### CHURCH OF CHRIST



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# SCHEDULE OF SERVICES SUNDAY:

Bible Classes	9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship	10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.
WEDNESI	DAY:
Bible Classes	6:00 p.m.

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#### Roger Rush, Minister

## WELCOME!

We invite you to all our services.

"...the churches of Christ salute you" (Romans 16:16)

#### A New Perspective on Life

Dale Carnegie observed: "One of the most tragic things I know about human nature is that all of us tend to put off living. We are all dreaming of some magical rose garden over the horizon instead of enjoying the roses that are blooming outside our windows today."

Someone else has written: "Today is the day I have been looking for. All my life has been spent in preparation for it. Yesterday and tomorrow are faraway nothings – one a faint memory, the other a vague promise. But this is my day. It offers all that God has to give, and I'm a laggard or a coward if I fail to make the most of it." If we spend all our time regretting the past or daydreaming about the future, we will miss out on the present. Life is too brief and time too precious for us to make that kind of blunder.

Yet, there is a sense in which all of us must be vitally concerned with both the past and the future. A relationship with Christ will take care of both and enable us to live fully in the moment. Through obedience to the demands of Jesus we can have our past sins washed away (Acts 22:16). In this new relationship with Him our future is secure, for as long as we walk in the light the blood of Jesus continues to provide cleansing for our soul (1 John 1:7). With our past forgiven and our future secure, the present takes on far greater meaning. Jesus came to give us an abundant life (John 10:10). As a Christian we can face each new day with confidence.

With a smile on our face and a song in our heart, life truly is an adventure. Each day brings new joys, rewards, opportunities, and challenges. Life really is worth living.

However, if we remove Christ from the picture there is no hope and no forgiveness. In that case the past will haunt us, and the future will frighten us. But in Christ we can exclaim with the Psalmist: "This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it" (Psalm 118:24 ESV). Is He your Lord and Savior? If not, why not?

---Roger

Notes			 

# Welcome! We are thankful for your presence. To our visitors, please fill out one of the blue cards and place it in one of the collection plates.

Sunday a.m. Almost Persuaded Acts 26:22-32
Sunday p.m. An Inoffensive Gospel Matthew 15:1-14

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

- \* Fawn's brother, Tim, broke his arm and is in OSU.
- \* Fawn's Sister-in-law, Mark King, is in hospital in Pennsylvania with critical heart issue. Please keep them in your prayers.
- \* Jody Main's Father, Robert Craig, Passed away March 17, no services at this time.
- \* There will be a soup luncheon after services on April 7th, menu has been taken care of.

In OUR PRAYERG: Kevin Adkins, Diann Bachmann,	<u> </u>
Mike & Karen Grove, Gary Jones, Rick Lambert, Jody	Debbie Jones,
Main, Carol Mitchell, Helena Tewksbury, Hazel	Nancy Love,
Leep.	and Randy Yost

**FAMILY AND FRIENDS:** Bill and Peggy Albright (friend of the Starrett's), Weston Boulet (great-grandson of Shirley Patterson), Betty Cox (Diann Bachmann's sister), Ryleigh Farson, Rodney Reeves (Erica Cunningham's father), John Shipley (New Concord), Wendy Waugh (Fawn Wayble, sister), and remember to pray for one another.

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#### **REMINDERS**: