

CARING FOR THE KINGDOM

"But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added to you."
Matthew 6:33

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PLAN of SALVATION

Hear the Gospel Romans 10:17
Believe in Jesus, God's Son
Acts 16:30-31, Hebrews 11:6
Repent of Sin Acts 17:30-31
Confess Jesus as God's Son
before Men
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

PRIVILEGED TO SERVE

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP

Song Leader	Phil Forrest
Announcements	Tom Davenport
Opening Prayer	Eddie Nuckols
Lord's Table	Jered Markman
	Mark Koontz
	Scott Tesh
	Rick Brown
	Tom Davenport
Preacher	Matt Langfield
Closing Prayer	Mark Koontz

SUNDAY EVENING WORSHIP

Opening Prayer	Steve Anderson
Preacher	Matt Langfield
Lord's Table	Phil Forrest
Closing Prayer	Rick Brown

WEDNESDAY EVENING

Song Leader	Phil Forrest
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North Main Street Church of Christ

A Friendly Church with a Vital Message
December 24, 2023

Do Not Be Afraid

On at least three occasions during the events surrounding the birth of Jesus, an angel sent from God gave comfort by saying, "Do not be afraid."

As the angel Gabriel appeared before Zacharias to reveal that he and his wife would finally have a son, he said, "Do not be afraid" (Luke 1:13). They would experience God's grace firsthand, and that son would be John the Baptist, the forerunner of Christ (Luke 1:17).

Six months later, Gabriel stood before Mary and again said, "Do not be afraid" (Luke 1:30). She was going to be the miraculous mother of Jesus who would experience God's plan in a unique way.

After His birth, "an angel of the Lord" appeared standing before some shepherds (Luke 2:9). The Bible tells us that "the glory of the Lord shone around them; and they were terribly frightened" (Luke 2:9). That angel said, again, "Do not be afraid" (Luke 2:9).

While Zacharias, Mary, and the shepherds were likely most afraid because they stood in the presence of a mighty angel, the unfolding of God's plan and the sending of His Son would eventually give everyone reason to "Do not be afraid." Because of God's love and grace toward us, we do not need to live in fear but in a peace that surpasses understanding (Philippians 4:7).

Matt Langfield

SCHEDULE of SERVICES

SUNDAY

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

WEDNESDAY

Bible Class 7pm

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Merry Christmas

Welcome Visitors

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

Upcoming North Main Events

DECEMBER 29 Friday Memorial Service for Estelle Klutzz at 1:00
DECEMBER 31 Sunday PIBC REPORT by Robert Martin
DECEMBER 31 Sunday SING IN THE NEW YEAR! after pm service

There are a few months still available for **2024 communion**. If you can help, please add your name. Thank you to those who have already signed up!

Happy Birthday

Deborah Dull & Joy Smith
Thursday December 26
Macy Davenport & Mark Koontz
Friday December 27
Brandon Maurer
Saturday December 28

Prayer List

Remember to pray for our members who are travelling for the holidays.

Brittany Anthony's grandmother passed away this past week. Her name was Ina Whittington. She was from King, NC.

Debbie Brooks is scheduled to undergo future procedures to remove skin cancer.

Joel Darnall, Joanna Darnall's son, had knee surgery.

Mark Dukes underwent hernia surgery this past Wednesday.

Teresa Johnson was hospitalized with pneumonia.

Doug Kelly, Betsy Seamon's boss, is taking chemo treatments for cancer.

Jennie Rosemarie McClamy, relative of John Davenport's landlord, had a heart attack and is on life support.

Summer McGuire is in need of prayers.

Doris Tesh will be in rehabilitation for three weeks.

Continue to pray for Steve Anderson, Glenda Barber, Patsy and Ortie Boyd, Randal Burton (prostrate cancer), Logan Davis, Brent (ATV accident), Betty Godbey, Mark Leland (back issues/Alzheimer's), Belinda Nuckols, Candy Smith, James and Amanda Stanley, Carmen Walker (cancer)

Shut-ins Robert Cole, Teresa Maurer, Wanda Scott

Remember to check your mail folder for holiday cards and wishes.