



# The Weekly News of the Northeast Church of Christ



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## ESPECIALLY FOR OUR GUESTS ...

- Please pick up an information packet from our welcome table in the lobby. We also have a small gift for our first-time guests.
- We are grateful for your presence today. Please fill out an attendance card (please indicate both your first and last names) so we can have a record of your presence.
- About halfway through the service, the children 4 years old through the 4th grade will be dismissed for their own class downstairs.
- If you have any questions concerning our services or the church or the Bible, we encourage you to speak to our minister or one of our elders.

## ADULT BIBLE CLASSES

*Sunday a.m. ~ 2 Samuel 13*  
*Sunday p.m. ~ Matthew 17*  
*Wednesday night ~ Psalms 132*

## POTLUCK TODAY

Everyone is invited to stay after services **this morning** for a potluck meal. We hope you will stay for a wonderful opportunity to share in food and fellowship.



## LADIES BIBLE STUDY

**Wednesday at 1:00**  
at the building.



Wednesday Night  
Dinner

Everyone is invited to come at **6:00 p.m.** on **Wednesday** before Bible study for dinner. Please sign up in the hallway if you plan to attend.

## BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK



15 - Patty Yonker  
 17 - Carol Fralick  
 19 - Don Smith

**Our weekly Sunday morning worship service and Sunday evening class are live streamed on our Facebook page.**





## prayer requests

**Nina Sims** got a good oncology report recently.

**Lori Mason** experiencing mild symptoms after being diagnosed with COVID.

### SENIOR BANQUET



You are all invited to a catered dinner (Chicken Shack) in honor of our 2022 high school graduates, **Rosalia Webb & Nathan Kaganac**, on Thursday, **May 26**, at 6:00 at our building. The cost is only \$10 per person and you can pay Bill, Joe, or Vicki. Please sign up in the hallway if you want to be a part of this celebration.

### HOW TO BECOME A CHRISTIAN

Jesus Christ, the Son of God, died for us and rose from the dead, making salvation available as a gift (John 3:16; Romans 6:23). In order to benefit from this great sacrificial love, one must receive God's grace through faith in Christ and obedience to him (Romans 5:1-2; Hebrews 5:9). To become a Christian, the Bible teaches that we must believe in and put our trust in Christ (John 8:24), turn away from a life of sin (Luke 13:3), confess Jesus as Lord (Romans 10:9-10), and be baptized for the forgiveness of sins (Acts 2:38; 22:16). If you would like to further study this question of "What must I do to be saved?", please see our minister or one of our elders.

### FROM THE HERE-and-NOW TO THE THERE-and-THEN

By Joe Barnett

*The troubles we see will soon be over, but the joys to come will last forever - 2 Corinthians 4:18*

We're living in the first chapter as we navigate the challenges of this life, all the while anticipating the last chapter: "the blessed hope—the glorious appearing of our great God and Savior, Jesus Christ" (Titus 2:13).

Here's how Paul transitioned from the here-and-now to the there-and-then: "We don't look at the troubles we can see right now; rather, we look forward to what we have not yet seen. For the troubles we see will soon be over, but the joys to come will last forever" (2 Corinthians 4:17-18).

Lay hold of Paul's hope: "The prize awaits me—the crown of righteousness that the Lord, the righteous Judge, will give me . . . And the prize is not just for me but for all who eagerly look forward to his glorious return" (2 Timothy 4:8).

**Let your hope, not your hurt, define your future.**

## **SO GREAT A SALVATION, PT.**

By Ronald Sanders, Jr.

**Main Text: (Hebrews 5:1-14)**

### **I. Introduction.**

- A. (Exodus 19:4)** Ye have seen what I did unto the Egyptians, and how I bare you on eagles' wings, and brought you unto myself. **(5)** Now therefore, if ye will obey my voice indeed, and keep my covenant, then ye shall be a peculiar treasure unto me above all people: for all the earth is mine: **(6)** And ye shall be unto me a kingdom of priests, and an holy nation.
- B. (Deuteronomy 4:6)** Keep therefore and do them; for this is your wisdom and your understanding in the sight of the nations, which shall hear all these statutes, and say, Surely this great nation is a wise and understanding people.
- C. (1 Samuel 6:4)** “Five golden emerods, and five golden mice.” The trespass offering of the Philistines differs from what GOD reveals to Israel in **(Leviticus 5)** for acceptable trespass offerings.

### **II. Jesus Our High Priest.**

- A. (Romans 5:12)** Wherefore, as by one man sin entered into the world, and death by sin; and so death passed upon all men, for that all have sinned:
- B. (Hebrews 2:9)** “That he by the grace of God should taste death for every man.”
- C. (John 10:11)** I am the good shepherd: the good shepherd giveth his life for the sheep.
- D. (Hebrews 4:15)** “but was in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin.”
- E. (Hebrews 12:2)** “Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith.”

### **III. A Call for Maturity.**

- A. (1 Peter 2:2)** As newborn babes, desire the sincere milk of the word, that ye may grow thereby:
- B. (2 Peter 1:3)** According as his divine power hath given unto us all things that pertain unto life and godliness,

### PREACHING MINISTER

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### TIMES OF SERVICES

Sunday  
Worship - 10:30 a.m. & 5:00 p.m.  
Bible School - 9:30 a.m.

Wednesday  
Bible Study - 7:00 p.m.  
(at the building)  
Zoom online class



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### Pray For Our Missions!

- ✝ Bad Axe Church of Christ
- ✝ China
- ✝ Church of Christ Care Community
- ✝ Eastern European Mission
- ✝ India
- ✝ Let The Bible Speak TV Program
- ✝ Metro Detroit Youth Chorus
- ✝ Michigan Christian Youth Camp
- ✝ Nigeria
- ✝ Shults-Lewis Children's Home

### ELDER CHAIRMAN

Bill Nocita

### WORSHIP ATTENDANTS

May 15, 2022

Opening Prayer - Tom Cardwell  
Song Leader - Bill Nocita  
Scripture Reading - Byron Bledsoe  
Sermon - Ron Sanders

#### Communion servants

Byron Bledsoe      Jay Kramer  
John Kaganac      Steve Karwowski  
Dean Stewart

#### Audio visual servitor

Willis Williams IV

### FOR THE RECORD

May 8, 2022

Bible School	30
Sunday Morning Worship	95
Avg. attendance for 2022	79
Sunday Evening Worship	20
Mid-week Bible (including Zoom & ladies class)	32
Contribution	\$4,037.00
Avg. contribution for 2022	\$3,911.52
Budget	\$3,600.00
Shults-Lewis	\$40.00
Total for 2022	\$711.10