

**CONNECTED
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

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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MEN TO SERVE

SUNDAY MORNING

Song Leader

Gary Dull

Announcements

Tom Davenport

Opening Prayer

Matt Maurer

Lord's Table

Jimmy Snow

James Midgette

Rich White

Matt Maurer

Steve Anderson

Preacher

Matt Langfield

Closing Prayer

Jered Markman

SUNDAY EVENING

Opening Prayer

Eddie Nuckols

Preacher

Matt Langfield

Lord's Table

Gary Dull

Closing Prayer

Rick Brown

WEDNESDAY EVENING

Song Leader

Gary Dull

COMMUNION

The Browns

BREAD

Terri Maurer

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A Friendly Church with a Vital Message

August 22, 2021

Do You Love Me?

One of the most powerful questions that Jesus ever asked was, "Do you love Me?" The question alone should require a person to either embrace or deny the Lord, but when Jesus asked this question of Peter, it did even more.

Before Jesus' death on the cross, Peter boldly denied any association with Him. Just as Jesus prophesied, Peter denied Him three times before hearing a rooster crow. In Matthew 26:75, we read that upon hearing that rooster, "Peter remembered" what Jesus had said, "And he went out and wept bitterly." Peter was distraught, as he did something he thought he would never do in that terrifying moment.

After Jesus' death on the cross and just before His ascension into heaven, He appeared to His disciples and even prepared breakfast. After the meal, Jesus began asking Peter, "Do you love Me?" and asked that question three times. (John 21:15-17)

Jesus demonstrated that He wanted Peter to repent. He wasn't bitter or angry with Peter, and He wasn't holding a grudge or looking forward to shaming Peter in front of his friends; Jesus wanted Peter to repent.

Jesus demonstrated that He wanted Peter to commit. Each time Peter answered, Jesus followed up with instructions, "Tend My Lambs, Shepherd My sheep, Tend My sheep." He made it clear that loving Him requires commitment. There is much to do!

Jesus demonstrated that He wanted Peter's love in return. Of course, Jesus knew the answer before each question was asked, but His questions reveal how much He desired Peter's love.

Are we willing to do what Peter did? Are we willing to repent of sin in our lives no matter how secret or shameful it might be? Are we ready to commit to doing whatever work or command the Lord requires of us? Are we willing to love Jesus in the way that He first loved us?

Matt Langfield .

Welcome Visitors

You are our honored guests! Please fill out a visitor card and put it in the collection plate. We hope you will worship with us again!

Fellowship Meal

Next Sunday
August 29

John Davenport's new
address for the college year:
1006 Emerson Lake Dr.
Knightdale, NC 27545

Prayer List

Vergie Farmer broke her wrist due to a fall.

Kim Kinder contracted Covid19 with severe symptoms but is recovering.

Nancy Koontz's knee replacement surgery went well and she is home recovering.

Jolene McKenzie's eye issues have improved but are not completely resolved.

Aileen Potts returned home but continues to experience health challenges.

Continue to pray for the following: Bubba and Diane Cannon, Jerry Davis, Mary Ellen Dull, Bea Gidcomb, Don Grubbs, Paul Johnson, Arvata Kinder, Glenn and Nancy Koontz, Sara and Oscar Koontz, Bob Langford, Brandon Markman, Eddie Nuckols, Ruby O'Neal, Mildred Phelps, Aileen Potts, Jay Stanley

SHUT-INS: Robert Cole, Vergie Farmer, Estelle Kluttz, Wanda Scott

*He who does not love does
not know God, for God is love.
1 John 4:8*

CBC Blue Grass Festival
September 11

A new quarter of Bible classes begins on September 5, 2021, and we are adding a **Young Adult** class to the schedule! We hope you will plan to attend each Sunday at 10:00 AM!

- **The Church of Christ Today** –Young Adults – Brandon Maurer
- **A Study of Paul** – Adults – Jered Markman
- **God's Mighty Hand: A Study of Exodus** – Teens and Children

"Blessed ___ the ___ in ___, for ___ is the ___ of ___.

Blessed ___ those ___, for ___ will ___.

Blessed ___ the ___, for ___ inherit the ___.

Blessed ___ who ___ thirst ___,
for they ___ satisfied.

Blessed ___ the ___, for ___ receive ___.

Blessed ___ in ___, for ___ will ___.

Blessed ___ peacemakers, for ___ will be ___ sons of ___.

Blessed ___ who ___ persecuted for ___ of
___, for ___ is the ___ of ___."

- Matthew 5:3-10 .