



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

Young Adult Lunch
(After worship at Rib Crib)

Carpet Pulling Party
2:00 p.m.
BYO Shop Vac & Floor Scraper

Upcoming Events

- June 4-5** – LCCC Beginner Session
- June 5** – Reclaiming Education for Christ Conference
- June 13-19** - LCCC Junior Session (5th-7th grade)
- June 20** – Area Wide at Newalla CoC
- June 25-26** – Float Trip
- June 27** – Area Wide at Lindsey CoC
- July 3** – Youth Group Independence Day Party
- July 11-17** – LCCC Extreme Week (8th-12th grade)
- July 12-18** – Camp Pettijohn Session 8 (Grades 4-12)
- July 18-21** – Vacation Bible School
- July 23rd** – Family Fun Night/Lock-In
- July 25th** – Promotion of 5th graders into the youth group
- Aug. 1** – New Quarter

Birthdays:

- 24th..... Jim Long
- 25th..... Heather Lawrence
- 28th..... Dean Johnson
-Hudson Plummer
- 29th..... Cassie Barr
- Jamie Rogers

Anniversaries:

- 24th..... Seth & Cassie Barr

Record for 5-16-21

- Morning Worship..... 175
- Contribution \$5,160.00
- Budget \$6,634.62
- Families served at pantry..... 52

Order of Worship

Pilgrim's Praise	Derek Tinius
Welcome/Announcements	Stephen Lincoln
Scripture Reading: Ephesians 1:16-18	TBD
Opening Prayer	Roger Unruh
Song Leader	Beau Brownell
#539	Higher Ground
#578	We Will Glorify
#470	Victory in Jesus
#922	Jesus Paid It All
Communion Talk	George Gordon
Dismiss Children	
#662	All to Jesus I Surrender
Sermon: Minor Prophets – Haggai & Zechariah	Erik Granberg
#943	Do You Know My Jesus?
Shepherd's Prayer	Brent Dittmeyer

Children's Worship	Cassie & Jamie Barr
Nursery	Jacqueline Anderson
Sound Booth	Dudley Darrow
Slides	Mandy Coker

Sermon Scripture: Haggai 1:2-8

Sermon Thought: God had given the Jews the assignment to rebuild the temple in Jerusalem when they returned from captivity. After 15 years, they still had not completed it because they were more concerned about building their own homes than finishing God's work. Haggai told them to get their priorities straight. It is easy for us to make other priorities more important than doing god's work.

Sermon questions:

1. If someone were to do an external audit of how you spend your time and money what would they determine are your highest priorities? Be honest now....
2. Why is it so easy to get priorities out of whack?
3. What are some concrete, intentional ways we can work on keeping our priorities in life straight?

New Prayer Concerns:

Debbie Spohn – Gene Denney’s sister; receiving 6 months of chemo for intestinal cancer
Merick Solis – Debbie Martin’s grandson; having stomach & bowel problems. May have surgery
Julie Parker – Gordon & Carol’s niece; in a hospital in Illinois with Covid-19
Brent Hughs – Brenda Wright’s brother; having open heart surgery on the 24th
Dianna Simmons – having a lot of anxiety from her essential tremors; she has been sick over two years now
JR Baxter – recovering from Carotid Artery surgery
Rustin Osburn – will be finding out how much cancer is left in his colon this Wednesday

Next Week’s (5/30/21) Servants:

Song Leader: Danny Powers

Opening Prayer: Trey Johnson

Communion Talk: Matt Nichols

Shepherd’s Prayer: Gordon Jantz

Sound Booth: Terry Sherrill

Slides: Robb Mills

Nursery: Jamie Barr

Children’s Worship: Brigitte Elledge

- Please let Stephen know by May 30th if you are going on the float trip

Faith Through Conflict

Have you had events in your life that made you question God of why it happened? In October 2009, while at work, the left side of my body was paralyzed and blindness in my left eye. My ophthalmologist could not figure out why but sent me to a neurologist. On my first appointment two month later with the neurologist, he said, “You have a rare brain tumor that only affects 20 percent of the world’s population. Last May, during the birth of my second son, I tore my left heart artery but did not know until six days later when I had a heart attack. I questioned God many times with many tears and deep anguish.

