

## September

Sept 29 5th Sunday Fellowship Lunch; no 6:00 p.m. services

Sept 30 Seven @ Seven

## October

Oct 01 Winfield Rest Haven Devotional; van leaves at 6:30 p.m.

Oct 02 Pizza in the basement at 6:30 p.m.

Oct 05 Ladies Tea at Ark City Church of Christ

Oct 06-09 Gospel Meeting at Ark City Church of Christ

Oct 07 Seven @ Seven

Oct 12 Teen Pumpkin Carving Contest; LeFlore's, 5:00 to 7:30

## GOSPEL MEETING AT ARK CITY CHURCH OF CHRIST

There is a gospel meeting at the Arkansas City Church of Christ, October 6-9. The theme is *“THE CHRISTIAN & THE CULTURE: Raising Christ-Centered Kids in a Self Centered World,”* featuring Tyler Young. Schedule and lessons are as follows: Sunday Morning Bible Class—9:30, Cosmic Conflict; Sunday Morning Worship—10:30, Kids in Crisis; Sunday Evening Worship—4:00, Who's in Charge; Monday Evening—7:00, Crucifixion; Cross-Centered Kids in a Self Centered World, Part 1; Tuesday Evening—7:00, Transformation; Cross-Centered Kids in a Self Centered World, Part 2; Wednesday Evening—7:00, Strategy For Victory; What Can We Do To Keep Our Kids.

## PUMPKIN CARVING COMPETITION FOR TEENS

Teens, there is a Pumpkin Carving Competition being held at Wes & Kendall's home on Saturday, October 12 from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Mark your calendars and make plans to come for pumpkin carving, food, devotional and fun.

## WESTVIEW BOYS HOME DATE CHANGE

The pick-up date has changed! So there is still plenty of time to get your bags here. Don't forget to get them filled and return them October 13.

## MILLION DOLLAR SUNDAY

Eastern European Mission's Million Dollar Sunday will be November 3, 2019.

## CHILDREN'S CHURCH SCHEDULE

**We need volunteers! Sign up across from the office!**

### September

Sept 29 Shelly Brown & Louise Kirkwood

### October

Oct 06 Brenda Kline & Lyndsey Turney

Oct 13 Linda Wartick & Louise Kirkwood

Oct 20 \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_

Oct 27 Shelly Brown & \_\_\_\_\_



## FROM THE PREACHERS DESK

### How to Tell

Over the past weeks as I have studied the Bible in preparation for what I would preach regarding the topic of financial giving, I have also read and listened to a large number of teachings on the subject.

The teachings are all over the place! There's little wonder that there's so much confusion and skepticism regarding giving to the church.

I thought it would be beneficial for this article to give a practical warning. I want to show you how to identify a false message regarding giving.

There are many things that could be said, but there is one bit of advice I would give you that, to me, stands out above all others and it is to ask yourself this simple question:

“Does the message I just heard get me excited about the possibility of being rich?” If the answer is yes, it is most likely a false, “prosperity gospel” message.

The trouble with the messages that get you excited about getting rich is that there is some truth in them. There is just enough truth to make you believe what most people are desperate to believe – that God wants them to be wealthy.

Also, consider the examples of Jesus, the Apostles and Paul. These were the most powerfully influential people in Christianity, yet none of them were rich in money or possessions. They were rich in good deeds, teaching, preaching and here's another you probably didn't consider – they were rich in persecutions, even unto death.

Financial giving overflows from the heart and is born of grace by faith. We're to give with no expectations understanding Jesus' promise from the Sermon on the Mount:

Matthew 6:33 - ***But seek first His kingdom and His righteousness, and all these things will be added to you.***

Do you know what that means? It means that you can be as generous as you want! It means that if you are seeking Heaven first and seeking righteousness first, above everything else, you can live the most worry-free life of anyone in the world because you know that God is always going to give you what you need.

When you leave worship services, don't be excited about the  
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## PRAYER LIST

**Addah Gadson**-sister of Judy Lewis, fighting cancer, struggling with treatments and blood clots

**Dale Hines**-gal bladder surgery; in room 211 in SCH

**Yvonne Bennett**-dealing with cancer

**Erin Richwine**-friend of Louise Kirkwood, motorcycle accident in rehab in Nebraska

**Kenny Howell**-recovering after surgery

**Sandy Albin**-will be going to the Mayo Clinic in October for testing

**Dorothy Crisler**-doing much better and healing nicely

## EXPRESSION OF SYMPATHY

We express our deepest sympathy to the Kline, Turney and Pettegrew families on the death of Brenda's mother, Josephine Mercer. Josephine passed away Monday. Her services were Friday in Conway Springs. Keep this family in your prayers.

