

Nixa Church of Christ

News and Notes

Meeting Times: Sunday 10:00 a.m. Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

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"To everything there is a season, A time for every purpose under heaven: A time to be born, And a time to die; A time to plant, And a time to pluck what is planted; A time to kill, And a time to heal; A time to break down, And a time to build up; A time to weep, And a time to laugh; A time to mourn, And a time to dance."

Ecclesiastes 3:1-4

- Thanks to Evangelist Rick Sparks for being with us to speak during our morning service on July 14.
- We look forward to John Lee being with us to speak during our morning service on August 11 when he will deliver two messages. We will also have a carry-in dinner at noon.
- We sadly share that Elder Tom Dennis passed on July 14 after a short illness. Prayers and condolences to wife Della, daughters Sondra Johnson and Suzanne Williams, son Stephen and their families.
- Congratulations to Andrew and Alesia Carter on the birth of their daughter Logan Jane on July 10.
- Please pray for those with special needs including Della Dennis, Luanna Baysinger, Mary Jane Johnson, Ruth Moore, Jerry Moore, Clayton Moore, Devin McCall (Pam and David Young's grandson), Chuck Waterworth, Nadine Farthing, Shannon Allen, Barbara Hutchinson, and John Derhammer.
- Live streaming of our Sunday morning worship is available on YouTube. To watch simply go to YouTube and search for "Nixa Church of Christ." If you subscribe to our channel, you will get an email when our services are going live or view later if you prefer.
- Our website at www.nixachurchofchrist.org offers a variety of resources including audio messages from our visiting evangelists and last years weekend meeting. There are also links to VBR (Video Bible Reading), The Gospel Message, and our newsletters.

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Thank God For The Bible

From the June 2022 newsletter:

With all the myths and imaginary legends and stories about God, how much of the truth would we really know with certainty without the Bible containing the God-inspired Scriptures? How could we be sure of the creation story? The Lord's handiwork is to be seen all around us, but unbelievers endeavor to persuade men that it wasn't a matter of creation but evolution, and without knowledge of the Scriptures many are deceived.

Without the Scriptures how could we even start to comprehend the depth and the mercy of God's grace and love? Though the writings of history record the crucifixion of Christ, would we without the Scriptures have understood that He was the eternal Son of God, and it was for our sins that He died? Would we have ever believed that He came from heaven, was born of a virgin into the human family? Would we ever have known of His eternal existence just through the observations and writings of men?

We are forever indebted to God for the inspiration, preservation and existence of the Scriptures. Without them, we would be groping for information. What knowledge would we have concerning death and eternity? From antiquity men have believed in life after death. The tombs of Egyptians and graves of Native Americans with tools, weapons, and supplies buried with the dead for their future needs give evidence of the belief of the people then involved. The Holy Scriptures give us information concerning our resurrection and judgment, and the eternal destinies of heaven and hell.

The Bible tells of God's love and His will for our salvation and eternal life, but it also warns us of His wrath for those who do not believe and obey the gospel. With the world in its present state, with multiple religions and conflicting doctrines and theories, thank God that we have access to the one and only accurate document revealing God's will for our lives and salvation. Regardless of whatever else you hear or read, be like the Bereans of old. Search the Scriptures daily to find out whether these things are so. Study your Bible, rightly dividing the word of truth.

Thomas D. Dennis November 14, 1928 - July 14, 2024

From 1947, the year he was baptized at Mount Ayr, IA, Tom began preaching the gospel and continued that work for the rest of his life, a total of 75 years. He started congregations, held meetings and vacation Bible studies through the central midwestern states, eventually across the United States. He also led six study tours of the Bible lands. In 2004 he retired from the traveling evangelist life and moved to Nixa where he and wife Ann placed membership. He was appointed as an Elder for the congregation in 2009. His enthusiasm for sharing the gospel never waned. We mourn his loss but rejoice in heaven's gain.

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Calendar Events

Birthdays in August:

August 5 - Greg McClease

August 7 - Brenda Bogard

August 10 - Rowena Martin

August 20 - Clayton Moore

August 22 - Pam Young

August 23 - Barry Brownsberger

August 24 - Raegan Allen

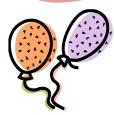
August 31 - James Bennett

"No prophecy of Scripture is of any private interpretation, for prophecy never came by the will of man, but holy men of God spoke as they were moved by the Holy Spirit."

2 Peter 1:20-21









Anniversaries in August:

August 10 - Jay and Suzanne Scott

August 12 - Michael and Shelly Allen

August 24 - Danny and Debbie Krasser

August 28 - Chris and Shannon Allen

Mark your Calendar for August:

August 4 - Leaders Meeting 8:30am

August 5 - Ladies Class 6:30pm

August 11 - John Lee

August 11 - Carry In Dinner at Noon

August 25 - Luanna Baysinger Birthday Party 2:30-4:30pm

Coming Soon in 2024:

September 15 - Tad Morris

October 19-20 - Fall Meeting

December 15 - John Lee

Program Schedule for August 2024:

- Sunday Morning -

Date	Songs	Read	Announcements	Table	Speaker
4	M. Allen	J. Gooch	M. Allen	C. Allen	M. Allen
11	D. Young	C. Moore	D. Young	A. Carter	J. Lee
18	J. Bennett	K. Farthing	D. Carmichael	J. Allen	C. Payne
25	T. Allen	D. Carmichael	M. Allen	C. Payne	J. Bennett

Teacher for Adult Class in the Auditorium: Brownsberger (Hebrews)

- Wednesday Evening -

Date	Songs	Teacher
7	Brownsberger	J. Gooch (Acts 16 - Second Journey Begins)
14	J. Allen	B. Lee (Acts 17 - Paul in Thessalonica and Athens)
21	M. Allen	J. Allen (Acts 18 - Paul in Corinth)
28	J. Bennett	M. Allen (Acts 19 - Paul in Ephesus)

Wednesday Evening Study: Chapter by chapter study of the Acts of the Apostles

Contact Information

Elders: Deacons: Flowers for Ill or Bereaved:

Michael Allen Jeff Allen Lisa Allen

Tom Allen David Carmichael

David Young Food for Ill or Bereaved:

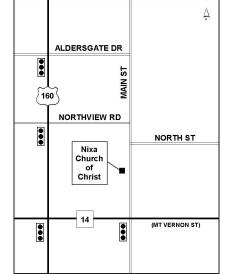
Cheryl McClease

David and Pam Young

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