Jesus had many bad events where he could have questioned God, but he did not. Jesus endured horrific pain. He was beaten until his flesh hung in shreds. Soldiers mocked him, cursed him, and tortured him again. His wrists were tied to a crossbeam and he carried it to Golgotha. He laid on the ground, where soldiers nailed his hands, both ankles, and then he and the beam were mounted to the vertical post. He was trapped in this position, with constricting lungs, and struggling to breathe. He questioned God, Matthew 27:46 ...Jesus cried out in a loud voice, “Eli, Eli, lema sabachthani?” (which means “My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?”). After he died, his side was pierced. He eventually died through a combination of brain damage caused by lack of oxygen, heart failure, and suffocation, (<https://www.jesus-story.net/crucifixion/>).

I thought I was going to die during brain surgery. I was afraid of falling asleep for many months after the heart attack thinking I might die from another heart attack or another artery tear. I felt suffocation thinking I had no place on this earth anymore. Jesus had faith in His Father that he would be taken care of every step of the way. What better example can I ask to follow in His footsteps. I had to look to God for strength and guidance to keep my faith from wavering.

Jacqueline Anderson

Young Professionals

In the months of June and July there will be a class during the regular Sunday school hour for the those in the young professional group at church. **Robb Mills** will be teaching the class in the children’s church room. If you are in that age group, we hope to see you there!

Teachers

We are in need of teachers for June and July. All classes are currently available to teach. Please see Robb Mills if you can help in this crucial ministry.

Carpet Pulling Party

This afternoon we are needing people to come help us pull up different areas of carpet in the building at 2:00 p.m. If you have a shop vac and floor scraper, please bring them. Also, be on the lookout for last minute calls or emails to come help move furniture and pull up carpet in the evenings this week. With all your help, we will be saving a lot of money. More information to come!

Reclaiming Education for Christ

EDUCATIONAL CONFERENCE

Education is a battleground in the war for our kid's souls, the church's future and the morality of our nation. Join us as Christians in private schools, homeschools and public schools come together to consider cultural effects on Christianity's role in education and how Christians can impact the education of today's youth.

Morning program runs 8:45-12:00. Food trucks will be present for lunch. After lunch there will be a Q&A time as well as vendor tables set up from Christian organizations working with public schools, homeschool support groups and local private schools.

Speakers: Dudley Darrow **Jay Mendenhall** **Wade Burleson**
Enid Public School Ok. Bible Academy Emmanuel Enid



8:45 NORTH GARLAND CHURCH OF CHRIST JUNE 5TH

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8:45-9:00 **Welcome**-Erik Granberg, North Garland Church of Christ

9:00-9:45 **Christianity and Character in United States Education: The Past, The Present, The Future**-Wade Burlison, Emmanuel Enid

9:45-10:00 **Break** (Vendor booths open)

10:00-10:45 **Preparing Our Children for Mars Hill: The role of Christian schools and homeschools in a post-Christian culture (Acts 17)**-Jay Mendenhall, Oklahoma Bible Academy

10:45-11:00 **Break** (Vendor booths open)

11:00-11:45 **Staying strong on the Battlefield: Christians in Public Education**-Dudley Darrow, Enid Public Schools

11:45-12:00 **Continuing Comments**-Erik Granberg

12:00-12:45 **Lunch** courtesy of Starfire Grill (**\$10/person**). Indicate # of meals at pre-registration to guarantee availability. Registrants are also welcome to bring an outside lunch. (Vendor booths open during lunch)

12:45-1:00 **Entertainment**: Starfire Celebrations featuring, "Nate the Great."

1:00-1:45 **Q&A Panel** featuring private, public, and homeschool representatives

1:45-2:30 **Vendor Hall Open:**

- Enid Area Homeschoolers
- Hillsdale Christian School
- Classical Conversations
- Oklahoma Bible Academy
- Charlotte Mason Study Group of NW Oklahoma
- Homeschool 101

Other Information:

- Children are welcome. There is an unattended nursery, but childcare is NOT provided.
- Pre-registration is not required but helps with event planning.
- Lunch combo from Starfire Grill food truck is \$10 a person.
- Kids lunch from Starfire (hotdog, fries, and drink) is \$6 a person.