

To know HIM and to make HIM known



Heart Beat

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Service Times

Sunday:

Bible Study.....9:45 am
Worship.....10:45 am

LifeGroups

Hannigan.....5:30 pm
Denham.....5:30 pm
Reynolds.....6:00 pm
Morris.....
5:00pm on the 1st and 3rd Sunday

Wednesday:

Bible Study.....7-8:00pm

Weekly Newsletter of the Kanawha City Church of Christ

BLESSED IN DOING

We are moving right along! If you are staying on track with our Bible reading project, then you would have finished the book of Exodus yesterday and started Leviticus today! I hope you are enjoying the journey! In fact, as we wrap up the first month, I would ask that you stop me and let me know your honest thoughts on what we are doing. Your feedback is very important.

I want to take a moment to encourage you if you are a little bit behind. It's not too late to catch back up or even start if you haven't yet. The extra work to catch up and join the journey will be well worth it! I also want to remind all of us that this is not about accomplishing the reading, rather it is training towards godliness. *"Rather train yourself for godliness; for while bodily training is of some value, godliness is of value in every way, as it holds promise for the present life and also for the life to come."* - (1 Timothy 4:7b-8)

Training can be done in many different ways. In order to graduate with my Bible degree, I had to do two types of training. One was in class study. It was studying the Bible, reading books by Christian authors, listening to lectures, writing papers, etc. This type of training was and continues to be very valuable.

The other training was on the job training. We had to do a practicum/internship in order to graduate. This was 10 weeks of full time work with a church. I was to shadow the preacher and work in every way a preacher would normally work. As you may know, there are some things that cannot be fully understood just by study; you really need the first hand experience. However, the first hand experience would be incomplete without the study.

In our Bible readings, it is important that we study and practice. It is important that we are responding to and doing what we are reading. God calls us to see what He is doing, then to imitate His example. We are training ourselves to be godly (or God-like).

James said it this way, *"But be doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving yourselves. For if anyone is a hearer of the word and not a doer, he is like a man who looks intently at his natural face in a mirror. For he looks at himself and goes away and at once forgets what he was like. But the one who looks into the perfect law, the law of liberty, and perseveres, being no hearer who forgets but a doer who acts, he will be blessed in his doing."* - (James 1:22-25)

My prayer is that we are enjoying our time studying God's Word. It is also my prayer, though, that we are completing our training by being "doers who act". God's promise is that we will be **"blessed in our doing."**

Love you all!
Stephen

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PRIVILEGED TO SERVE

February 4, 2018

MORNING ASSEMBLY

Front Greeter: Annette Breckenridge
Usher: Richard Wagner
Worship Leader: Chris Morris
Opening Prayer: Steve Samples
Communion Preside: Chuck Denham
Serve East: Alex Ross
 Josh Rogers
Serve West: Doug Hartley
 Jamison Wilkinson
Scripture Reading: Joe Riley
Closing Prayer: Bill Reynolds
Contribution Tally: H & R Kinder
Sound Booth: Matt Barber
PowerPoint: Linda Hall
Nursery: Brenda Hannigan
 Assistant: Telina Williams

WEDNESDAY EVENING

	January 31	February 7
Usher:	Tom McNeely	Richard Wagner
Prayer:	Paul Estep	Bob Midkiff
Sound Booth:	Tom McNeely	Paul Estep
Nursery:	Connie Postle	Brenda Hannigan

Bible Classes from 7:00-8:00pm

Communion Preparation & Garments:

Darlena Reynolds

Sunday Morning Children's Breakfast Prep:

Erika Walker

*If you cannot serve as scheduled,
 please contact Tom McNeely at 304-346-5212.*

ATTENDANCE & CONTRIBUTION

Attendance

Bible Class.....	69
Worship.....	107
Wednesday.....	35

Contribution..... \$3,133.05

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

- **Donna Sowards**
- **Frank & Elaine Javins**
- **Lois Morris**
- **Paula Garner**, daughter of Arlene Snyder, has cancer.
- **April Stewart**, daughter of Bob and Cindy, granddaughter of Helen.
- **Duke and Peggy Bayes**, brother-in-law and sister of Donna Sowards.
- **Ralph Hammitt and Nancy Duncan**
- **Doug Midkiff**
- **Cathy Harding**, mother of Julie Davis.
- **Lanny Markland**
- **Jean Ann Hartley**, Doug Hartley's mother.
- **Julie Farley**
- **Alan Newhouse**
- **Autumn Cole**

PLEASE HELP OUT!

