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"Serving others as we serve Jesus."



Scott McFarland Minister



Keith Jones Family Life Minister

Sunday

Worship......10:00 a.m.

Elders

Jeff Bettinger
Bob Burrow
Keith Jones
Bob Kenney
Duane Landefeld
Brian Rose

Deacons

Ronnie Beardmore Eric Carothers Dan Christman Ned Day Mark Henthorn Shawn Howell Butch Lallathin Brent McConnell
Jeff Seidler
Howard Spengler
Andrew Stalder
Jesse Stalder
Dan Watkins

June 28, 2020 Week 26

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Lois Kenney, Ruth Johnson, Mike Hansen, Landon Swegard, Gary Alleman, Dan Watkins, Jim Mercer, Sharon Leasure, Kirsten Friday, Joy Watters, Doug McFarland, Linda Buhrts, Shirley Pealer, and those of the congregation that have lost loved ones in the last several weeks.



Claire Phillips was baptized on Sunday, June 21, 2020 by her father, Kevin Phillips. We are so happy for the decision she has made. Welcome to God's family Claire.

THANK YOU

Thank you so much for the goodie bags for the staff. We appreciate your kindness. Stay safe and well. God Bless, The Staff at The Arbors.

The installed flooring in the foyer and the side entrances was donated in memory of Nada Beardmore. The congregation would like to thank the Beardmore and Martin families for their generosity.

POTTER CHILDRENS HOME

Potter Children's Home will be continuing their Silver for Children campaign. There are still a few cans left in the foyer if you would like to participate. The cans need to be returned by October 3rd, 2020 for them to pick up on October 4th, 2020.

The funds raised by these donations are used to provide each child with a Bible and clothing, to help with educational expenses, health care, housing, camps and retreats.

The Potter Children's Home, Day of Prayer and Giving For Children, will be August 30th, 2020. Please join in with other churches of Christ across our nation to pray for the children of the world.

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"Unity!" The cry is often made during moments where people are fighting and the others try to rally the quarreling parties to come to an agreement. Unity is such a fleeting goal. We often attempt to unify under different labels, but even those labels end up being divisive. Just look at the latest divides politically—Republicans accuse each other of being too conservative or too moderate; Democrats accuse each other of not being progressive enough or being too moderate. Even Christian movements such as the one Alexander Campbell and others began—the Restoration Movement, a unity movement—has fractured over the years into Disciples of Christ, Independent Christian Churches, and Churches of Christ. Even among the acapella Churches of Christ, there are divisions.

So, what gives? Is unity possible? Will we ever be able to achieve it? What's the key to its success? The cry for unity is a Biblical one. It calls back to Jesus' last prayer that he prays with his disciples in John 17: "That they all may be one..." Maybe the key to unity is listening to Jesus' words. This morning, we'll take a look at unity Jesus' way, and try to understand what it is and why it's so important.

Scott McFarland

The Benefits of A Positive Attitude

Attitude has so much to do with living the Christian life. A negative attitude will cause us to be overly critical, seeing only the dark side of life. Such a perspective is very depressing. When we see only the bad, we cannot experience the joys of being a Christian.

The Christian's focus should be on the positive. Pause for a moment and consider our surroundings. See the wonderful world God created for the enjoyment of man: the sunrise, the majestic mountains, the rivers and oceans, the beautiful flowers and trees, and all the magnificent wonders of the world. What a great love God has for mankind! How can such a blessed people help but be happy!

The positive Christian has hope burning like a flame in his heart. He has learned from God's word about His love for His children and he knows the great price God paid for all of us--not just for the faithful, but for all the souls of the whole world. "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life" (John 3:16).

Realizing the tremendous price that was paid for us, we cannot help but be joyful and confident in the promises of God. He has assured us that, if we remain faithful, we will receive that crown of life (Revelation 2:10).

Another of the beauties and joys of this life is the Christian home. A true Christian home is one with loving, godly parents who are working together to bring up children in the nurture and admonition of the Lord. Such a home is made up of individuals who love each other and who desire to spend eternity together in heaven. To achieve their goal, a Christian family spends time studying together in order to be familiar with God's road map to heaven.

Attitude can make the difference between being saved or being lost. Jesus described His followers as the light of the world, a city set on a hill (Matthew 5:14). Let's be sure the world knows that we are happy to be Christians!

Dale Grissom
Dexter, MO via July 2002 Bulletin Digest

July 2020

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
|---|---|---|--|--------------------|---|---|
| | | | 1 Doris Lude | Bill Allen | June Ady Robert Burrow | Chris Christman Shayne Highman Ruth Ann Johnson |
| 5 Mollie Landefeld Ben Westfall | Renea Briggs Chacity Stoehr | 7 Tarah Ridley | Reagan Britton Scott Hayes Kinsley Jo Landefeld Cole Schneider | 9 | Josie Friday Sharon Leasure Broderick Majors Raymond Stoehr Jr. | 11 Merna Bettinger |
| 12 | 13 | 14 Linda Hill | 15 Piper Bondy | 16 Derek Harmon | 17 | 18 |
| 19 Elders Meeting 4:00 – 6:00 p.m. Ronald Busche Tim Schwall | 20 Deacon's Meeting 6:00 – 7:00 p.m. Joy Watters Lois Kinney | Payton Huffman Jordan Lucas Kourtney Yonley | Vickie Jo Bledsoe Candie Weber Beth Rose | 23 | Paul Lafferre Malachi Rose-Burton Juliauna Warner | 25 Rudy Gauding |
| 26 Lynn Bettinger | 27 Brock Jones | 28 Kimberly Weber | Ž9 Kalista Friday Laura Bertschy Skylar Kernen Molly Kindall | Rita Stoehr | 31 | |



Anniversaries

July 1 Casey & Missy Wayt
July 2 Kieth & Tina Jones
July 2 Victor & Jewell Neville
July 3 Sam & June Ady
July 3 Scott & Abby McFarland
July 4 Lester & Lisa Jones
July 6 Roger & Jackie Highman
July 8 Luke & Megan Britton

July 8 Eric & Leslie Carothers
July 11 Corey & Luenda Stollar
July 21 Terry & Juanita Rose
July 26 Don & Cathy Bunting
July 26 Brian & Shelley Longwell
July 27 Mike & Allison Hansen
July 28 Barry & Linda Hill
July 29 Dana & Candie Weber

