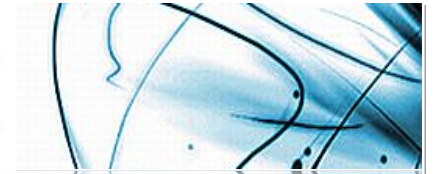




# North Garland CHURCH OF CHRIST



**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

Life Groups meet

### Upcoming Events

**June 28**-NGCC Softball Game @ 6:30

**June 29**-Wednesday Meal- Poppy Seed Chicken, Green Beans, Rolls, Dessert

**July 3**-Sinai meeting after worship in youth room

**July 4**-Office Closed for the Independence Holiday

**July 6**-Wednesday Meal- Pulled Pork Sandwiches, Chips, Baked Beans, Dessert

**July 7**-NGCC Softball Game @ 8:30

**July 9-15**-Sinai

**July 10**-New Members Dinner

**July 12**-NGCC Softball Game @ 6:30 & 7:30

**July 13**-Wednesday Meal- Lasagna, Salad, French Bread, Pudding

**July 16**-Men's Breakfast, 7:30

**July 17-23**-Sr. Camp Session @ LCCC

**July 20**-Wednesday Meal- Cowboy Casserole, Salad, Rolls & Cake

**July 23-29**-Manuelito Children's Home Mission Trip

**July 27**-Wednesday Meal-Sub Sandwiches, Chips, Veggies, Ice Cream Sundaes

**July 31**-5th Sunday Fellowship immediately following morning services in the education building.

### Order of Worship

<b>Song Leader</b> .....	<b>Glenn Walker</b>
#827.....	Sweet Hour of Prayer
#794.....	Unto Thee, O Lord
<b>Welcome</b> .....	<b>Adam Smith</b>
<b>Scripture</b> .....	Hebrews 11:31-12:2
<b>Opening Prayer</b> .....	<b>Bill Oldham</b>
#691.....	Make Me New
#683.....	I Am Mine No More
<b>Communion Talk</b> .....	<b>Danny Powers</b>
<b>Danny Powers</b>	<b>Bill Spencer</b>
<b>Steve Long</b>	<b>Butch McComas</b>
	<b>Russell Miller</b>
	<b>Curtis Diel</b>
	<b>Kevin Hurt</b>
	<b>Brian Wright</b>
.....	<b>Dismiss to Children's Church</b>
#742.....	When Upon Life's Billows
#881.....	Mansion Over the Hilltop
#959.....	Just A Little Talk With Jesus
<b>Sermon</b> .....	<b>Erik Granberg</b>
#902.....	Nothing But The Blood
<b>Welcome/Announcements</b> .....	<b>Adam Smith</b>
<b>Shepherd's Prayer</b> .....	<b>Rodger Owen</b>
<b>Nursery</b> .....	<b>Jo Ann Rogers</b> <b>Jamie Rogers</b>
<b>Lock Up</b> .....	<b>Terry Sherrill, Joe Steffens</b>

### Life Group Questions

#### Faith and Works

**Scripture:** James 2:14-26

**Thought:** Faith and works; works and faith. Together, wonderful things happen, but separated... nothing. In his letter "to the 12 tribes," James emphasizes the importance of inner faith being coupled with outer action. He even goes so far as to say that belief in God without works is no better than what demons do.

#### Questions:

1. In this passage two examples of people living out their faith are given, Abraham and Rahab. Share what examples of faith from the scriptures impact you.
2. What steps can we take to ensure that we don't fail to actively live our faith?
3. Share about struggles or triumphs of living your own life of faith.



### Prayer List

**John Wright**-is in St. Mary's Hospital Rm. 303. He had a heart cath. Friday.

**Margaret Jenkinson**-is in St. Mary's Hospital Rm. 586. She fell and hit her head.

**Pat Tippit**-will have surgery on her shoulder at St. Mary's Hospital July 19th.

**Pat Spencer**-fell and broke her nose. Prayers for healing and comfort. She is Bill Spencer's mother.

**Debbie Martin**-waiting on test results.

**Lana Ballard**-moved to her daughters, 1006 Westchester. Lana's phone number is still 747-2651. Her daughter Debbie's number is 484-0225. Lana would love visits after 2:00 in the afternoon.

### Record for 06-12-16

Morning Worship.....	176
Bible Class.....	99
Life Groups.....	N/A
Contributions.....	\$5255.55
Budget.....	\$7,211.52
2016 YTD Cont..	\$162,259.05
2016 YTD Budg..	\$173,076.48

### Birthdays

#### June:

28th Loretta Ball  
 29th Michelle Pettus  
 30th David Granberg  
 Clayton Nolen

### Paper & Plastic Sacks

The pantry is in need of paper and plastic sacks. If you have some you don't need, please bring to the church and put in the kitchen.

### The Burdens of Life

Psalm 13

We all have one very real thing in common; the **burdens of life**. They are real; they are a part of life; they weigh us down. The psalmist shares these difficult moments of life in the writings known as lament psalms. Lament simply means "to feel or express sorrow or regret; mourn for or over." It is those times in life when we cry out to God, "Where are you?" "Do you not see the deplorable condition we are in?" "Do you not care about the pain we are dealing with?" Understand this my friends, we are not by ourselves. The psalmist expresses our exact feelings when he writes, "How long, O Lord? Will you forget me forever? How long will you hide your face from me? How long must I bear pain in my soul, and have sorrow in my heart all the day?" O yes, we can identify with that because we have been there too. Facing **the burdens of life** is where our faith and trust in God comes into play. It is where we show the world we are God's people; that he gives us the strength and courage to endure our time of suffering. That is why Jesus instructs us "Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me; for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls" (Matt. 11:28-29). It is only in him that we find hope in dealing with **the burdens of life**. No matter how difficult **the burdens of life** become, we must believe that God is still there to rescue us and see us through. That is exactly what the psalmist did. "But I have trusted in your steadfast love; my heart shall rejoice in your salvation, I will sing to the Lord, because he has dealt bountifully with me." Yes, it is OK to express our grief and sorrow to the Lord, but we must also trust in his power to save us from **our burdens of life**. Praise God for his Salvation! *Gordon*

### Change For Children's Cans

It's that time of year again for the Change For Children's Cans, for High Plains Children's Home. We ask anyone that would like to collect for it to pick up a can on the back table in the foyer, collect change and when it is filled up bring back to the office. We will be collecting until the end of August. If you fill a can up early and would like to take another can, please do.

### Youth Trip Meeting - Sinai

There will be a meeting for youth and their parents on July 3 to talk about our hiking trip: Sinai. Please stay after worship for a quick information meeting in the youth room about all of the trip details.

### School Backpacks Needed

Youth and Family Services of Enid has asked us to provide 25 **new** backpacks for the upcoming school year. There will be a place to bring those in the lobby on or before July 6th.