

OR CURRENT RESIDENT

| RECORDS - 8/25/2019  |  | THOSE WHO SERVE IN WORSHIP: |                  |
|----------------------|--|-----------------------------|------------------|
| Bible Study.....65   |  | September 1, 2019           | P.M.             |
| A.M. Worship.....145 |  | Announcements:              | Craig Stevens    |
| P.M. Worship.....86  |  | Song Leader:                | Martrell Sanders |
|                      |  | Opening Prayer:             | Bob Balas        |
|                      |  | Sermon:                     | Greg Dismuke     |
|                      |  | Scripture:                  | Jefferey Holmes  |
|                      |  | Prayer - Offering:          | John Ratliff     |
|                      |  | Preside at Table:           | Michael Thornton |
|                      |  | Prayer - Bread:             | Brandon Haygood  |
|                      |  | Prayer - Cup:               | Rodney Phillips  |
|                      |  | Closing Prayer:             | Dennis Haygood   |
|                      |  | Ushers:                     | Sam Ray          |
|                      |  |                             | James Ivory      |
|                      |  |                             | Paul Porter      |
|                      |  | Secure Building:            | Rodney Phillips  |
|                      |  |                             | Michael Thornton |
|                      |  |                             | Brandon Haygood  |
|                      |  |                             | Rodney Phillips  |
|                      |  |                             | Mike Lee         |
|                      |  |                             | John Johnson     |
|                      |  |                             | Paul Richardson  |

NTURSTERY DUTY:

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| September 1, 2019                          |
| Worship:                                   |
| Bible Study: Stephanie Lane                |
| A.M. Michelle Ildefonso/ Brooke Richardson |
| P.M. Angela Anthony                        |
| Wed. (9/4) Dawn Walker                     |
| Prepare SEPTEMBER: TEMPLE JOHNSON          |

Bulletin Editors: NNCOC Members

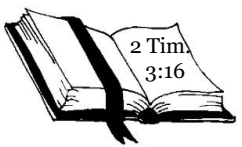
The Peninsula Proclaimer

“...proclaim there this word and say, hear the Word of the Lord...” (Jeremiah 7:2)

CHURCH OF CHRIST



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**Introducing Ourselves:** Visitors are always welcomed at the assembly of the church of Christ (**Rom. 16:16**) that meets at 72nd & Jefferson Avenue, where we strive to follow God’s plan for the New Testament church (**Mt. 16:18**). We have no book but the Bible and our goal is to speak where the Bible speaks and to be silent where the Bible is silent. (**Rev. 22:18-19**) We are encouraged by visitors’ presence and always extend an invitation for others to search the Bible with us. (**Acts 17:11**) We are always thankful for visitors and we are confident that you will feel at home in our presence!

LEADERSHIP:

**Elders:**  
Maxwell Redcross  
Craig Stevens  
**Deacons:**  
Clinton Anthony  
Paul Outlaw  
**Minister:**  
Greg Dismuke

WHEN WE MEET:



**Sunday:**  
**Bible Classes** 10:00 a.m.  
**Morning Worship** 11:00 a.m.  
**Afternoon Worship** 1:30 p.m.  
(Nursery with Attendants Available - Please  
Silence Electronic Devices During Worship -  
Thanks For Your Cooperation)



**Wednesday:**  
**Bible Classes** 7:00 p.m.

THE PERFECT PLAN FROM THE PERFECT PLANNER

God laid out His plan before time began and gradually revealed it through those Old Testament prophets. Little by little He unfolded all that He had in mind. His plan was the perfect plan from the perfect Planner. How blessed we are to know that plan. How blessed we are to be in that plan! He longed for the reconciliation of mankind to Himself, but mankind did not long for that relationship. The descendants of Adam who walked in the steps of Cain far outnumbered those who walked in the footprints of Abel. The perfect world God created soon became unbelievably corrupt. "And the LORD was sorry that He had made man on the earth, and He was grieved in His heart" (Gen. 6:6). Thank God for His grace toward Noah!

After the flood it really did not get that much better. God's plan involved the selection of Abraham, whose faith was especially unique because his father was an idolater (Josh. 24:2). A further illustration of the spread of sin is found in one of the reasons for the giving of the law. "What purpose then does the law serve? It was added because of transgressions . . ." (Gal. 3:19) The Lord has His chosen people, but their place in the scheme of redemption was to make it possible to bring about the reconciliation of all mankind to Him.

How was this accomplished? The Old Testament was a wall which separated Jews from Gentiles. The Jews misunderstood it and even forbade Gentiles to worship in God's temple. Remember that Jesus described that place as a house of prayer for all nations (Mark 11:17). When Solomon dedicated the temple, he proclaimed that Gentiles would have a right to pray there (2 Chron. 6:32). To accomplish His purpose, that wall of separation (called the enmity) had to be taken away. Jews and Gentiles had to become one.

"He Himself is our peace, who has made both one, and has broken down the middle wall of separation, having abolished in His flesh the enmity . . . so as to create in Himself one new man from the two, thus making peace, and that He might reconcile them both to God in one body through the cross, thereby putting to death the enmity" (Eph. 2:14-16). How did He make His plan a reality? He created the body. So where do we fit in that plan? We are that body, for the body is the church (Eph. 1:21). What is our work in that body? "God . . . has committed to us the word of reconciliation" (2 Cor. 5:19). Are you really part of the plan?

