



CHILDREN

Our Nursery and Children’s programs offer a warm and caring atmosphere and are well supervised. Nursery and Pre-school classrooms are located along the entry hallway. A Junior Church service for grades 1st - 5th is located upstairs.

COMMUNION

Jesus gave us this memorial to call our attention each week to the price He paid for our sins - death on a cross. All Christians are invited to participate in communion and meditate on God’s love and grace.

OFFERING

Those of us who have committed our lives to Jesus give out of love to support His work here on earth. If you are a guest with us today, you are welcome to express your gratitude by giving but do not feel pressured.

DECISIONS

Near the end of the service an invitation is extended. It is an opportunity for you to walk forward to make your intention known to accept Jesus as your Savior, rededicate your life, transfer your membership to this congregation, or ask for prayer and spiritual counsel.

BAPTISM

You may witness a baptism today. Immersion in water pictures the death and burial of our old life without Jesus and the beginning of our new life as His follower. It is the moment when God’s grace unites with our faith providing forgiveness of sins and the gift of the Holy Spirit.

INFORMATION

To request more information about the Christian life, this Church, or how we may minister more effectively to your needs, please come to the table at the front at the conclusion of the service.

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Elders

Mike Baker : David Brothers : Jim Cormode : Bill Griffin : Glenn McGinnis (Chair)

First Time Guests

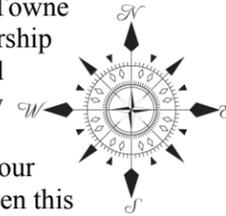
Our minister wants to meet you; he’ll be at the Welcome Table just for you immediately after the benediction. Also, there’s a gift for you at the table!

Women’s Community Group

There is a place for you in a women’s Community Group meeting 1st and 3rd Sunday evenings at 6:00 this fall to fellowship and study The Death and Resurrection of Messiah, a DVD series by Ray Vander Laan. Location is the home of Beth BonDurant, 701 First Street. Just show up on September 21 or call 312-3903 or email beth.bondurant@macuniversity.edu.

DISCOVERY 101 – October 6 & 13 – SIGN UP NOW!!

If you’ve been visiting with us and want to know more about Towne South Church of Christ, if you’ve been thinking about membership at Towne South, or if you’ve never attended the Discovery 101 class, let me encourage you to do so. Our goal is to eventually have every member and attendee complete this class. If you want to discover more about living the Christian life, some of our basic beliefs, and Towne South’s over-all plan and strategy, then this class is for you!



Go to <https://tscoc.wufoo.com/forms/discovery-101/> to register for next class.

Discovery 201 – October 20 and 27

How would you like to grow closer to the Lord? Maybe you need a boost in your relationship with the Lord. If so, Discovery 201 is the seminar for you. The focus of this class is on the habits every Christian needs to develop in order to grow spiritually. Habits such as Bible study, prayer, fellowship and stewardship. This class equips you with the skills you need to begin these habits and explains the tools you need to continue these habits. Go to <https://tscoc.wufoo.com/forms/discovery-201/> to register for the next class.

Women’s Ministry Women’s Study

Wednesday Night Bible study is meeting at 6:30 pm at the church building. We are studying through the book of Hebrews.

Are You New To Towne South Since May 2014?

On Sunday evening, October 5, at 6 p.m., the leadership is planning a welcoming reception for those who have started attending Towne South since May 2014 (when we had the last such reception). There will be a meal, a time of fellowship, a little introduction to Towne South, and an opportunity to ask questions. There will be an effort to send out invitations, but it is very possible that we might miss you—if so, just e-mail Brad (bgiffin@tscoc.com), telling him that you would like to attend. We welcome you!

Mexico 2015

Towne South will be organizing a mission trip to Mexico in June 2015. If you have any interest in finding out more details on this trip or how you can be a part of it, we will be having a short informational at 10:45 AM on Sunday, October 12th. The meeting will be in the Attic.

Community Groups

A grand place to enjoy fellowship, study, prayer toward genuine Christian growth—that’s a description of our community groups. If you are not in one but would like to be, contact Brad at either 252.619.4303 or bgiffin@tscoc.com.



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Cleaning Teams

Oct 11	Emily Beamon, Janel Shaw, Terry Thomas, Carol Adams, Debbie Priddy, Jennifer Ankey, John Crisp, Lindsay Lee
Oct 18	Jeff/Karen Wood, Mike Baker, Gloria Rogers, Beverly McCoy, Brandon Chappell, Jill Boyer

Communion

October	Kilroy
November	Cailtin

Flower Bed

Oct 5-11	Bobby Adams
Oct 12-18	Bill Griffin

Greeters

Oct 5	Marion Everett & Lori White
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Oct 12	Danny & Carol Flowers
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Oct 19	Ken & Susanne Edwards
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Oct 26	Gragg & Laura Harkins
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Nursery

9:30-Ryleigh Russ-Oshea & Janel Shaw 10:30-Xanda Harris, Alex & Jenea 11:30-Patricia Baker & Geanine Bullock
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9:30-Karen Wood & Sarah Lane 10:30-Pam Hagan & Lisa Romano 11:30-Kris & Todd Pelton

9:30-Carol & Cassidy Flowers 10:30-Nate & Katie Anderson 11:30-Shelley & Emily Greene

9:30-Winnie Wiseman & Marie Miller 10:30-Roseanna Brothers & Clara Thomas 11:30-Erica Garvin & Heather Riley
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ARK & JAM Leaders

Please remember to check the rotation schedule and pick up your lesson plans.

