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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.

WEDNESDAY:

Bible Classes.....6:00 p.m.

Roger Rush, Minister

WELCOME!

We invite you to all our services.

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

A MEMBER OF HIS CHURCH

Some surveys indicate that as many as 96 out of every 100 Americans believe in God. However, when one looks at statistics regarding church membership and involvement, another picture begins to take shape. Many who consider themselves believers want nothing to do with organized religion. Their response is “Yes” to Jesus, but “No” to His church. The fact is, we cannot have one without the other. To reject the church is to reject Christ, and to reject Christ is to reject His church.

Membership in His church is essential to a right relationship with the Lord. The importance of the church is apparent from the following:

First, Jesus shed His blood to purchase the church. Paul charged the elders of the church at Ephesus: “Take heed therefore unto yourselves, and to all the flock, over which the Holy Ghost hath made you overseers, to feed the church of God, which he hath purchased with his own blood” (Acts 20:28).

Second, Jesus loved the church and died for it (Ephesians 5:25). He would not have died for something which was unimportant or irrelevant to the salvation of mankind.

Third, it is in the church that man is reconciled to God. Through his death on the cross, he made it possible for Jews and Gentiles to be reconciled unto God in “one body” (Ephesians 2:16). The one body is the church (Ephesians 4:4).

Fourth, man cannot be saved outside of the church. All the saved are added to the church by the Lord (Acts 2:47).

The church is too important for it to be casually brushed aside. It was important enough that Jesus was willing to die for it. It should be important enough for us to actively serve the Lord as members of it. Those who deny the importance of the church are seeking all the blessings of Christianity without any of the responsibilities. It will not work!

Are you a member of His church?

---Roger

*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.*

<i>Sunday a.m.</i>	<i>Seven Blessings of Discipleship Matt 5:1-12</i>
<i>Sunday p.m.</i>	<i>Can We Understand the Bible Alike? 2 Tim 3:14-177</i>

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- We rejoice that **Gaige Rieder** was Baptized into Christ this past Wednesday evening. Welcome to the Kingdom!*

<u>IN OUR PRAYERS:</u> Kevin Atkins, Diann Bachmann, Mike & Karen Grove, Gary Jones, Rick Lambert, Jody Main, Helena Tewksbury, Hazel Leep Joyce Starrett			<u>SHUT-INS:</u> Debbie Jones, Nancy Love, and Randy Yost	
<u>FAMILY AND FRIENDS:</u> Bill and Peggy Albright (friend of the Starrett's), Weston Boulet (great-grandson of Shirley Patterson), Betty Cox (Diann Bachmann's sister), Rodney Reeves (Erica Cunningham's father), Tim King and Mary King (Fawn's brother and sis-in-law), Wendy Waugh (Fawn Wayble, sister), Tina Keith, and remember to pray for one another.				
<u>AM Study</u>	<u>Sun. AM</u>	<u>Sun. PM</u>	<u>Giving (\$2,331)</u>	<u>WED.</u>
35	59	37	2,368	47

REMINDERS:

Potter Children's home will be here to pick up the grocery donations the week of May 5th, details on the bulletin board in the foyer.