

The Messenger

The Lord's Day

October 14, 2012

Cherry Street Church of Christ

302 Cherry Street
New Albany, IN 47150

- **Elders:** J. R. Satterfield, Dwight Mellon, David Longest, Nick Marsh, Stan Means.
- **Deacons:** Edward Merten, Kevin Parr.
- **Minister:** Nick Marsh: 812-945-7209 (Home); 502-641-9563 (Cell); 812-948-0436 (Church).

Times Of Worship & Fellowship

Bible Classes	9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship	10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study	7:00 p.m.



Welcome to our Bible Study and Worship Hour. If you are a visitor, we appreciate you taking the time to be with us and we invite you back as often as you have the opportunity. We invite all Christians to join us in partaking of the Lord's Supper.

Cherry Street Prayer Concerns

Jon Adams, Arleen & Norman Childs, Angie Chowning, LaVerne Collins, Ann Cox, Donna Grimes, Jane Heid, Roscoe & Sue Leach, Jill Lentz, Ron Lee, Edward & Janice Merten, David Mount, Sue Nichols, Jennifer Parr, Richard Paris, Wanda Rayle, Ina Reynolds, Laurie Smith, Jerome Spearman, Barry & Kennita Stewart, Victor Stewart, Terry Stocksdale, Deena Stoess, Barry Thompson, Eric & Lydia Wade, Our Nation and her leaders, our enemies, new Christians, our travelers, answered prayer, persecuted Christians world-wide, unspoken requests, and for the peace of Jerusalem.

Missions: Robert & Joy Garrett, Sonny Childs' Ministries, Philippine Missions, Nakahara Mission, Martin & Susan Brooks, Words of Life Radio, Maple Manor, KingsField, Portland Christian School, and all other works of faith and labors of love.

Military: Our armed forces throughout the world, Aaron Byerley, Ben Adams, Philip Pipes, Tony Adams, Tom Embry, Mark Istre, Jason Istre, Jeffrey Newkirk, Nathan Poindexter, and for all active duty military personnel and their families. **Let's always be in prayer for each other in the "family of faith."**





Opportunities For Service

- **October 14, 2012: Lord's Supper:** Kenny Leach. **Serving:** David Longest, Duval Means, Stan Means, Dwight Mellon, **Scripture Reading:** Larry Miles.
- **October 21, 2012: Lord's Supper:** David Longest. **Serving:** Edward Merten, Larry Miles, Johnny Miller, Kevin Parr. **Scripture Reading:** Kevin Parr.
- **Song Leaders** October 14th - J R Satterfield; October 21st - Jeff Adams.
- **Communion To Shut-Ins:** October 14th J R Satterfield; October 21st - Jeff Adams.
- **October 2012 Greeters:** Larry & Yvonne Smith
- **October Building Security:** Edward & Janice Merten

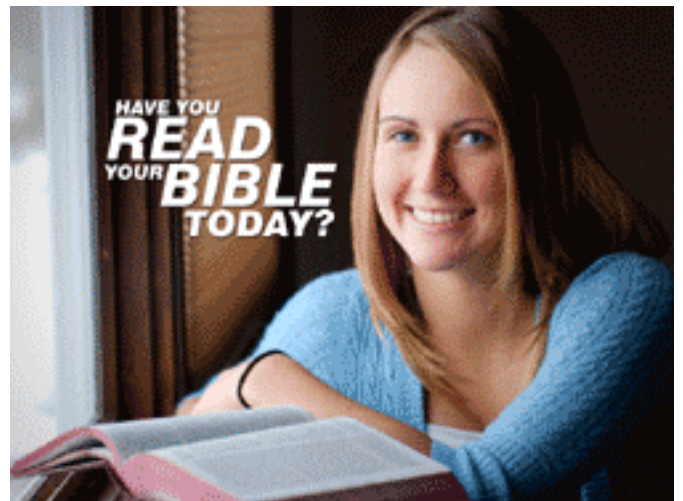


For Your Information

- **October 20, 2012:** Wedding of Jessica Longest and Steve Craven; info on bulletin board.
- **October 21, 2012:** Homecoming Service: Bob Yarbrough will be the speaker. Please pray for the service and begin inviting family and friends. There will be a fellowship dinner after the service.
- **October 21-24, 2012:** Revival Meeting at Hamburg Church of Christ; Paul Kitzmiller, speaking
- **October 28, 2012:** 4th Sunday Song Service

