

## SERVICE ASSIGNMENTS

SUNDAY AM	Oct. 22	Oct. 29
Announcements	Hamm	Meredith
Song Leader	T. Jones	Vaughan
Opening Prayer	D. Jones	Oblisk
Scripture	McIntire	Lyons
Lord's Supper	Butterfield	Berry
Usher - Auditorium	Cox	Hoschar
Usher - Foyer	Ferrebee	Kv. Grose
Usher - Security	L. Cook	Heaney
P.A. System Audio	A. Grose	J. Aites
P.A. System Video	R. Cook	T. Jones
Pick up cards	Miller/Miller	Cook/Vaughan
Pick up cards	Duncan/Duncan	Miller/Miller
Door Greeters	Kidder	G. Kupfner
SUNDAY PM	Sun. PM	Sun PM
Announcements	Kv. Grose	Duncan
Song Leader	T. Jones	C.J. Vaughan
Opening Prayer	Hamm	Meredith
Scripture	Kidder	Prayer Service
Closing Prayer	West	Meredith
Lord's Supper	Dean	Ferrebee
Door Greeters	D. Miller	Petty
WEDNESDAY	Oct. 25	Nov. 1
Announcements	Kv. Grose	Duncan
Song Leader	Ja. Eaton	Smith
Opening Prayer	Kv. Grose	Duncan
Invitation	D. Jones	Aites
Door Greeters	Duncan	Merrill

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

**Gospel Meeting:** October 22-25, Pursley church of Christ, Sistersville, WV, Speaker: Austin Woodfin, weeknights 7:00 pm

**Gospel Meeting:** October 22-25, Ten Mile church of Christ, Salem, WV, Speaker: Harry Summers, 7:00 pm

**Sing:** October 28, McConnelsville, OH, hosted by 7th St. church of Christ. 7-9 pm see bulletin board for details

**29th Annual Lectureship:** October 22-26, West Virginia School of Preaching, Moundsville, WV. See bulletin board for more information and schedule.

**Men's Inspiration Day:** November 4, Pine Grove church of Christ, Scott Depot, WV 9:00 am

**Gospel Meeting:** November 12-15, Bridge Street church of Christ, New Martinsville, WV, Speaker: Phil Sanders, weeknights 7:00 pm

### Youth Events

**Traveling Youth Group:** October 29, Camden Ave. church of Christ - 6:00 pm

**Youth Rally:** November 3-4, Fort Hill Christian Youth Camp, Hillsboro, OH, Speaker: Kyle Butt, see bulletin board for more details



WTAP- Sunday, 7:30am

October 22- Obeying The Gospel  
 October 29 - Jesus Is Lord

### OUR GROWTH FOR 2023

Baptisms.....2  
 Request for prayers, Restored.....5  
 Placed Membership.....10

Our Record	Oct. 15	Average 2023
Sunday AM Worship	123	139
Sunday Bible Class	82	109
Sunday PM Worship	95	103
Wednesday Bible Class	83	105

# NORTH END CHURCH OF CHRIST

## October 22, 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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Anson Paul  
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Mike Tincer  
Seth, WV

West Virginia  
School of  
Preaching  
Moundsville, WV

No doubt you have heard the age-old question, "Is there anything in a name?" While so many would so easily dismiss the importance of a name, they fail to realize just how important a name really is.

You may have heard the old story, that is often used, of a preacher continuing to say in the pulpit, over and over, "There is nothing in a name." The elderly woman listening wrote a sizeable check to that preacher's delight as a significant contribution, but then he realized she failed to sign it. When confronted came her curt reply, "I thought you said there is nothing in a name?"

Proper names have great significance and we use them all the time. The name on your driver's license matters. The name signed to your tax return matters. The name affixed to your paycheck matters.

It is ironic that people would insist on their usage on checks or forms, but then seek to belittle the use of names in God's Word. For example, if you say to them that names used for the church must have a Scriptural origin, they poke fun at that idea. What we use must come from the Bible. "Churches of Christ" (Rom. 16:16), the "church of God" (1 Cor. 1:2), "church of the firstborn" (Heb. 12:23), etc.

"And the disciples were first called Christians in Antioch" (Acts 11:26). If there is nothing in a name, why not change the name *Christian* to *idiot*? Do people who think there is nothing in a name like the idea of being called "idiots"? Of course not! Worldly minded people may do it to Christians, but godly people would never tolerate it because they know it is wrong.

It has been well said, "We speak where the Bible speaks, we are silent where the Bible is silent, we call Bible things by Bible names, and we do Bible things in Bible ways."

Names have value and they are given to be honored and respected. Man does not have the right to change what God has divinely given.

