

SERVICE ASSIGNMENTS		
SUNDAY AM	July 19	July 26
Announcements	Meredith	Grose
Song Leader	Hofmann	Smith
Opening Prayer	Duncan	Heaney
Scripture	Hinzman	Kerns
Lord's Supper	McIntire	Ullom
Usher - Auditorium	Kirby	Houser
Usher - Foyer	B. Kupfner	Kidder
Usher - Security	Heaney	Vaughan
P.A. System Audio	E. Grose	McHenry
P.A. System Video	T. Jones	Lyons
Pick up cards	Duncan/Vaughan	Duncan/Vaughan
Pick up cards	Ware/Drummond	Ware/Drummond
Door Greeters	Dalton	Cameron
SUNDAY PM	Sun. PM	Sun PM
Announcements	Ullom	Duncan
Song Leader	Hofmann	Smith
Opening Prayer	Ferrebee	Hinzman
Scripture	Pryor	McIntire
Closing Prayer	Da. Miller	Hamm
Lord's Supper	Kidder	Ferrebee
Door Greeters	De. Miller	Meredith
WEDNESDAY	July 22	July 29
Announcements	Ullom	Duncan
Song Leader	D. Jones	McIntire
Opening Prayer	Ullom	Duncan
Invitation	C. Pugh	T. Townsend
Door Greeters	Hamm	Malone

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 & Wednesday

<u>SERVING IN THE MILITARY</u>
Logan Cascell (grandson of Mark & Liz Berry)
Chance Gordon (grandson of Ken & Parma Heaney)
Nicholas Linville (grandson of Jim Kerns)

<u>Area Events</u>
VBS: July 20-22, 36th St Church of Christ, Vienna, WV, 6:00-8:00 pm
Lectureship: August 2-5, Toledo Road Church of Christ, Lorain, OH
Men's Day: September 19th, Oakwood Road Church of Christ, Fairmont, WV, Speaker: Peter Ray Cole
Ladies Day: September 19th, Oakwood Road Church of Christ, Fairmont, WV

<u>Friday Night Sings</u>
August 7, Veto Church of Christ, Veto, OH, 7:00 pm

<u>Youth Events</u>
Traveling Youth Group: July 26th, Bar-low Vincent Church of Christ, Vincent OH, 5:00 pm


WTAP - Sunday, 7:30 am
July 19 - Conditional July 26 - Born In Sin

OUR GROWTH FOR 2026
Baptisms.....6
Request for prayers, Restored.....4
Placed Membership.....2

Our Record	July 12	Average 2026
Sunday AM Worship	101	130
Sunday Bible Class	82	103
Sunday PM Worship	84	90
Wednesday Bible Class	94	91
Contribution (Budget \$4850.00)		

North End Church Of Christ

July 19, 2026

Sunday Morning Worship - 9:30 am
Bible Classes - 10:45 am
Sunday Evening Worship - 6:30 pm
Wednesday Bible Study - 6:30 pm

Office Hours: Tuesday - Friday 9:00 am - 2:00 pm
Office: 304-422-0489 ~ Preacher's office: 304-422-0567

1301 West Virginia Avenue, Parkersburg, WV 26104

Website: www.northendchurch.com
Email: churchofchristnorthend@gmail.com



Inevitable by Mark Aites

“Change is inevitable, growth is optional.” – John C. Maxwell

The word *inevitable* means that something is certain to happen. It is unavoidable. And as the quotes emphasize, we face these inevitable things as changes in life occur.

One of the most obvious of these things would be death. “To everything there is a season, a time for every purpose under heaven: a time to be born, and a time to die” (Eccl. 3:1-2). “And as it is appointed for men to die once...” (Heb. 9:27).

It is inevitable that someone you love will die while you are still alive. It could be a father or mother, brother or sister, a spouse, a child, a grandparent, etc. We hope that these things are many years away, yet you cannot escape the inevitable. The only possible way you could escape it is if you die before they do.

You, yourself, will also die one day. It is possible you could be spared such but that could only be possible if Jesus returns (cf. 1 Cor. 15:52). Right now, you are aging. You started ag-ing the moment you were born into this world. With each passing day, hour, minute, and sec-ond you move closer to the hour of your departure. Despite all the worry, fussing, and fuming one might go through, it will not change the inevitable outcome. What is vitally important is that we make sure our relationship with God is right, for we don't know the time we will die, or when Jesus will return (cf. Matt. 24:36).

Change itself is inevitable. Technological changes continue. Relationships change. Our circumstances in life are ever changing. Even on a molecular level, we are always changing. Every seven to ten years, the cells in your body change. We might wish for things to be status quo, but that is just not realistic.

Heaven and Hell are future realities. One day we will be sent to one of those places to spend an eternity. Listen again to the Hebrew writer, “And as it is appointed for men to die once, but after this the judgment” (Heb. 9:27). The Day of Judgment is inevitable where we will face God's judgment and find ourselves permanently either in Heaven or Hell.

