

NORTH END CHURCH OF CHRIST

September 8, 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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The Great Physician by Mark Aites

In our modern times, we rely heavily upon doctors and the medicines that they prescribe. There are a host of ailments that seem to keep us going back to the doctor time and again.

Physicians have had a prominent place in the lives of people throughout recorded history. The prophet Jeremiah stated, "Is there no balm in Gilead, is there no physician there? Why then is there no recovery for the health of the daughter of my people" (Jer. 8:22). Jesus Himself said, "Those who are well have no need of a physician, but those who are sick" (Matt. 9:12).

One of the apostle Paul's most beloved companions was the man Luke. Scripture identifies him as a physician (Col. 4:14). With Luke having penned the books of Luke and Acts, what is remarkable is to learn the number of times that the physician used medical terms in his writings.

As wonderful as physicians are, even in our own time, there is none like the Lord Jesus. As William Hunter so eloquently wrote in the beautiful hymn, The Great Physician: "The great Physician now is near, the sympathizing Jesus; He speaks the drooping heart to cheer: O hear the voice of Jesus." The chorus has those wonderful words, "Sweetest note in seraph song, sweetest name on mortal tongue, sweetest carol ever sung, Jesus, blessed Jesus."

Where would we be without the One who can cure a sin sick soul? As Robert Lowry wrote in the hymn, Nothing But The Blood, "What can wash away my sin? Nothing but the blood of Jesus...."

My how blessed we are when we consider that Jesus can heal us of all of our sins and give us that sweet and wonderful hope of Heaven. The Great Physician affords us an eternity with God.

Isn't it ironic that man will pour hundreds if not thousands of dollars into much need modern medical care? And yet, seem to show no desire or inclination to be healed of their sins? True, we may indeed be well in this life, but are we prepared for eternity?

AREA EVENTS

Gospel Meeting: Sept. 8-11, Church of Christ, Saint Clair Ave., East Liverpool, OH 7:00 pm
Old Time Revival: Sept. 12-14, Harrisville Church of Christ at Ellenboro Townhall 1-7pm
Evangelization Workshop: Sept. 13-14, Fishinger Rd. Church of Christ, Columbus, OH, Speaker: Phil Sanders
Gospel Meeting: Sept. 15-20, Pennsboro Church of Christ, Pennsboro, Speaker: Tim Hatfield, 7:00 pm
Gospel Meeting: Sept. 15-20, Pursley Church of Christ, Sistersville, WV, Speaker: Sam Bartrug, 7:00 pm
Seminar: Singing With The Spirit: Sept. 21, 36th St. Church of Christ, Vienna, WV 3:00-6:00 pm
Friends and Family Day: Sept. 22, North End Church of Christ, Parkersburg, WV, 9:30 am
Senior Seminar: "Adjusting to Aging" Sept. 27-28, Grand Central Church of Christ, Vienna, WV,
Men's Day: Sept. 28, Lubeck Church of Christ, Lubeck, WV, 10 am - noon, Speakers: Ed Melott, Rodney Nulph
Ladies' Day: Oct. 12, Goff St. Church of Christ, Elkins, WV, Speaker: Linda Haught, 9:00 am
WVSOP 30th Lectureship: Oct.20-24, see bulletin board for schedule

Area Wide Sings

Sept 13- Sunrise Church of Christ, Parkersburg, WV, 7:00 pm

Youth Events

Traveling Youth Group: Sept. 29th, North End Church of Christ, 6:30 pm
Fall Camp: WVCYC, Oct. 19, 9:30am-7:00 pm, Call to register at 270-505-2195



WTAP- Sunday, 7:30 am

Sept. 8 - The Blood Of Christ
Sept. 15 - Gethsemane

OUR GROWTH FOR 2024

Baptisms.....12
 Request for prayers, Restored.....10
 Placed Membership.....2

Our Record	Sept. 1	Average 2024
Sunday AM Worship	152	141
Sunday Bible Class	120	112
Sunday PM Worship	107	102
Wednesday Bible Class	104	101

SERVICE ASSIGNMENTS

SUNDAY AM	Sept. 8	Sept. 15
Announcements	Meredith	West
Song Leader	Vaughan	McIntire
Opening Prayer	Ferrebee	Lyons
Scripture	Cox	Heaney
Lord's Supper	C. Miller	Hamm
Usher - Auditorium	J. Aites	Houser
Usher - Foyer	McHenry	Merrill
Usher - Security	Kidder	Egnor
P.A. System Audio	D. Jones	McHenry
P.A. System Video	Lyons	T. Jones
Pick up cards	Miller/Vaughan	Duncan/Vaughan
Pick up cards	Duncan/Ware	Miller/Drummond
Door Greeters	Kv. Grose	Heaney
SUNDAY PM	Sun. PM	Sun. PM
Announcements	Duncan	Vaughan
Song Leader	Vaughan	McIntire
Opening Prayer	T. Jones	Clark
Scripture	Kv. Grose	Hoschar
Closing Prayer	Warne	Kidder
Lord's Supper	Merrill	Da. Miller
Door Greeters	D. Kupfner	Duncan
WEDNESDAY	Sept. 11	Sept. 18
Announcements	Duncan	Vaughan
Song Leader	Aites	Ja. Eaton
Opening Prayer	Duncan	Vaughan
Invitation	Egnor	Aites
Door Greeters	Eaton	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, 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)
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)

