

SERVICE ASSIGNMENTS

SUNDAY AM	Oct. 26	Nov. 2
Announcements	Grose	Grose
Song Leader	Hofmann	Vaughan
Opening Prayer	Cox	D. Jones
Scripture	Hamm	Meredith
Lord’s Supper	Butterfield	Berry
Usher - Auditorium	Mullins	Warne
Usher - Foyer	Kerns	Kress
Usher - Security	Dearth	Kidder
P.A. System Audio	Eaton	McHenry
P.A. System Video	Ferrebee	T. Jones
Pick up cards	Duncan/Vaughan	Duncan/Vaughan
Pick up cards	Miller/Drummond	Miller/Drummond
Door Greeters	Dalton	Long
SUNDAY PM	Sun PM	Sun. PM
Announcements	Duncan	Kerns
Song Leader	Hofmann	Vaughan
Opening Prayer	Heaney	Kenney
Scripture	Hinzman	Cox
Closing Prayer	Warne	Cooper
Lord’s Supper	Egnor	Da. Miller
Door Greeters	Merrill	Cox
WEDNESDAY	Oct. 29	Nov. 5
Announcements	Devotional	Kerns
Song Leader	Devotional	Cameron
Opening Prayer	Devotional	Kerns
Invitation	Devotional	Aites
Door Greeters	Aites	Kv. Grose

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

Area Wide Sing: Nov. 7, McConnelsville, OH,
Twin City Opera House, 7:00 pm

Gospel Meeting: Oct. 26-29, Lubeck Church of
Christ, Washington, WV, Speaker: Jeff Archey,
7:00 pm

Parenting Seminar: Nov. 1, Sandyville Senior
Center, Sandyville, WV , hosted by Sandyville
Church of Christ, Speakers: Patrick & Heather
Ward. 9 am - 3 pm

4th Annual Men’s Day: Nov. 1, Steelton Church
of Christ, New Martinsville, WV, 8:00 am - noon
Speakers: Roger Rush, John Keith, Greg Morris

Gospel Meeting: Nov. 2-6, Steelton Church of
Christ, New Martinsville, WV, Speaker: Roger
Rush, 7:00 pm

Men’s Day: Nov. 8, Lubeck Church of Christ,
Washington, WV, Speaker: Doug Pell, 9 am - 2 pm

Gospel Meeting: Nov. 16-19, Pennsville Church of
Christ, Stockport, OH, Speaker: Matt Miller, 6:30
pm

More information on all these events is posted on the bulletin board in
the foyer.

Youth Events

Traveling Youth Group: Oct. 26, Newport Church
of Christ, Newport, OH 6:30 pm


WTAP- Sunday, 7:30 am
Oct. 26 - With All Your Strength
Nov. 2 - Not Biblical

OUR GROWTH FOR 2025

Baptisms..... 5
Request for prayers, Restored..... 3
Placed Membership.....10

Our Record	Oct. 19	Average 2025
Sunday AM Worship	137	145
Sunday Bible Class	109	116
Sunday PM Worship	93	98
Wednesday Bible Class	94	99

NORTH END CHURCH OF CHRIST

October 26, 2025

Sunday Morning Worship - 9:30 am
Bible Classes - 10:45 am
Sunday Evening Worship - 6:30 pm
Wednesday Bible Study - 7:00 pm (6:30 pm beginning Nov. 5, 2025)

Office Hours: Tuesday - Friday 9:00 am - 2:00 pm
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West Virginia School
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Greenville, OH

Search TV
Edmond, OK

Dalraida
Church of
Christ
Chimala

Mike Tinchler
Seth, WV

Aldrin Peter
Anson Paul
family
India

Clemente
Rosales
Panama

Dan Kessinger
Kenya, Africa

Unexpected
by Mark Aites

“No one is so brave that he is not disturbed by something unexpected.” – Jul-
ius Caesar

Centuries ago the Proverb penned, “Do not boast about tomorrow, for you do
not know what a day may bring forth” (Prov. 27:1). The United States of Ameri-
ca got a hard lesson in this very thing on September 11, 2001. This calamity
caused 2,819 souls to be ushered into eternity before they were ready. How dis-
concerting it is to contemplate that one can enter into a day fully expecting to lie
again in bed when nightfall comes. Tragedies, accidents, sudden illnesses, no,
we are not ready for them when they strike.

Isn’t it ironic how we preach to folks time and again about the importance of
always being ready in the event that our Lord comes, or that we leave this world
through death? Then when tragedy strikes, we are shocked and dismayed.

When those precious souls awoke on Sept. 1, 2001, in their wildest dreams
or imaginations, do you think they were aware it was their last day? Isn’t it inter-
esting that Scripture warns about boasting? The Proverb warns of it with the un-
expected, and James warns of it when contemplating the brevity of life.
“Whereas you do not know what will happen tomorrow. For what is your life? It
is even a vapor that appears for a little time and then vanishes away.” (James
4:14).

The events of 9/11/01 should cause all of us to take a more humble stand in
life. That day of tragedy serves as an unpleasant reminder that we are not as
invincible as we have convinced ourselves that we are. True, we live in a great
nation. We have extraordinary military might and sophistication. But even we
were fooled into complacency. Let’s use the memory of this unexpected event
to remind us that one day our Lord will return. He Himself said, “Watch there-
fore, for you do not know what hour your Lord is coming” (Matt. 24:42).