MISSIONS

**North End
Panama
Mission**

Andy Robison
West Virginia School
of Preaching

Aidan Klingler
West Virginia School
of Preaching

**Chris
Haguewood**
Greenville, OH

Search TV
Edmond, OK

**Dalraida
Church of
Christ**
Chimala

**Aldrin Peter
Devadas
Prakash**
India

**Clemente
Rosales**
Panama

Dan Kessinger
Kenya, Africa

Prayer List

Our Members

Karen Blair
Ann Butterfield
Nick Berry
Cathy Clegg
Eva Cook
Ruth Dickson
Sheila Eaton
Fran Egnor
Van & Ronnie Ferrier
Ken Grose
Adam Hoschar
Bill & Connie Kirby
Lana McFee
Damon Miller
Betty Morris
Becky Petty
Joan Petty
Jason Riddle
Sharon Pugh
Leonard Shears
Barb Walker

Family & Friends

Ida Blatt (Pryor)
Steve Hamrick (Ferreebee)
Robbie Hancock (Hoschar)
Andy Hoschar (Hoschar)
David Oldaker (Hoschar)
Mark Parks (Parks)
Kelly Poiani (Ullom)
Allison Posey (Taylor)
Jeff Romine (Egnor)
Shane Riffle (Riffle)
Tammy Stallin (Dulaney)
Joe Reeder (Hoschar)
Gary & Loretta Sawyers (Shockey)

Remember In Prayer

Sympathy: We extend our heartfelt sympathy to the family of Sue Mahan, who passed away July 11th. Her memorial service was held at the North End building on July 14th. Please keep her children, Sally McHenry, Carla Kirkpatrick, and David Marshall, and their families in your prayers.

In Memory
Janet Sue Marshall Mahan
December 31, 1937 - July 11, 2026

Lawney Kupfner, Sr., father of Lawney (Buster) Kupfner, Jr. and DeDe Cook, suffered a fall early last week and broke his hip. He had surgery last Thursday at Selby Hospital in Marietta, and all went well. He will be receiving physical therapy for a few days at Selby and then will be transferred to a rehab facility for extensive therapy. He currently is in room # 212 at Selby Hospital.

Charles Pugh had tests at Cleveland Clinic last week for difficulties with breathing and for a nodule previously found in his lung. While tests showed that the nodule has grown, his Doctors do not believe it is lung cancer. Charles is being scheduled for a stress test.

Jason Riddle began his first of twelve IV infusions last week, to help strengthen him for upcoming radiation treatments, which may start after his tenth infusion. He thanks everyone for the cards, well-wishes, and especially the prayers!

Tyler Riffle has requested prayers on his behalf as he is going through a rough time adjusting to a new job, new apartment, and continued concerns over his ailing father, Shane Riffle.

Shane Riffle, father of Tyler Riffle, has slowly begun to lose his eyesight due to his diabetes. He is very discouraged with this latest development. If you would like to send him a card of encouragement, his address is: 1954 Princeton St., Parkersburg, WV 26101

Matt Newlon: Based on information available at the time, it was previously stated that Matt Newlon’s cancer was in his esophagus. We have since received clarification from his mother, Tracy, that the cancer is in his colon and abdominal cavity. Thank you for your continued prayers for Matt and his family.

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’ will speak for us this morning. His lesson title is: “Daily Discipleship.” Cedric Goddard will speak for us this evening. His lesson title is: “Laying Aside and Living Anew.”

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

Summer Series: Originally scheduled to speak this Wednesday evening was Charles Pugh, but will be unable to due to health reasons. Speaking in his place is Noah West, minister for the West Union Church of Christ. His lesson title is: “The Challenges To Godly Living”. The High School class and all adult classes will stay in the auditorium.

Ice Cream & Game Night is this Friday, July 24th, at 6:30 pm, here at the building. Weather permitting, this will be held outside, and if not, it will be moved to the MPR. Please bring your favorite ice cream and toppings, and/or a dessert that goes well with ice cream, and your favorite games. Group One is in charge.

Love & Care: North End is responsible for the services at Love & Care on Sunday, July 26th and Thursday, July 30th. Any men who can help with these services, please sign the list in the foyer.

Vacation Bible School: Our Vacation Bible School is scheduled for August 2-5, 6:30 - 8:00 pm each evening. The theme is: The Fruit of the Spirit. We will need help in many areas. There are sign up sheets on the table in the foyer.

WVCYC Golf Benefit: The 23rd Annual Golf benefit for the West Virginia Christian Youth Camp will be Saturday, August 8th, at Mingo Bottom Golf Club. Teams for North End are forming now. Please pick up a flyer on the table in the foyer for more information.

~~~~~  
Thank You  
Dear North End Family, Thank you for all the prayers, cards, and concerns, for my foot injury, they were very encouraging to me while I was home recuperating! Thank you for our Anniversary card as well! We are very blessed with so much love!! With lots of love, Mark & Liz Berry

To My Dear North End Family, Thank you doesn’t seem enough to express my gratefulness for all the prayers, visits, phone calls, cards, and texts, during my recent hospitalization. Your love and encouragement brought me comfort during those long days there. A special thank you to Rita, Parma, and Marli for helping me! I am most blessed by my wonderful and loving family here! In Christian Love, Paula Aites

Elders

Mark Berry  
Kevin Grose  
David Hamm  
Randy Meredith

Elder’s Meetings

July 20 - 4:00 pm  
August 3 - 4:00 pm

Deacons

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

Minister

Mark Aites  
304-422-0567 - Office  
mark6302@gmail.com

Secretary

Eydie McIntire  
Notary Public  
304-422-0489 - Office  
churchofchristnorthend@gmail.com

Today’s Scriptures

AM ~ Luke 9:23  
PM ~ 1 Peter 2:1-3