## Prayer List

### Our Members

Mark Berry  
Karen Blair  
Richard & Eva Cook  
Cathy Clegg  
Curtis & Ruth Dickson  
Fran Egnor  
Van & Ronnie Ferrier  
Ken Long  
Sue Mahan  
Ethel Mathers  
Helen May  
Lana McFee  
Marvin & Joan Petty  
Sharon Pugh  
Leonard Shears  
Mary Rose Talbott  
Barb Walker

### Family & Friends

Polly Adams (*Clark*)  
Javier Alvarez (*Vaughan*)  
Wilda Clark (*Clark*)  
Daniel Coe (*Meredith*)  
Jenny Deagel (*Clark*)  
Sandra Keith (*Dickson*)  
Lan Kelley (*P. Miller*)  
Michelle Layman (*S. Kress*)  
Pat Morris (*Long*)  
Tony Police (*Carter*)  
Jeff Romine (*Egnor*)  
Gary & Loretta Sawyers  
(*Shockey*)  
Ayden Seagraves (*C. Miller*)  
Brian Sims (*Smearman*)  
Elsie Smith (*May*)  
Fred Steed (*Steed*)  
Tracey Steed (*Steed*)  
Brent West (*West*)  
Linda Workman (*A. Clegg*)

## Remember In Prayer

**Bob Cameron** fell last Sunday, bruising some ribs. He is also dealing with other health issues.

**Quinn Ferree** developed an abscess in her abdomen that required surgery. She was taken to WVU Hospital in Morgantown on Wednesday. She is now home recovering.

**Pam Kupfner** is scheduled to have a shoulder replacement on November 1st at Camden Clark Hospital.

**Brenda Lell** was admitted to Marietta Memorial Hospital on Wednesday. She has Covid and pneumonia.

**Ethel Mathers** was able to be discharged from the hospital and is now home.

**Leonard Shears** was discharged from the hospital in Columbus. He is home recuperating.

**Mary Rose Talbot** is now home after undergoing physical therapy.

**Lisa West** continues her recuperation from knee surgery.

**Tom Butterfield**, cousin of Dave Butterfield, was able to be discharged from Encompass and return home.

**Brian Sims**, son-in-law of Jeff & Mary Smearman, had bleeding in his brain. He is stable for now, but will be in the hospital for at least three more weeks.

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### **Things There Won't Be At The Judgment**

- Unbelievers (Philippians 2:10; Revelation 1:5-7)
- Material possessions (2 Peter 3:10)
- Mistrials (Acts 17:31)
- Secrets (Romans 2:16)
- Baptisms (Matthew 25:31-46)
- Invitation songs (Matthew 25:10)

Source: Bulletin Digest

## Announcements

**Attendance Cards:** Members, fill out a tan attendance card. Visitors, fill out a blue card. Please pass them to the aisles.

**Sermons:** Mark's sermon titles for today are: AM, "The Lord is Silent" PM, "Something is Missing"

**Opportunity Cards:** The Youth Group will pick up their opportunity cards tonight. Send a card, make a visit, or a phone call.

**Elder/Deacon Meeting:** There will be an elder/deacon meeting on Sunday, October 29th at 5:00 pm.

**Guest Preacher:** Mark & Paula Aites will be away on October 29th. Doug Petty will be bringing the lesson on that Sunday morning and will be teaching the adult Bible class. On Sunday evening, the elders will be leading a prayer service.

**Trunk or Treat:** Our annual Trunk or Treat will take place Tuesday, October 31st from 6:00 - 7:30 pm. You can decorate your car, dress up, and hand out candy to the neighborhood children. We are in need of candy donations, they can be placed in the barrel by Mark's office.

**Evangelism Workshop Follow-Up:** There will be a follow-up meeting to our Evangelism Workshop. You are encouraged to attend even if you weren't able to attend the workshop. Please meet Sunday, November 5th, at 5:00 pm in our multi-purpose room.

**Secret Sisters:** Save the Date! On December 3rd at 4:00 pm in the MPR, the North End Secret Sisters will enjoy a ladies tea as they reveal who they have been a secret sister to for 2023. For those ladies who wish to join this encouraging work of uplifting and edifying your sister in Christ, Secret Sisters 2024 will begin in January. More details will be forthcoming.

### Elders

Mark Berry  
Kevin Grose  
David Hamm  
Randy Meredith  
Harvey West

### Elder Meetings

October 22 - 5:00 pm  
November 6 - 4:00 pm

### Deacons

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

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### Today's Scripture

AM ~ Psalm 38:21-22

PM ~ Hebrews 6:9-12