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**September 1, 2024**

## 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. ~ Hosea 14*  
*Ron Sanders*  
*Sunday p.m. ~ The life of Christ*  
*Joe Mason*  
*Wednesday night ~ Galatians 3*  
*Bill Nocita*



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

## LADIES DAY

Ladies, you are all invited to bring your friends and join us  on **Saturday, Sept. 28**, for a time of fellowship & edification as we explore the topic of **“Made in His image: Let our lives be the mirror that reflects the image of Christ.”** The day will begin at 9 a.m. with coffee, crunchies & conversation and end at 12:00 with a light luncheon. Our guest speaker will be Carla Sledge from Naples, Florida. Please sign up in the hallway. See Deanna Graves or Pam Stewart if you have any questions.

## NEW PHONE NUMBER



**Eleanor Wooldridge**

586-859-7193

## BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK



**2 - Dena Boggs**  
**3 - Noah Davis**  
**4 - Dale Elliott**  
**6 - Mike Serilla**

## *In Our Thoughts and Prayers*

**Gary Loftis** was recently diagnosed with an abdominal aortic aneurysm & a heart catheterization showed several blockages in his heart. The doctors will determine which needs to be fixed first.

**Marla Caradea**, Byron Bledsoe's sister, is hospitalized with heart issues.

Byron asks for prayers for his daughter, **Audrey Winiarski**, that her pregnancy will go well.

### *Continue to pray for . . .*

**Kenny Cummings ~ Dean Hampton ~ John Kaganac ~  
Lorraine Mayberry ~ Brenda McCraw ~ Cathlene Moore ~  
Brenda Neisz ~ Nina Sims ~ Bill Skelding ~  
Benny & Linda Welch**

### *Remember our shut-ins . . .*

**Judy Eldridge ~ Marie Hershberger ~  
Chuck & Shelby Ragland ~ Beth Stocker**


### **REQUESTING PRAYERS**

**Lorraine Mayberry** is concerned about her sister and asks for our prayers.

**Pearl Roy** requests our prayers that she may be strengthened and reminded of God's strength

*I can do all things  
through Christ who  
strengthens me*

### **SPECIAL NEED**

A member is looking for a 3 bedroom house to rent in the  area. Please see Bill if you have any information.

### **CHORUS AUDITIONS**



The Metro Detroit Youth Chorus will hold auditions for their 2024-2025 season on **Saturday, Sept. 7**, from 10-2 at the Royal Oak Church of Christ. Sign up on their website: [www.mdyc.com](http://www.mdyc.com). This is open to all youth 9th to 12th grade.

### **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.

## STEADFAST AND UNMOVABLE PT 6.

By Ronald Sanders, Jr.

Main Text: **(1 Corinthians 5:1-13)**

### Supporting Text:

**(1 Corinthians 11:22)** “have ye not houses to eat and to drink in?”

**(1 Corinthians 6:13)** “Meats for the belly, and the belly for meats:”

**(Matthew 5:4)** Blessed are they that mourn: for they shall be comforted.

**(1 Timothy 1:20)** “Of whom is Hymenaeus and Alexander; whom I have delivered unto Satan, that they may learn not to blaspheme.”

**(1 Corinthians 6:9)** Know ye not that the unrighteous shall not inherit the kingdom of God? Be not deceived: neither fornicators, nor idolaters, nor adulterers, nor effeminate, nor abusers of themselves with mankind, **(10)** Nor thieves, nor covetous, nor drunkards, nor revilers, nor extortioners, shall inherit the kingdom of God. **(11)** And such were some of you,

**(2 Thessalonians 3:14)** And if any man obeys not our word by this epistle, note that man, and have no company with him, that he may be ashamed. **(15)** Yet count him not as an enemy but admonish him as a brother.

### YOU'RE RIGHT! YOU'RE NOT STRONG ENOUGH!"

By David Sproule

A friend of mine was going through a series of very difficult trials, and the troubles seemed to keep piling higher and higher. Like many of us who have been challenged by the adversities of life, this fellow Christian dispiritedly texted, “I’m not strong enough for this,” but probably did not anticipate the response that began, “You’re right! YOU are not!”

How many of us have been in a tough spot in life and thought we were there alone? How many of us have had our load of cares get heavier and heavier and thought we could no longer bear it? How many of us have thought to ourselves or said out loud, “I’m not strong enough for this”?

The truth that Jesus so desperately wants us to recognize is that we are NOT strong enough to handle these hardships on our own! BUT HE IS! Say this with me, “My help cometh from the Lord” (Psa. 121:2). When everything is against me and no one else can help, “The Lord stands with me and strengthens me” (cf. 2 Timothy. 4:17). I’m not strong enough! But He is!

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### TIMES OF SERVICES

Sunday

Worship - 10:30a.m. & 5:00 p.m.

Bible School - 9:30 a.m.

Wednesday

Bible Study - 7:00 p.m.

(at the building)

Our weekly Sunday morning  
worship service, Sunday evening  
class & Wednesday night  
Bible class are live streamed  
on our Facebook page.

### 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
- ✝ Michigan Christian Youth Camp
- ✝ Nigeria
- ✝ Shults-Lewis Children's Home

### ELDER CHAIRMAN

**Bill Nocita**

### WORSHIP ATTENDANTS

September 1, 2024

Opening Prayer - Craig Sims

Song Leader - Bill Nocita

Bible Reading - Byron Bledsoe

Sermon - Ron Sanders

#### Communion servants

Byron Bledsoe                      Steve Karwowski

Jay Kramer                      Dean Stewart

Craig Sims

#### Audio visual servitor

Willis Williams IV

### FOR THE RECORD

August 25, 2024

Bible School	45
Sunday Morning Worship	84
Avg. attendance for 2024	84
Sunday Evening	20
Mid-week Bible Study (includes ladies class)	31
Contribution	\$3,889.00
Avg. contribution for 2024	\$4,452.55
Budget	\$3,744.00
Shults-Lewis	\$25.00
Total for 2024	\$1,264.55