

Church of Christ

534 Sixth Street

Marietta, Ohio 45750



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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May 22—James Greer

May 24—Kelly VanWey

May 26—Kathi Gerber

May 27—Anita Offenberger



May 23—Nathan & Angie Reich

May 26—Mark & Lesa Casto

SCHEDULE - May 29, 2022

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Kurt Harrison

SONG LEADER

AM: Tim Wells

PM: Colton Eddy

WAIT ON THE TABLE

AM: John Dollison

PM: Tom Eddy

PRAYER

AM: Albert Baltzer

Randy Feisley

PM: T.J. Wells

Greg Cline

SCRIPTURE READER

AM: Bill McFarland

PM: Coen Eddy

CONTROL ROOM AM/PM/Wed.: John Forshey

Wednesday—June 1, 2022

SONG LEADER: Michael Morgan

PRAYER: T.J. Wells/Greg Cline

SUMMER SERIES SPEAKER: Randy Baker

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Roger Rush

STATISTICS-May 15, 2022

Sunday Bible Class 62

Morning Worship 162

Evening Worship 61

Wednesday Classes 51

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WEBSITE www.sawcoc.org (Please note video from sermons is available on our website)

PANTRY ITEM OF THE WEEK—The pantry is well stocked at this time.

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May 22, 2022

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ELDERS

Kurt Harrison

Roger Rush

DEACONS

Tom Eddy

Mark Harris

Paul Hickman

Paul Jacoby

Tim Loughry

Michael Morgan

Alan Ralston

MINISTER

Roger Rush

A GREAT CHURCH!

We live in the age of the mega church. These churches have thousands of members, multi-million-dollar campuses, and resemble a shopping mall more than a meeting house for Christians. They sometimes include bowling allies, coffee shops, and gymnasiums. At least one has added a fast-food restaurant to its facility.

If big crowds and large contributions are all that is important, then I suggest that there are better ways to accomplish both. Major league sporting events, for the most part, can draw crowds and raise money. A great church is not great because of its budget or its big crowds.

Great churches are great because of their faith in the greatness of God. Paul commended the church at Colosse for their *“faith in Christ Jesus”* (Colossians 1:4). Great churches put their trust in the gospel, not in gimmicks. It is the gospel which is God’s power to save (Romans 1:16).

Great churches are great because of their love. The church at Philippi was a loving church. They were encouraged to abound in love (Philippians 1:9). Great churches have members who love God with all their heart, soul, and mind

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TODAY’S SERMONS

AM: Friends & Family Day
Guest Speaker: **Tim Hatfield**
Reading: Col. 2:13-15

PM: Friends & Family Day
Guest Speaker: **Tim Hatfield**
Reading: Col. 1:25-29

PROGRAMS

WJAW FM 100.9—Sunday 8:30 a.m.
WJAW AM 630—Sunday 9:00 a.m.
WMOA AM 1490—Sunday 11:00 a.m.
SEARCH—WTAP—Sunday 7:30 a.m.



SICK

Memorial: **Donna (Barr) Coto**
Mary Wharton fell and dislocated her shoulder. She is now at Harmar Place.
Gary Hague was in the hospital and is now at home.
Nancy Ward is now at home.

PRAYER LIST

Dawn Michael (friend of **Norm & Dorothy Wilkinson**)
Leah McIntosh (**Lisa Burkhart's** granddaughter)
Brenda Nesselroad (**Lloyd & Esther's** daughter)

UPCOMING EVENTS *flyers are posted on the bulletin board in the foyer

CONGREGATION

May 22nd—3:00—4:00 p.m.—Mid-Ohio Valley Area Wide Sing—Theme “The Story Behind the Song” - Hopewell Church of Christ—Featured Song Leaders: **Sam Doak, Bob Hoffman, John Life, and Ray Wright**
May 30th—June 2—7:30 p.m. each evening —Gospel Meeting—Crum Ridge church of Christ—Guest Speaker: **Harry Summers**

June—August—Summer Series—We will be having our Annual Summer Series on Wednesday nights at 7:00 p.m. The theme this year is *Preaching from the Prophets*. Speakers will be **Randy Baker, Andy Robison, Scott McFarland, Terry Jones, Colin Morrison, Bishop Darby, Tim Hatfield, Mark Tonkery, Ed Melott, John Keith, Doug Wells, Charles Pugh III, Jeff Darby,** and the final week we will have a sing with guest song leader, **Kim McFarland**.

