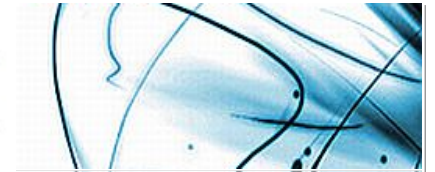




North Garland CHURCH OF CHRIST



**We strive to Be: A church devoted to making disciples of Jesus Christ,
growing in knowledge and relationship with God and each other.**

Today's Events

- Elders/Deacons Meeting, 8:00
- LTC Banquet & Showcase immediately following services in the education building.
- New Life Groups Begin

Upcoming Events

- Apr. 10**-Alva Bible Chair
- Apr. 10**-FISH @ The Smith's, 7-8:30
- Apr. 12**-Wednesday Meal- Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Chips, Cookies
- Apr. 14-16**-LTC
- Apr. 16**-Easter
- Apr. 17**-FISH @ The Smith's, 7-8:30
- Apr. 19**-Blood Drive, 5-8 p.m.
- Apr. 19**-Wed. Meal-Meatloaf, Corn, Green Beans, Bread, Dessert
- Apr. 24**-FISH @ The Smith's, 7-8:30
- Apr. 26**-Wednesday Meal
- Apr. 28-29**-Family Retreat-**CANCELED**
- Apr. 30**-5th Sunday Fellowship
- May 3**-Wednesday Meal
- May 7**-Sr. Sunday
- May 10**-Wednesday Meal
- May 12**-Game Night, 6-9
- May 14**-Elders/Deacons Meeting
- May 14**-Mother's Day
- May 17**-Wednesday Meal
- May 21**-New Members Dinner, 11:30
- May 24**-Wednesday Meal
- May 29**-Office Closed for Memorial Day
- May 31**-Wednesday Meal

Order of Worship

Song Leader	Dee Plummer			
#54.....	We Bring The Sacrifice Of Praise			
#294.....	You're The One			
#278.....	Victory Chant			
Welcome/Scripture	Psalm 27:1-14		Adam Smith	
Opening Prayer	Gordon Jantz			
#123.....	The Steadfast Love Of The Lord			
.....	Open The Eyes Of My Heart Lord			
Communion Talk	Dan Kent			
Dan Kent	Robb Mills	Cooper Thornton	Manny Walker	
Daylan Berry	Gordon Jantz	Shane Holderly	Joe Williams	
#250.....	The Great Redeemer			
#469.....	Faith Is The Victory			
.....	Dismiss To Children's Church			
#957.....	This World Is Not My Home			
Sermon	Erik Granberg			
#902.....	Nothing But The Blood			
Welcome/Announcements	Gordon Jantz			
Shepherd's Prayer	Pat Meek			
Nursery	Brenda Wright, Krystal Wright			
Lock Up	Michael Manley, Butch McComas			

Scripture: John 3:16-18

Thought: Being correct doesn't always make a person right. Today's sermon talked about the change that John went through in his life. At the beginning of his life he is brash, harsh, and quick to judge...truly a "son of Thunder." He was often "correct", but not necessarily "right." However, after living longer than the other disciples and writing a significant portion of the New Testament, he becomes known through history as, "the apostle of love."

Questions:

1. Share your thoughts on the comment, "Being correct doesn't necessarily make a person right."
2. There are times when we have been wronged or may be on the correct side, but we must still approach the situation in a "right" manner...how can we do that?
3. What stood out to you from the sermon?

Prayer List

Woody Jobe-is home.

Cassie Barr-still having blood platelet problems.

Cathy Burkhardt-has inflamed muscles in her spine.

Joann Harmon-is in Bass Hospital Rm. 306 is a major kidney infection. She is Buddy Harmon's wife and members of Garriott Rd.

Jack Parker-had heart surgery in OKC Thursday. He is Tommy Parker's father.

Record for 04-02-17

Bible Class.....	118
Morning Worship.....	178
Life Groups.....	nc
Contributions.....	\$8,609.00
Budget.....	\$6,634.62
2017 YTD Cont.....	\$92,606.77
2017 YTD Bdgt.....	\$92,884.68

Birthdays

April:

12th...Boston Burford

.....Jeff Owen

15th...Leah Hocker

.....Janice McGary

Manuelito Children's Home

We are collecting supplies for Manuelito Children Home until April 23rd. Items needed: **napkins, toilet paper, trash bags (13 & 33 gal), foil, plastic wrap, gallon zip lock bags, paper plates (paper only), Lysol disinfectant spray, floor cleaner (spic & span), windex, detergent, fabric sheet, all purpose cleaner, liquid bath soap, hair conditioner, toothpaste.** If it is more convenient to designate funds to Alan Lindsay and he will do the shopping for you.

Easter is Coming

Easter is coming--but for many of us--this is not the ultimate reality--There's too much pain and suffering in the world today--Death has the last word--It would therefore be foolish to say that--the life and death of a first-century Jew named Jesus makes a difference--Why--Right makes right--power is superior to compassion and--despair is stronger than hope so--I refuse to believe--a man can come back from the dead--Sometimes the most important facts are the hardest to accept--Resurrection is a false hope--How can you say--an empty tomb changes everything--Don't you see--God loves the world--is a lie--money is God--and--the one who dies with the most toys wins--I will I tell you what I tell my children--there is no more to this world than what you can see, hold, and buy--There is no mystery in everyday life, and--there is nothing sacred about ordinary things and people--Many of us simply do not believe that--God can give life to the dead, bring light from darkness, and create something out of nothing.

But what if the testimony of the women at the tomb was true? Then...

(Now read the first paragraph backwards)

(Written by David Lose)

"Why do you look for the living among the dead? He is not here; he has risen! Remember how he told you, while he was still with you in Galilee: 'The Son of Man must be delivered into the hands of sinful men, be crucified and on the third day be raised again.' Then they remembered his words. When they came back from the tomb, they told all these things to the Eleven and to all the others. It was Mary Magdalene, Joanna, Mary the mother of James, and the others with them...." --Luke 24:5-10

-Erik Granberg

Senior Bibles

Senior Bibles are now out in the foyer. Please consider what you want to communicate to our seniors as they carry God's word with them in the future. This years Seniors are: **Jesse Elledge, Austin Patton & Jared Spencer.**

VBS Meeting

There will be a VBS Meeting for those interested in helping with VBS Sunday, April 23rd immediately following worship in the family room. Sign up sheets will also be available on the welcome center.

DHS Suitcase Collection

DHS is collecting suitcases for foster kids. They can be new or gently used. If you have some you can donate, please give to Patty Long.

Family Mission Trip - June 1-4

We hope you're making plans to participate in this great new mission trip. Please let Adam Smith or Michael Manley know as soon as possible if you are going. There is a signup sheet in the foyer for this trip.

Rose of Sharon Bushes

If anyone is interested in Rose of Sharon Bushes, please see Jim Osburn. He has some starters he is willing to donate.

Men's Bible Study

We will not have the Friday morning Men's Bible Study this Friday, April 14th. We will resume the Bible Study Friday, April 21st.