

SUNDAY AM	June 11, 2023	June 18, 2023
ANNOUNCE	Ed O'Dell	Ed O'Dell
SONGLEADER	Mike Carpenter	Mike Bungard
READING	John Stephens	Stacy White
PRAYER	Dwain Shears	Mark Vaughan
COMMUNION	Tyler Vaughan	Roy Clark
USHER	Adam Carpenter	Roy Clark
Sound Room	Stacy White	Stacy White
SUNDAY PM		
SONGLEADER	Tyler Vaughan	Josiah Clark
READING	Josiah Clark	John Carter
PRAYER	Noah Carpenter	Roy Clark
COMMUNION	Mark Vaughan	Ed O'Dell
Wednesday	June 14, 2023	June 21, 2023
Invitation	Mike Carpenter	Ed O'Dell
Song Leader	Tyler Vaughan	Tyler Vaughan

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How to be Saved

Hear: Romans 10:14
Believe: Hebrews 11:6
Repent: Acts 17:30
Confess Jesus as Savior: Acts 8:36-37
Be Baptized: Acts 2:38

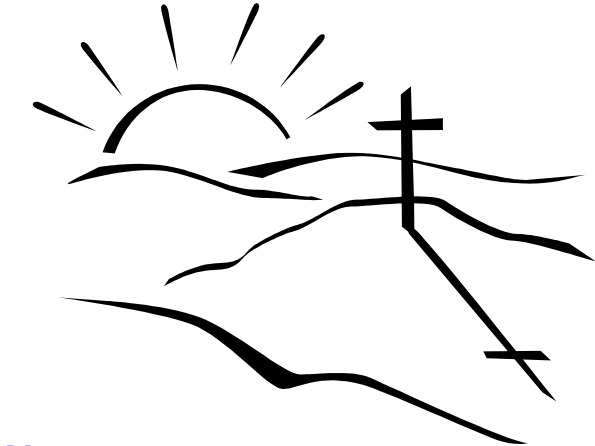
Sunday June 4, 2023

Bible Study	25
Morning Worship	42
Evening Worship	22
Offering	\$1453.00
Wednesday	18

Attendance Goal 80
2023 Baptisms 0
2023 Restorations 1

Meeting Times:

Sunday Bible Class 9:30AM
Sunday Morning Worship 10:30AM
Sunday Evening Worship 6:00PM



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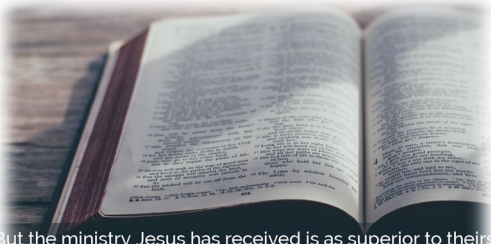
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Welcome to Our Worship

Sunday Morning Message: **Jesus Welcomed Sinners**
Sunday Evening Message: **The Nations left to Israel**

**Seeing the church in the
Minor Prophets —continued**



As we continue our discussion on the church in the minor prophets. We notice that the Hebrew writer returns to a discussion of the Lord’s priestly office in Hebrews 6:19-20: *"This hope we have as an anchor of the soul, both sure and steadfast, and which enters the Presence behind the veil, where the forerunner has entered for us, even Jesus, having become High Priest forever according to the order of Melchizedek."* In chapter 7, the writer continues his analogy between Christ and Melchizedek, identifying the ancient ruler as both king and priest of Salem. Throughout the chapter, the writer contrasts the priesthood of Melchizedek with the Levitical priesthood. In so doing, he makes clear that Christ could never be a priest on earth because He was of the tribe of Judah, not the priestly tribe of Levi (Heb. 7:14).

In Hebrews eight, the writer summaries his compelling arguments on the priesthood:

Hebrews 8:1-4 (ESV) Now the point in what we are saying is this: we have such a high priest, one who is seated at the right hand of the throne of the Majesty in heaven, a minister in the holy places, in the true tent that the Lord set up, not man. For every high priest is appointed to offer gifts and sacrifices; thus it is necessary for this priest also to have something to offer. Now if he were on earth, he would not be a priest at all, since there are priests who offer gifts according to the law.

Thus, the prophecy of Zechariah 6:12-13 and the Hebrews passages cited combine to produce an irrefutable argument that Christ is reigning both as King and High Priest over His kingdom, the church. We not only see the church in this powerful prophecy, we see how the prophecy and tis fulfillment forevermore defeat the false premise of premillennialism. Therefore, the whole system falls under the weight of this testimony.

