

SERVICE ASSIGNMENTS		
SUNDAY AM	Nov.10	Nov. 17
Announcements	Berry	Meredith
Song Leader	T. Jones	Smith
Opening Prayer	Lyons	McIntire
Scripture	De. Miller	West
Lord's Supper	D. Jones	Hamm
Usher - Auditorium	Cox	T. Jones
Usher - Foyer	Cook	C. Miller
Usher - Security	J. Miller	Da. Miller
P.A. System Audio	J. Aites	McHenry
P.A. System Video	Ferrebee	Cook
Pick up cards	Duncan/Vaughan	Miller/Vaughan
Pick up cards	Miller/Drummond	Duncan/Ware
Door Greeters	Duncan	Heaney
SUNDAY PM	Sun. PM	Sun. PM
Announcements	Duncan	Kerns
Song Leader	T. Jones	Smith
Opening Prayer	Heaney	D. Jones
Scripture	Hinzman	E. Kupfner
Closing Prayer	Egnor	Kidder
Lord's Supper	Kerns	Dean
Door Greeters	Eaton	West
WEDNESDAY	Nov. 13	Nov. 20
Announcements	Duncan	Kerns
Song Leader	Aites	Ja. Eaton
Opening Prayer	Duncan	Kerns
Invitation	Ullom	Aites
Door Greeters	Kv. Grose	Aites

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, they are the same for PM & Wed.

SERVING IN THE MILITARY
Logan Cascell (grandson of Mark & Liz Berry)
Chance Gordon (grandson of Ken & Parma Heaney)
Chandler Hamilton (grandson of Jeff & Mary Smearman)
Allen Hardbarger (nephew of Ruth Dickson)
Tyler Lipscomb (grandson of Jeff & Mary Smearman)
Nicholas Linville (grandson of Jim Kerns)
Andrew Miller Jr. (grandson of Curtis Dickson)
Nate Ruble (son of Patty Ruble)

AREA EVENTS
Gospel Meeting: November 10-14, Harmar Hill Church of Christ, Marietta, OH, Speaker: Roger Rush
Ohio Winter Lectures: January 24-25, Church of Christ Fishinger Road, Columbus, OH
<u>SEE BULLETIN BOARD FOR MORE INFORMATION</u>

Area Wide Sings
Nov. 15 - Camden Ave. Church of Christ, Parkersburg, 7:00 pm (<i>Last sing of 2024</i>)

Youth Events
Traveling Youth Group: Nov. 24th , Newport. Church of Christ, Newport, OH, 6:30 pm
Youth Rally: Nov. 16, Lubeck Church of Christ, Speaker: Peter Ray Cole, 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

WTAP- Sunday, 7:30 am
Nov. 17 - Being With Christ Nov. 10 - Morals Matter

OUR GROWTH FOR 2024
Baptisms.....15
Request for prayers, Restored.....10
Placed Membership.....3

Our Record	Nov. 3	Average 2024
Sunday AM Worship	163	141
Sunday Bible Class	124	112
Sunday PM Worship	104	102
Wednesday Bible Class	116	102

NORTH END CHURCH OF CHRIST

November 10, 2024



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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Chris Haguewood
Search TV Edmond, OK
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Mike Tincher Seth, WV
Aldrin Peter India

Valuable
by Mark Aites

“A good reputation is more valuable than money.” – Publius Syrus

“A human being is so irreplaceable. So valuable and so unique.” – Goran Persson

Just what do you consider to be valuable? Much of the world no doubt would say money, power, and fame, while others would say good health, beauty, youth, and yet others would say family.

What did Jesus say about what is valuable? “For what profit is it to a man if he gains the whole world, and loses his own soul? Or what will a man give in exchange for his soul?” (Matt. 16:26).

Obviously, the things of this world are not as valuable as one might think. “Set your mind on things above, not on things on the earth” (Col. 3:2). The true value is found in that which transcends this world. The spiritual is therefore of greater value than the physical.

There is a great tragedy in this as even Christians find themselves caught up in the things of this world. They forget, “This world is not my home, I’m just a passin’ thru. My treasures are laid up, somewhere beyond the blue; The angels beckon me from heaven’s open door, and I can’t feel at home in this world anymore.” (Song: *This World Is Not My Home*)

These verses give an interesting perspective on what is valuable. “A little that a righteous man has is better than the riches of many wicked” (Psa. 37:16). “For a day in Your courts is better than a thousand. I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than dwell in the tents of wickedness” (Psa. 84:10). “For wisdom is better than rubies, and all the things one may desire cannot be compared with her” (Prov. 8:11). Again speaking of wisdom, “My fruit is better than gold, yes, than fine gold, and my revenue than choice silver” (Prov. 8:19).

Now we return to the original question, “Just what do you consider to be valuable?” The most valuable thing, without question, is as our Lord noted, Souls! Until my brethren realize that, the church will not grow as it should.

