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TO GOD TO GOD'S WORD TO GOD'S HOUSE

"...that their hearts may be encouraged, having been knit together in love.." Colossians 2:2

# **PLAN of SALVATION**

Hear the Gospel **Romans 10:17** Believe Jesus is God's Son Acts 16:30-31, Hebrews 11:6 Repent of Sin Acts 17:30-31 Confess Jesus is God's Son Acts 8:36-37, Matthew 10:32. Romans 10:9-10 Be Baptized (immersed)

Acts 2:38

Live Faithfully

1 John 1:7, Rev 2:10

## **SCHEDULE of SERVICES**

#### SUNDAY

Bible Class 10am Morning Worship 11am Evening Worship 6pm

> WEDNESDAY Bible Class 7pm

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# North Main Street Church of Christ

A Friendly Church with a Vital Message

January 24, 2021

# **Are You Eager?**

We have all been excited about future events on the calendar like holidays, birthdays, or anniversaries. My kids are constantly reminding me of who's birthday is coming next and what sort of cake and gifts they will prefer.

As Christians, there should be one day that we look forward to more than any other; a day and future event which holds our attention and is always present in our minds.

In Hebrews 9:28, we read that one day Christ will come and appear "to those who eagerly await Him." The day is coming when Christ will return to take us home to heaven but do we "eagerly await" that day? The phrase implies that we are expecting and looking for Him to come again. Each day of our lives should be filled with excitement and joy at the thought of seeing Christ appear and finally experiencing eternal salvation. Are we excited about His return, or has it become routine or even sometimes forgotten in our day to day lives?

We live in a distracting world that is continually trying to pull us away from our focus on God and His promises. Perhaps, from time to time, we need to remind ourselves of the glory, the blessing, and the joy that will accompany His return and appearing "to those who eagerly await Him."

Matt Langfield

#### WELCOME

Visitors, we are glad you are here. We would like to let you know what to expect. We worship according to the New Testament pattern. We sing without mechanical musical instruments (Eph. 5:19; Col. 3:16). We observe the Lord's Supper (Acts 20:7). This memorial is for those who have been baptized for the remission of sins (Acts 2:38, 42), yet we do not have "closed communion". Everyone must examine himself (I Cor. 11: 27-29). An offering is collected from our members (I Cor. 16:1-2). As our guest, you are not expected to make a donation. A Biblical message (Acts 20:7) will be preached and men will lead the congregation in prayer (I Tim. 2:8). We strive to worship God in spirit and truth (John 4:24). We encourage you to stay a while afterwards so that we can get to know you.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

<u>February 2 Tuesday</u> Just Christians Missions Bible study class resumes. Class will be at 7pm in the fellowship room and the study topic will be the book of Daniel.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY Jenny Davenport Tuesday Jan 26 Carla Howard Saturday Jan 30

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY Ivy & Kenny Walker Wednesday Jan 27 Steve & Karen Anderson Friday Jan 29

#### **PRAYER LIST**

Jessica Midgette had foot surgery.
Ailene Potts is home form the hospital.
Jimmy Watkins was hospitalized this past week.
Mildred Bean, Ortie and Patsy Boyd, Don Grubbs,
Roxanne Johnson, Teresa Johnson, Glenn and Nancy
Koontz, Sara and Oscar Koontz, Mildred Phelps, Blinda Nuckols,
Cletus Seamon (Jeremy's grandfather), Jay Stanley
Shut-Ins: Robert Cole, Vergie Farmer, Estelle Kluttz, Wanda Scott

...for there is a time there for every purpose and for every work....

**ECCLESIASTES 3:17** 

THE GREATEST
POSSESSION YOU
HAVE IS THE 24
HOURS DIRECTLY IN
FRONT OF YOU

# **BULLETIN UPDATES**

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