

## SERVICE ASSIGNMENTS

SUNDAY AM	May 7	May 14
Announcements	Meredith	Hamm
Song Leader	T. Jones	Smith
Opening Prayer	D. Jones	McIntire
Scripture	Duncan	D. Jones
Lord's Supper	Clark	Meredith
Usher - Auditorium	Shears	Houser
Usher - Foyer	McHenry	Kv. Grose
Usher - Security	Vaughan	B. Kupfner
P.A. System Audio	G. Kupfner	J. Aites
P.A. System Video	E. Kupfner	R. Cook
Pick up cards	Miller/Miller	Duncan/Duncan
Pick up cards	Duncan/Duncan	Cook/Vaughan
Door Greeters	Sailor	Vaughan
SUNDAY PM	Sun. PM	Sun. PM
Announcements	Butterfield	Duncan
Song Leader	T. Jones	Smith
Opening Prayer	Dean	Ferrebee
Scripture	Hoschar	Kerns
Closing Prayer	D. Miller	Egnor
Lord's Supper	Kidder	Dean
Door Greeters	Ferrebee	Merrill
WEDNESDAY	May 10	May 17
Announcements	Butterfield	Duncan
Song Leader	Vaughan	Ja. Eaton
Opening Prayer	Butterfield	Duncan
Invitation	Kv. Grose	Aites
Door Greeters	Eaton	C. Miller

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

**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.

**VBS:** June 4-8, Little Hocking church of Christ, Little Hocking, OH (more info on bulletin board)

**VBS:** June 5-7, Grand Central church of Christ, Vienna, WV 5:45 - 8:00 pm

## Youth Events

**Traveling Youth Group:** May 28th, Hopewell church of Christ, 6:00 pm

**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**  
**May 14 — I Am Not Ashamed**

### OUR GROWTH FOR 2023

Baptisms.....1  
 Request for prayers, Restored.....2  
 Placed Membership.....6

Our Record	Apr. 30	Average 2023
Sunday AM Worship	150	139
Sunday Bible Class	116	112
Sunday PM Worship	110	105
Wednesday Bible Class	100	105

# NORTH END CHURCH OF CHRIST

## May 7, 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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## When Is Somebody Going To Do Something?

By Mark Aites

This is a story about four people named Everybody, Somebody, Anybody and Nobody. There was an important job to do and Everybody was asked to do it. Everybody was sure Somebody would do it. Anybody could have done it, but Nobody did it. Somebody got angry because it was Everybody's job. Everybody thought Anybody would do it, but Nobody realized that Everybody wouldn't do it. It ended up that Everybody blamed Somebody when Nobody did what Anybody could have done. (Source: Unknown)

This old illustration is precious because it presents an all too familiar truth. No one wants to take the initiative or responsibility to do something that needs to be done. Instead, they hold back and wait for someone else to do it. And if it does not get done, or is not done properly, they complain.

A common phrase that is overheard in the church today is, "When are they going to do something about it?" Of course, the natural question is, who is being referred to by using the pronoun they?

The Lord charges us to seek and save the lost in the Great Commission (Matt. 28:19-20; Mark 16:15). Someone says, "When are they going to do something about seeking lost souls?" (Likely referencing the preacher and elders) It probably doesn't occur to them, the more needful question is, "When am I going to do something about it?"

It may well be that there is a problem with the building and grounds. Again, that all too familiar question, "When are they going to do something about it?" Isn't it ironic that they see a need and instead complain? Why not instead ask, "Is there something I can do to help fix the problem?"

The church today is plagued with those waiting for someone to do something. Why not instead, seeing a need, ask yourself, "What can I do to help?" And then, do it!

## 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

## Prayer List

### Our Members

Mark Berry  
Karen Blair  
Richard & Eva Cook  
Fran Egnor  
Van & Ronnie Ferrier  
Dianna Kerns  
Ken Long  
Sue Mahan  
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*)  
Betty Pruet (*J. Miller*)  
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 Petty** was able to be discharged from the Willows Center and is now home.

**Cheryl Ullom** will have hiatal hernia surgery on Monday in Marietta.

**Russell Fox**, brother of Ruth Dickson, has been diagnosed with cancer.

**Loretta Sawyers**, sister of Carolyn Shockey, is undergoing radiation treatments five days a week to try and help with her eyesight. Carolyn is staying with her.

**Fred Steed**, son of Winona Steed, is scheduled to have surgery on May 24th.

Mike Oblisk has requested prayers for a friend, **Dennis Simmons**. He and his wife recently lost their baby. She was six months along. He is also asking for prayers for his brother, **Reo Oblisk**, who fell. He had cuts, bruises, and a concussion.



## Youth News

**Graduates:** We will honor our high school and college graduates on May 21st. Please email to Eydie a picture and a write up on your accomplishments and future plans. These need turned in by May 17th. The email address is: churchofchristnorthend@gmail.com

**Devotionals:** Older youth, May 13th at 6:00 pm at the home of Kevin and Melissa Grose. Younger youth, May 20th at 5:30 pm at the home of John & Megan Duncan

**Church Camp (OVCYC):** Ohio Valley Christian Youth Camp will take place at Camp Barbe in Elizabeth, WV. Registration forms and half off coupons are on the table in the foyer. Senior Week: June 18-23; Intermediate Week: June 25-30; Junior Week July 9-14.  
*(Counselors are needed for Junior Week, if you can help see Bill Kirby)*

**Church Camp (WVCYC):** West Virginia Christian Youth Camp has five weeks of camp beginning in July. You can register online at WVCYC.com. North End children can receive half off by using the code 23NORTHEND. There are information sheets on the table in the foyer.

## 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 is: AM- "Love Your Enemies" PM- "What Do I Need?"

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

**New Members:** We have two new members. Last Sunday Bill Giffen and Glenn Snider placed membership with us. Be sure to welcome them to the family at North End. Their addresses and phone numbers are: **Bill Giffen**, 18 Old St. Marys Pike, Apt. 103, Parkersburg, WV 26104, 321-423-7153; **Glenn Snider** 824 Lakeview Dr., Apt. 411 D, Parkersburg, WV 26104, 304-494-8918

**Ladies Tea:** On behalf of the Ladies Class the women of the congregation are invited to a tea to honor Candy Berry and her long-time role as a teacher for the class. The young ladies class is invited as well. The tea will be today at 2:30 pm in our MPR.

**Postal Food Drive:** The U.S. Postal Service will have their annual food drive, that benefits local food pantry's, on Saturday, May 13th. Bill Kirby has been involved with this work for many years and is in need of volunteers to help in many ways. See Bill if you can help or have any questions.

**Love & Care:** North End is in charge of the services at Love & Care on May 14th and 18th. Jim Kerns will be giving the lesson, Mark Aites will lead singing and Kevin Grose will serve the communion. We are still in need of men to do the opening and closing prayer. If you can help sign the list in the foyer or see Dan Lyons.

**Thank You:** Dear North End family, Thank you for all your prayers, cards, and visits during my recent hospital stays. In His love, *Jim Ullom*

### Elders

Mark Berry  
David Hamm  
Randy Meredith  
Harvey West

### Elder Meetings

May 7 - 5:00 pm  
May 29 - 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

### Minister

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### Today's Scripture

AM~ Luke 6:27-36  
PM~ Phil. 4:1-12