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December 8, 2024

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. ~ Jonah 1
Ron Sanders
Sunday p.m. ~ The life of Joseph
Joe Mason
Wednesday night ~ 1 John 2
Bill Nocita

MCREST

Our MCREST week **begins tonight**. We will provide meals for 50 homeless women & children this week at their Mt. Clemens shelter. Thank you to all those who will volunteer their time to help those less fortunate than us. Pray that this endeavor will bring glory to God. See Bill if you have any questions.



LADIES BIBLE STUDY



The ladies Bible study **will not meet** this week.

NEW YEARS EVE FUN

Everyone, young and old, is invited to join together at the building on **New Year's Eve, Tuesday, Dec. 31, from 6 p.m. - 9 p.m.** for a fun night of games, food, friendship, and fellowship. Sign up in the hallway. Each family is asked to bring a snack/appetizer and beverage, and your favorite game - card game, board game, etc. We will also have a white elephant gift exchange. If you want to participate, please bring a wrapped gift. We hope to have a good crowd, sharing and having fun as the year draws to an end.



In Our Thoughts and Prayers

Lorraine Mayberry is scheduled for arm surgery tomorrow.
Jolene Glotfelty will have neck surgery on Friday.
Alyssa Ringel was scheduled to be home from the hospital yesterday.


Continue to pray . . .

**Dean Hampton ~ John Kaganac ~ Lorraine Mayberry ~
Brenda McCraw ~ Cathlene Moore ~ Brenda Neisz ~
Nina Sims ~ Bill Skelding ~ Benny & Linda Welch**

Remember our shut-ins . . .

**Judy Eldridge ~ Marie Hershberger ~
Chuck & Shelby Ragland ~ Beth Stocker**

2025 BUDGET/ENVELOPES

Our **proposed 2025 budget** is available in the lobby today.  Please take the time to review it and prayerfully consider how you can help support the works of your congregation. **Next Sunday will be Purpose Sunday.** At that time you will have the opportunity to purpose your giving for the coming year. Contribution envelopes for 2025 will be available to pick up next Sunday.

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.

THE SERVANT SPIRIT

By Joe Barnett

The Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve.

—Matthew 20:28

If you need a mission statement, you couldn't do better than adopt and adapt Jesus' words. Put it this way: I am not in this world to be served; I am in this world to serve.

Today, you may cross paths with someone who is hurting. You will have to be alert to spot it and will have to pray for wisdom to know how to deal with it.

Here are some words that will put you on the right track: "Instead of being motivated by selfish ambition or vanity, each of you should, in humility, be moved to treat one another as more important than yourself. Each of you should be concerned not only about your own interests, but about the interests of others as well" (Phil 2:3-4 NET).

REJOICE, AND AGAIN I SAY REJOICE

By Ronald Sanders, Jr.

Main Text: **(Philippians 3:1-3) (Philippians 3:12-14)
(Philippians 4:4-8)**

Supporting Text:

(Romans 8:1) There is therefore now no condemnation to them which are in Christ Jesus, who walk not after the flesh, but after the Spirit.

(Romans 8:38) For I am persuaded, that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things present, nor things to come.

(John 4:23) But the hour cometh, and now is, when the true worshippers shall worship the Father in spirit and in truth: for the Father seeketh such to worship him.

(Galatians 2:20) I am crucified with Christ: nevertheless I live; yet not I, but Christ liveth in me: and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by the faith of the Son of God, who loved me, and gave himself for me.

(Galatians 6:14) But God forbid that I should glory, save in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by whom the world is crucified unto me, and I unto the world.

(Romans 6:20) For when ye were the servants of sin, ye were free from righteousness.

(Romans 6:21) What fruit had ye then in those things whereof ye are now ashamed? for the end of those things is death.

(John 16:33) These things I have spoken unto you, that in me ye might have peace. In the world ye shall have tribulation: but be of good cheer; I have overcome the world.

(1 Peter 5:7) Casting all you care upon HIM, for HE cares for you.

(Colossians 3:15) "And let the peace of God rule in your hearts,"

(Proverbs 4:23) "Keep thy heart with all diligence."

(Proverbs 23:7) "As a man thinketh so is he."

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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!

- ✝ Bad Axe 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

December 8, 2024

Opening Prayer - Craig Sims

Song Leader - Bill Nocita

Bible Reading - Desmond Bass

Sermon - Ron Sanders

Communion servants

Desmond Bass Craig Sims

Jim Hampton Tracy Webb

Byron Bledsoe

Audio visual servitor

Willis Williams IV

FOR THE RECORD

December 1, 2024

Bible School	37
Sunday Morning Worship	90
Avg. attendance for 2024	86
Sunday Evening	23
Mid-week Bible Study	37
Contribution	\$3,389.00
Avg. contribution for 2024	\$4,424.20
Budget	\$3,744.00

Shults-Lewis	\$65.67
Total for 2024	\$1,818.22