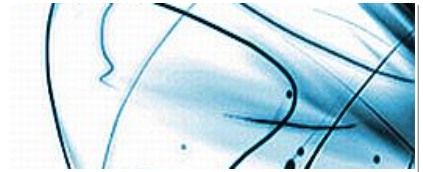




North Garland

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

Upcoming Events

- Aug. 9**-Blood Drive, 5-8
- Aug. 9**-Wednesday Meal- Baked Potatoes, Salad, Dessert
- Aug. 12**-Game Night, 6-9
- Aug. 13**-Elders/Deacons Meeting, 8:00 A.M.
- Aug. 16**-Wednesday Meal-Sub Sandwiches, Chips, Dessert
- Aug. 18-20**-Overflow Retreat (Middle School)-Cost: \$45, See Adam if you plan on going.
- Aug. 20**-Baby Shower for Miya Long, 2:00.
- Aug. 23**-Wednesday Meal- Pizza, Salad, Dessert
- Aug. 26**-Duane Owen's 90th Birthday Party, 2-4 Ed. Bldg.
- Aug. 30**-Wednesday Meal
- Sept. 3**-Promotion Sunday
- Sept. 3**-Fall Quarter Begins
- Sept. 4**-Office Closed for the Labor Day Holiday
- Sept. 6**-Wednesday Meal-Fried Chicken, Mac & Cheese, Cole Slaw, Dessert
- Sept. 10**-Elders/Deacons Meeting, 8:00 A.M.
- Sept. 13**-Baked Potatoes, Salad, Dessert
- Sept. 17**-Area Wide, 10:30 @ The Central National Bank Center-Lunch will be provided afterwards at Government Springs Park followed by the Acappella singing group "Revival."
- Sept. 20**-Wednesday Meal-Sub Sandwiches, Chips, Dessert
- Sept. 27**-Pizza, Salad, Dessert

Order of Worship

- Song Leader**.....**Dee Plummer**
- #238.....You Are The Song That I Sing
- #278.....Victory Chant
- #474.....Thank You, Lord
- Welcome/Scripture**.....**Psalm 33:12-22**.....**Erik Granberg**
- Opening Prayer**.....**Shannon Elledge**
- #810.....Listen To Our Hearts
- #694.....Servant Song
- Communion Talk****Brian Wright**
- Brian Wright** **Shawn Tuohy** **Kevin Hurt** **Shane Holderly**
- David Burford** **Curtis Diel** **Dan Kent** **George Gordon**
- #4.....To God Be The Glory
-**Dismiss To Children's Church**
- #716.....Sing To Me Of Heaven
- Sermon**.....**Erik Granberg**
- #711.....Blest Be The Tie That Binds
- Welcome/Announcements**.....**Gordon Jantz**
- Shepherd's Prayer**.....**Dan Kent**
- Nursery**.....**Brenda Wright, Krystal Wright**
- Lock Up**.....**Brian Wright, David Burford**

Scripture: Romans 5:1-11

Thought: As he addressed the importance of Christian unity to the Ephesians, the Apostle Paul reminded believers of the oneness of their calling through one hope. Throughout the heights and depths of the Christian experience, as believers, we can enjoy the hope that fills our redemption.

Questions:

1. Are there different kinds of hope? If so what are they?
2. Describe the difficulties that come with having hope?
3. Describe the encouragement that comes with having hope?
3. What is something that you greatly hope for and why?

Prayer List

Barbara Pool Family-she passed away last Sunday and funeral services were Saturday.

Waynoka Sunday-had surgery and is recovering. She is a member of the South 3rd Church.

Record for 07-30-17

Bible Class.....	65
Morning Worship.....	153
Life Groups.....	nc
Contributions.....	\$5,093.01
Budget.....	\$6,634.62
2017 YTD Cont.....	\$189,698.08
2017 YTD Bdg.....	\$205,673.22

Birthdays

August:

7th...Kevin Hurt

9th...Luann Burford

Blood Drive

The Blood Drive is this Wednesday, August 9th from 5-8. If you are interested in donating blood, Please sign up on the sheet in the foyer.

Plastic Bags

The pantry is in need of plastic bags (walmart sacks, etc.) If you have extra and can donate them, please put them in the kitchen.

Game Night

This Saturday, August 12th, we will have our Family Game Night from 6-9. We invite everyone to come and bring your favorite games and favorite snack or finger foods and enjoy a fun filled evening.

Duane Owen's 90th Birthday

Everyone is invited to Duane Owen's 90th Birthday Party, Saturday, August 26th, 2017 from 2-4 in the education building. No Gifts Please.

Wednesday Service Announcement

As part of the Lord's church, we strive to "maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace" (Eph. 4:3). Our goal is to provide members of North Garland a forum for spiritual growth and opportunities to serve in the Lord's kingdom. We have established our Sunday morning Bible classes, worship services, Life Groups, Wednesday evening Bible classes, and the different ministries we have to accomplish that goal. As shepherds of the Lord's flock here at North Garland, we earnestly desire to "stir up one another to love and good works, not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another all the more as you see the Day drawing near" (Heb. 10:24-25). We are concerned that Satan, through our cultural influences, is having an affect on the spiritual formation of our precious saints. God has charged us with keeping watch over your souls (Heb. 13:17, Acts 20:28, & 1 Pet. 5:2-3), and we take this obligation seriously because we love and care for each one of you.

Our mid-week service on Wednesday evening is intended to provide an opportunity to refresh our spiritual focus through Bible study and fellowship. It gives us time to pause from the demands of daily life so we can be encouraged and strengthened in our spiritual formation. The number of our members taking advantage of this spiritual opportunity has decreased over the past couple of years, and we are having a difficult time getting teachers for our children's Bible classes. We have prayed about this and discussed options for our Wednesday services, and present the following changes beginning in September.

1. The Wednesday meal will be served from 5:45 to 6:15.
2. Bible class/devotional time will run from 6:15 to 7:00.
3. Providing our children an opportunity to learn about God and Jesus remains our priority. We will have two classes (3 yrs. to 2nd grade and 3rd grade to 5 grade) and a nursery.
4. For the adults and youth (6th to 12th grades), there will be a time of fellowship and a devotional with time for prayer, singing, and spiritual reflections from scripture.

The youth will also be involved in helping teach the younger children classes. At the end of the quarter, they will be involved in their youth class again. From The Elders

Longfellow Middle School Supply Drive

Below is a list of School Supplies needed. If you would like to donate money instead and let us do the shopping for you, please see Robb Mills or Dudley Darrow. Please bring school supplies by Aug. 13th and put in the wooden box in the foyer.

- Backpacks (any shape, any size)
- Clorox Wipes
- Kleenex
- Hand Sanitizer
- Scissors
- Sticky Notes

- Dry Erase Markers
- Writing Notebooks
- Loose Writing Paper
- Folders
- Colored Pencils
- Peppermints