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SUNDAY Morning Worship 9 am

> Bible Class 10 am

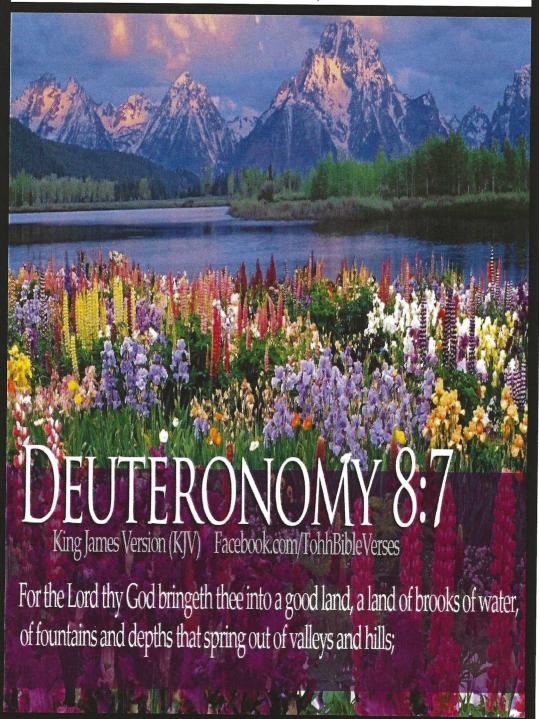
Evening Worship 5 pm

WEDNESDAY Midweek Bible Class 7 pm

Ladies Bible Class Tuesday AM, 10:30



December 15, 2024



Prayer List

Weda Lucas Joyce Cook Kathy Aishman Teresa Chapman **Arnold Edwards** Ed Anderson Joy Garren Helen & Robbie Gregory Jada Fourthman **Betty Joslin** David Blaylock Julian Reynolds Jean Crow Rosetta Chenault Melissa Freeman Frances Mahan Sue Taylor Lee & Loretta Ridling Pam Watters Kristy Eichenberger Dean & Christie Olson Dee Chism Doug Chenault Kenny Starr **Becky Eoff**

Good morning and welcome to Harding Street Church of Christ! Thank you to everyone who donated towards Christmas gifts for children in need, and to everyone who stayed to help wrap the gifts this past Wednesday evening. Because of you we are able to provide Christmas gifts for seven children in need in our area. This Christmas season remember what we are taught in Acts 20:35 that it is more blessed to give than to receive. Make sure this holiday season you are more worried about how you can give and help others than what you will get.

The scripture that stood out to me this week is Philippians 4:4-7. While in prison the Apostle Paul writes to us, urging us to "Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, rejoice." As we go through life, we often face challenges that threaten to steal our joy and disturb our peace. As many of you know Angel and I have been facing these challenges recently, with first having to replace our subfloor, then having plumbing issues, then having rat issues. It is very easy for life to get in the way and bring you down. But we are reminded that our joy is not dictated by our circumstances, but it should be rooted in our relationship with Christ. When we say that we rejoice in the Lord, it is not a fleeting emotion, but it is a deep connection with Christ that gives us confidence in God's goodness and faithfulness. Even when we are in hardship we can rejoice because we know that our God is in control, and His love for us never fails.

In the next few verses, Paul reminds us of the importance of gentleness, prayer, and thanksgiving in cultivating peace in our own hearts. When we bring our anxieties before God, His peace that is beyond human understanding will guard our hearts and minds. This peace, just like our joy, does not change with circumstances, and is not a fleeting emotion, but is a constant in our lives that comes from the presence of Christ. As we go through these next few weeks, celebrating the holidays, it can be very stressful and even depressing for some of us. Let us remember these writings from Paul when we have hardships. Let us think about how we can live out these truths that he writes to us. Are we rejoicing in the Lord daily? Are we bringing our worries to Him in prayer? We must embrace joy and peace, not as fleeting emotions, but as constant gifts from our ever faithful God.

-Geoffrey Bane

News & Upcoming Events

December 15 - Birthday & Anniversary Potluck in annex wiith singing. . No evening service tonight

December 25 - No Bible Study - Short video from Geoffrey on facebook will be available.

December 31 - New Years Eve fellowship in annex at 7 PM Bring board games & finger foods.

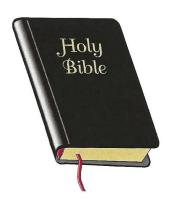


December 2024

1 Carolyn Cody	2	3	4	5 David Petroff	6	7
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22 Ron & Gereta Semanek	23 Linda McNew	24 Curtis & Elaine Rickett	25 Marion Chenault	26	27 Lavone Chism	28 Betty Joslin
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Men to Serve

December 15, 2024

Announcements

Stephen Bonds

Singing

Charles Lovelace

Preaching, AM & PM

Geoffrey Bane

Opening Prayer

Ron Semanek

Lord's Table

Clay Stover Bill Brice

Landon Stover David Lucas

Closing Prayer

Roger Young

Security

Jamie McCoy

Birthday & Anniversary Celebration Potluck lunch in the Annex

No evening service

Wednesday Evening Devo

John Wahrman

Security

Charles Camp

Men to Serve



December 22, 2024

Announcements

Stephen Bonds

Singing

Charles Lovelace

Preaching, AM & PM

Geoffrey Bane

Opening Prayer

Ron Semanek

Lord's Table

Bill Brice Landon Stover John Wahrman Clay Stover

Closing Prayer

Roger Young

Security

Charles Bane

PM Singing

Randy Gordy

Opening Prayer

Jack Trent

Closing Prayer - Charles Bane Security - Ron Semanek

> No Christmas service Video on facebook