

GOD'S PLAN OF SALVATION

Hear the Gospel (Rm 10:17) - Jesus, the Son of God was born of a virgin birth, lived a sinless life, died on a cross to bear our sins, was resurrected and is now Lord over all, and through His death and life man can be eternally saved through obedience of faith in Him.

Believe the Gospel (Jn 3:16; Heb. 11:6; Mk 16:16)
Trust in God's promise to save you through Jesus.

Repent (Acts 2:38,3:19,17:30;Titus 2:11-12)
Turn from a life of sin to living a life for God's glory.

Confess Jesus as Lord (Rm10:9-10; Acts 8:37)
An outward expression of your faith & submission.

Be Baptized [immersion] (1 Peter 3:21) - In baptism you are buried with Christ, and raised up with Him (Romans 6:3-4; Colossians 2:12). Your sins are washed away (Acts 22:16). At this moment you're **added to the church** (Acts 2:41), which is the BODY OF CHRIST (Ephesians 1:22-23) - the SAVED (Acts 2:47).

Remain Faithful (Rev. 2:10; Hebrews 10:23)
Continue to be faithful at any cost and the promise of heaven is sure.

THOSE PRIVILEGED TO SERVE

12-04-22 (AM) 12-11-22(AM)

Greeter		
Song Leader	Troy Wallis	Noah Riggs
Prayer	Terry Tull	Kim Sleege
Table	Jason Thompson	Steve Haugsted
	Jacob Sorensen	Doug Phillips
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Scripture Reading	Ben McGowan	Brad McGowan
Speaker	Matthew Brotherton	Matthew Brotherton
Closing Prayer	Art Wallis	Terry Tull
Lord's Supper Prep	Kayla Wallis	Kayla Wallis
	12-04-22(PM)	12-11-22 (PM)
Speaker	Matthew Brotherton	Matthew Brotherton
Wed. Song Leader	(12/07) Phil L.	(12/14) Troy W.

ANNOUNCEMENTS & DATES

Ladies Bible class Monday, December 5th at 7 pm here at the building.

Annual Cookie Exchange will be December 10th starting at 2 pm. Susie Murray is hosting this year. Her address is 1211 U Ave in Amana.

Saturday, December 10th at 6 pm there will be a Youth event at Spare Time bowling in Cedar Rapids with the Central Church of Christ. All students (and young at heart) are invited to attend. It is suggested to bring \$5 to help with the cost of the event.

There will be a potluck and men's meeting on December 18th

Birthdays & Anniversaries

December

12/08 Tanner Wallis
12/31 Anna Main
12/31 Elizabeth Lebs



12/20 Troy & Kayla
Wallis



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Center Point Road Church of Christ

WE ARE A FAMILY WHOSE PURPOSE IS TO GLORIFY GOD, LEAD OTHERS TO CHRIST, MINISTER TO PEOPLE'S NEEDS. ENCOURAGE EACH OTHER TO GROW IN FAITH AND IN HIS WORD SO WE MAY ENJOY ETERNAL LIFE WITH HIM.

ASSEMBLY TIMES

SUNDAY

9:30A.M. BIBLE CLASS (ALL AGES)
10:30A.M. CONGREGATIONAL WORSHIP
6:00P.M. EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE
(ALL AVAILABLE VIA FACEBOOK LIVE)

WEDNESDAY

7:00 P.M. BIBLE CLASS
(ALSO AVAILABLE VIA FACEBOOK LIVE)

WE WELCOME OUR VISITORS AND
HOPE YOU WILL STAY AFTER
SERVICES SO WE CAN MEET YOU!!!

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Preacher

There's No Place Like Home

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A good home is such a wonderful place. It seems that we are always wanting to go home. And we especially love being home for the holidays. In fact, there is a traditional song that testifies to that fact. What is it that is so great about home? Let's note a few of them through an acrostic. And since the church is our heavenly home on the earth (Eph. 2:19), these will certainly apply there, as well.

Harmony – How marvelous it is when family members get along with each other. When this happens, the times together are cherished and memorable. This is also true with the church family. “Behold, how good and how pleasant it is For brethren to dwell together in unity” (Psa. 133:1).

Optimism – A good home is desired, in part, because of the positive nature it presents. Everyone enjoys being together in a home where there is lots and lots of cheerfulness and sunniness. Without a doubt, this is true of a church home, also. “Christ as a Son over His own house, whose house we are if we hold fast the confidence and the rejoicing of the hope firm to the end” (Heb. 3:6).

Mercy – Home is the place where bountiful forgiveness is offered. The best homes are the ones that demonstrate agape love for one another, which always leads to overlooking shortcomings. There should be copious amounts of love and forgiveness in the Lord's church, as well. “And be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, even as God in Christ forgave you” (Eph. 4:32).

Encouragement – Another of the reasons we enjoy being part of a wonderful home is the strength and inspiration that we receive. It is where we can get great encouragement to keep on keeping on. The church home should also be a place of boosting one another.

“Therefore comfort each other and edify one another, just as you also are doing” (1 Thess. 5:11).



PRAYER LIST

- ◆ Gerry & Kathy Moser - Gerry's continued recovery from his fall
- ◆ Leonard Weber, Chris Johnson, Jeff Abrams, — Cancer treatment
- ◆ Steve Lewis - brother in law of Phil and Shelley Legate - Dementia/Alzheimer's
- ◆ Julie Davis - friend of Phil and Shelley from Fort Dodge - Lung cancer
- ◆ Marnetta Tillman - friend of the Haugsted's - health issues.
- ◆ Dave Samuelson - former member here - long term health struggles.
- ◆ Sharla Ashcraft - sister of Kayla Wallis - MS ; pain management
- ◆ Alyssa Thompson - Jason and Jessica's daughter-in-law - having some pregnancy complications
- ◆ Barry Bonar - struggling with pain after shingles. Prayers for his comfort as well as Zonna as she cares for him.
- ◆ Shelley Legate - Recent health issues