

SUNDAY AM	March 6, 2016	March 13, 2016
ANNOUNCE	Mark Vaughan	Mark Vaughan
SONGLEADER	Wes McIntyre	Mike Carpenter
READING	Mike Bungard	Roy Clark
PRAYER	Jim Morrison	Dan Carpenter
COMMUNION	Mark Vaughan	David Lamp
ASSIST	Mike Bungard	Mike Bungard
ASSIST	JR Flinn	JR Flinn
ASSIST	Ed O'Dell	Ed O'Dell
ASSIST	Danny Carpenter Jr.	Danny Carpenter Jr.
PREPARE COM	Kathy Black	Kathy Black
POWER POINT	Allie Vaughan	Anne Galbreath
SUNDAY PM		
SONGLEADER	Zach Rominske	Mike Bungard
READING	None	Noah Carpenter
PRAYER	David Lamp	Ben Rominske
COMMUNION	Ben Rominske	Zach Rominske
Wednesday	March 9, 2016	March 16, 2016
Invitation	Ben Rominske	Zach Rominske

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How to be Saved

Hear: Romans 10:14
Believe: Hebrews 11:6
Repent: Acts 17:30
Confess Jesus as Savior: Acts 8:36-37
Be Baptized: Acts 2:38

Website Helps:

http://thecolleyhouse.org
http://apologeticspress.org
http://gbntv.org
http://focuspress.org
www.housetohouse.com/

Sunday February 28, 2016

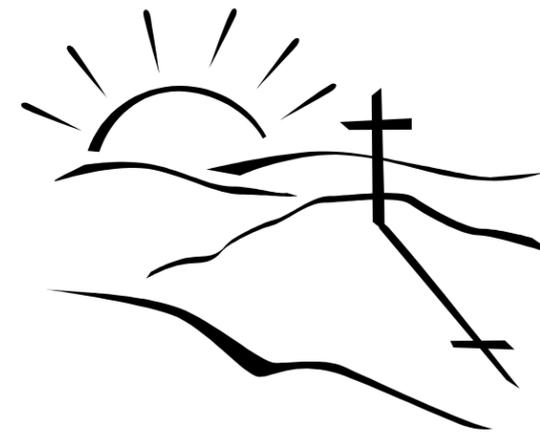
Bible Study n/a
Morning Worship 60
Evening Worship n/s
Offering \$1115.00
Wednesday Study (3/2/16) 45
Attendance Goal 120

Meeting Times:

Sunday Bible Class 9:30AM
Sunday Morning Worship 10:30AM
Sunday Evening Worship 6:00PM
Wednesday Bible Class 7:00PM

Upcoming Events

- March 6: Men's meeting after evening song service**
- March 6: Traveling Youth Group Rosemar 4:00pm**
- March 7: Monday Night Merge OVU campus 7:00pm**
- March 11: North End Youth Rally 6:30pm—8:15pm**
- March 11: FNS Sissonville or Buckhannon church of Christ 7:00pm**
- March 12: North End Youth Rally 9:00am—3:30pm**
- March 13: Guest Speak for Morning Worship Josh Robinson**
- March 13: Pot-Luck after morning worship—VBS meeting with Josh**



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Worrying and Precious Time

Time is a precious blessing not to be wasted. With each tick of the clock, the brief span of time we have in this world is passing. This is why Paul exhorts us to use our time wisely: “Redeeming the time, because the days are evil” (Ephesians 5:16). We should “number our days,” making the most of each moment, living life to the fullest (Psalm 90:12).

Perhaps, nothing hinders a proper use of time more than the futile exercise of worry. To worry is to “to afflict with mental distress or agitation: make anxious” (Webster’s). Worry goes far beyond reasonable concern. To worry is to be anxious and fretful.

Everyone, at some point, will have to deal with the temptation to worry. Many cares and concerns burden our minds. We may worry about our children, finances, health, marriage, and a thousand other things. But worrying wastes time and accomplishes nothing! In His Sermon on the Mount, Jesus gave some powerful principles regarding worry. He asked, “Which of you by taking thought can add one cubit unto his stature?” (Matthew 6:27). The “cubit” of Scripture was roughly 22 inches, from the elbow to the end of the middle finger. It is apparent that one cannot increase his or her height by worrying about it. God, by the process of biology, determines the “cubits” each person’s height. This is out of our control. In this same way, the vast majority of our worries are beyond our control. Worrying will never improve one’s finances, health, or marriage. Worry will never help your children or grand-children make wise choices. In fact, worry will never do one thing positive for you. But it will waste your time! Jesus teaches us to “take no thought” for our lives or for tomorrow (Matthew 6:25, 34). Since God knows our needs, He will provide. He takes care of the birds and the lilies, surely, He can and will take care of all who seek Him (Matthew 6:26, 28, 30). Rather than spending our time worrying, we should spend our time seeking first the kingdom of God and His righteousness (Matthew 6:33).

If worry has become a problem in your life, break the cycle today. Realize that time is quickly passing. Begin looking to God. Seek Him through a study of His Word, the Bible. Put Him first in your life. Trust His promises, obey His will, and He will take care of you! He promised: “I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee” (Hebrews 13:5).