For His Glory—Elvis Galbreath



- Monday, June 12: Elders & Preacher meeting 4:30pm
- Sunday, June 18: Happy Father’s Day
- Sunday-Friday, June 18—23: OVCYC Senior Week Bible Camp ages 14-19
- Sunday-Friday, June 25—30: OVCYC Intermediate Week Bible Camp ages 11-14
- Sunday, July 2: Evening song Service
- Tuesday, July 4: Happy 4th of July

PRAYER

Cast all your anxieties on him, because he cares for you.
- 1 Peter 5:7

- † Please keep Donnie Hendershot in your prayers. He is still very weak, and his legs hurt when he walks. He is scheduled to see the doctors next week. He is still losing blood.
- † Please keep praying for Carol Johnson, she is back in the area now and living right across from the church. 76 Timber Lane, Parkersburg, WV 26104
- † Please pray for Judy, Ruth Lemon's daughter, she has to go to Cleveland about every two weeks to get the fluid drained from her stomach the liver is causing. She goes to the kidney doctor in July.
- † Remember Kathy Simons as she is now living in North Carolina. Her address is: Kathy Simmons 5687 NC Hwy 41 W. Trenton, NC 28585
- † Ruth Lemon is doing some better with her shaking.
- † Margaret O'Dell is still having difficulty with her hip and walking.
- † Please keep Jeff Dunn and his family in your prayers as he has taken a turn for the worst.
- † Please keep Jennifer Parsons in your prayers as she is dealing with a heart condition called SVT. She asked for prayers for courage, wisdom, and the right medication to help.
- † Oakley was going through a slight episode of rejection of her liver. The have increased her medication and put her on steroids. She is now up to 21 pounds.

Family & Friends In Need of Prayer

Please provide an update every 4 weeks

Dan Carpenter Sr.	Davy Dye	Helen McIntyre
Robert Dotson	Diane Knox	Wes McIntyre
Megan Dougherty	Janice Martin	Bill Spears
		Martha Whited

Birthdays

Ed O'Dell 6/12
Stacey Robinson 6/15
Angie White 6/17

Anniversaries
None



OVCYC Bible Camp

Senior Week
June 18-23, ages 14-19
Intermediate Week
June 25-30, ages 11-14
Junior Week
July 9-14, ages 8-11

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The Demise of the Sunday Night Service

Traditions come and go. One such tradition in American churches is the Sunday evening service. It's unclear when the tradition started, but records would indicate that churches have been holding evening services for well over 100 years. In recent history, there has been a sharp decline in those who attend Sunday evening services. Even in strong and thriving churches and to the dismay of church leaders, Sunday night attendance numbers continue to be dismal. Since the COVID-19 pandemic, some congregations have discontinued the evening service completely. As a result, church members no longer have to feel guilty about "forsaking the assembly" on Sunday evening and can now enjoy pastimes and pleasures without remorse. Some preachers are relieved, no longer having to prepare an additional Sunday sermon since services have now been cut by a third. Folks who may miss the morning worship for various reasons will not have the opportunity to worship the Lord on the "first day of the week". I would predict that the Sunday evening service will soon be a thing of the past, gone with other "old time" traditions such as the two week gospel meeting.

So what guidance can God's word give us concerning the demise of the Sunday evening service? Only one passage comes to mind. "Therefore, to him who knows to do good and does not do it, to him it is sin." (James 4:17) Now, we must ask ourselves, "Is meeting together with other Christians for singing, praying, giving, sharing God's word, and partaking of the Lord's Supper on Sunday evening a good thing?" If we are honest with ourselves, I think we all know deep down what the answer is and should be.

Jay Launius –
2023 Maud church of Christ Maud, Texas

Jesus Welcomed Sinners

In Luke 5:32, _____ said that the reason He came was "to _____ ... Sinners to _____."

I. Why _____

Luke 5:27-29

"Tax Collector"—

Luke 3:13

Matthew 17:24

Luke said that Jesus "_____ " Levi.

II. Why _____

Luke 5:30-32

Luke 14:26-27

Luke 14:33

Romans 3:22-24

Luke 18:10-14

III. Why _____

Luke 5:33-35

Luke 18:12

2 Samuel 12:16

Luke 11:1

Judges 14:17

Luke 4:18

The Nations Left to Test Israel

Following the _____ of the judge, the people would "_____ back" to their former way of _____.

I. Anger of the _____

Judges 2:20

Judges 2:14

The Lord accused Israel of _____ the covenant He had made with their _____.

Exodus 3:7

Israel had "_____ "

Joshua 24:1-2

Joshua 24:14

Judges 3:4

Judges 2:1-5

II. The power of the _____

Judges 2:21

Exodus 23:29-30

Exodus 34:11

Psalms 68:34-35

Daniel 2:37

III. In order to _____

Judges 2:22-23

Exodus 16:4

Deuteronomy 31:16-22

Judges 2:6-10