

## The Weekly News of the

## **Northeast Church of Christ**

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# ESPECIALLY FOR OUR GUESTS ...

- > Please pick up an information packet from our welcome table in the lobby. We also have a small gift for our first-time guests.
- > We are grateful for your presence today. Please fill out an attendance card (please indicate both your first and last names) so we can have a record of your presence.
- About halfway through the service, the children 4 years old through the 4th grade will be dismissed for their own class downstairs.
- > If you have any questions concerning our services or the church or the Bible, we encourage you to speak to our minister or one of our elders.

#### **ADULT BIBLE CLASSES**

Sunday a.m. ~ Jesus, the Man Sunday p.m. ~ Matthew 24 Wednesday night ~ Matthew 24

#### **HOLIDAY SERVICES SCHEDULE**

Due to the holiday, there will be **no evening service today.** Also, next **Sunday**, New Years Day, everyone is invited to come at 9:30 for coffee & donuts before our 10:30 morning service. There will be **no Bible class or evening service** next Sunday.

#### **NEW YEARS EVE FUN**

Everyone, young and old, is invited to join together at the building on **Saturday**, **Dec. 31**, New Year's Eve, from **6 - 9** for a fun night of games, food, friendship, and fellowship. Each family is asked to bring a snack/appetizer and beverage, and your favorite game - card game, board game, etc. Sign up in the hallway.

Our weekly Sunday morning worship service and Sunday evening class are live streamed on our Facebook page.



**Lori Mason** is recovering from successful gall bladder surgery.

**SYMPATHY:** Gina Tate's mother, Cynthia Smith, passed away last week.

#### **CONGRATULATIONS**

We rejoice with Alvssa Ringel, who graduated summa cum laude last week from Eastern Michigan University with a Bachelor of Science Degree in nursing (BSN). We're proud of you, Alyssa.

#### **THANK YOU**

Due to your generosity, we were to distribute 7 food baskets to some needy families. Special thanks for Paul Wooldridge & Paul **Klemczak** for overseeing this project.

## **HOW TO BECOME** A CHRISTIAN

Jesus Christ, the Son of God, died for us and rose from the dead, making salvation available as a gift (John 3:16; Romans 6:23). In order to benefit from this great sacrificial love, one must receive God's grace through faith in Christ and obedience to him (Romans 5:1-2; Hebrews 5:9). To become a Christian, the Bible teaches that we must believe in and put our trust in Christ (John 8:24), turn away from a life of sin (Luke 13:3), confess Jesus as Lord (Romans 10:9-10), and be baptized for the forgiveness of sins (Acts 2:38; 22:16). If you would like to further study this question of "What must I do to be saved?", please see our minister or one of our elders.

Everyone is invited to come at **6:00 p.m.** on Dinner Wednesday for dinner

before Bible study. Please sign up in the hallway if you plan to attend. You can also sign up if you want to help with the meal.

#### BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK



- 27 Ben Welch
- 28 Karen Remlinger
- 29 Grace Mostek
- 30 Zachary Loftis
- 31 Dawn Smith

#### CHORUS CONCERT

The Metro Detroit Youth Chorus will be at Northeast on Sunday evening, January 22. Our services that night will begin at 5:00, followed by the concert. Our very own **Grace Mostek** is a member of the chorus. Share this news with our neighbors, family, and friends.



#### A LIFE IN SUBMISSION TO CHRIST

By Ronald Sanders, Jr.

Main Text: (1 Peter 2:11-17)

### **Supporting Text:**

- (Romans 12:2) And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God.
- (Colossians 3:3) For ye are dead, and your life is hid with Christ in God.
- (1 Peter 4:1) Forasmuch then as Christ hath suffered for us in the flesh, arm yourselves likewise with the same mind: for he that hath suffered in the flesh hath ceased from sin;
- (1 Peter 4:2) That he no longer should live the rest of his time in the flesh to the lusts of men, but to the will of God.
- (1 Peter 4:3) For the time past of our life may suffice us to have wrought the will of the Gentiles, when we walked in lasciviousness, lusts, excess of wine, revellings, banquetings, and abominable idolatries:
- (1 Peter 3:15) But sanctify the Lord God in your hearts: and be ready always to give an answer to every man that asketh you a reason of the hope that is in you with meekness and fear:
- (1 Peter 4:4) Wherein they think it strange that ye run not with them to the same excess of riot, speaking evil of you:
- (Matthew 5:16) Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven.
- (Romans 13:1) Let every soul be subject unto the higher powers. For there is no power but of God: the powers that be are ordained of God.
- (Matthew 22:17) Tell us therefore, What thinkest thou? Is it lawful to give tribute unto Caesar, or not?
- (Matthew 22:19) Shew me the tribute money. And they brought unto him a penny. (20) And he saith unto them, Whose is this image and superscription? (21) They say unto him, Caesar's. Then saith he unto them, Render therefore unto Caesar the things which are Caesar's; and unto God the things that are God's.

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## TIMES OF SERVICES

Sunday

Worship -10:30a.m. & 5:00 p.m. Bible School - 9:30 a.m.

Wednesday

Bible Study - 7:00 p.m. (at the building) Zoom online class



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www.facebook.com/groups/ northeastcofc

#### Pray For Our Missions!

- ₱ Bad Axe Church of Christ
- ♣ China
- ↑ Church of Christ Care Community
- † Eastern European Mission
- ♣ India
- ♣ Let The Bible Speak TV Program
- ₱ Metro Detroit Youth Chorus
- ₱ Michigan Christian Youth Camp
- ₱ Nigeria
- ₱ Shults-Lewis Children's Home

#### **ELDER CHAIRMAN**

**Bill Nocita** 

#### **WORSHIP ATTENDANTS**

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Opening Prayer - Joe Mason Song Leader - Bill Nocita Bible Reading - Aaron Lloyd Sermon - Ron Sanders, Jr.

#### Communion servants

Jimmy Hampton Craig Sims
Dean Stewart Tracy Webb
Byron Bledsoe

Audio visual servitor

Willis Williams IV

#### FOR THE RECORD

December 18, 2022

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Bible School	26
Sunday Morning Worship	73
Avg. attendance for 2022	77
Sunday Evening Worship	17
Mid~week Bible	20
Contribution	\$4,338.00
Avg. contribution for 2022	\$3,697.11
Budget	\$3,600.00
Shults-Lewis	\$43.00
Total for 2022	\$1,971.41