-DAN JENKINS

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ANNUAL LABOR DAY PICNIC TOMORROW SHELTER #19 AT 2PM

God's Plan of Salvation

What must one do to be saved?

Hear the Gospel: Romans 10:17 & Acts 15:7  
Believe in Christ: Mark 16:16, John 8:24, & Hebrews 11:6  
Repent of Sins: Luke 13:3, Acts 2:38, & Acts 17:30  
Confess Jesus as the Christ: Rom. 10:9-10 & Acts 8:37  
Be Baptized for the Remission of Sins: Mark 16:15-16, Acts 2:38, & 1 Pet. 3:21

After obeying the Gospel, then...

"...walk worthy of the Lord..."  
(Colossians 1:10)  
"...be thou faithful unto death..."  
(Revelation 2:10)

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

The effectual, fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much." (James 5:16)



RESPONSES:

Penny Williams acknowledged she has been struggling with some pain from her past. Please remember her in prayer.

NEW REQUESTS/ UPDATES:

Nyla Harper has been dealing with gall stones and will need surgery. Please remember her in prayer. Erica Huckaby requests prayers for her best friend's mother, Eudovia Reeves. She was diagnosed with cancer. Penny Williams asks that we pray for her niece. Jackie Phillips requests prayers for her nephew Tyron Pleasant. He has been diagnosed with colon cancer. Linda Lowery broke her hip. Remember those travelling; Carrie Graves and Freddie & Sharon Hawkins. Shaniea Adams' mother continues to improve from recent surgery. Vanessa Holloman continues to improve from brain surgery. Continue to remember special requests; Quincy & Fushia Gaskins and Queen Campbell & family; those that have medical concerns; Daisha Pendergrass-Gwen Pendergrass's niece, Star (Marie Hubbard's daughter), Lee Murray, Bianca Wright, Carolyn Lewis, Paul Blackman, and those who recently lost loved ones; Family of Stanley McMullen.

CONTINUE PRAYERS FOR: TROI HUNTLEY, Ian Allen, Terriana Williams, Jemon Barber, Stephany Gibbs, Jimmy Jackson, Bernice Ford, Nyla Harper, LaKiesha Jones, Eric Sellers, Jadea Colson, Torez & Imani Miller, Gracie Goodrich, Anne Braley, Trisha Irving, Sistina Harper, Kenny Richardson, Dezné Walker, Edward Whitfield, Brianna Hartsfield, Brittany Hartsfield, John Ratliff Jr., Linda Lohrey, Amanda Harris, Torrence Hill, Kirstin Henderson, Mitchell Lassiter, Charles Hunter Jr., (new converts), Pat Irving, (responses), Lonnie Colson, Robert Stimpson, Deborah Harris, Bobbi Ivory, Don & Sherri Blackwell, Mary Ann Harrison, Lorretta Morris, Sharon Zipperman, Sam Taylor, Mary Butler, Steve Rakowski, Michelle Hicks, Dawn Walker, Denise Williams, Earl McAdams, John Johnson Sr., Marie Hiers, Wanda Hobbs, Betty Bennett, Audrey Hymes, Christopher Fields, Penny & Yvonne Green, Eunice Frazier, Denise James' mother, Algery Lee, Charles Stanley, Karen Branson, Tony Wilson, & Martha Justbuddy (medical), JC -Tina McDowell's uncle, Greg Dismuke, Charlotte Outlaw, Lea Gaines, Alease Manley, Nikki Phillips, Davie Nelson, (cancer), Alexander Williams Jr., (incarcerated), those shut in & military personnel- Daniel Peebles, Shantei Mahone, Robert Stimpson, (deployed), LeKeith Thompson & Ra'shawn Combs.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

SEPTEMBER

14TH

LADIES PAINTING CLASS -SEE MICHELLE GLOVER OR TINA JOHNSON

UPCOMING LADIES DAYS

14TH UNIVERSITY CHURCH OF CHRIST  
20TH YOUNG GIRLS PROGRAM- CHES. COC  
21ST CHESAPEAKE CHURCH OF CHRIST  
28TH COLD HARBOR CHURCH OF CHRIST

29TH - OCT 1 GOSPEL MEETING BAYSIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST -GREG DISMUKE IS THE SPEAKER  
MEMBERS- PLEASE SEE THE LAWN CARE SIGN UP LIST FOR THE BUILDING POSTED IN THE TRACT ROOM.  
THANK YOU!! -Jackie Holmes acknowledged her thankfulness to God for the very favorable outcome of her court case. She is also grateful for the prayers of the saints on her behalf.

ADULT BIBLE CLASSES & OTHER REGULAR MEETINGS:



PLEASE TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THESE OPPORTUNITIES FOR STUDY AND FELLOWSHIP !  
SUNDAY: Auditorium: LOVE ONE ANOTHER: Craig Stevens; WEDNESDAY: Auditorium: SUMMER SERIES: Various Speakers