To know HIM and to make HIM known

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Service Times

Sunday:

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

LifeGroups

Wednesday:

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

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Weekly Newsletter of the Kanawha City Church of Christ

THE GREAT AMERICAN ECLIPSE

After much anticipation, the Great American Eclipse finally arrived! All throughout the country people were gathering to look at this amazing spectacle in the sky. People were traveling from all over to areas where a total eclipse would be seen. What an amazing sight that must have been!

In West Virginia, we didn't get to experience the total eclipse. Depending on location, we may have seen around 85 to 90 percent coverage. I have seen pictures that people have taken, but I didn't get to personally see the eclipse. I didn't have the proper eye protection to view it.

If you were like me and didn't get to view the eclipse, you may have felt a bit disappointed in the show. Even at the peak of coverage it remained bright outside. It may have been a little bit darker, but still even brighter than a cloudy day. My first thought was, "Wow! What a disappointment!"

If you felt disappointed like me, let me share a FaceBook post from a guy that experienced the same thing in Alabama. I hope this blesses your day!

Love you all, Stephen

Okay, I admit I was a little disappointed in the eclipse, specifically how dark it didn't get. Until, that is, I realized the flip side. 93.5% of the sun was blocked where we are, yet the remaining 6.5% of sunlight made all the difference in the world, literally. It was still daylight outside, even though under 10% of the sun's energy was making it through.

The bottom line? Light wins, EVERY time.

Be light in this dark world. Be positive. Look for and point out the good. Don't join the throngs pointing out the bad. If you do, God can use your little bit of light to make a world of difference where it's needed the most.

In Him was life, and that life was the light of all mankind. The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it. John 1:4-5

(From the FaceBook page of Chad Summers of Argo, AL)

PRIVILEGED TO SERVE

August 27, 2017

MORNING ASSEMBLY

Front Greeter: Donna McNeely Usher: Doug Hartley **Worship Leader:** Chris Morris **Opening Prayer:** Chuck Denham Communion Preside: Duane Scyoc Serve East: Alex Derenburger Josh Rogers Serve West: Tom McNeely Lucas Barber

Scripture Reading: Raymond Beadnell Closing Prayer: Joe Riley

C & S Denham **Contribution Tally:** Sound Booth: Carson Henley PowerPoint: Alex Ross Nursery: Danene Hartley Alaina Morris Assistant:

WEDNESDAY EVENING

	August 23	August 30
Usher:	Bill Reynolds	Chris Morris
Prayer	Tom McNeely	Bill Reynolds
Sound Booth	Paul Estep	Tom McNeely
Nursery:	Brenda Hannigan	Help Needed

Bible Classes from 7:00-8:00pm

Communion Preparation & Garments:

Sue Riley

Sunday Morning Children's Breakfast Prep:

Jane Barber

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

ATTENDANCE AND CONTRIBUTION

Attendance	
Bible Class	43
Worship	100
Wednesday	49
Contribution	\$2 759 18

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

- Those serving our country: David Hartley, Allen Hartley, Brandon McKinney.
- Gene Richardson in the loss of his uncle. Norman Jones.
- Tom McNeely and family during the loss of his mother, Edna McNeely. If you would like to send a card to Tom and Donna, their address is: 2536 Larwood Drive, Charleston, WV 25302
- Tom Winnell
- Cathy Harding, Julie Davis' mother, has been diagnosed with cancer.
- Dawn Whitesel has been visiting with us regularly and recently rededicated her life to Christ.
- Lanny Markland is working in the jail kitchen. It helps him keep his mind off of things. He would love to get cards and letters. He's housed in the South Central Regional Jail right now. If you would like to send him a card of encouragement, here is the address: South Central Regional Jail, Attention: Lanny Markland ID# 3490797, Centre Way, Charleston, WV 25309
- Jean Ann Hartley, Doug Hartley's mother
- Julie Farley
- Alan Newhouse
- Katie Cobb, 13 year old being treated for a recurrence of Non-Hodgkin's lymphoma.

POTTER CHILDREN'S HOME



"Silver for Children" Gleaner Campaign cans are available. If you are interested in taking a can to fill, they are located on the shelving unit near the church office. Please return the cans to Amy or Stephen for safekeeping

until a representative from Potter picks them up in November.

DATES TO REMEMBER

August 24 - Young At Heart Breakfast, 10am at Cracker Barrel, RSVP to Joe Rilev.

August 27 - Discipleship Meeting, following morning services in room 17. Lunch will be provided. The following items are on the agenda: belief statements for KCCC's website, adult classes and curriculum, children and youth programs. All are welcome and encouraged to attend! Check with Bill or Darlena Reynolds for further information or to offer help with food for the lunch. Please RSVP!

September 5 - Prayer Meeting, 6pm at the church building. Our church desires to be a people who call on the name of the Lord. We meet as one group to pray together on the first Tuesday of each month. Everyone is welcome and you do not have to pray out loud if you do not want to. If you haven't been in a while, please come!

September 10 - Sunday morning singing class will resume in the multi-purpose room at 9:45am.

September 12 - Book Club Meeting, 7pm at the home of Sue Riley. The book to read and discuss is The Language of Flowers by Vanessa Diffenbaugh. Everyone is welcome!

September 16 - Beth Moore LIVE Simulcast. 9am at the church building. Don't miss out on this special, LIVE event! Please RSVP to Grace Wagner or Amy Kuhns today!

October 1 - Friends & Family Day, invite your friends, family, neighbors, and coworkers to join us for worship service and a fellowship dinner afterwards!

Youth Group - Mark your calendars! Details will follow!

September 23rd Kings Island October TBA Halloween Fun Activities November 11th Veterans Day Service Project January 13th Snow Tubina February 16th-18th Winterfest 2018

AUGUST 22, 2017

LIFEGROUP INFORMATION

Chuck and Shirley Denham

5:30-6:30pm Sunday in room 17 at the building. Studying a series titled The Grave Robber. It is about the miracles of Jesus.

Tom and Brenda Hannigan

Meetings will resume on September 10th.

Chris and Renee Morris

5:00-7:00pm (1st & 3rd Sundays) in their home. Studying *The Best Question Ever* by Andy Stanley.

Bill and Darlena Reynolds

6:00-8:00pm Sunday in their home. Studying "Living Generously," on RightNow Media.

LifeGroups are open to everyone, come anytime! Feel free to try them all!



Janice Richardson	8/1
Renee Morris	8/4
Jamison Wilkinson	8/4
Linda Hall	8/8
Wylie Wilkinson	8/8
Duane Scyoc	8/11
Avery Walker	8/19
Sydney Moore	8/24
Rose Kinder	8/26
Micah Stephenson	8/28
Joe Riley	8/29
Brenda Cantrell	8/30
Dena Holstine	8/31



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