# Church of Christ

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#### **Ministers**

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SUNDAY Morning Worship 9 am

Bible Class

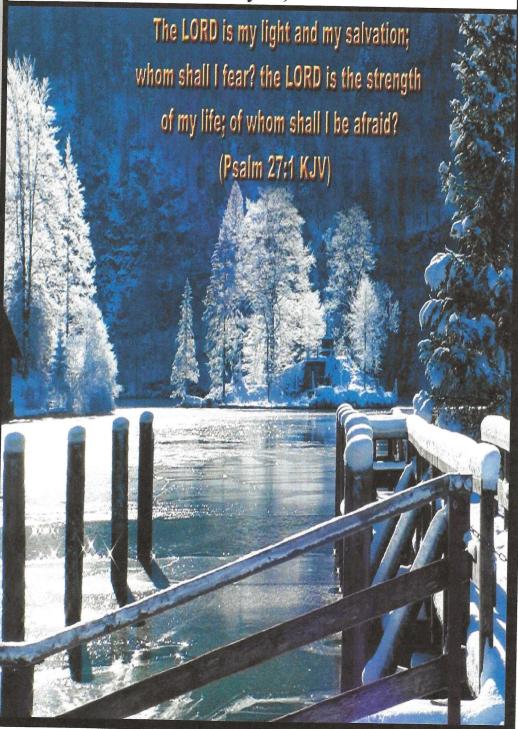
Evening Worship 5 pm

WEDNEDAY Midweek Bible Class 7 pm

Ladies Bible Class Tuesday AM, 10:30



January 14, 2024



## Prayer List



Kristy Eichenberger Janoice Trujillo Charles Camp's sister. (to have open heart surgery Jan. 18) Lisa Reynolds **Landon Scroggins Bill Matthews** Ray Palmer Hellen & Robby Gregory Gereta Semanek Dean & Christie Olson Heather Freeman Dee Chism Frances Mahan Melissa Freeman Doug Chenault Don Wiliams **Bob Beavers** Liz Matthews Jerry Collins Sue Taylor Lee & Loretta Ridling Pam Watters Rosetta Chenault Pam Faulkner Haylee Cochran (Sherri's cousin) Rachel Semanek Kenny Starr Gwen Fullerton **Becky Eoff** Melanie Garrett Jenna Daughtry

Good morning. Welcome! Brrr! 20 degrees? Snow! Winter. God knows what He is doing. No worries. I'm certainly thankful for heat. I am also very thankful for life, good health, my family, friends, and especially my name and place in Christ's kingdom, His church.

We are the church; you, me, and all who have obeyed the gospel. The Lord Himself added us to His church (Acts 2:27). The church belongs to Christ. He is the Savior, the Head and we are the saved, His body. That is the reason we call ourselves the church of Christ: the church belonging to Christ. Of course, we can also look in the Bible (Romans 16:16) and find that congregations of the Lord's church are called "churches of Christ." We are Christians. We do not choose this name by vote or because it sounds good or because this name suits us. We are Christians because God calls the followers of Jesus Christ this name. In Acts 11:26 we find this name. King Agrippa used the name "Christian" when he was almost persuaded to become one (Acts 26:28). Simon Peter wrote to us about suffering in 1 Peter 4:16, "Yet if anyone suffers as a Christian, let him not be ashamed, but let him glorify God in this matter." I have often thought about the various names that people take on when it comes to religion and wondered why people couldn't just be Christians. One day I was talking with someone and asked him if and where he went to church. I realize that "going to church" is not the correct way to word this question, but in the world today, people understand what I mean. He answered, \_" and went on to talk about the denominational church he was a part of. He asked me about my church affiliation. I told him that I am a Christian and a member of the church of Christ that meets on Harding Street across from the MHS football field. After my answer his immediate response was "Well, I am a Christian too. I'm a Christian." My next statement to him was, "Wouldn't it be great if we all could just call ourselves what the Bible calls us: "Christians?" Nothing before the word and nothing after the word. I am not a "church of Christ Christian" or an anything Christian. I am also not a member of a denominational church. I am a Christian (simply and only) a member of the church that belongs to Christ, the church of Christ. This church exists all around the world and regularly meets together for fellowship, Bible study, worship, and service here, there, and everywhere in small congregations made up of maybe two or three Christians and in large congregations, some into the hundreds of thousands. Yes, I am so very thankful to be a Christian, a member of God's family, the church that Jesus established, purchased, provides for, and is coming from heaven to receive to Himself (John 14:1-6). I hope you can read this and think about who you are and what the Bible says, understand what I am trying to say, and make the changes you need to make to be what you need to be. Now this is a good question to ask ourselves; "Is the person I am, the person I need to be?" MB

# News & Up-coming Events

January 23 - Ladies Night Out at 6 p.m. in the annex - Food wil be provided.

January 19-21 - Y.O.U. Youth Rally at Robinson & Center. sign up by Dec. 31

January 21 - Birthday & Anniversary Potluck after Bible Classes

**February 10** - Luncheon for Widows, widowers and adult singles at noon in the annex. Sign up if you will be able to attend

**February 23 & 24 - Bloom Conference** 2024 fo women at Harding University. See Geraldine or Gereta for details

March 31-April 2 - River Valley Youth Rally - More details later.

**Reminder** - Ladies who signed up for the Secret Sister program, check your mailbox. Your secret sister's info is now available

We need a teacher on Sunday mornings for the 4, 5 & kindergarten class. See Cindi Burleson, if you would like to teach

January 2024

	1 *Jack & Leona Trent	2	3	4 Cindi Burleson Myrna Medkock	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12 Caul DuVall	13
14	15	16 Nicole Rowland	17	18 Terry Lentz Shirley Webb	Bill Brice *Mark & Theresa Chapman	20 Avery Rowland
21	22 Evan Freeman	23 Midge Reynolds Roger & Shirlene Young	24	25 Kelly Lentz	26 *Mirl & Betty Joslin	27
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## Harding St. Church of Christ

906 E. Harding St Morrilton, AR 72110



#### Men to Serve

## Janurary 14

#### Announcements

Charles Camp

Singing

Geoffrey Bane

## Preaching AM & PM

Mickey Burleson

**Opening Prayer** 

Matt Prysock

## **Scripture Reading**

Landon Stover

#### Lord's Table

Charles Lovelace Curtis Rowland

Jack Trent Will Anderson

## **Closing Prayer**

**Charles Camp** 

## Security

Drayke McCoy PM Singing - Jack Trent Opening Prayer - Charles Bane

Closing Prayer - Bill Brice

Security - Jamie McCoy

Wed. PM Devo (Jan. 17) - John Wahrmund Security - Jeremy Lawson

#### Men to Serve



## January 21

Announcements

**Charles Camp** 

Singing

Charles Lovelace

## Preaching AM & PM

Mickey Burleson

## **Opening Prayer**

John Wahrmund

## **Scripture Reading**

Drake McCoy

#### Lord's Table

Clay Stover

Landon Stover

Jamie McCoy

Drayke McCoy

## **Closing Prayer**

Matt Prysock

## Security

Stephen Bonds

## Birthday & Anniversary Celebration Potluck Lunch in annex

No Evening Service
Wed. Evening Devo (Jan 24) - Jack Trent
Security - Charles Bane