



Woodsfield Church of Christ
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“Serving others as we serve Jesus.”



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Minister



Keith Jones
Family Life Minister

Sunday

Bible Class.....9:00 a.m.
Worship.....10:00 a.m.

Wednesday

Bible Class.....7:00 p.m.

Elders

Jeff Bettinger
Bob Burrow
Keith Jones
Duane Landefeld
Brian Rose

Deacons

Ronnie Beardmore	Brent McConnell
Eric Carothers	Jeff Seidler
Dan Christman	Howard Spengler
Ned Day	Andrew Stalder
Mark Henthorn	Jesse Stalder
Shawn Howell	Dan Watkins
Butch Lallathin	

Remember in Prayer:

Marty Baker (friend of Sue Hooper), Gary Holland, Vickie Jones (Gary & Bev Jones' daughter-in-law) heart issues; Janet Dye; Faye Manges (Harold Lallathin's sister); Kay West; Leah Feasel; Cindy Henthorn; Jerry & Marie Rose.

Please pray for those battling Covid and their recovery.

Those battling cancer – Brian Ady (Doris Ady's son), esophageal cancer; Janie Perrault (Stephanie Gauding's mother); Christine Brown (friend of Gary & Bev Jones); Joyce Stimpert (Misty Landefeld's aunt); Nina Christman; Glenn Kuhn; Dan Watkins

Pregnancies

Haylee Carothers and Leah Hickenbottom, for their health and the health of the children they are carrying.

* **Please update the office of any changes to those on the prayer list.** We update the prayer list periodically, removing names if we have not received recent updates on that person.



Change of Address

Paige Gauding has moved to her new home in Marietta, Ohio. Please update your church directory with her new address: 115 Becker Lane, Marietta, OH 45750. We congratulate Paige and pray many blessings for her in her new home.



Thank You

Thank you so much for the cards, thoughts, prayers and planter on behalf of my family at the passing of my grandmother, Frances Stephens. We are comforted by the hope of heaven and our loving church family.

Love, The McFarland, Stephens & Miller families

Operation Christmas Child

Angela Beardmore will be packing boxes for Operation Christmas Child on Saturday, October 23rd in the Fellowship Building. All supplies for the boxes will be provided. If you would be interested in helping her to pack the boxes, please contact Angela.

Perseverance

This has nothing to do with our sermon today, but the other week I heard a preacher friend make this statement (he had heard it from someone else): “You weather the weather whatever the weather, whether you like it or not.” Say that 10 times fast! I paused a minute to take it all in. Life can be discouraging, can’t it? If you are blessed to live long enough, there is no doubt that you will encounter difficulty, hard times, and discouragement. In those moments, we have a choice—do we quit or keep going?

I was visiting with an older member this week. They are a member of the Greatest Generation, and we were talking about all of their life experiences—lots of difficulty. As I was thinking about all they had been through—the Great Depression, WW2, social upheaval, incredible personal loss—I was reminded of how important it is to persevere. When life throws its curveballs, we can give up or keep going. If we give up, we forfeit the opportunity to learn, grow, be challenged and transformed into Christ’s image.

Can you imagine if Jesus gave up? Well before the cross, He encountered difficulty. Loss of family, rejection from family, persecution from the religious elite, homelessness, poverty...the list goes on. It would have been easy for Him to throw in the towel. I’m glad He didn’t. I’m glad He gave us the example of perseverance, and because of His perseverance, we have eternal life.

At the end of the II Timothy, Paul knows he is about to die. He writes to Timothy and says, “I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. Henceforth there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will award to me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have loved his appearing.” (4:7-8)

Don’t give up. Keep going. Weather the weather. There’s a crown waiting for you.

-Scott McFarland

October 10, 2021

OUR FAITH IN ACTION

October 3, 2021

Sunday Morning Bible Classes	91
Attendance at the building	137
Bible Hour Attendance	30
Sunday morning Live feed views	24
Post-Sunday sermon online views	51
Sunday night small group	41
Wednesday Bible Class In Person	35
Wednesday Live online views	N/A
Post Wednesday online views	N/A
Budget	\$ 4,959
Contribution	\$ 5,352
Tithe.ly app Contribution (09/28-10/04)	\$ 974

**J.O.Y. Bus Attendance
10/03/2021**

3 Riders
4 Workers

**BIBLE HOUR
PowerPoint Schedule**

October 10
Whitney Rothacher
October 17
Kirsten Rouse

**M.A.G.I Box
Donation
October**

Brush or Comb

Silver For Children Cans

Dave Hamilton from Potter Children's Home will be picking up the Silver for Children cans the week of October 17th. If you have any cans, please feel free to drop them off any time before that week.

October Wednesday Night Schedule

- 1st Wednesday of every month – 6:00 p.m. Feed the Flock Fellowship
- 2nd Wednesday – 7:00 p.m. – Bible Class
- 3rd Wednesday – 7:00 p.m. – Song Service
- 4th Wednesday – 7:00 p.m. Bible Class



CHURCHES OF CHRIST ORPHAN SUNDAY

Sunday, November 14, 2021 we will be joining in with other churches of Christ to help support this mission work. Orphan's Lifeline International would like to take 50 more orphan and widow families off the street, out of the gutters and mud huts and give them a home and safe place to live and grow up in. We are placing a special donation box in the foyer of the church, on the buffet, if anyone would like to donate to this mission work. We will be making this available until Sunday, November 14th to the congregation. All monies received go to the orphans and widows for their support.