

Dewey Avenue Church of Christ

July 7, 2024

701 Dewey Avenue
St. Marys, WV (304) 684-3939

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

Leadership:

Elders:

Dave Lancaster

Hal Powell

Melvin Truax

Lew Wilson

Deacons:

Joe Elrod

Brian Mercer

Darren Parks

Clay Perkins

Minister:

Dale Parsley

Youth Minister:

Carlos Molina

The Choice Is Ours

A young psychology student went into the army. Drawing KP duty, he decided to test a long-held theory of his concerning the power of the positive. He was given the job of passing out apricots at the end of the chow line. Now if you have ever tasted army apricots, you will understand why very few soldiers eat them. They taste like they have been packed in diesel fuel.

He asked the first few men that came by, "You don't want any apricots, do you?" Ninety percent said, "No." He then tried the positive approach with this question, "You do want some of these delicious apricots, don't you?" About half answered, "Uh, yeah, I'll take some." Finally, he tried a third test based on the fundamental "either/or" selling technique. He asked, "One dish of apricots or two?" In spite of the fact that soldiers don't like army apricots, forty percent took two dishes, and fifty percent took one!

Jesus doesn't use "selling" techniques in His offers to mankind; however, He does present choices. He said in Matthew 7:13-14, "Enter by the narrow gate; for wide is the gate and broad is the way that leads to destruction, and there are many who go in by it. Because narrow is the gate and difficult is the way which leads to life, and there are few who find it." When asked if there are few who will be saved, He replied saying, "Strive to enter through the narrow gate, for many, I say to you, will seek to enter and will not be able" (Luke 13:24).

The choice is ours. Will we strive to enter by the narrow gate or will we go in the way of destruction? Thus, in the words of Joshua, "...choose for yourselves this day whom you will serve, whether the gods which your fathers served that were on the other side of the River, or the gods of the Amorites, in whose land you dwell. But as for me and my house, we will serve the Lord" (Joshua 24:15). And in the words of Elijah, "How long will you falter between two opinions? If the Lord is God, follow Him; but if Baal, follow him" (1 Kings 18:21).

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R a d i o a n d T V P r o g r a m s

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

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Worship Schedule

July— Lew Wilson

July 7

Morning Worship:

Announce/Pray: Hal Powell

Song Leader: Caleb Parsley

Usher/Monitor: Tom Becker

Usher/Monitor: Lew Wilson

Communion: Dave Parks

Closing Prayer: Clay Perkins

Evening Worship:

Announce/Prayer: Hal Powell

Song Leader: Caleb Parsley

Communion: Dave Parks

Closing Prayer: Clay Perkins

Wednesday July 10

Announce/Prayer: Hal Powell

Song Leader: Caleb Parsley

Closing Prayer: Melvin Truax

Door Greeters:

July 14

Morning Worship:

Announce/Pray: Camaron L

Song Leader: Connor Lancaster

Usher/Monitor: Don Archer

Usher/Monitor: Melvin Truax

Communion: Dave Lancaster

Closing Prayer: Larry Butcher

Evening Worship:

Announce/Prayer: Camaron L

Song Leader: Connor Lancaster

Communion: Dave Lancaster

Closing Prayer: Larry Butcher

Wednesday July 17

Announce/Prayer: Camaron L

Song Leader: Connor Lancaster

Closing Prayer: Joe Elrod

Door Greeters:

Upcoming Events

*Our Wed evening Summer Series will continue this Wednesday with Terry Jones and will feature a different speaker every Wed thru July 31st.

July 10— Terry Jones

July 17— Kyle Lancaster

July 24— Ed Melott

July 31— John Board

*July 28th will be a Church-eat-Church

*Aug 3rd— Clothing Giveaway

***The elders have decided to support the following two missions with \$500 each to:**

Chris Jones— Guyana Mission

Michael Jones— Kenya Missions

Youth Events

- OVCYC & WVCYC youth continue today!
- July 28th traveling youth group @ Latrobe St. 6pm

Birthday & Anniversary this week

July 7— Brad & Pam Butcher M/M

July 8— Joe & Miranda Elrod M/M

July 8— Melvin & Sue Truax M/M

July 9— Carlos Molina

July 10— Victoria Booth

July 10— Clay & Rhonda Perkins M/M

July 13— Joe Elrod

PRAYER LIST

*Carolyn Rule is taking chemo pills.

*Zack Lamp is in Wheeling in the ICU and is sedated following surgery. Please keep him in your prayers.

*John Rockhold is improving.

*Becca Lamp Barnhart is recovering from a broken leg. Her address is :1868 Pike Rd. St. Marys, WV.

Rodney Ramsey Family, Shirley Hearn, Daryan Perkins & baby, Delores Butcher, Kenny Lancaster, Becca Lamp Barnhart, Jacob Andrew, Glenn & Gala Stewart, Joyce Barnhart, Judy Lough, Betty McFarland, Rhonda Perkins, James Bennett, Evelyn Hall, Fay Williams, Betty Timmons, Marlin Runnion, Jane Ann Becker, Jeremy Rhodes, Dave St. Peter, Bill & Lorraine Dutton, Gerald & Janice Burns, Gail & Sandy Mote, John Rockhold, Cecil Cline, Destiny Gray, Zack Lamp, Jim Grove, Larry Truax, and Carolyn Rule.

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