

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

01-01-23 (AM) 01-08-23(AM)

Greeter	Phil Legate	Jacob Sorensen
Song Leader	Jason Thompson	Troy Wallis
Prayer	Kim Slegee	Doug Phillips
Table	Steve Haugsted	Kim Slegee
	Jacob Sorensen	Noah Riggs
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Scripture Reading	Terry Tull	Ben McGowan
Speaker	Matthew Brotherton	Matthew Brotherton
Closing Prayer	Art Wallis	Steve Haugsted
Lord's Supper Prep	Nancy Wallis	Nancy Wallis

01-01-23(PM) 01-08-23 (PM)

Speaker	Matthew Brotherton	Matthew Brotherton
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Wed. Song Leader	(01/04) Phil L	(01/11) Doug P.
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ANNOUNCEMENTS & DATES

Ladies Bible class will be taking a break through the holidays. We will resume on January 9th

There is a tub of old books under the coat rack. Please feel free to take any that you want.

There is a new dehumidifier available for free. If you are interested in that, see Matthew.

January 20th we will be having an all church birthday party here at the building starting at 7 pm. There is a sign up sheet on the bulletin board if you would like to make a cake. We will have one cake for each month of the year.

Birthdays & Anniversaries January

02 Rachel Phillips
03 Kathy Moser
11 Judy Parker
18 Callahan Brotherton
20 Jack Phillips



JANUARY 1, 2023



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

How Shall We Enter The New Year?

Roger Massey

The year 2023 is upon us. How shall we approach it? No two people enter into the new year with exactly the same emotions. Some enter with fear and reluctance while others enter with optimism and enthusiasm. None of us can look into the future, for God in his great mercy and wisdom has kept the future veiled from our eyes. Thus, we must make our entrance into 2023 in faith. Paul stated, "For we walk by faith, not by sight" (2 Corinthians 5:7).

Looking to the future will be governed by the way we look at the present. Looking around us today we must not permit the successes or the failures of the past to defeat victorious living in the here and now. Neither must we allow the fear of the future to rob us of contentment today. The prayer of serenity should express our attitude: "God grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change; the courage to change the things I can; and the wisdom to know the difference."

Today is all we have. The past is gone. The future never comes because it is always made up of todays. Thus, to insure that all of our todays are worthwhile we must be people of faith. The writer of Proverbs admonishes us: "Trust in the Lord with all your heart; and lean not on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct your paths" (Proverbs 3:5-6). The psalmist wrote: "This is the day the Lord has made; we will rejoice and be glad in it" (Psalms 118:24).

The following is a biblical formula for having a spiritually productive New Year in 2023:

"H"old fast to the faith (1 Corinthians 16:13; cf. 2 Timothy 1:13; Titus 1:9)

"A"ssemble for worship (Hebrews 10:25; cf. Acts 2:42)

"P"ray without ceasing (1 Thessalonians 5:17; cf. Acts 12:5 KJV; Romans 1:9)

"P"urify our heart (James 4:8; cf. 1 Peter 1:22; 1 John 3:2-3)

"Y"ield not to temptation (*1 Corinthians 10:13*)

"N"eglect not doing good (James 4:17; cf. Acts 10:38)

"E"xemplify Christ (1 Corinthians 11:1; Gal. 2:20)

"W"ork in the vineyard (John 15:1-8; cf. John 4:34-35; Acts 8:4-13; Acts 20:17-27; 1 Corinthians 15:58)

"Y"ield ourselves first to God (Matthew 6:33; cf. 2 Corinthians 8:1-5; 1 Timothy 1:15-16)

"E"xercise unto godliness (1 Timothy 4:7-8 KJV; Hebrews 5:14)

"A"nswer to others (*1 Peter 3:15*)

"R"edeem the time (Ephesians 5:15-16; Colossians 4:5)

Brethren, If we will put the above biblically tested formula into practice, we will experience a spiritually productive New Year, doing the Lord's will! (Matthew 7:21).

PRAYER LIST

- ◆ Gerry & Kathy Moser - Gerry's continued recovery
- ◆ Leonard Weber, Chris Johnson —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.
- ◆ Sharla Ashcraft - sister of Kayla Wallis - MS ; pain management
- ◆ Shelley Legate - Recent health issues

