

Kanawha City Church of Christ

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August 22, 2023

PRIVILEGED TO SERVE

MORNING ASSEMBLY

August 27, 2023

**Emblem Handout
and Usher:** Doug Hartley

**Worship Leader
and Opening Prayer:** Chris Morris

Communion Presider: TBD

Contribution Count: D Hartley & S Dale

Closing Prayer: Tom Winnell

Childcare Class: TBD

**Sound Booth &
PowerPoint:** Pete Williams/
Sara Wood

**Usher volunteers needed, please contact Herb
Kinder.**

*If you cannot serve as scheduled, please contact
Tom McNeely at 304.346.5212*

CONTRIBUTION AND ATTENDANCE

Sunday August 20, 2023

Attendance: 48

Contribution: \$2,100

IMPORTANT DATES CONTINUED

37th Annual Bible Bowl October 6 - 7
Book of Romans
Camden Avenue CofC
Parkersburg

Saturday Night Gospel Sing October 28
7th Street CofC, McConnelsville, Ohio

Further information on all meetings can be found on the bulletin
board outside of the office.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Justin Hawkins (Tom McNeely's grandnephew), 22, starting
chemo treatment for testicular cancer

Sheila Dale's family as they mourn the death of her dad **Paul
Williamson**.

Madison Wood Derreberry pregnancy issues

Sheila Stevens (friend of Betsy Keene) in need of prayers

Annette Breckenridge recovering from fractured ankle

Linda Hall recovering from knee replacement surgery

Tori Guerra expecting baby boy soon

Myrna Parker is at Edgemont Summit recovering from
diverticulitis. Room No. 3217.

Suzi Fox home recovering from a broken leg

Chuck & Shirley Denham are both at Harmony at Southridge
while they are recovering.

Fred Songer, Tom Winnell, Helen Stewart, John Shuman,
Gene Richardson, Steve Fox, Charla Cline & Lanny Markland

IMPORTANT DATES

Area Wide Youth Night September 17
Belle CofC

Youth Retreat September 22-24
Once Upon a Time
Xenia, Ohio, CofC

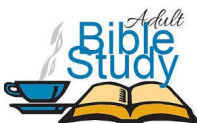
38th Annual Men's Leadership September 22 & 23
Retreat - Spiritual Renewal
Lakeville, Ohio
Richland Road CofC

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SUNDAY MORNING ADULT BIBLE CLASS

The Sunday Morning Adult Bible Class meets at **9:30 am** and is studying the parables of Jesus. The class is led by **Matt Gallagher**.



If you have any questions, please contact **Matt**.

LADIES' BIBLE CLASS

The Ladies' Bible Class meets on **Wednesday nights** from **6:30 pm - 7:30 pm** in room 17.

The class is studying *Crossing the Waters: Following Jesus through the Storms, the Fish, the Doubt, and the Seas* by Leslie Leyland Fields



All ladies are welcome. If you have any questions, please contact **Sheila Dale**.

If you need free access to RightNow Media, please contact the office.

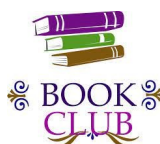
MEN'S BIBLE CLASS



The Men's Bible Class meets at the church building on **Wednesday nights** from **6:30 pm - 7:30 pm** and discusses the previous Sunday's sermon. The class this Wednesday, August 23, will discuss the sermon given on Sunday, August 20.

All men are welcome. If you have any questions, please contact **Chris Morris**.

LADIES' BOOK CLUB



The Book Club's next meeting will be on **Tuesday, August 22 (TODAY)**, at 6:00 pm at Panera Bread, South Ridge, South Charleston.

The book selection for August's discussion is *The Grand Design* by Joy Callaway.

Everyone is welcome.

If you have any questions, please contact **Linda Johnson**.

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God

In 1 Corinthians 10:23 Paul quotes a maxim apparently well known in Corinth at the time — "All things are permitted" — but then qualifies it: "not all things are beneficial [or] build up." What if we applied his words to our decisions? For example, should we enjoy a cigarette if we're old enough to do so legally but others present have struggled to quit? Technically, it would be "permitted" to have a smoke, but it might not "build up" or be "beneficial" for others nearby.

What if we know it's not necessary to say prayers every night, but we're teaching a child habits of the faith? Although skipping prayers a few nights a week is "permitted" because it won't make or break our faith, maintaining that routine — in shorter form if everyone is exhausted — may help "build up" the child spiritually.

What if we all, by God's help, made it a habit to "not seek [our] own advantage but that of the other" — to do all, as Paul writes, "for the glory of God" (vv. 24, 31)? From minor daily choices, to how we vote, to how we use our money and resources, to much more, it could make a huge difference! Surely, Paul believed so.

—Heidi Hyland Mann