

OVERFLOWING WITH HOPE

“Now may the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, that you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.”
Romans 15:13

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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, Matt 10:32, Rom 10:9-10
Be Baptized Acts 2:38
Live Faithfully 1 John 1:7, Rev 2:10

MEN TO SERVE SUNDAY MORNING

Song Leader	Phil Forrest
Announcements	Tom Davenport
Opening Prayer	Brandon Maurer
Lord's Table	Jimmy Snow
	Matt Maurer
	Rick Brown
	Logan Davis
	Scott Tesh
Preacher	Matt Langfield
Closing Prayer	Mark Koontz

SUNDAY EVENING

Opening Prayer	Eddie Nuckols
Preacher	Matt Langfield
Lord's Table	Phil Forrest
Closing Prayer	Matt Maurer

WEDNESDAY EVENING

Song Leader	Phil Forrest
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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Sunday Bible Class 10am, Worship 11am and 6pm Wednesday Bible Class 7pm

To have information included in the bulletin, email cblegolas@yahoo.com or text 336-816-5993

North Main Street Church of Christ

A Friendly Church with a Vital Message

December 11, 2022

Caring for the Kingdom

In Matthew 6:33, Jesus said, “But seek first His kingdom and His righteousness, and all these things will be added to you.” Jesus is preaching during His sermon on the mount and teaching that God's Kingdom, which we know as the church, should be more important in our lives than anything else. From this powerful verse, our elders have chosen our theme for the coming new year, “Caring for the Kingdom.”

Caring for the Kingdom means being an active and involved member of the church. The church needs to be a bigger part of our lives than just gathering together for worship a handful of times each week. We all need to be concerned, invested, and participate daily as citizens in God's Kingdom.

Caring for the Kingdom means being concerned about others. Jesus does not instruct us to focus solely on ourselves or our spiritual welfare but instead on “His kingdom.” As members of the church, all of us are individual members of the body of Christ, and as Christians, we are all fellow citizens in God's kingdom. Therefore, we should be continually concerned about the welfare of others.

Caring for the Kingdom means being cared for by others. One of the greatest blessings of being a member of the church and citizen in God's spiritual kingdom is that others are concerned about us. We must remember that others are praying for us, that others share God's love with us, and that elders are responsible to shepherd us spiritually.

In the coming year, we will strive to better understand and practice what it means to “seek first His kingdom.”

Matt Langfield

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WELCOME

Visitors, you are our honored guests! We are so very glad that you have joined us today! Be sure to fill out a visitor card and place it in the collection plate. Please worship with us again soon.

UPCOMING EVENTS

December 11 Today Elder 2023 PowerPoint Presentation following the morning worship

December 15 Thursday CEC Meal

December 20 Tuesday Working with Wanda. Ms. Wanda has kindly volunteered to share her Star Craft with us. 10:30am at the church building. Geared for ages 5-12. More details to come.

December 31 Saturday
North Main New Year's Eve Get-Together with games, singing, and fellowship from 5pm to 9pm



PRAYER LIST

Ortie Boyd has not felt well lately.

Mike Dugan, Taylor Maurer's uncle, experienced a sports accident that resulted in a fracture in his face.

Betty Godbey fell recently at home. She is bruised and sore.

Arvata Kinder has Covid-19.

Please continue to pray for Don and Cheri Grubbs, Judy Kinley, Brandon Markman, Belinda Nuckols, Mildred Phelps, Paula Steele, Polly Tatum

Shut-ins: Robert Cole, Estelle Kluttz, Aileen Potts, Wanda



*** REMINDER ***

TODAY is the LAST DAY to CONTRIBUTE to the AUSTRALIA MISSION COLLECTION

If you are able to help donate toward the purchase of a vehicle for this important work, please make your check out to North Main Street Church of Christ, put "Australian Mission Work" on the memo line, and give it to Brandon Maurer.



WINTER BIBLE CLASS SCHEDULE

Young Adults Class: **Seven Things A Loving God Hates** Teacher: Matt Maurer

Adult Class: **Jeremiah and Lamentations** Teacher: Matt Langfield

Teens and Children: **Building Your Life for God** (Ezra, Nehemiah, Esther, Daniel, Ezekiel, Haggai, & Malachi)

Wednesday Night: **Am I Really Saved? (1, 2 and 3rd John)**
Teacher: Matt Langfield



JUST CHRISTIANS MISSIONS

Last Sunday morning, Gary Dull shared a presentation about the local and overseas mission work that he and Deborah are doing. One exciting and important project is translating Robert Martin's PBIC lessons into Spanish. They will also be travelling back to Cuba soon. The Christians there are in dire need of food and medicine. If you can help with either of these evangelism efforts, see Gary.



Jonathon Ressa Sunday December 11
Betty Cassidy Saturday December 17

Happy Anniversary
Jessica & James Midgett
Tuesday December 13

