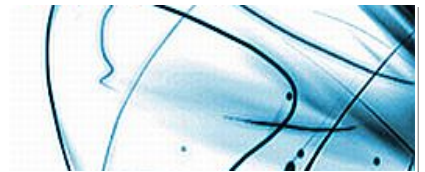




# North Garland

## 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

- Keisha Ott's Baby Shower, 3:00 in the education building.
- Life Groups

### Upcoming Events

- June 28**-Wednesday Meal- Poppy Seed Chicken, Green Beans, Rolls, Strawberry Dessert
- July 4**-Office Closed- Independence Day
- July 5**-Wednesday Meal- Cowboy Casserole, Salad, Rolls, Texas Sheet Cake
- July 8-15**-High School Mission Trip
- July 9**-Elders/Deacons Meeting, 8:00 A.M.
- July 12**-Wednesday Meal- Lasagna, Salad, Bread, Pudding
- July 17-21**-Middle School Service Week
- July 19**-Wednesday Meal- Pulled Pork Sandwiches, Baked Beans, Chips, Dessert
- July 23-26**-VBS
- July 26**-No Meal or classes due to VBS.
- July 30**-5th Sunday Fellowship
- Aug. 2**-Wednesday Meal
- Aug. 9**-Blood Drive, 5-8
- Aug. 9**-Wednesday Meal
- Aug. 12**-Game Night, 6-9
- Aug. 13**-Elders/Deacons Meeting, 8:00 A.M.
- Aug. 16**-Wednesday Meal
- Aug. 18-20**-Overflow Retreat (Middle School)
- Aug. 23**-Wednesday Meal

### Order of Worship

<b>Song Leader</b> .....	<b>Chase Coldwater</b>
#300.....	Praise Him! Praise Him!
<b>Welcome/Scripture</b> .....	<b>Matthew 10:28-39</b> .....
<b>Opening Prayer</b> .....	<b>Gene Denney</b>
#622.....	Ring Out The Message
#414.....	Anywhere With Jesus
#867.....	To Canaan's Land I'm On My Way
<b>Communion Talk</b> .....	<b>George Gordon</b>
<b>George Gordon</b>	<b>Shawn Tuohy</b>
<b>Shannon Elledge</b>	<b>Roger Owen</b>
	<b>Clay Calfee</b>
	<b>Joe Steffens</b>
	<b>Gene Schroeder</b>
	<b>Brent Dittmeyer</b>
	<b>Dismiss To Children's Church</b>
#716.....	Sing To Me Of Heaven
#611.....	Heavenly Sunlight
<b>Sermon</b> .....	<b>Erik Granberg</b>
#3.....	Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah
<b>Welcome/Announcements</b> .....	<b>Gordon Jantz</b>
<b>Shepherd's Prayer</b> .....	<b>Dan Kent</b>
<b>Nursery</b> .....	<b>Jamie Barr, Luann Burford</b>
<b>Lock Up</b> .....	<b>Bill Oldham, Terry Sherrill</b>

**Scripture:** Ecclesiastes 7

**Thought:** For many, faith is most important for the afterlife, hence the question, "What do I have to do to go to heaven." However, not only is it important during our physical life, but faith in God also has a VERY practical side to it with many "wise" components.

**Questions:**

1. Do you tend to think of Christianity as more pertinent for this life or for after your death?
2. In what practical areas of your life do you need to grow in wisdom right now?
3. What can you do, and who can you ask to obtain that wisdom?
4. Do people in your life ask you for advice? If so, how do you go about giving advice?

### Prayer List

**Barbara Pool**-is in St. Mary's Rehab Rm. 589.

**Les Swart**-is out of Greenbrier and is staying with Gene & Pam Denney.

**Dawn Webb**-will have a spleenectomy this Wednesday, June 28th, 11:00 at Mercy Hospital.

### Record for 06-18-17

Bible Class.....	90
Morning Worship.....	162
Life Groups.....	36
Contributions.....	\$2,956.50
Budget.....	\$6,634.62
2017 YTD Cont.....	\$155,771.07
2017 YTD Bdgt.....	\$165,865.50

### Birthdays

#### June:

25th...Glenn Walker

28th...Loretta Ball

29th...Rebecca Meyer

.....Michelle Pettus

.....Finley Smith

30th...David Granberg

.....Clayton Nolen

#### July:

1st...Link Setser

### New Address

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### Raised With Christ

#### "A Changed Life"

Our journey through life is constantly laced with change. We change from adolescent to adult hood - we change when we get married, when we have children - we change jobs and locations - we change automobiles - we change how we look (I know I am getting too close to home!), and many other changes as the years go by. These changes are all very natural, and for the most part, are good for our journey through life. One of the most dramatic changes in my life was when I got commissioned. I always felt limited to what I could do, but when I became an officer that changed. I not only had to do things I didn't think I was capable of, but I also found that I was actually pretty good at doing them.

The same is true with our Christian lives. It begins with **a changed life** when we give our lives to Christ to mold us into vessels of his choosing. As Paul puts it, *"I have been crucified with Christ, and it is no longer I who lives, but Christ who lives in me"* (Gal. 2:20). You bet we have **a changed life** because we have *"put on the new nature, created after the likeness of God in true righteousness and holiness"* (Eph. 4:24). We are no longer the same; we have been made new. Most of us begin our walk with Christ thinking there is not much we can do in His Kingdom. However our life as a Christian is empowered by the Holy Spirit, so that we *"can do all things in him [Christ] who strengthens us"* (Phil. 4:13). That means we can go forward with **a changed life** to do the Kingdom work God created for us to do (Eph. 2:10). As we do, we will be *"changed into his [God's] likeness from one degree of glory to another"* (2 Cor. 3:18). How blessed we are to be able to glorify God through **a changed life** and be filled with his glory as we journey through life hand in hand with Him. -Gordon Jantz

### Co-Ed Softball Games

The church co-ed softball team plays Tuesday, June 27th at 8:30 and Thursday, June 29th, 6:30 & 8:30. We invite everyone to come out and watch them play.

### Men's Friday Morning Bible Study

The Friday morning men's Bible study will be postponed for the month of June and start back meeting Friday, July 7th at 7:00 A.M.