- **Nursery attendants and ushers** are needed for Sunday morning services and Wednesday evening services. Please contact Tom McNeely.
- **Grace Wagner needs help** with Sunday morning breakfast preparation for the children's classes. Please consider signing up to help for one month. She makes it really easy, all you have to do is show up, bag, and deliver!

READ THE BIBLE

Please join along as we read the Bible together this year. The scriptures to read this week:

Date	Readings	Psalm
1/30	Lev 1-4	30
1/31	Lev 5-7	31
2/1	Lev 8-10	32
2/2	Lev 11-13	33
2/3	Lev 14-15	34
2/4	Lev 16-18	35
2/5	Lev 19-20	36
2/6	Lev 21-23	37

If you would like to have a printed schedule for the year, there are copies in the foyer.

DATES TO REMEMBER

February 6 - Prayer Meeting, 6pm at the church building.

February 11 - Congregational Meeting. There will be a brief congregational meeting after morning worship services to discuss the building renovations and summer intern. Everyone is welcome.

February 16-18 - Winterfest, Gatlinburg, TN.

February 22 - Young At Heart Breakfast, 10am at Cracker Barrel. Please RSVP to Joe Riley.

February 27 - Book Club Meeting, 6:00pm at the Southridge Panera Bread. The book to read is "Before We Were Yours" by Lisa Wingate. Make plans to join us. Everyone is welcome.

FOOD PANTRY

Our youth group will be working to organize the food pantry this Wednesday, January 31st. If you have a little extra, please give a little extra! Some of the most needed items are:

Peanut Butter, Jelly, Spaghetti Sauce, Canned/Powered Milk, Mac and Cheese, Instant Potatoes, Flavored Noodles/Rice, Canned Meats, Canned Fruit, Beef Stew.

FREE DENTAL SCREENINGS

Friday, February 2, 2018
 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM
 5480 Big Tyler Road
 Cross Lanes, WV 25313

Dentists, hygienists, and assistants will be available to provide screenings and treatment for children in need, at no cost. West Virginia children without dental insurance are eligible for treatment (xrays, cleaning, limited restorative). For more information, visit: www.capitalcitygkas.com

ENCOURAGE SOMEONE TODAY

"Therefore encourage one another and build each other up" Thessalonians 5:11

LIFEGROUP INFORMATION

- **Chuck and Shirley Denham**
 5:30-6:30pm Sunday at the building. Studying the Andy Stanley series, *The N Commands*. Also serving communion each Sunday evening.
- **Tom and Brenda Hannigan**
 5:30-7:30 in their home. Studying *The Bible Project*.
- **Chris and Renee Morris**
 5:00-7:00pm, See Chris for location. Studying *The Bible Project*.
- **Bill and Darlena Reynolds**
 6:00-8:00pm Sunday in their home. Studying *The Bible Project*.

Join a LifeGroup! They are open to everyone, feel free to try them all!

Contact the group leaders for more information!



Annabelle Rogers	1/11
Melanie Altamirano	1/12
Courtney Terzic	1/15
Jessica Rogers	1/16
Sharon Nichols	1/17
Bethany Boggs	1/18
Shawn Sowards	1/19
Taylor Grant	1/22
Violet Tackett	1/26
Kasey Gentilin	1/27
Paul Cantrell	1/30



Tom & Jan Winnell	1/1
Stephen & Carrie Bush	1/5
Charlie & Dora Mynes	1/15
Matt & Jane Barber	1/18
Gene & Janice Richardson	1/18

Did I miss a special day? Contact office@kccofc.org