



Woodsfield Church of Christ
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"Serving others as we serve Jesus."

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Minister

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Sunday

Wednesday

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

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

Sunday Evening Bible Class....6:00 p.m.

Office Hours – Sherry Lallathin – Mon – Fri. 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Elders

Deacons

Jeff Bettinger
Bob Burrow
Keith Jones
Duane Landefeld
Brian Rose

Ronnie Beardmore
Eric Carothers
Dan Christman
Shawn Howell

Brent McConnell
Jeff Seidler
Howard Spengler
Jesse Stalder

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Tim Keiser (Megan Britton's friend's father), open heart surgery; Ron Gauding (Rudy Gauding's brother), back surgery recovery; Tiffany Comstock (Gary & Bev Jones's daughter), epileptic seizures; Angie Sexton (friend of Sue Dearth), surgery recovery; Sandy Resecker; widows and widowers of the congregation.

Teresa Dailey had surgery on Monday for fluid on her ears and brain, and spinal fluid drain put in, please keep her in your prayers.

Gary and Bev Jones' sister-in-law, Rosemary Jones, will have a 90th birthday on December 23rd. If you would like to send her a birthday card, the address is: 901 N. Chestnut, Barnesville, OH 43713

Those battling cancer – Tim Schwall, brain cancer; Parker Miley, leukemia; Sue Hooper, colon cancer; Lisa Jones (stage 3 lung cancer); Logann Kehrer (a friend of Bob Burrow's co-worker), diagnosed with terminal cancer; Marion Gorrell, stage 4 cancer (former coworker of Carla Rose); Andy Copley; Patty Norris (friend of Keith Coss); Donna Hughes (friend of Naomi Ault); Tammy Carter (friend of John Ackerman); Nina Christman; Misty Robinson, friend of Grace Miles.

Pregnancies

Please keep Amanda Antill in your prayers—for her health and the health of the baby she is 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.

Christmas Eve & New Years Eve Service Times

There will be no evening services on Sunday, December 24th, and no evening services on Sunday, December 31st.

Church Office Hours

The offices will be closed on Monday, December 25th, and Tuesday, December 26th, in observance of the Christmas holiday.

The offices will also be closed on Monday, January 1st, in observance of the New Year holiday.

Sharing the Gift

This morning, we'll wrap up our series "Receiving the Gift" with "Sharing the Gift," a final lesson from the shepherds present for the birth announcement of Jesus. We'll talk about the first evangelists and how excited they were to share the good news about the birth of the baby Messiah they had found in Bethlehem.

Evangelism is a topic that is a struggle for most Christians. We don't do it enough to get comfortable with it, and most of us resign ourselves to the fact that "it's just not my gift." I'll let you in on a secret—it's not mine either. Every time I take one of those gift assessments, Evangelism is way at the bottom. I'm not naturally evangelistic. I have to force myself to think of ways to share faith, be bolder than I'm comfortable, etc. But, guess what? The fact that it's not our gift means literally nothing. The Great Commission wasn't given to only those with the gift of Evangelism. Jesus told everyone to do it. The shepherds weren't worried about it being their gift, either. I'm sure they didn't stop to think about if they were qualified, knew enough to say the right things, or knew the answers to the questions people would ask. They just did it. How about us? What's your excuse? How could you better share the gift? Join us this morning as we look at the shepherds and their enthusiasm for this great discovery they just made.

Scott McFarland

December 17, 2023

OUR FAITH IN ACTION

December 10, 2023

Sunday Morning Bible Classes	72	Sunday morning Live feed views	19
Attendance at the building		Post-Sunday sermon online views	31
Bible Hour Attendance	28		
Sunday night Bible Class	66	J.O.Y. Bus Attendance	
		1 Rider	3 Workers
Wednesday night Bible Class	60		
Budget	\$ 5,100		
Contribution	\$ 4,742		

Elders & Deacons Meetings

The Elders will meet today, December 17th, at 4:00 p.m. in the library.

The Deacons will meet Monday, December 18th, at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship building.

