

Sunday, January 15	
Greeters	Mark & Jane Biles
Bible Reading	Will Fletcher
Devotional Prayer	Chuck Cleghorn
Song Leader (AM & PM)	James Rogers
Worship Prayer	Jerry Hall
Lord's Table	
(B) Aaron Fletcher	(J) Harry James
Bryant Addison	(O) Josh Jones
Windell Denney	Rex Free
Jimmy Jones	Tom Wilkerson
Announcements	Brent James
Dismissal Prayer	Matt Addison
Control Room (Sunday & Wednesday)	
-Streaming	Preston Grover
-Songs/Audio	Aaron Fletcher
Prepare Communion	Heather & Kylie Beth Hood
Sunday Evening	
Opening Prayer	Marl Fuller
Dismissal Prayer	Brex Fuller
Wednesday, January 18	
Song Leader	Mark Biles
Closing Prayer	Kenneth Grover
Ushers	David Scarbrough-Houston Hutto
Lock Building	Larry Little-David Scarbrough

Sunday, January 22	
Greeters	Tom & Melonee Wilkerson
Bible Reading	Mark Biles
Devotional Prayer	Jamie Patterson
Song Leader (AM & PM)	Tim Hester
Worship Prayer	Paul Rogers
Lord's Table	
(B) Sam Scott	(J) Larry Little
Larry Peebles	(O) Houston Hutto
Frank Pitts	Danny Standridge
Rayford Morgan	Roger McCaghren
Announcements	Ken Nelson
Dismissal Prayer	Roger Thomas
Control Room (Sunday & Wednesday)	
-Streaming	Chris James
-Songs/Audio	Harry James
Prepare Communion	Julie Carter-Emily Owens
Sunday Evening	
Opening Prayer	Casey Pirtle
Dismissal Prayer	Nathan Lee
Wednesday, January 25	
Song Leader	Ben Rogers
Closing Prayer	Tim LeMay
Ushers	Chris Hood-Matt Addison
Lock Building	Larry Little-David Scarbrough



Six Things Not Found at The Judgment

The Bible speaks often of the moment of reckoning, when the righteous and wicked dead (John 5:28-29) and all living (Matthew 25:31-33) will stand before the King of kings to give account for the conduct of the body (2 Corinthians 5:10).

As we attempt to paint a mental picture of the Judgment Day, some things should not be envisioned because they will not be there. There will not be any:

- Unbelievers (Philippians 2:10; Revelation 1:5-7)
- Material possessions (2 Peter 3:10)
- Mistrials (Acts 17:31)
- Secrets (Romans 2:16)
- Baptisms (Matthew 25:31-46)
- Invitation songs (Matthew 25:10)

There will be a righteous Judge who will give a fair trial to every individual. All will give an account. An eternal sentence will be handed down based upon one’s life and acceptance or rejection of Christ’s sacrifice.

There will be no parole, stay of execution, or pardon for the lost. All of us will need abundant grace to be able to stand at His right side, and Scripture tells us how that is extended. We must prepare for that in this life (Hebrews 9:27).

Neal Pollard

“I saw the dead, small and great, standing before God” (Revelation 20:12).

January 2023

December '22							February '23						
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Sam & Ida Scott	2	3 Chris & Heather Hood	4	5 Jagger Pitz	6 Tim LeMay Erin Rogers	7 Anna Barker
8 Jacob & Chy Hutto	9	10 Chris Hood Debbie Hicks	11	12	13 Brittany Liles	14 Larry & Anita Peebles
15	16	17 Chandler James Kay Little	18	19	20	21 Larry Little Mary Louise Thomas
22 Lori Grover Elders Meeting Card Signing	23	24	25	26	27 Myrtis Jones	28 Midway Ladies Day
29	30	31	1 Philip Waldrep	2	3	4 Megan Pitz



SICK

- Veronica Martinez, Andrews sister, had surgery for a tumor on her appendix. Address...P.O. Box 1047, Carrizo Springs, TX 78834.
- Gail Hembree, friend of several at Midway, fell and broke her hip. Address...1808 Old Moulton Rd. Decatur, AL 35601.

What is Your Focus?

A New Year is before us. What your heart is focused on is eternally important. Jesus said, “For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also (Matthew 6:21). Are you passionate to have a heart like Jesus, and to focus on what He was focused on? A heart like Jesus is a pure heart. “Blessed are the pure in heart, For they shall see God” (Matthew 5:8). Purity of heart requires patience, decency, and discretion. A heart like Jesus is meek and humble. “Take My yoke upon you and learn from Me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls” (Matthew 11:29). Christians must take heart or take courage (John 16:33). Life has difficulties and where you heart is will determine your reaction. A strong spiritual heart will get you through life and prepare you to be with God eternally. Is your heart right with God and loving toward man?