## LADIES FALL TEA AT ARKANSAS CITY

The ladies of the Arkansas City Church of Christ are having a tea for ladies and girls, Saturday, October 5 from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. The theme is “Kind Words Are Like Honey; sweet to the soul and healthy for the body” (Proverbs 16:24). Speakers will be local ladies and girls. Helen Norris will be going if you want to ride with her.

## WWWG CONFERENCE KICK-OFF!

The 2020 Women Walking with God theme is “Fix Your Eyes Upon Jesus.” There will be a Conference Kick-Off on Sunday October 6 at 2:00 p.m. at Northside Church of Christ or you can watch it live on Facebook at 2:30 p.m.

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possibility of God making you rich. Be excited that God has saved you from eternity in hell. Be excited that God has called you to join Him in His good work. Be excited that God has given you the privilege to be generous with what He's given to you. Be excited to know that if you see a need, you can help with that need with no fear that God will not replenish you.

Be excited to be a part of God's family – the richest family in the world.

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**THOSE WHO SERVE**

**SUNDAY, 10:30 AM**  
 SCRIPTURE READING  
 PRAYER  
 COMMUNION

**September 29**  
 Mike Neal  
 Ed Newberry  
 Parker Dodds, David Pierce  
 Alan Shields, Joe Church  
 Tom Kirkwood, David Carroll  
 Rex Harris

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 DISMISSAL PRAYER

**SUNDAY, 6:00 PM**  
 PRAYER  
 COMMUNION  
 DISMISSAL PRAYER

**September 29**  
 Tom Kirkwood  
 David Pierce, Alan Shields  
 Rex Harris

**WEDNESDAY, 7:00 PM**  
 LEAD SINGING  
 DISMISSAL PRAYER

**October 2**  
 Alan Shields  
 Mike Neal

**ATTENDANCE**

**SUNDAY—September 22**

BIBLE CLASS.....65  
 A.M. WORSHIP.....110  
 P.M. WORSHIP.....49  
 CONTRIBUTION.....\$2,435

**WEDNESDAY—September 25**

Auditorium—37    Teens—8    Bible Hour—14    Nursery—6  
**Total—65**

**COMMUNION PREP**

October    Kevin Dodds

**COORDINATOR**

October    Mike Neal

**ELDERS**

Rex Harris    Marvin Kline  
 Ed Newberry    Tom Norris

**SCHEDULE OF SERVICES**

*Sunday*

Bible Classes.....9:30 A.M.  
 Worship.....10:30 A.M.  
 Children's Worship.10:30 A.M.  
 Evening Worship.....6:00 P.M.  
 Children's Class.....6:00 P.M.

**DEACONS**

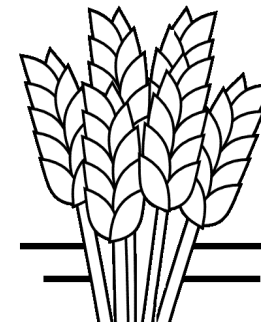
Kevin Dodds    Aaron Hines  
 Leroy Lewis    Mike Neal  
 David Pierce    Alan Shields

*Wednesday*

Ladies Bible Class...9:30 A.M.  
 Bible Class.....7:00 P.M.

**MINISTER**

Wes LeFlore



*“Reaching Inward, Outward  
 Upward, Downward”*

**Wellington  
 Church of Christ**

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**ORDER OF WORSHIP**

September 29, 2019

Call to Worship

Song #480    “Blessed Assurance” (vs 1, 3)

Song #91    “Praise to the Lord, the Almighty” (vs. 1, 4)

Prayer

Scripture    Psalm 37:1-6

Song #4    “To God Be the Glory”

Lord's Supper

Song #96    “I Stand in Awe”

Song    “Make a Joyful Noise”

Lesson

Song #483    “Is It for Me?” (vs. 1, 2, 4)

Closing Prayer

*Every Sunday during the sermon we offer Children's Church to boys and girls ages 3 years through 2nd grade. They will meet in the study for stories, crafts and learning about Jesus.*