

# Kanawha City Church of Christ

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September 24, 2024

## PRIVILEGED TO SERVE

### MORNING ASSEMBLY

September 29, 2024

**Usher:** Doug Hartley

**Worship Leader and Opening Prayer:** Greg Moore

**Communion Presider:** George Capel

**Contribution Count:** Tom & Donna McNeely

**Closing Prayer:** Tom Winnell

**Children's Classes:**  
Preschool — 1st Grade Bianca Williams  
2nd — 5th Grade Tom & Jan Winnell

**Sound & 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 September 22, 2024

Attendance: 41

Contribution: \$1,715

## SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKER



We will be having a Special Guest Speaker on **October 13. Roger Chaffin**, from World Bible School, will be our guest. He will speak both at the Adult Class at 9:45 am and the service at 10:30 am.

## REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Vera Taylor, CAMC General ICU, lung problems

Linda Bailey, back at CAMC Memorial with pneumonia

Family of **Bill Derenburger** (Alex's dad) who died recently

Tom Winnell, Nick Johnson, Becki Conway (friend of Dee Moore), Tamika Latta, Shelia Lucas, Regina Mayne, Chuck & Shirley Denham, Helen Stewart, John Shuman, Charla Cline & Lanny Markland

## IMPORTANT DATES

**Adjusting to Aging** September 27-28  
Grand Central CofC  
Vienna

**Gospel Meeting** September 29 -  
West Ripley CofC October 2  
Ripley

**9th Annual Chili Cookoff** **October 13**

**Roger Chaffin** **October 20**  
World Bible School

**Keeping the Music in Marriage** October 21-24  
Lubeck C of C  
Washington

**Lubeck Youth Rally** November 16  
Lubeck CofC  
Washington

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

*Some of God's greatest gifts are unanswered prayers. -*  
Garth Brooks

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## 9TH ANNUAL CHILI COOKOFF



Our **9th Annual Chili Cookoff** will be held on Sunday, **October 13th from 4—6 pm**. Bring your favorite chili and see if you can beat our previous winners: Stephen Walker, Chris Morris, Pete Williams, Rene Morris and last year's

winner, Danene Hartley.

There will be games for kids and fun for all.

If you have any questions, please see **Carson Henley** or **Rene Morris**.

## MEN'S BIBLE CLASS



The Men's Bible Class meets at the church building on **Wednesday** nights from **6:00 pm - 7:00 pm**. The men are discussing the book of 1 John.

**All men are welcome.**

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

## LADIES BIBLE CLASS



The Ladies' Bible Class meets on **Wednesday** nights from **6:00 pm - 7:00 pm** in room 17. The class is studying *The Book of 1 Samuel* by Sharon Hodde Miller.

**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.

## LADIES' BOOK CLUB



The Book Club's next meeting will be on **Tuesday, September 24, TONIGHT**, at **6:00 pm**, at Panera Bread, South Ridge, South Charleston.

The book selection for September's discussion is *Shelterwood* by Lisa Wingate. If you have any questions, please contact **Sheila Dale**.

## SUNDAY MORNING ADULT BIBLE CLASS



The Sunday Morning Adult Bible Class is studying the book of 1st John. The class is led by **Chris Morris**.

If you have any questions, please contact Chris.

*In early 2024, Beatrice Johnson became deathly ill in hours. An upset stomach became dangerously low blood pressure; it turned out flesh-eating bacteria had attacked her entire body. When Johnson's kidneys started failing, she was put on life support. In a last-ditch effort, doctors added sodium bicarbonate — baking soda — to her IV.*

*Within hours Johnson was noticeably improved, and she left the hospital a month later. "I never thought something so simple would save my life," she said.*

*Another lifesaver many people find too simple is God's grace. We quip, "If something seems too good to be true, it probably is," and "Nothing in life is free." We're used to payments or paybacks. We balk if a friend offers to buy our lunch. When a neighbor brings us homemade cookies, we don't dare return the plate empty.*



*So how can something as huge and holy as salvation be a free gift from God? Don't we need to do something to earn it: follow the 10 Commandments? go to church? live a "godly" life?*

*All those things are good to do, but the key is to do them as thanks for God's gift of salvation, not to earn it. Jesus loves you and assures you of eternal life. Just accept the gift! If that seems simple, it's because it is — but it will also save your life.—Heidi Hyland Mann*