Prayer List

Our Members

Elsie Ballengee
Karen Blair
Nick Berry
Cathy Clegg
Eva Cook
Curtis & Ruth Dickson
Fran Egnor
Van & Ronnie Ferrier
Ken Grose
Adam Hoschar
Connie Kirby
Ken Long
Lana McFee
Damon Miller
Becky Petty
Joan Petty
Sharon Pugh
Leonard Shears
Barb Walker

Family & Friends

Richard King (Blair)
Tim Kraus (Warne)
James Mace (J. Petty)
Greg Sr. & Shirley Michael (Michael)
Maj Morlan (Sailor)
Matthew Newlon (Cox)
Kelly Poiani (Ullom)
Shane Riffle (Riffle)
Jeff Romine (Egnor)
Pat Rine (Cooper)
Gary & Loretta Sawyers (Shockey)
Jill Shaffer (Shaffer)

Remember In Prayer

Adam Hoschar meets with a radiation oncologist next week for a scan and blood work. In two weeks he will go to Cincinnati for an extended stay to receive radiation five days a week for six weeks. Please keep Adam in your prayers.

Sympathy: We extend our sympathy to the family and friends of Jeanette Dyer who passed away on October 18th. There was no funeral per Jeanette’s wishes.

In Memory
Billie Jeanette Dyer
January 19, 1943 - October 18, 2025

Keep On Inviting, Inviting, Inviting, and Inviting

The story is told of a young girl by the name of Becky who, each Sunday morning and Wednesday night, would go next door to invite her good friend Denise to church services. Becky’s question was simple: “Can Denise come to church services with us today?” Most of the time the answer was, “Yes,” and so the visits and invitations continued.

However, the day came when something was different. Becky made her Sunday morning journey next door, but the answer was, “No.” However, the words that followed were music to her ears: “No,” the father answered, “Denise will be going with me and her mother this morning — We will see you at worship, Miss Becky.”

The family visited, studies followed, and Denise’s mother and father were baptized into Christ! (Gal. 3:27 NKJV).

We might ask, “What is the magic, the mystery, the awe in this simple story?” The answer is, there is none! Just a sincere invitation given over and over and over again! Many times, we make things much too complicated and in doing so, achieve very little.

Some want sophisticated mail-outs to do the job of winning souls to Christ for us. Some believe that carefully designed programs will do it for us. Some want others to do it for us. Please understand this point: The benefits of mail-outs and other media avenues are wonderful when wisely used. But nothing dismisses our own personal responsibility to invite folks.

Who should we invite? Anyone we associate with on a daily basis — Our neighbor, postman, doctor, boss, banker, mechanic, coach, teacher, friend, relative, co- worker, and on and on we could go (cf. Matthew 22:9-10).

Remember the story about Jesus freeing the man who had legions of evil spirits? (Mark 5:1-20 – NKJV; Luke 8:26-39). He was grateful for Jesus’ compassion and wanted to go with Jesus (Mark 5:18). However, Jesus refused his request saying:

“Go home to your friends, and tell them what great things the Lord has done for you, and how He has had compassion on you” (Mark 5:19).

Brethren, let’s go and do the exact same thing!

Mike Riley, 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: Speaking in Mark’s place today will be David Deagel. David works with the West Virginia School of Preaching.

Bible Class: All adult classes will meet in the auditorium for Bible class this morning. David Deagel will be talking about the work at West Virginia School of Preaching.

Service Time Change: Beginning November 5th our Wednesday service time will change to 6:30 pm.

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

Devotional: This Wednesday our young men will conduct our services. There will be no Bible classes. Any young man that would like to participate in this devotional, please see John Duncan.

Trunk or Treat

- In regards to Trunk or Treat the elders have reconsidered this event and have discussed the fact that since there was still enthusiasm to continue this fellowship and evangelism event we will have Trunk or Treat on Thursday, October 30th from 6:00-7:30 pm, in our parking lot.
- The elders want to emphasize the evangelism part of this event and ask for 2 or 3 volunteers to run the area where church pamphlets will be distributed. If you would like to volunteer, please let one of our elders know. We want those participating in Trunk or Treat to engage the adults in conversation, inviting them to church or talk about the church.
- Candy Needed:** If you would like to donate candy for this event, you can place it in the barrel in the foyer.
- Soup and Sandwich Dinner:** Before Trunk or Treat we will have a soup and sandwich dinner at 5:00 pm in the MPR (we will eat at 5:00 pm, please try to be here before then.) Everyone is invited to join us even if you aren't participating in Trunk or Treat. Please bring soups, sandwiches, desserts, and drinks. Group One is in charge of set up and clean up.

Thank You: Dear North End family, I want to thank you for your prayers, cards, and calls during my hospital stay and recuperation. I appreciate all your care and concern. In Christian love, Winona Steed

Evangelism Class: Our monthly Evangelism Class will meet next Sunday, November 2nd at 5:30 pm in the library.

Elders

Mark Berry
Kevin Grose
David Hamm
Randy Meredith

Elder’s Meetings

November 3 - 4:00 pm
November 16 - 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
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Today’s Scriptures

AM ~ To be announced
PM ~ To be announced