### **Those Serving:**

### October 24

October 31

#### Morning Worship:

Morning Worship:

Announce/Prayer: Hal Powell

Announce/Prayer: Larry Butcher

Song Leader: Jodi Mote

**Song Leader:** Darren Parks

**Usher/Monitor**: Don Archer

**Usher/Monitor**: Richard Lee Davis

Usher/Monitor: Elmer Burns
Communion: Larry Butcher

**Usher/Monitor**: Ethan Davis **Communion**: Lew Wilson

Closing Prayer: Caleb Parsley

Closing Prayer: Tom Becker

**Evening Worship:** 

Evening Worship:

Announce/Prayer: Hal Powell

Announce/Prayer: Larry Butcher

Song Leader: Jodi Mote

Song Leader: Darren Parks

Communion: Larry Butcher

Communion: Lew Wilson

**Closing Prayer:** Caleb Parsley

Closing Prayer: Tom Becker

Wednesday Oct 27

Wednesday Nov 3

Announce/Prayer: Hal Powell

Announce/Prayer: Larry Butcher

Song Leader: Jodi Mote

Song Leader: Darren Parks

Closing Prayer: Brian Mercer

Closing Prayer: Dan Kessinger

Worship Coordinator: Oct: Darren Parks Nov: Lew Wilson

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# Dewey Avenue Church of Christ

October 24, 2021

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### From Here to Eternity

Mark N. Posey

"There's a Great Day Coming" are the words to a familiar and favorite song. Christ's return is a reality; it is neither some riddle to be solved nor a code to be broken, but it is a day to be anticipated. However, when that day will occur remains a mystery to all except God (Matthew 24:36). Therefore, it should not be when that day will come that concerns us the most but how we live until that day arrives. Peter taught how we should live from here to eternity – "in holy conduct and godliness" (2 Peter 3:11 NKJV).

We should live Christ-like lives. Christ is our example (1 Peter 2:21). We should consider His "steps" (1 Peter 2:21), His "mind" (Philippians 2:5), and His deeds (Acts 10:38). Jesus' life and teaching were in perfect harmony. He cared enough to die, loved unconditionally and did the Father's will. We will walk in the paths of righteousness by living like Christ.

We should strive to save our families. One man said, "I've gone the world over saving souls and lost my son." Noah was a preacher of righteousness (2 Peter 2:5), and yet, he saved only his wife, three sons and three daughters-in-law (1 Peter 3:20). Joshua was a busy leader, but he said, "as for me and my house, we will serve the Lord" (Joshua 24:15). The world needs more fathers like Noah and Joshua (Genesis 18:19; Ephesians 6:4).

We should be supremely committed to the Church of Christ. Brethren, never be ashamed of the "Church of Christ!" It is the Church of the New Testament. Christ died for it (Acts 20:28) and He reigns over it (1 Corinthians 15:25). When He returns, it will be delivered unto God (1 Corinthians 15:24).

We should strive for unity, peace and harmony within the Church. Ephesians 4:1-6 details the dispositions and doctrines for Christian unity. The pulse of the Church must beat in unison. With the Bible as our guide in faith and practice, we should never allow false doctrine, opinion or supposition to lead the church into error, liberalism or legalism. Let's stand foursquare on the Bible, not swaying to the left or to the right (Acts 5:29)!

We should live so that our names are always in the Book of Life. Right now in Heaven, there is a Book of Life. Moses was aware of this book (Exodus 32:32) and so was Paul (Philippians 4:3). Jesus told the disciples, "Rejoice because your names are written in heaven" (Luke 10:20). The names of the redeemed are in the Book of Life. Is your name in that book right now? One's name is placed there when he or she becomes a Christian. A person's name remains there by living a faithful life. When the Book of Life is opened (Revelation 20:11-15), will your name be there? The most important thing in life is having one's name written in Heaven!

Life is short, death is sure, sin is the cause, but Christ is the cure! May we live for Christ all the days of our lives – from here to eternity!

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## PRAYER LIST

## Upcoming Events

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

There will be a 2pm service at the Heritage on the front porch the second Sunday of each month. Please bring a chair.

# Schedule of Services Sunday

Sun Bible Class: 9:00 AM Sun AM Worship: 10:00 AM Sun PM Worship: 5:00 PM

Wednesday 7:00 PM

\*\*NEW MONTHLY TEACHER SIGN UPS IN THE FOYER!! IN NEED OF TEACHERS!!

Upcoming Gospel Meetings are posted on the back bulletin.

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Congratulations to Kyle and Sarah Lancaster on the birth of their new daughter Elliah Sadie Lancaster born on Thursday, October 21st! She weighed 7lbs, 11oz, and was 20.5" long. Proud grandparents are Dave and Kathy Lancaster.

Condolences to the family of Pat Nichols of Belmont who passed away last week. Pat was the sister of James Bennett and the daughter of long-time member Ruby Bennett. \*Sharon Baker was moved to Encompass room 223 for a couple weeks.

\*Connie Binegar's mother Pat has been improving.

\*Rodney Ramsey continues to improve on his rehabilitation and was moved to the Landings in Belpre last week. Keep Debbie in your prayers as she was battling illness last week.

\*Zack Lamp, Becky Hinton's son had surgery on his arm and is home recovering, but will be facing additional surgeries in the near future.

\*There are numerous families currently affected by covid right now in our area.

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Gerald Burns, Joyce Barnhart, Sharon Baker, Brenda Davis, Jesse Williamson, Betty Wilson, Ruth Eddy, Bill & Lorraine Dutton, Fred Arnett, Russell Lough, Sandy Mote, Jane Becker, Kirk Timmons, Zack Lamp, John Rockhold, Evelyn Hall, Colleen Kiester, Blye Grove, Cecil Cline, Jennifer Collins, Madeline McFadden, Fran Kettren, Greg Williams, Lisa Westbrook Smith, Rachel Perry, and Levi Heiney.

If you or someone you know would like to receive the bulletin via email, please let Darren Parks or email to: office@deweyavechurchofchrist.org

Any updates for the bulletin, please drop off in box by office door or contact: Terri Parks (304) 299-1650, terrinazel-rod@hotmail.com



### Radio and TV Programs

Good News of Peace: Sundays: 8:00 AM on WRRR 93.9 FM

Gospel Broadcasting Network: Dish Network Channel: 9407 (noon); Direct TV

Channel: 376 (7:30 AM)

In Search of the Lord's Way: 7:30—Channel 4, Parkersburg; 7:30—Channel 15, Parkersburg; 8:00— Channel 7, Wheeling; 11:30—Channel 5, Clarksburg