Bible Reading October 14-20 2012

Sunday	10/14/2012	Psalm 120-121
Monday	10/15/2012	Numbers 29-32
Tuesday	10/16/2012	2 Chronicles 21-24
Wednesday	10/17/2012	Proverbs 31
Thursday	10/18/2012	Obadiah 1
Friday	10/19/2012	Acts 7-8
Saturday	10/20/2012	2 Peter 2-3



HOMECOMING SERVICE

SUNDAY OCT 21, 2012

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CHURCH OF CHRIST

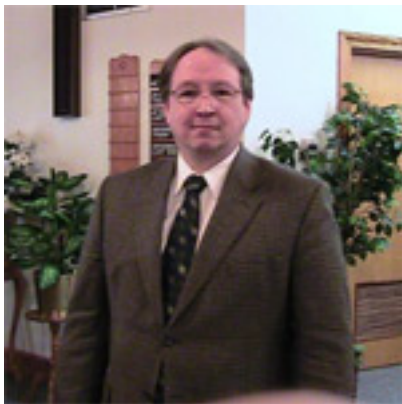
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Web Sites To Check Out

- <http://cherrystreetchurchofchrist.com>
- <http://wordsinseason.org>
- <http://wordandwork.org>
- <http://wordsoflife.com>

Messages From God's Word



- A.M. "The Hidden Treasure of Wisdom and Knowledge" Deuteronomy 8:9-12
- P.M. "Who's In Charge here?" 2 Kings 5:8-13

Deuteronomy 8:9-12

⁹It is a land where food is plentiful and nothing is lacking. It is a land where iron is as common as stone, and copper is abundant in the hills. ¹⁰When you have eaten your fill, be sure to praise the Lord your God for the good land he has given you.

¹¹"But that is the time to be careful! Beware that in your plenty you do not forget the Lord your God and disobey his commands, regulations, and decrees that I am giving you today. ¹²For when you have become full and prosperous and have built fine homes to live in,

What Can You Do?

He is a former elder, and yesterday I was reminded why he held that office with such nobility for many years.

About 18 months ago, he suffered a stroke. I have visited with him multiple times in those months. He is one of Turner's favorite people to visit, because he thinks the wheelchair is cool.

The stroke left him unable to serve as an elder, and I was there one day when he told me that he was going to resign...and he cried.

Then yesterday happened, and it took all I could do to hold my emotions together.

Turner and I went by for a visit and stayed for a good long while. Near the end of our time there, this wonderful man was talking about the time he spent in the nursing home. But he didn't talk about himself.

He talked about how many people were there in the home and no one came to visit them. He welled up with tears as he spoke about how many cards he got and how many visits people made to him. He spoke of how sad it was to see people sitting in the hallway or in their rooms, and no one ever stopped by to say hello.

Then he said to me, *"Hopefully, in a week or two, I'm going to be able to get in a car again. I can't drive, but we [he and his wife] have talked about this. I'm going to go and sit with those people and talk with them."*

As I tried to hold my tears in, he went on... "I never really thought about that before, but now I know how many people don't have anybody come by. That's at least something I can do, and I'm going to do it."

My mind and emotions raced, and it made me think of several things. First, it made me remember why this man had served so well as an elder. One of the qualifications is that he should be a **"lover of strangers"** (usually translated "hospitable;" 1 Timothy 3:2). This man said he didn't know these people, but he could at least sit and speak with them for a minute.

And that made me think of how many Christians think they can't really do anything for the Lord. That's just not true.

If this man, who can still hardly walk and has great trouble speaking clearly, can think of this wonderful ministry, then there is something for me to do. What can you do?

...better question: What WILL you do?

-Adam Faughn preaches for the Lebanon Road Church of Christ in Nashville, TN