

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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August 5—**Doug Brown**

August 6—**Bill Deem**

August 7—**Bethany Brown**

August 8—**Jeremiah Loughry, Peggy Ritchie**

August 9—**Ruth Otto**

August 10—**Joy Bowen, Kirk Isner**



August 10—**Traven & Maggie Wood**

Church of Christ

August 4, 2024

Sixth and Washington Sts., Marietta, Ohio 45750...Office Phone (740) 373-3240, M-Th 9-2



MINISTER

Bill Deem

ELDERS

Tom Eddy Kurt Harrison

Todd Hague Lloyd Westbrook

DEACONS

Michael Morgan Alan Ralston

Paul Jacoby TJ Wells

Tim Loughry

Hello, There

We are so excited to finally be here with you, and I am truly grateful for the privilege of serving our Lord alongside this congregation.

My family and I are also grateful for your warm welcome. Your willingness to embrace us and to make us feel at home will set the tone for our future together. We look forward to the countless conversations and prayers that we will all share with one another. Truly each of these interactions will deepen our connection with one another as we walk together with our heavenly Father. It is in these moments that we know that we will be fulfilling the scripture as it says, *“And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works,”* (Hebrews 10.24, ESV). Paul also tells us to *“encourage one another and build each other up,”* (1 Thessalonians 5.11).

It is expected that there will be challenging times ahead – both personal and communal. But as the church, we know that we will be here for one another. It is with the people of God that we can weather storms and celebrate victories.

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SCHEDULE - August 11, 2024

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Tom Eddy

SONG LEADER

AM: T.J. Wells

PM: John Forshey

WAIT ON THE TABLE

AM: George Goddard

PM: Tim Loughry

PRAYER

AM: Joe Crone

Randy Feisley

PM: Greg Cline

Coen Eddy

SCRIPTURE READER

AM: Christian Bettinger

PM: Owen Morgan

CONTROL ROOM AM/PM/Wed.: Jon Lane

Wednesday—August 14, 2024

SONG LEADER: Jim Zetterberg

PRAYER: Albert Baltzer/Adam Burkhart

SS Speaker: Roger Rush

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Tom Eddy

STATISTICS-July 28, 2024

<u>Sunday Bible Class</u>	<u>81</u>
<u>Morning Worship</u>	<u>167</u>
<u>Evening Worship</u>	<u>86</u>
<u>Wednesday Classes</u>	<u>99</u>
<u>Contribution</u>	<u>\$5,012</u>

OFFICE PHONE (740) 373-3240 CARE LINE (740) 373-3909

BIBLECALL (740) 651-2400 or (304) 420-2416

WEBSITE www.sawcoc.org (Please note that videos from our sermons are now available on our website)

PANTRY ITEMS OF THE WEEK—Macaroni & Cheese

TODAY’S SERMONS

AM: Greetings in the Lord
Minister: **Bill Deem**
Reading: Galatians 1:1-5

PM: As His People...
Minister: **Bill Deem**
Reading: Acts 2:42-47

PROGRAMS

WJAW FM 100.9—Sunday 8:30 a.m.
WJAW AM 630—Sunday 9:00 a.m.
WMOA AM 1490—Sunday 10:00 a.m.
SEARCH—WTAP—Sunday 7:30 a.m.

SICK

Memorial: **Mark Casto**
Selby: **Debbie Haney (Amanda Cech’s mother)**
Dave Bowen had an outpatient procedure Wednesday.

Donna Moseley is recovering from surgery. Please keep her in your prayers.

Brenda Nesselroad (Lloyd & Esther’s daughter) was hospitalized in Cincinnati and is now staying with **Lloyd & Esther**. Cards may be sent to **Lloyd & Esther’s** address.

Lloyd Westbrook is scheduled to have surgery for kidney stones August 8th.

PRAYER LIST

Ginny Scholl (Machell Hague’s mother)
Cathy Lenham (friend of Elsie Bowens)
Geraldine Mackey (Sarah Schafer’s sister)

SYMPATHY

We extend our deepest sympathy to the family of **Jane Brown**. Memorial services were held in Tennessee.

THANK YOU

A thank you note is posted on the bulletin board in the foyer from **Tom & Traci Eddy**.