Mark Lindley Chapman church of Christ Ripley, MS

Family & Friends In Need of Prayer

Gretchen Lawrie	Jeremy Harris	Bill Taylor	Wanda Vaughan
Mary Kupfner	Ricky Hill	Helen McIntyre	Mike Vaughan
Bill Spears	Roberta Piggott	Bob Thomas	Christie Stitzlein
Chuck Boston	Waylon Kirby	Eric Plotitz	Roselee Stanley
Dan Carpenter Sr.	Brenda Jones	Linda White	Shiva Mead
Richard Johnson	Kathy Lovitt	Arlene White	Joel Waters
Donnie Piggott	Mary Manzo	James Piggott	
Davy Dye	Linda Nixon	Jonathon Neely	
Phyllis DeLancey	Karen Metz	Melody Melrose	
Beverly Phillips	Howard Black	Doris Smith	



- † Doug Thomas is now at home. He is still very sore but feeling a lot better. Thank you for your prayers.
- † Phyllis DeLancey had a stress test Wednesday, she is waiting for the results to find out what they can do to help her heart.
- † Please remember Roy & Judy Balderson's daughter Angie. She is recovering from back surgery.
- † Please keep Joann Carter in your prayers. She has now been put on the list for a liver transplant. She has been very ill. This is John Carter's mother from New York.
- † Karen Metz's eyes are clearing up, but she is having trouble getting rid her chest congestion. She went to the doctor Wednesday and received some new medications.
- † Please keep praying for the Kimes adoption process. The court date has been continued.
- † Please keep a coworker of Tiffany's in your prayers. His name is Justin and he's going through a lot with some personal struggles.
- † Please pray for safety as Anne, Ben and Zach travel to Detroit for the weekend.

Birthdays

Elijah Clark 3/7
 Anne Galbreath 3/8
 Martha Whited 3/9
 Connie Lynch 3/11

Anniversaries

None



SAVE THE DATES

Stark County Youth Meeting: March 18 thru 19th
 Lads to Leaders: March 25th thru 27th
 Sunrise Sing: April 29th
 Spring Formal Night: April 30th
 Senior Week Bible Camp June 12th thru 17th
 Junior Week Bible Camp June 19th thru 24th
 Intermediate Week Bible Camp June 26th thru July 1
 Sunrise Vacation Bible School July 24th thru July 27th
 Friends and Family September 18th

- ⇒ The Bryan Taylor Family would like to thank you for all the kind things you have done during his illness. Thank you for the those who prepared food, those who set up and served the food, the kind words, the cards, and most of all the prayers offered on our families behalf.
- ⇒ We had 22 that were able to go to Challenge Youth Conference in Pigeon Forge Tennessee. We are grateful for all those who financial helped with this trip. It was a blessing to worship with so many like minded Christians.
- ⇒ A big thank you goes out to Mike & Sandy Bungard, Ed & Margaret O'Dell and Gina Vaughan for doing a wonderful job painting the fellowship room and one of the class rooms.



A Plan For My Life Part #1

Through the _____ nation, he sent a Savior so that Jews and Gentiles could have the _____ of saying "I am _____ never sinned."

I. The "_____ " of God's plan (Romans 9:1-13)

Romans 9:1 I tell the truth in Christ, I am not lying, my _____ also bearing me witness in the _____.

Under the _____ Testament Law, the _____ were the privileged First Peter 2:9, But you are a _____ generation, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, His own _____ people, that you may proclaim the praises of Him who called you out of darkness into His _____ light.

Ephesians 2:12, that at that time you were without _____, being aliens from the commonwealth of Israel and _____ from the covenants of promise, having no _____ and without God in the world.

Romans 9:7, nor are they all children because they are the seed of _____; but, "In _____ your seed shall be called."

Romans 9:13, As it is _____, "_____ I have loved, but _____ I have hated."

First, God chose _____ (9:7-9)

God had made a choice between _____ and Isaac, the Jews no doubt agreed that God had a right to do that and that He had made the _____ choice.

Second, God chose _____ (9:10-13)

Paul wanted to _____ that God has a sovereign right to choose whomever He _____.

Galatians 3:27-28, For as many of you as were _____ into Christ have put on _____. There is neither _____ nor Greek, there is neither _____ nor free, there is neither male nor _____; for you are all one in Christ Jesus.

This Year's Vacation Bible School

We are very excited about our Vacation Bible School this year. **The dates are July 24th through July 27th.** The youth group from Arnold church of Christ near St Louis, MO will be helping us with our vacation Bible school and benevolence work. The Arnold church of Christ will bring about 20 teens and 8 chaperones to help with these projects. The Arnold church of Christ has been helping other churches in this way for over 40 years.

Josh Robinson, the minister from Arnold church will be visiting with us March 12th and 13th to look over the area and begin the planning for the mission. We have asked Josh to preach the morning of March 13th so we can get to know him further. After morning worship we will share a pot-luck meal together then have our Vacation Bible School meeting.

We want to encourage as many people as possible to stay for this meeting. If you are able to help in any way with Vacation Bible School please consider attending this meeting. This includes all teachers, all male members, ladies that would like to help, those that would be able to house or feed these young people. If we all work hard together this Vacation Bible School and benevolence work will be successful.

May God Bless our effort!

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