

Church of Christ

534 Sixth Street
Marietta, Ohio 45750



June 30 – Jazlyn Baltzer
July 1 – Sara Greer
July 2 – Dorothy Wilkinson
July 3 – Kurt Harrison
July 4 – Ruth Johnson



There are no anniversaries on the calendar for this week.

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAY

Bible Classes	9:00 A.M.
Worship	10:00 A.M.
Evening Worship	5:00 P.M.

WEDNESDAY

Bible Classes	7:00 P.M.
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SCHEDULE July 6, 2025

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Kurt Harrison

SONG LEADER

AM: John Forshey
PM: Michael Morgan

WAIT ON THE TABLE

AM: Harvey West
PM: Albert Baltzer

PRAYER

AM: Harry Ogletree
Joe Crone
PM: Greg Ludolph
Mark Harris

SCRIPTURE READER

AM: Bill McFarland
PM: Carter Brown

CONTROL ROOM AM/PM/Wed.:
Eric Brown

Church of Christ

June 29, 2025

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MINISTER
Bill Deem

ELDERS
Tom Eddy
Kurt Harrison
Todd Hague
Lloyd Westbrook

DEACONS
Mark Harris
Michael Morgan
Alan Ralston
Paul Jacoby
TJ Wells

Bill's Bytes

Last week, our podcast, “*Beyond Sunday (with Bill)*,” finished its first series which covered the topic of what we do in our worship time together on Sundays. The purpose of this was twofold. First, it is meant to be a review. Often, there are things that we know, but that is good to be reminded of. Second, it is our hope that this podcast will begin to reach members of our community. There are many now, who have never “gone to church.” Yet, interest in spiritual matters is said to be going up since 2020. When someone in our community listens to these messages it will at least give them a little information about what to expect when they worship with us. Of course, there are other dimensions to our assembly than those or any number of lessons can speak on, and one of those things is our fellowship. The camaraderie here at Sixth and Washington is also something which others should be made aware of, and as such this has been mentioned on the podcast a couple of different times – for it is a trait that can attract people and truly glorify the Lord. Remember, Jesus said, “*By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another,*” (John 13.35). It all begins and ends with love – the Greatest Command (Matthew 22.36-40).

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Wednesday—July 9 , 2025

OPENING PRAYER: Dennis Dye

SONG LEADER: Jim Zetterberg

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Kurt Harrison

SS SPEAKER: Peter Ray Cole

CLOSING PRAYER: Tim Loughry

STATISTICS – June 22, 2025	
Sunday Bible Class	100
Morning Worship	173
Evening Worship	86
Wednesday Classes	98
Contribution	\$6,297

OFFICE PHONE (740) 373-3240
CARE LINE (740) 373-3909
BIBLECALL (740) 651-2400 or (304) 420-2416

WEBSITE <https://sawcoc.org> (Please note that videos from our sermons are available on our website)
PANTRY ITEM OF THE WEEK—Toilet Paper

TODAY’S SERMONS

AM: In Christ: I am Chosen
Minister: **Bill Deem**
Reading: Ephesians 1:4-10

PM: Who Do You Trust?
Young Men’s Night: **Lloyd Westbrook**
Reading: Psalm 135:13-18

SICK
Walter Mincks and **Vern Reich** are recovering at home from surgeries.
Joe Dailey’s next procedure is scheduled for July 8th at OSU.
Phyllis Johnson (**Kathy Grimes’** aunt) continues on Hospice.

PRAYER LIST
Roger Smith (**Darlene Ogletree’s** nephew)
Ruth Stewart
Marj Teague

SYMPATHY

We extend our deepest sympathy to the family of **Nancy Ward**. A Celebration of Life will be held Saturday, July 19th 12-2 p.m.

We extend our deepest sympathy to the family of **Bill Beck** (**Tammy’s** stepson). A Celebration of Life will be held Saturday, July 12th at 2:00 p.m. at the Fearing Township Volunteer Fire Department.



WEDNESDAY NIGHT DEVO SIGN UP SHEET

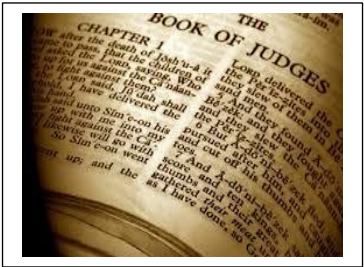
Men of the congregation - The sign up sheet for Wednesday Night Devos September-December 2025 is on the bulletin board in the foyer. If you have not done a Wednesday Night Devo, or it has been a while since you have done a Wednesday Night Devo, please consider signing up. Many hands make light work.