BACK TO SCHOOL FAIR

We are collecting school supplies for Marietta City Schools’ Back to School Fair. If you would like to participate, please bring donations to the building by Wednesday, August 7th. The supplies needed are: **Crayons (8 count only please), Glue Sticks, Fiskar Scissors (blunt—not pointed), and Plastic Art Boxes.** (Ohio has Tax Free Week through August 8th) If you would prefer to make a monetary donation, please turn checks into the office. Please make checks payable to Church of Christ with “MCS” in the memo. If you have any questions, please see Benevolent Deacon, **Paul Jacoby**.

NEW MEMBER

Please welcome **Sara Greer** to our church family. If you haven’t met her yet, make a special effort to do so. Let her know how happy we all are to have her with us.



WELCOME NEW MINISTER

Please join us today for a reception following the evening service to welcome the **Deem** family. Appetizer, cookies, and soft drinks will be provided. Please continue to keep **Bill, Hope, Hannah, Ben, and Nathan** in your daily prayers as we welcome them to our congregation.

PHONE LINES

We are still having trouble with our primary phone line. If you have Optimum, you are probably receiving a busy signal when you call the office. Our rollover line and careline seem to be working ok. Please call 373-4490 if you receive a busy signal.

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Life is tough. Who among us has not experienced loss, heartbreak or disappointment? I cannot imagine what life would be like without the compassion, support and prayers of God’s children. Psalm 34:17-18 encourages us, “*When the righteous cries for help, the Lord hears and delivers them out of all their troubles. The Lord is near to the brokenhearted and saves the crushed in spirit.*” On the other hand who among us has not experienced the “joy of the Lord” or the “peace that passes all understanding?”

Isn’t God wonderful that He should give us a family? We will share laughter. Together we will shed tears. But through joy or sorrow we will also experience worship together. Collectively we will humble ourselves before our Creator, give thanks to our Savior, and lean upon the everlasting arms of our Redeemer. For He is good, and His mercies endure forever!

It is with great hope that we anticipate that God’s grace will continue to sustain us as we enter this new chapter together. May we remain steadfast in our faith and support one another with love and compassion. May we ever remember that as the church, we are the living stones that make up the Temple of the Holy Spirit (1 Peter 2:4-7; Ephesians 2:19-22). May we ever be vibrant in the Lord and reach out to others with the saving message of His Gospel (Romans 1:16).

I truly look forward to learning from you and sharing some of the things that I have discovered with you. One of the most beautiful things about our faith is that we only have one Master. He is our Teacher, and we all learn of Him from His Word as we teach and learn from one another. Truly, God is wise! Being a Christian is a beautiful thing, isn’t it?

Again, thank you for allowing us to be part of the family here at Sixth & Washington. I look forward to our work in the Kingdom!

—**Bill**

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Macaroni & Cheese

TEACHERS

Bible school material for fall quarter is in the library. Fall quarter begins Sunday, September 1st, and Wednesday, September 4th.

SUMMER SERIES

Please join us for our Annual Summer Series on Wednesdays. The theme is ***Heroes and Heroines of the Faith***. A schedule is posted on the bulletin board in the foyer. Copies are available for you to invite family and friends. **Mark Tonkery** will be speaking August 7th. His topic is ***Dorcas—Seamstress To The Saints***.

JUNIOR SUMMER SERIES

Please join us for our Annual Junior Summer Series on Wednesdays. The theme is ***Young Heroes of Scripture***. Flyers are available in the foyer for you to invite family and friends.

SUNDAY MORNING ADULT BIBLE CLASS SUMMER SERIES

Please join us Sundays at 9:00 a.m. for our Annual Adult Bible Class Summer Series. The theme is ***Living A Life That Matters***. Our thanks to **Tom Eddy** for filling in for **Lloyd Westbrook** this morning.



BABY SHOWER

Please join us for a baby shower for **Owen Isner**, Monday, August 5th at 7:00 p.m. in the multipurpose room. If you would like to contribute towards gifts, please give monetary donations to one of the hostesses, **Melinda Crone, Rhonda Hague, Pat Love, or Susie Patterson**.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT DEVO SCHEDULE

Men of the congregation—Please see the sign up sheet on the bulletin board in the foyer for September—December 2024 Wednesday Night Devos. If you have any questions, please see **Tim Loughry**, Worship Deacon.