

## 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

**01-22-23 (AM)      01-29-23(AM)**

<b>Greeter</b>	Kim Sleege	Steve Haugsted
<b>Song Leader</b>	Phil Legate	Jason Thompson
<b>Prayer</b>	Steve Haugsted	Terry Tull
<b>Table</b>	Jason Thompson	Art Wallis
	Jacob Sorensen	Noah Riggs
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<b>Scripture Reading</b>	Brad McGowan	Doug Phillips
<b>Speaker</b>	Troy Wallis	Darren Thompson
<b>Closing Prayer</b>	Kim Sleege	Troy Wallis
<b>Lord's Supper Prep</b>	Nancy Wallis	Nancy Wallis

**01-22-23(PM)      01-29-23 (PM)**

<b>Speaker</b>	Art Wallis	Singing service
<b>Wed. Song Leader</b>	(01/25) Doug P.	(02/01) Phil L.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS & DATES

Ladies Bible class 1/13/23 @ 7 pm.

January 29th we will be having a potluck and men's meeting. We will also be having a guest speaker Darren Thompson for morning worship.

We will be having a singing service for evening services on Sunday the 29th.

## Birthdays & Anniversaries

### January

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



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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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## Abiding Dependence

*Allen Jones*

During my formative years, my parents constantly talked to me about “reputation” and being “dependable!” They constantly talked to me about doing my best to have a positive reputation of “not” causing other people problems and simply being counted on at school, society, and in the workplace. Simply put, strive to be dependable. We totally understand the importance of “being there” for someone when needed. Additionally, we appreciate and seek someone who we can “count on” and be dependable for us!

Typically, we start out with our parents, move to other family members, maybe teachers (counselors, coaches, administrators), school-age peers, eventually a spouse, and adult friends (inner circle, co-workers). Hopefully, in the aforementioned group, we can find some or several who can be dependable for us. Conversely, we are that for them. But, we know, as we tarry on in the journey of life, we have “let downs.” Those who we have counted on have the potential to disappoint us for one reason or another. What’s the good news? Well, the *Good News* is Jesus Christ. Jesus is always there for us providing we are seeking Him!

Philip Sanders, faithful gospel preacher and speaker for the *In Search of the Lord’s Way* program, said this about Jesus recently: “I am captive to the story of an ancient One, born of a virgin, laid in a manger, who loved all, worked miracles, lifted the fallen, healed the sick, raised the dead, and suffered on the cross for my sins.

I only wish to tell that story till I can no longer speak. No story is so high, so noble, so touching, so persuasive, or so glorious. No story draws the soul to search the heart and change the life. No story makes one feel the urgency to deny oneself, to take up a cross, and to follow the One who loves. Yes, this story is above human ingenuity; it must be from God Himself. Only the word gospel could fully describe life in Christ. It is life indeed, newness of life, abundant life, and eternal life. It can come from no other than the Father through the Spirit. I am captive to a story greater than all.”

Jesus is not only “there” for us, He has been from the beginning. Jesus is dependable and we should be seeking Him and have confidence He will never let us down. Jesus is:

**Savior of the world** – Luke 19:10.

**The Son of God** – John 9:35-37.

**A King** – John 18:37.

**Author and finisher of our faith** – Hebrews 12:2.

**Lord** – 1 Thessalonians 1:1.

May we seek to be dependable, but may we never depend on anyone more than we do Jesus.

## 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
- ◆ The Brotherton Family as they travel to and from The Philippines.