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February 9, 2025

ESPECIALLY FOR OUR GUESTS ...

- ▶ Please pick up an information packet from our welcome table in the lobby. We also have a small gift for our first-time guests.
- ▶ We are grateful for your presence today. Please fill out an attendance card (please indicate both your first and last names) so we can have a record of your presence.
- ▶ About halfway through the service, the children 4 years old through the 4th grade will be dismissed for their own class downstairs.
- ▶ If you have any questions concerning our services or the church or the Bible, we encourage you to speak to our minister or one of our elders.

ADULT BIBLE CLASSES

Sunday a.m. ~ Zechariah 3
Ron Sanders
Sunday p.m. ~ Miracles of God
Joe Mason
Wednesday night ~ 1 John 3
Bill Nocita



Everyone is invited to come at **6:00 p.m.** on **Wednesday** for dinner before Bible study. Please sign up in the hallway if you plan to attend.

CHECK IT OUT!



We have a **new webpage**, thanks to **Dena Boggs & Dean Stewart**. The new web address is www.necofchrist.com. The site is still under renovation as they work to add new features. Please feel free to browse & check out what's new.

BREAKFAST CLUB

Invite your friends and family to join you for a free hot breakfast **on Sunday morning, Feb. 23, from 8 - 9** and then stay for Bible study and worship.



REQUESTING PRAYERS

Nina Sims

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK



13 - Gary Zanley
14 - John Kaganac
15 - Dean Stewart

In Our Thoughts and Prayers

Quincy Stewart is experiencing migraines again.

Mary Ann & Gary Budnick, Cheryl Spurlin's step-sister and her husband, were involved in a car accident and are now recovering from numerous injuries

Continue to pray for . . .

Dean Hampton ~ John Kaganac ~

Lorraine Mayberry ~ Brenda McCraw ~ Brenda Neisz ~

Nina Sims ~ Bill Skelding ~ Benny & Linda Welch

Remember our shut-ins . . .

Judy Eldridge ~ Marie Hershberger ~

Chuck & Shelby Ragland ~ Beth Stocker

THE POWER OF WANTING

All of us at times struggle between doing what's best and doing what we want. It's best that I don't eat heavy sweets... but sometimes I want that tasty dessert. It's best that I don't spend money on the latest cell phone that I don't need... but sometimes I want that new model. It's best that I get to work on time... but sometimes I want to sleep a little longer. I want what I want, and unfortunately, to my chagrin, what I want often wins the day.

But this struggle becomes a much more serious problem when spiritual repercussions are involved. It's best that I don't get angry at my coworker... but sometimes I want to tell him off. It's best that I spend some time reading God's word and praying... but sometimes I want to look at Facebook instead. It's best that I move out of my comfort zone and evangelize... but sometimes I want to sit tight and play it safe. And too often, sadly, what I want wins out over what God says is best.

Our wants involve strong feelings. It's well known that scammers exploit strong feelings to trick people into doing illogical and costly things. The prince of scammers, Satan, does the same.

We should not take lightly the power of wanting. But neither should we get discouraged, for God can transform our wants. God doesn't ask us to give up wanting; he only asks that we want the right things. The Christian life is a process of growth that involves developing new want to's. Christ through his Spirit gives us a new heart and new desires, so that we naturally want to do the right thing. This was predicted in Ezekiel, where God said, "I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit in you; I will remove from you your heart of stone and give you a heart of flesh. And I will put my Spirit in you and move you to follow my decrees and be careful to keep my laws" (Ezekiel 36:26f).

As we feed our faith and grow, we will find that, more and more, we will want what God wants. And then the power of wanting will be directed to what is best for his glory and our good.

Stan Clanton

STEADFAST AND UNMOVABLE, PT, 21

By Ronald Sanders, Jr.

Main Text: **(1 Cor 14:20-40)**

Supporting Text:

(1 Corinthians 13:11) When I was a child, I spake as a child, I understood as a child, I thought as a child: but when I became a man, I put away childish things.

(Matthew 18:4) Whosoever therefore shall humble himself as this little child, the same is greatest in the kingdom of heaven.

(Isaiah 28:11) For with stammering lips and another tongue will he speak to this people.

(Isaiah 28:12) To whom he said, This is the rest wherewith ye may cause the weary to rest; and this is the refreshing: yet they would not hear.

(1 Timothy 2:11) Let the woman learn in silence with all subjection.

(1 Timothy 2:12) But I suffer not a woman to teach, nor to usurp authority over the man, but to be in silence.

(1 Timothy 2:14) And Adam was not deceived, but the woman being deceived was in the transgression.

(1 Timothy 3:15) But if I tarry long, that thou mayest know how thou oughtest to behave thyself in the house of God, which is the church of the living God, the pillar and ground of the truth.

HOW TO BECOME A CHRISTIAN

Jesus Christ, the Son of God, died for us and rose from the dead, making salvation available as a gift (John 3:16; Romans 6:23). In order to benefit from this great sacrificial love, one must receive God's grace through faith in Christ and obedience to him (Romans 5:1-2; Hebrews 5:9). To become a Christian, the Bible teaches that we must believe in and put our trust in Christ (John 8:24), turn away from a life of sin (Luke 13:3), confess Jesus as Lord (Romans 10:9-10), and be baptized for the forgiveness of sins (Acts 2:38; 22:16). If you would like to further study this question of "What must I do to be saved?", please see our minister or an elder.

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TIMES OF SERVICES

Sunday

Worship - 10:30a.m. & 5:00 p.m.

Bible School - 9:30 a.m.

Wednesday

Bible Study - 7:00 p.m.

(at the building)

Our weekly Sunday morning
worship service, Sunday evening
class & Wednesday night
Bible class are live streamed
on our Facebook page.

Pray For Our Missions!

- ✝ Imlay City Church of Christ
- ✝ China
- ✝ Church of Christ Care Community
- ✝ Eastern European Mission
- ✝ India
- ✝ Let The Bible Speak TV Program
- ✝ Michigan Christian Youth Camp
- ✝ Nigeria
- ✝ Shults-Lewis Children's Home

ELDER CHAIRMAN

Joe Mason

WORSHIP ATTENDANTS

February 9, 2025

Opening Prayer - Dean Stewart

Bible Reading - Byron Bledsoe

Song Leader - Bill Nocita

Sermon - Ron Sanders, Jr.

Communion servants

Jimmy Hampton Craig Sims

Desmond Bass Tracy Webb

Byron Bledsoe

Audio visual servitor

Willis Williams IV

FOR THE RECORD

February 2, 2025

Bible School	26
Sunday Morning Worship	90
Avg. attendance for 2025	90
Sunday Evening	18
Mid-week Bible Study	19
Contribution	\$5,827.00
Avg. contribution for 2025	\$6,804.40
Budget	\$4,119.00

Shults-Lewis	\$26.00
Total for 2025	\$123.00