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ASK FOR THE OLD PATHS

Christianity is not some newfangled way gotten up in modern times by men more zealous than well informed. Christianity is The whole of the New Testament. Anything in religion which is not as old as the New Testament is no part of Christianity. The “Old Paths” for us are the ways traveled by the apostles and early Christians who were guided into all the truth by the Holy Spirit (Jeremiah 6:16; John 16:13). The New Testament gives us a history of the church of Christ for nearly three quarters of a century. You should choose that church today, and make your life as a member of it conform to the New Testament doctrine.

– Gus Nichols



RECOMMENDED RESOURCES

Todd Clippard has committed to reading the Bible daily and sharing his thoughts on each day’s reading with you. A missionary, he brings a global perspective to his writing, while remaining down-to-earth. Join us each day in the reading, and share your thoughts as well. To check it out, go to chatertochapter.com. Other helpful websites include: thebible.net; wvbs.com; apologeticspress.org; christiancourier.com; gbntv.org.

ELDERS

Roger Thomas  
Brent James  
Nathan Lee

MINISTER

David Barker

DEACONS

**Benevolence**  
Deacons: Windell Denney

**Visitations**  
Deacons: All

**Education**  
Deacons: Jamie Patterson, Houston Hutto

**Missions**  
Deacons: Larry Little

**Youth**  
Deacons: Matt Addison

**Building & Grounds**  
Deacons: Jamie Patterson, Aaron Fletcher

**Technology**  
Deacons: Tim Hester

**Worship Assignments**  
Deacons: Matt Addison

PULPIT PREVIEW TODAY

Both Moses and Abraham are called a friend of God (Exo.33:11; James 2:23; Isa.41:8). Enoch and Noah are said to have “walked with God” (Gen.5:22; Gen.6:9). King David is known as “a man after God’s own heart” (I Sam.13:14). As we worship today, we plan to explore how all of us can be God’s friend.



The Thursday morning Ladies Class meets at 10 a.m. in the fellowship hall and they are currently involved in a study entitled – Side by Side. This is a study on how to encourage and bring out the best in each other. The Monday evening men’s class resumes tomorrow at 6:30 in the fellowship hall. The first study of the new year focuses on I Peter 2 and being living stones in God’s spiritual house. Kelli Barker will provide chili for the men.

MONTHLY AREA-WIDE YOUTH NIGHT

Our brethren at the New Antioch congregation will host the area youth this evening. Our bus will leave immediately following worship this evening. Please see Chris and Aaron for details. We pray our youth can be “an example to the believers, in speech, in conduct, in love, in faith, in purity” (I Timothy 4:12).



Ladies Day at Midway Church of Christ  
Guest Speaker Celine Sparks  
Saturday, January 28, 2023  
Registration: 8:30 AM – 9:00 AM  
Lessons begin at 9:00 AM  
Lunch to follow at 11:30

Blessed Unity

There is too much division in the religious world. God wants all to unite under the banner of the cross and with the gospel of His Son. Paul wrote that we should endeavor “to keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace” (Ephesians 4:3). By doing so, we can be:

- Children in one family
  - One Father (John 20:17)
- Disciples in one school
  - One Teacher (John 13:13-35)
- Sheep in one flock
  - One Shepherd (John 10:16)
- Members of one body
  - One Head (Ephesians 4:15)
- Stones in one building
  - One Foundation (1 Corinthians 3:11; 1 Peter 2:5)

AN ALL-PURPOSE BOOK

The Bible contains a message for every state of mind of man:

- When we are grieved, it provides comfort (1 Thessalonians 4:18).
- When we are happy, it adds greater joy (Matthew 5:3-12; Romans 14:17; Philippians 4:4).
- When we are discouraged, it gives us courage (1 Kings 18-19; Galatians 6:9; Psalm 46:1).
- When we are lonely, it reminds us we are never alone (2 Timothy 4:17; Hebrews 13:5).
- When we are dying, it gives us assurance (Psalm 23).

God’s Word is a:

- Medicine when our hearts are broken (Proverbs 4:20 -23).
- Fire to warm our souls (Jeremiah 23:29).
- Hammer to break our addictions (Jeremiah 23:29).
- Seed to grow righteousness in our hearts (Luke 8:11).
- Sword to war against Satan and spiritual wickedness (Hebrews 4:12).
- Honeycomb to delight our taste (Psalm 19:10).
- Light to guide us home (Psalm 119:105).
- “Learn of me” (Matthew 11:29).

House to House ~ Heart to Heart



Upcoming EVENTS  
Make Plans to Be a Part

- Tonight, Devo at New Antioch.
- January 16, Men’s Class resumes 6:30 P.M.
- January 28, Ladies Day, Celine Sparks.