

May 19, 2019

North Garland CHURCH OF CHRIST

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

Today's Events

Financial Peace University 2:00 P.M.

Upcoming Events

May 22-Meal: Pizza, Caesar Salad, Fruit Salad, Dessert

May 27-Memorial Day

May 29-Meal: Frito Chili Pie, Chili Dogs, Cupcakes

May 31-June 1-LCCC Beginner Session

June 9-15-LCCC Junior Session

July 21-VBS Week

Record for 5-12-19

Bible Class.....	100
Morning Worship.....	174
Life Groups	N/A
Contribution	\$4,211.55
Families Served at Pantry.....	52
Total Served at Pantry	141

Birthdays:

May

20 th	Seth Barr
24 th	Jim Long

Anniversaries:

24th Seth & Cassie Barr

Order of Worship

Song Leader **Robb Mills**
..... Hallelujah
#63..... I Will Call upon the Lord

Welcome/Scripture: Psalm 66:16-20 **Bill Spencer**

Opening Prayer **Sean Sellers**
..... Create in Me a Clean Heart
..... A Shield About Me
..... You Are My All in All

Communion Talk..... **Bennie Guymon**
Bill Oldham Wayne Williams Curtis Diel Trenn Watson
Chris Taylor Dan Kent David Burford Joe Williams

..... **Dismiss Children**
..... Firm Foundation
..... How Majestic Is Your Name
..... Make Me New

Sermon: "What's the Big Deal About Scripture?" **Derek Tinius**
..... The Battle Belongs To The Lord

Closing/Announcements..... **Bill Oldham**
Shepherd's Prayer **John Wright**

Children's Worship..... **Gina Thornton**
Nursery **Kelsey Sellers**
Sound Booth **Dudley Darrow**
Slides **Terry Sherrill**
Lock Up..... **Michael Manley; Robb Mills**

Sermon Scripture: 2 Timothy 3:16-4:5

Sermon Thought: "Truth is relative," some would say. If truth is relative, determining right and wrong becomes extremely difficult. As Christians, we hold to the truth claims of the Bible. It is our foundation of truth and does not change.

Sermon Questions:

1. What different understandings of scripture do people have?
2. Why is there so many different views on what scripture says?
3. What do you think the key elements are in truly understanding the message of scripture?

New Prayer Concerns:

- **Youth and Family Minister search**
- **Carol Jantz**-recovering from a double bypass 5/15

Next Week's (5/26) Servants:

- Song Leader:** Dee Plummer
- Opening Prayer:** Steve Long
- Communion Talk:** Glenn Walker
- Lead Servant:** Cory Moore
- Servers:** Todd Anderson
Jeff Owen
Jim Coker
Jim Long
Jerod Burford
Jim Osburn
- Shepherd's Prayer:** Brent Dittmeyer
- Sound Booth:** Robb Mills
- Nursery Attendant:** Susan Oldham
- Children's Worship:** Cassie Barr

Congratulations to proud grandparents Jerry & Jo Ann Rogers! Jeremy & Rachel Rogers had a little girl, Sophie Dawn. She weighed 7 pounds 11 ounces and was over 19 inches long.



**Conquered Sin in the World
"Overcome the World"**

Conquering the obstacles we face in life is a constant challenge for us. Some we can figure out and work through. Others require further study and help from friends or people who are skilled in our area of need. What a relief it is when we finally solve our problem. Each time we are successful we gain confidence that we can overcome other issues we have to deal with. We are then able to rise above our anxious state and live a good life.

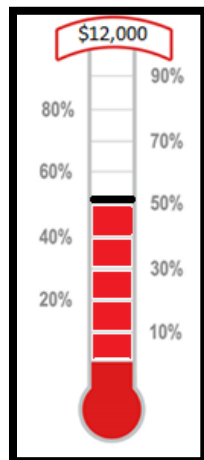
One of the greatest obstacles we face in life is the destructive force of sin. Paul reminds us "all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God" (Rom. 3:23). God sees how we struggle with sin, and his heart aches when our sin causes a separation between us. That is why he sent his Son to dwell in human form and he **conquered sin in the world**. Paul again writes, "The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law. But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ" (1 Cor. 15:56-57). Conquering sin is not something we can do on our own – we need help – we need divine help! Jesus tells us, "In the world you have tribulation; but be of good cheer, I have **overcome the world**" (Jn. 16:33). So, whenever we encounter obstacles in life, let us always remember we have one who is there with us – he is encouraging us to keep going – he lifts us up when we fall – he heals the wounds of our sinful lives. As Paul writes, "I can do all things in him [Christ] who strengthens me" (Phil. 4:13). Don't let the task of conquering obstacles get you down, turn to the one who has **overcome the world**. John writes, "For whatever is born of God overcomes the world; and this is the victory that overcomes the world, our faith. Who is it that overcomes the world but he who believes that Jesus is the Son of God? (1 Jn. 5:4-5). Praise God Jesus has **overcome the world!** *Gordon*

VBS

VBS is coming up! It will be the week of July 21st this year, so mark your calendars. Please contact Erik Granberg if you would like to help, it would be greatly appreciated.



The Westview Boy's Home Outreach is approaching soon. This year we will be leaving the afternoon of June 6th and returning after church the 9th. Everyone of all ages is welcome and there will be nice accommodations. We will be spending time with the kids as well as the house parents. **Please plan to come!** If you have any questions or would like to be part of this experience, contact Michael Manley at (580)542-1981.



Let's Play!

You will be seeing the goal thermometer to the left a lot this summer. This will visually remind us every week how close we are to building the wonderful playground for the children of our church! Currently, we are just over 50% to our goal. That is incredible! If you would like to help make the bar move even faster, please prayerfully consider donating to the playground fund.