# Kanawha City Church of Christ

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June 18, 2024

## PRIVILEGED TO SERVE

#### MORNING ASSEMBLY

June 23, 2024

**Emblem Handout** 

and Usher: Herb Kinder

Worship Leader

and Opening Prayer: Carson Henley

Communion Presider: TBD

Contribution Count: T & J Winnell

Closing Prayer: Tom Winnell

Children's Classes:

Preschool — 1st Grade Carson and Sara Henley

2nd — 5th Grade Jessica Sowards

Sound & Pete Williams/
PowerPoint: Sara Wood

Usher volunteers needed, please contact Herb Kinder.

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If you cannot serve as scheduled, please contact Tom

McNeely at 304.346.5212

**CONTRIBUTION AND ATTENDANCE** 

**Sunday June 16, 2024** 

Attendance: 47

**Contribution**: \$15,422.00

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Family of **Elwood Brown** who died last week

Nick Johnson, home recovering from a fall

**Becki Conway** (friend of Dee Moore), battling a reoccurrence of ovarian cancer after 13 years cancer free

**Frank Childers** (Tom McNeely's uncle), at CAMC Memorial with COPD and several other complications

Tamika Latta, cancer

Tom Winnell, health issues

Barb Samples, Linda Bailey, Shelia Lucas, Regina Mayne, Chuck & Shirley Denham, Helen Stewart, John Shuman,

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

The Story of Joseph

Fishinger Road CofC

Columbus, Ohio

Welcome Home Sunday

Fishinger Road CofC

Columbus, Ohio

**Honoring the Old Paths** 

Harrisville CofC

Harrisville, W.Va.

September 12-14

July 14-17

August 25

Disappointments are just God's way of saying — I've got something better. So be patient, have faith and live your life. - Unknown

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## **LADIES BIBLE CLASS**



The Ladies' Bible Class meets on **Wednesday nights from 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm** in room 17.

The class is on summer hiatus and will start again on Wednesday, August 7.

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 **6:00 pm - 7:00 pm** and discusses the previous Sunday's sermon. **All men** 

are welcome.

If you have any questions, please contact **Chris Morris** or **Tom McNeely.** 

## **THANK YOU**



Thank you to all those who cooked and/or served at the dinner yesterday after the Elwood Brown funeral. Ruth Ann Brown very much appreciated the efforts and the guests said they enjoyed the food.

## SUNDAY MORNING ADULT BIBLE CLASS



The Sunday Morning Adult Bible Class is studying the book of Ephesians. The class is led by Matt Gallagher.

If you have any questions, please contact Matt.

## LADIES' BOOK CLUB

The Book Club's next meeting will be on **Tuesday**, **June 25**, at **6:00 pm**, at Panera Bread, South Ridge, South Charleston.

The book selection for June's discussion is *One Little Word* by Audra McElyea. If you have any questions, please contact **Sheila Dale.** 

Everyone is welcome.

#### THANK YOU



Thank you to Tom & Jan Winnell, Annette Breckenridge, Sheila Dale, Renee Morris and Danene Hartley for working at our VBS joint partnership with the Kanawha Valley Church.

Oklahoma pastor Ricky Jones tackles the meaning of church membership, or being part of Christ's body. "Leaving the church is not simply leaving a club," he writes at the Gospel Coalition website. "When you walk away, you dismember

yourself from the body. Jesus and the rest of the body sorely miss you, and bleed after your departure. You cut yourself off from your only source of life and nourishment. Like an amputated hand, you will slowly bleed out, wither, and die."

Jones contends that "being a part of the universal church without submitting to a local church is not possible, biblical or healthy." It's impossible because you need to be part of a smaller community before you can be considered part of a greater community. It's unbiblical because the New Testament epistles are addressed to specific local churches. And it's unhealthy because wanting to independently make your own choices is "at the heart of sin," the pastor writes.

"You need to know we're all in this life together, and we won't walk away from you just because you let us down or we disagree," says Jones. "Together we build each other up into the image of Christ; no one can make it alone."