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	June 11	June 18
Announcements	Hamm	Berry
Song Leader	Je. Eaton	Smith
Opening Prayer	Mathers	Lyons
Scripture	Maze	Houser
Lord's Supper	Dean	McIntire
Usher - Auditorium	Shears	Warne
Usher - Foyer	Merrill	Kerns
Usher - Security	Ferrebee	G. Kupfner
P.A. System Audio	R. Cook	McHenry
P.A. System Video	Lyons	Ferrebee
Pick up cards	Duncan/Duncan	Miller/Miller
Pick up cards	Cook/Vaughan	Duncan/Duncan
Door Greeters	Long	B. Kupfner
SUNDAY PM	Sun. PM	Sun. PM
Announcements	Vaughan	Duncan
Song Leader	Je. Eaton	Smith
Opening Prayer	Cox	Dean
Scripture	A. Grose	E. Kupfner
Closing Prayer	Houser	Ja. Eaton
Lord's Supper	D. Miller	Kidder
Door Greeters	Malone	D. Miller
WEDNESDAY	June 14	June 21
Announcements	Vaughan	Duncan
Song Leader	Smith	D. Jones
Opening Prayer	Vaughan	Duncan
Invitation	Butterfield	Aites
Door Greeters	Meredith	Giffen

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 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

VBS: July 30 - Aug. 2, North End church of Christ

20th Annual Golf Benefit for WV Christian Youth Camp, August 12th (see bulletin board)

BBQ to benefit WV Christian Youth Camp, Sept. 9, 12:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Youth Events

Ohio Valley Christian Youth Camp: Located at Camp Barbe, Elizabeth, WV
 Senior Week: June 18-23 - Ages 14-19
 Intermediate Week: June 25-30 - Ages 11-14
 Junior Week: July 9-14 - Ages 8-11

West Virginia Christian Youth Camp: Pennsboro
 Senior Week: July 2-7
 Intermediate Week: July 9-14
 Junior Week: July 16-21
 All Age Week: July 23-28
 Singing Emphasis Week: July 30-August 4


WTAP- Sunday, 7:30am
June 18 - Morality

OUR GROWTH FOR 2023

Baptisms.....	2
Request for prayers, Restored.....	3
Placed Membership.....	7

Our Record	June 4	Average 2023
Sunday AM Worship	150	139
Sunday Bible Class	127	111
Sunday PM Worship	103	104
Wednesday Bible Class	99	106
Contribution		

MISSIONS

Congregational Mission Efforts

Dalraida church of Christ
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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

Elders - God's Chosen Leaders

by Jesse Eaton

Throughout the history of mankind, God has selected special people to lead and protect His people... from Moses and Joshua to the prophets, and later the kings such as David and Solomon, God has always had a powerful hand in the human guidance of His chosen people. However, I feel that today we can fail to see our own elders in such a way.

God has tasked these men to meet his standards, to lead his flock, and to feed them with the spiritual food which He provides through His word. These men truly are shepherds, charged with protecting the sheep of God's hand. Not only are the qualifications of a high standard to become an elder, but the weight of the protection and care of the congregation is a very heavy weight that rests on the shoulders of the elders. The office of elder or shepherd is certainly not something to be taken lightly, and is nothing like a "board of directors" model in which the rest of the world seems to function. Shepherds must know their individual sheep, just as the model Shepherd says that, "I am the good shepherd. I know my sheep, and they know me... they will listen to my voice, and there will be one flock with one shepherd" (John 10:14, 16b NLT).

Let us all remember that through the church, these men are selected by God to carry out and to lead the work of His Church, and that these men are worthy of the honor and respect that is due to them for living upright lives, and for being willing to serve in the capacity in which they work as shepherds of the local body. It is essential that the right men are selected for the position of elder by the congregation: a man who is able and willing to teach, a man who is concerned about the future of the congregation, a man with a heart for evangelism, and above all, a man who is qualified and is willing to serve as elder.

May we all pray that God will establish the leadership that He sees best for our congregation, and may we pray continually for our elders as they face one of the most difficult roles in the Lord's Church today.

Prayer List

Our Members

Mark Berry
Karen Blair
Richard & Eva Cook
Curtis & Ruth Dickson
Fran Egnor
Van & Ronnie Ferrier
Ken Long
Sue Mahan
Ethel Mathers
Helen May
Greg & Randi Michael
Pat Miller
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*)
Justin Davis (*Michael*)
Russell Fox (*Dickson*)
Steven Keith (*Dickson*)
Laura King (*Warne*)
Ralph Layfield (*Blair*)
Betty Pruett (*J. Miller*)
April Range (*Warne*)
Karol Reed (*Aites*)
Loretta Sawyers (*Shockey*)
Elsie Smith (*May*)
Fred Steed (*Steed*)
Tracey Steed (*Steed*)
Jeremy Sullivan (*Dickson*)
Carol Sullivan (*Dickson*)
Donnie Teters (*McHenry*)
Delmas Tingler (*Cox*)
Brent West (*West*)

Remember In Prayer

Pam Kupfner was admitted to the hospital on Thursday with Colitis. She is at Camden Clark Medical Center, Room #507A.

Buster Kupfner will have surgery on Thursday, June 22nd, to repair a hiatal hernia.

Chuck Leonard, a family member of Mary Malone, had a stroke and is not doing well. He is currently in a rehabilitation center in Westerville and will be there for several weeks.

Lillian Gillespie, 7-month old great-granddaughter of Mark and Carolyn Shockey, has had some improvement with her pneumonia.

Announcements

New Baby! We extend our hearty congratulations to Jeremy and Teri Fouss on the birth of their son, Adam Richard Fouss. Born at 7:40 AM on June 8th. He weighed in at 8lbs, 15 ounces, and is 21½ inches long. Congratulations to grandmother, Diane Fouss, and to Uncle Josh. And a special congratulations to great-grandparents, Richard and Eva Cook!



VBS 2023
Redemption Ranch
July 30 - Aug 2

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: Mark's sermon title's for today are:
AM- "The Eldership" PM- "An Open Door"

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

Panama Mission: There will be a short video after evening services tonight recapping the most recent mission trip to Panama by various members. We encourage all who can to please stay for this.

VBS: Our VBS is July 30 - August 2. We are in need of 14 - 16 oz. cans for a craft. Please make sure they are cleaned and the labels removed. You can place them in the box in the foyer.

Summer Series: Our Summer Series will take place every Wednesday in July. There will be a different speaker each evening. The theme is "Redemption". There are flyers located on a table in the foyer for you to take. All adult classes will remain in the auditorium for this series.

Furniture Request: Furniture is requested for a needy family of three: twin bed, dresser, couch, table and chairs. If you have any items to donate, please contact Dave or Laura Hamm.

Elders

Mark Berry
David Hamm
Randy Meredith
Harvey West

Elder Meetings

June 4 - 5:00 pm
June 26 - 3:00 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~ 1 Timothy 3:1-7
PM~ Colossians 4:2-6