MISSIONS

**North End
Panama
Mission**

Andy Robison
West Virginia
School of
Preaching

**Jon Hescht
Aidan Klingler**
West Virginia
School of
Preaching

**Chris
Haguewood**

Search TV
Edmond, OK

**Dalraida
church of
Christ**
Chimala

Mike Tinch
Seth, WV

**Aldrin Peter
Anson Paul**
India

Prayer List

Our Members

Karen Blair

Nick Berry

Richard & Eva Cook

Curtis & Ruth Dickson

Sheila Eaton

Fran Egnor

Van & Ronnie Ferrier

Connie Kirby

Ethel Mathers

Helen May

Lana McFee

Becky Petty

Joan Petty

Sharon Pugh

Leonard Shears

Mark Shockey

Mary Rose Talbott

Jim Ullom

Barb Walker

Family & Friends

Dennis Cooper (*Cooper*)

Philip DeFreitas (*DeFreitas*)

John Elliott (*Dickson*)

Loretta & Neko (*DeFreitas*)

Jeff Romine (*Egnor*)

Pat Rine (*Cooper*)

Gary & Loretta Sawyers
(*Shockey*)

Brent West (*West*)

Remember In Prayer

Mark Berry had out patient surgery on Friday. He is home recuperating.

DeDe Cook had a follow-up appointment concerning her broken knee cap. She will not need surgery and is to continue to wear the brace for six weeks.

Ethel Mathers was admitted to the hospital with congestive heart failure. She is Camden Clark Hospital, room 195.

Jim Ullom remains in Marietta Memorial Hospital. He is recovering from three surgeries. He also has pneumonia that appeared to be worse on Friday. He was put on stronger antibiotics. Jim is in room 4468.

Brenda Johnson, sister of Mary Malone, was scheduled for brain surgery but it had to be canceled. She has some medical problems that need to be addressed before the surgery can take place. Brenda is in Marietta Memorial Hospital.

Kelly Poiani, sister of Cheryl Ullom, has been dealing with severe anxiety. She admitted herself into the hospital and will be there for a month.

September Events

8th - Monthly Evangelism Workshop - 5:30 pm

9th - Ladies Bible Class - 7:00 pm

10th - Men's Breakfast - 9:00 am (Mary B's on Garfield)

14th - Hog Roast - 6:00 pm (C.J. & Natalie Vaughan's)

15th & 19th - Love & Care - 2:30 pm & 7:00 pm

22nd - Friends and Family Day with covered dish dinner following Bible classes

29th - Traveling Youth Group to worship with us at the evening service

Announcements

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

Sermons: Mark Aites is out of town today. Speaking in Mark's place will be: AM - Charles Pugh, PM - Jon Hescht (Jon is a student at West Virginia School of Preaching).

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

Evangelism Workshop: Our monthly Evangelism Workshop will meet today at 5:30 pm. Please meet in the library.

Ladies Bible Class: Our Monday Ladies Bible Class will meet September 9th at 7:00 pm in classroom two. There will be refreshments to follow. All ladies young and old are encouraged to attend.

Men's Breakfast: All men are invited to meet for breakfast at Mary B's on Garfield Avenue on Tues, Sept. 10th at 9:00 am.

Food Pantry: Our food pantry is in need of the following items: Jelly, instant oatmeal, cereal, canned fruit, canned vegetables, canned meat (not tuna we have plenty).

Hog Roast: Our annual Hog Roast will take place this Saturday, September 14th at 6:00 pm at the home of C.J. & Natalie Vaughan. The meat will be provided. You are asked to bring side dishes, desserts, drinks and lawn chairs.

Friends and Family Day: We will have a Friends and Family Day on Sunday, September 22nd. We will have a covered dish dinner following Bible classes. There are flyers on the table in the foyer. Please invite others to join us.

New Address: Jesse Eaton's new address is: 419 White Avenue Henderson, TN 38340.

Thank You: We want to thank you all for your prayers for us and our family. In Christian love, *Curtis & Ruth Dickson*

College Students: The names and addresses of our college students are on a table in the foyer. If anyone was missed, please let Eydie know.

Elders

Mark Berry

Kevin Grose

David Hamm

Randy Meredith

Harvey West

Elder Meetings

Sept. 9 - 4:00 pm

Sept. 22 - 5:00 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

Jim Ullom

C.J. Vaughan

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Today's Scripture

AM ~ John 21:1-4

PM ~ 1 Kings 19:4