YOUTH

June—August—Vacation Bible School—We will be having Vacation Bible School on Wednesday nights at 7:00 p.m. for children ages 3-11. The theme will be *Faithful Bible Investigators—The Promised One*.
June 12-17—OVCYC Senior Week (Ages 13-18) Wirt County 4-H Camp Barbe in Elizabeth, West Virginia—Registration forms are available in the foyer
June 19-24—OVCYC Junior Week (Ages 8-13) Wirt County 4-H Camp Barbe in Elizabeth, West Virginia—Registration forms are available in the foyer

BENEVOLENT PROJECT

Potter Children’s Home & Family Ministries will be in our area the week of June 5th. Pantry items requested this year: **Bathroom Cleaner, Chocolate Frosting, Cranberry Juice, Nitrile Gloves, and Ritz Crackers**. If you would like to make a monetary donation, please make checks payable to church of Christ with “Potter” in the memo line. Please turn donations into the office by May 29th.

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(Matthew 22:37). Great churches are filled with folks who love the truth and will not compromise it (Psalm 119: 24, 97). Great churches are made up of those who love the lost and reach out to them with the saving message of Jesus (John 3:16; James 5:20).

Great churches consists of Christians who live their faith every day. We cannot be God’s children while living like the devil’s offspring. We are called to live a life becoming of the gospel of Jesus Christ (Philippians 1:27). In great churches sin is exposed and the saints are called to live distinctive lives in Christ (Titus 2:12).

Great churches do not cater to the felt needs of the masses. Instead, great churches address the real needs of the lost. Man’s problem is sin, and Jesus Christ is the only remedy. Spiritual problems are not solved with softball and socializing. They call for faith, repentance, baptism and godly living! And great churches will preach that message faithfully.

Are you looking for a great church?

—Roger



THANK YOU

Thank you notes are posted on the bulletin board in the foyer from **Wilford & Elaine Wallace** and **The Baltzer Family**.

PANTRY

The pantry is well stocked at this time.

RAMBLINGS

--By Roger

Mark Harris will be our devo speaker this Wednesday evening. God willing, June 1 we will begin our *Annual Summer Series*. **Randy Baker** will be our first speaker.

We are delighted to have **Tim Hatfield** with us today as our speaker for our *Friends and Family Day*. If you are visiting with us today, we want to extend a special invitation to you to stay for our covered dish dinner and the afternoon service which will follow. I am confident you enjoyed both of **Tim's** messages this morning and know you will profit from his afternoon message as well. Remember, there will be no 5 o'clock service today.

Our special thanks to **Tammy Hatfield** for her presentation to our ladies at the *Ladies Tea* yesterday afternoon. I have heard many positive comments from our ladies regarding her presentation. Also, our special thanks to **Bev Dollison** and her team for organizing this event for our ladies!

Next Sunday evening our young men will be leading our worship, and **John Forshey** will be our speaker. As I mentioned last week, the first two Sundays in June I will be out of the pulpit. **Harry Ogletree** and **Michael Morgan** will be filling in while I am away. **Diane** and I celebrated our 50th Anniversary January 8 of this year, but because of continued concerns over COVID, we were unable to do anything with the family, so we are planning to spend the first full week of June with our children and grandchildren. I plan to be back at work Monday, June 13.

Also, don't forget that our Sunday morning *Summer Series* gets underway June 5. **Dennis Dye** will be our first teacher. I hope you will make a special effort to be here to hear his presentation.

