

To know HIM and to make HIM known



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Service Times

Sunday:

Bible Study.....9:45am
Worship.....10:45am

LifeGroups

Hannigan.....5:30pm
Denham.....5:30pm
Reynolds.....6:00pm
Morris.....5:00pm

Wednesday:

Bible Study.....7-8:00pm

Weekly Newsletter of the Kanawha City Church of Christ

BUILDING LASTING FRIENDSHIPS

Genuine friends are rare treasures. In a very limited way, they are shadows of the perfect fellowship experienced within the Trinity. We are made in God's image (Gen. 1:27); one aspect of this truth is that the Lord created us for meaningful relationships. In fact, it's difficult to flourish if we live in isolation. By God's design, we are made to share life with others, as well as to give and receive love.

Friendships come in various degrees—from surface relationships to intimate fellowship. Although you may have many acquaintances, you might remain lonely unless you have at least one or two close friends. If God has blessed you with an intimate friendship, be diligent to devote time and effort to develop and cultivate it.

Jonathan and David exemplified this type of closeness. One was a prince and the other was a shepherd, so they seemed like improbable companions. However, status didn't matter to them. Besides demonstrating humility, they also showed great respect for each other's faith and love for Israel. They both felt as committed as brothers and gave generously of themselves. For example, the robe Jonathan gave David—a prized possession of the king's son—was evidence of his loyalty and love (1 Samuel 18:4). He even risked his life and reputation in order to save David (1 Samuel 20:30-34).

Do you have a person like this in your life—someone with whom to share your joys and sorrows, strengths and weaknesses, fears and pain? Thankfully, Jesus is the best friend we can have, but we also need close relationships with others. What can you do today to build this type of friendship?

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PRIVILEGED TO SERVE

April 22, 2018

MORNING ASSEMBLY

Front Greeter: Debbie Derenburger
Usher: Tom McNeely
Worship Leader: Tom Hannigan
Opening Prayer: Carson Henley
Communion Preside: Josh Rogers
Serve East: Herb Kinder
Tom Winnell
Serve West: Alex Derenburger
Bob Midkiff
Scripture Reading: Duane Scyoc
Closing Prayer: Chris Morris
Contribution Tally: C & S Denham
Sound Booth: Steve Dale
PowerPoint: Pete Williams
Nursery: Goldie Jackson
Assistant: Alaina Morris

WEDNESDAY EVENING

	April 18	April 25
Usher:	Richard Wagner	Paul Estep
Prayer:	Tom McNeely	Bill Reynolds
Sound Booth:	Paul Estep	Tom McNeely

Bible Classes from 7:00-8:00pm

Communion Preparation & Garments: Grace Wagner
Sunday Morning Children's Breakfast Prep: Jane Barber

If you cannot serve as scheduled,
please contact Tom McNeely at 304-346-5212.

ATTENDANCE & CONTRIBUTION

Attendance
Bible Class.....47
Worship.....90
Wednesday.....37
Contribution.....\$2,850.12

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

- **Bill Reynolds**, recovering from knee replacement, room 209 West, CAMC Memorial.
- **Betty Dolin**, mother of Sharon Nichols
- **Glenna Shafer**, Betsy Keene's friend
- **Donna Sowards**
- **Vera Taylor**
- **Paula Garner**
- **April Stewart**
- **Duke and Peggy Bayes**
- **Doug Midkiff**
- **Lanny Markland**
- **Julie Farley**
- **Alan Newhouse**

READ THE BIBLE

If you've fallen behind, no worries... start here and continue together! If you would like to have a printed schedule for the year, there are copies in the foyer. The scriptures to read this week:

Date	Readings	Psalm
4/17	2 Kgs 20-22	107
4/18	2 Kgs 23-25	108
4/19	Isa 1-4	109
4/20	Isa 5-8	110
4/21	Isa 9-12	111
4/22	Isa 13-17	112
4/23	Isa 18-22	113
4/24	Isa 23-27	114
4/25	Isa 28-30	115

LOVE

A class of little children was learning to spell. They spelled a number of words such as cat, dog and cow. After each word they were asked to imitate the sound that the animal makes. When Mary was asked to spell love, she didn't stop to spell the word but ran and threw her arms around the teacher's neck and kissed her on the cheek. "We spell love this way, it is the best way."

DATES TO REMEMBER

April 22nd - 2nd reading of terms and vote.

April 24 - Book Club Meeting, 6pm, at the Southridge Panera Bread. The book we will be reading is: *In the Light of the Garden* by Heather Burch. Everyone is welcome to join us.

April 26 - Young At Heart Breakfast, 10am, please RSVP to Joe Riley or sign the sheet in the foyer.

April 28 - Doug & Danene, along with the Jack Hartley family will be hosting a reception to celebrate the life of Jean Ann Board Hartley at Edgewood Country Club on **April 28** from **3-6pm**. Friends, family, and all who loved and cared for her are invited to join us for food, fellowship, and remembrances.

May 6 - Elders and Deacons Meeting, after worship services in room 17.

May 20 - Baby Shower for Sara Henley, 2-4pm at the church building. Everyone is invited. See Ali Ross for more details.

YOUTH EVENTS

MONTH OF APRIL - Recycling Drive, please send in newspapers and aluminum cans.

APRIL 29 - Recycling Project and Lesson during Bible School hour

MAY 18 - SkyZone

MAY 20 - Children's Lesson and Activity at Danner Meadow Park during LifeGroup

JUNE 10-13 - VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

JUNE 30 - Zoo Trip

JULY 27 - Faith & Family Night - WV Power Park



LIFEGROUP INFORMATION

- **Chuck and Shirley Denham**
5:30-6:30pm Sunday at the building. Studying the Andy Stanley series, *Playing God*. Also serving communion each Sunday evening.
- **Tom and Brenda Hannigan**
5:30-7:30 in their home. Studying *The Bible Project*.
- **Chris and Renee Morris**
5:00-7:00pm, See Chris for location. Studying *The Bible Project*.
- **Bill and Darlena Reynolds**
6:00-8:00pm Sunday in their home. Studying *The Bible Project*.

Join a LifeGroup! They are open to everyone,
feel free to try them all!

Contact the group leaders for more information!



Matt Barber	4/6
Rebekah Breeden	4/11
Steve Dale	4/20
Tom Winnell	4/22
Bob Midkiff	4/25
Sara Wood	4/26
David Hartley	4/29



Nick & Linda Johnson	4/5
Joe & Sue Riley	4/13
David & Lisa Lytle	4/16
Jarrell & Myrna Parker	4/19
Elwood & Ruth Ann Brown	4/25

Did I miss a special day? Contact office@kccofc.org