Parents of K-5th Grades

Please remember to “check” your children “IN and OUT” of the Nursery, ARK (preschool) and JAM (K-5th grades)!



	Class	This Week	Next Week
9:30am	ARK	Haley Giffin	Haley Giffin
	JAM	Darren & Stephanie Grubb	Bradley & Tracy Davenport
11:30am	ARK	Jennifer & Olivia Mann	Susanne Edwards
	JAM	Laura Harkins	Rachel Hayes

Financial Stewardship

General Fund-September

Last Week	\$3,842.00
Monthly Total	\$22,530.47
Monthly Budget	\$22,677.24
Percentage Met.....	99%

Budget through end of August

Budgeted Income	\$198,423
Actual Income	\$180,418
Over/Under	\$18,005

Attendance

Last Week

Sunday School	N/A
Morning Worship.....	209

Average for 2014

Sunday School	92
Morning Worship.....	265

September Average

Morning Worship	252
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Praise the Lord: The Dollar Club has been able to transfer \$9,214 from the general fund to benevolence to help those in need in 2014!

Our Story Continues

Our Story Continues is a 2-year capital campaign to raise funds for the new addition and parking lot. Many have made a monthly commitment to this campaign.

Our Story Continues - September

Last Week.....	\$1,030	Monthly Budget.....	\$11,913.76
Monthly Total.....	\$7,211	Percentage Met	61%

Climbing Higher Prom

The Climbing Higher Prom will be held on **Friday October 10, 6 to 8 pm** at Towne South Church of Christ. This year's theme is **"Moon River"**

This is an event for adults with intellectual and Development disabilities and their families.

The Prom is made possible through generous donations of concerned business and individuals. This event cost about \$1,000. We can't do it without people like you. We need monetary gifts and food. Also if you would like to come and help service we would appreciate the help.

If you are able to donate in any way please see Gay Murray or call her at 333-5164. Thank you in advance for you gift!



Men's Bible Studies

Wednesday Morning

Joins us at 6:15 am on Wednesday mornings here at the church as we continue our study in Romans!

Wednesday Evening

Men, see if you agree with this line of reasoning: *Strong men make strong families, strong families make strong churches, and strong churches will transform the World.* Come out on Wednesday evenings from 6:30-7:30 to receive the help, encouragement, and instruction we all need in order to be the strong men that God intends for us to be.

The study will be a six week DVD driven study entitled: *A Man and His Design.* We'll explore the basic foundations of authentic manhood and God's clear design for men. We will meet in the Faith Café beginning Wednesday October 1. Please sign up if you plan to attend. Each man will need to purchase a training guide for \$10 There's a sign up at the information table or email bgiffin@tscoc.com Plan to attend and invite a friend.

Thursday Evening

A new men's study group is meeting at the home of Glenn McGinnis 602 Pitts Chapel Rd, E-City on Thursdays from 7 to 8:30 pm. Why not come and join us for a time of study and prayer as we attempt to grow closer to our God. Contact Glenn with questions or for more information at glenn_58@glennmcginnis.com.



Sermon Series: Foundations for the Church

In the next couple of weeks we will be laying the foundation for our new building addition. We are excited and look forward to all the ways this facility will be used to reach people for Jesus Christ. But without a solid foundation the rest of the building will falter. This is not only true in the physical sense it is also true in a spiritual sense. Jesus taught us that a wise man builds his house upon the rock.



Just as we want to be sure that the physical foundation for our new addition is solid, so we also want to make sure that the spiritual foundation of the church is solid. Over the next couple of months, I want us to look at several bedrock principles that will enable the church to be a strong, growing and healthy church. A church that is characterized by these principles will be a God-honoring church and that's what we want to be.

God has great things planned for Towne South. Come, bring a friend, and be a part of the great things God wants to do in this place.

Welcome!!!

Please say welcome to our new Towne South family member Linda Peserik who placed her membership with us on September 21st! Please take a moment to greet her and make her feel welcome when you see her today!



Prayer

During the time between the services, there will be a time for men to gather for prayer. We will meet for about 5 minutes in the hallway behind the kitchen at 11:15 am. See Glenn McGinnis for more information.

Dollar Club!

Just a reminder: every Sunday \$1 is taken from the general offering and moved to the \$1 club for everyone in attendance. So, we pray that you are remembering to add at least \$1 to your regular offering to help those who have significant needs and that you are praying for these people.

Church Activities

This Week's Activities

Wednesday.....	Men's Bible Study @ 6:15am
	Camp JAM & Youth @ 6:30pm
	Ladies' Small Group @ 6:30pm
	Praise Band Practice @ 6:00pm
	Men's Bible Study @ 6:30pm
Thursday	High School Youth/Jonathans @ 8:00pm
	Men's Bible Study @ 7:00pm

Upcoming Activities

Oct 6 & 13.....	Discovery 101
Oct 10.....	Climbing Higher Prom
Oct 12.....	Mexico 2015 Meeting
Oct 20 & 27.....	Discovery 201
Nov 2.....	Daylight Savings Time Ends

Please Note!!

For your safety and the safety of our children, security recording devices are in use in this building.



Welcome to
towneSouth
CHURCH OF CHRIST
Bringing Today's People into a lifelong relationship with Jesus Christ

Worship through Praise

*Our God Saves
Jesus Firm Foundation
Here Is Our King*

Worship Through Giving

Paul Pipkin

Revelation Song

Worship Through Remembrance

Glenn McGinnis

Worship Through Scriptures

Brad Giffin

Invitation

Jesus Be the Center

Prayer

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