OHIO VALLEY CHRISTIAN YOUTH CAMP

Ohio Valley Christian Youth Camp will be held at Camp Barbe in Elizabeth, WV:

Junior Week (June 29-July 3)

Flyers are posted on the bulletin board in the foyer. Applications are available in the foyer or online at www.ovcyc.com.



SUNDAY ADULT SUMMER SERIES

Please join us Sunday mornings through August 31st, for the Adult Summer Series. The theme will be **“The Book of Judges”**. Thanks to **Jim Zetterberg** for teaching today’s class. **Harvey West** will teach next week. His topic will be **“Gideon’s Victory”** – Judges 7:1-8:21.



WEDNESDAY SUMMER SERIES

Please join us for our Annual Summer Series and Junior Summer Series through August 27th. The theme is **“The Many Names of Jesus”**. Flyers are posted on the bulletin board in the foyer and copies are available for you to invite friends and family. July 2nd – **Roger Rush** will be speaking for the Adult Summer Series and **Bill, Hope, & Hannah Deem** will teach the Junior Summer Series. The topic will be **“Lamb of God”** – John 1:29 for both classes.

PANTRY ITEM OF THE WEEK

Toilet Paper

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Over the next six weeks on the podcast we will talk about what many have coined “the steps of salvation.” The emphasis will be on (as it always should be) Christ and Him crucified (1 Corinthians 2.2). Again, the purpose behind this series will be multi-faceted. Perhaps it will be good to review what we already know, and will spur us on to tell our families, friends and neighbors about the simple yet profound Truth through which God has been saving the lost for thousands of years.

After that series is done, we will likely take about a month off and begin to change the format for the “second season.” That is when the “Beyond Sunday” title will begin to fit – though we may change the second part from “with Bill” to something a little more attention grabbing and appropriate. This is where you all may come in if you would like to. Another one of the goals of the podcast is to help the folks of Marietta and the surrounding area to see us as part of their community. People whom they know, or would be comfortable knowing and spending time with. So, in the second season , we will hopefully have anyone who would like to take part in the podcast to get involved. For example, we will need folks to introduce the episode (a big thanks to Nathan Deem, Owen Morgan, Braden Morgan, Jacob Holdren and Colten Holdren for doing it over the last several weeks). We will also be looking to have brief interviews where you will (if you want) have the opportunity to tell us a little about yourself and your walk with the Lord. Of course, will be nothing too personal asked, nor will anything be discussed without anyone’s prior knowledge. Also, it would be good to have a dialogue between a couple of co-hosts rather than the monologue that will have made up the entirety of the first season. So if you are interested in doing something like that, please let me know! One more thing to begin looking for in the episodes to come will be our congregational singing rather than the pre-recorded groups you have heard so far.

If anyone else has any other ideas, please share. This is something that we can all be involved in. All in all, this is a great opportunity to use the technology that our culture has to get the Gospel into the homes of the members of our community, and to give glory to God!

--Bill

THANK YOU

Thank you notes are posted on the bulletin board in the foyer from **Traci Eddy** and **Wilma Cline**.



CLOSED CAPTION

It has been brought to our attention that a number of mistakes have been on the screen with the closed caption on the top of the screen. At this time we have decided to turn this off because of the mistakes being seen. If you have trouble hearing what is being said, we do have the small radio type devices available. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to speak to one of the elders.

ELDERS & DEACONS MEETING

Please mark your calendars for an elders and deacons meeting Sunday, July 6th, at 4:00 p.m.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Church of Christ Disaster Response Team from Tipp City, Ohio is asking for volunteers to help with flooding in the Wheeling, West Virginia area. Housing and meals will be furnished. No room for RVs please. They are accepting volunteers through July 4th. If you would like more information, please see **Tom Eddy**.

Faith involves knowing that God is enough.

“Finally, be strong in the Lord and in His mighty power.” Ephesians 6:10

Keep on holding on. God is faithful.

“You are to hold fast to the Lord your God, as you have until now.” Joshua 23:8