Prayer List

Our Members

Karen Blair
Nick Berry
Richard & Eva Cook
Connie Cox
Curtis & Ruth Dickson
Jeanette Dyer
Sheila Eaton
Fran Egnor
Van & Ronnie Ferrier
Connie Kirby
Ethel Mathers
Helen May
Lana McFee
Greg & Randi Michael
Becky Petty
Joan Petty
Leonard Shears
Mary Rose Talbott
Barb Walker

Family & Friends

Wanda Burks (Malone)
Dennis Cooper (Cooper)
Philip DeFreitas (DeFreitas)
John Elliott (Dickson)
Joyce Jones (Shockey)
Kelly Poiani (Ullom)
Jeff Romine (Egnor)
Pat Rine (Cooper)
Gary & Loretta Sawyers (Shockey)
Brent West (West)
Jan Yoho (Butterfield)
Nazareth Church of Christ (Hofmann)

Remember In Prayer

Jimmy Sailor was able to be discharged from the hospital on Thursday and is home recuperating.

Winona Steed had a cancerous place removed from her arm last week that was stage one melanoma.

David Rice, cousin of Parma Heaney, is in the hospital in Columbus and is not doing very well.

Sympathy: Anson Paul, a minister in India that North End supported, passed away unexpectedly on November 4th. Anson was only 36 years old and leaves behind a wife (who is expecting) and a 6 year old daughter. Please keep his family and the church in Bidar, India in your prayers.

North End’s Ministers

Dave Butterfield has written biographies on all of our located ministers

Roscoe “Ross” Swindler 1910-1997

Served North End - 1957-1960

Ross was born in 1910 in Charleston, WV. He was baptized at age 24 and preached his first sermon at the Dunbar Church of Christ. He married Verla two years later. He then went on to graduate from Freed-Hardeman College. Before coming to North End, he was the located preacher in South Charleston, Hamlin, St. Albans, Camden Ave., and Grand Central. He helped establish the Ravenswood congregation. He came back for meetings in the 60’s and 70’s. One meeting had 22 responses. He later preached in Missouri and Louisiana, finally retiring in Florida. He passed away in 1991. Ross was an encourager and a faithful person. (I remember Ross, who baptized me, liked to joke that he disagreed with the apostle Paul who said not to associate with the greedy, idolaters, slanders, drunkards or a SWINDLER.)

Don’t Let Sin In

Don’t get used to sin. Just because we are bombarded with worldliness and sin day and night does not give us the excuse to become apathetic toward such things. God still expects His children to talk, dress, act and think differently than the world. Read 2 Corinthians 6:14-18.

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.

Baptisms: We rejoice there were two baptisms on Monday, November 4th. Karson Snyder, son of Ross and Kim Snyder was baptized. Kim Snyder wanted to make her calling and election sure and was also baptized on Monday evening. Please be sure to encourage Karson and Kim.

Sermons: The title of Mark’s lessons for today are: AM: “In His Steps”, PM: “Why Many Are Not Saved”

Opportunity Cards: Group Two will pick up opportunity cards today.

Men’s Breakfast: All men are invited to meet for breakfast on Tuesday, November 12th at 9:00 am at Mary B’s on Garfield Avenue.

Wednesday Afternoon Class: This Wednesday, November 13th, will begin our afternoon Bible class. The class will meet at 1:00 pm in classroom one.

Group Leaders: All group leaders are asked to meet this Friday, November 15th, at 6:00 pm at the home of CJ & Natalie Vaughan. This will be a potluck dinner and you will also be planning activities for 2025.

Young Adult, College, and Young Professional Potluck: A potluck is planned for Tuesday, November 19th from 6:00 - 9:00 pm for young adults, college age, and young professionals. Please sign the sheet in the foyer if you plan to attend. Those with children are welcome to bring them.

Care Packages for our Shut-Ins: We are collecting items for care packages for our shut-ins. There is a sign-up sheet in the foyer. There are 15 recipients. Items can be placed in the blue barrel in the foyer, and need to be here by December 4th.

College Students Care Packages: Items are needed for care packages for our college students of North End. There is a sign-up sheet in the foyer. There are 12 recipients this year. Items can be placed in the green barrel, and need to be here by November 24th.

Items Needed: Kendall Ferreeb works for Evergreen, which is a treatment center for children with behavioral issues. Many of the children are underprivileged and in need of some things. The Items requested are:
-Toothbrushes
-Toothpaste
-Hairbrushes/combs
-Deodorant
-Any type of non-perishable foods (soups, ramen, mac & cheese, peanut butter, etc.)
-Gloves
-Hats
-Coats (sizes are for both girls and boys, small to x-large)
(Place these items in the red barrel in the foyer next to Mark’s office.)

Elders

Mark Berry
Kevin Grose
David Hamm
Randy Meredith
Harvey West

Elder Meetings

Nov. 17 - 5:00 pm
Dec. 2 - 4:00 pm

Deacons

Dave Butterfield
Ron Cook
Harley Cox
John Duncan
Jamey Eaton
Ken Grose
Ken Heaney
Jim Kerns
Josh Kupfner
Dan Lyons
Steve McIntire
Dennis Miller
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Today’s Scripture

AM ~ 1 Peter 2:21-24
PM ~ Matthew 7:13-14