



WATER MILL CHURCH OF CHRIST

3020 North Barnes Avenue, Springfield, MO 65803; 417-866-0915

February 16, 2013

Order of Worship

Welcome & Scripture Reading

Song Leader
Jon Ewing

#242
#660
#506 (1,2,3,4)

Opening Prayer
Tom Davis

#336

The Lord's Supper
Van Barnes

#225 (1)

Contribution
Van Barnes

#333

Lesson
Bill McFarland

#570 (1,3,5)

Announcements
Bob Snider

#583 (1)

Closing Prayer
Briley Ewing

*You are the light of
the world. A city set
on a hill cannot be
hidden. (Matt. 5:14)*

Welcome Visitors

We are honored that you joined us. We hope you will be blessed by your time with us. We have an attended nursery, a cry/training room and a nursing mother's room for your convenience if you have small children. Please fill out an attendance card and pass it to the end of the pew so that we may thank you for your visit.

REFRESHING GOD'S PLAN OF SALVATION

By Dennis R. Smith

The Bible teaches that the plan of salvation consists of five major steps each of which must be responded to from the heart (Rom. 10:9-10). First, it becomes necessary to hear the gospel preached. According to scripture our *"faith comes from hearing and hearing by the word of God"* (Rom. 10:17). Once we hear something that does not come from the word of God, however convincing it may sound, we need to abandon that approach immediately. When we learn to focus completely on the word of God and believe it without question, then we are *"not far from the kingdom of God"* (Mark 12:34). After this comes the necessity of looking at our past and facing the future with a determination to make a complete change in our relationship to God and his church. This is called repentance! As interest continues in getting right with God, you *"search the scriptures"* (John 5:39), and see where Jesus requires a public confession that he is the Son of God (Matt. 10:32; 16:16). You also see that by command (Mark 16:15-16) and example you must be baptized for the remission of your sins (Acts 2:38). When these simple steps are obeyed from the heart, according to Acts 2:47, you are then *"added to the church"* and ready to start your journey with the Lord to the end of your life (Rev. 2:10). As OLD as this plan is, it can create a NEW person and make them *"a vessel unto honor, sanctified, and useful for the Master's use"* (2nd Tim. 2:21).

Upcoming Events



Ladies
Mark Your Calendars

April 12

*Annual Ladies Day here at
the building. Signup sheets
are on the Information
Desk.*

⇒ Men's Retreat February 28-
March 1 at the Wyndham
Resort in Branson

⇒ James River Nursing Home
Devo March 1 at 2 p.m.

⇒ Golden Agers meet March 2

⇒ Book Club meeting March 10th



We will be hosting the Area Wide Youth Night next Sunday night. We again ask for your help in providing canned drinks and bottled water for approximately 250 young people. WE ALSO ASK THAT YOU BRING COOKIES OR DESSERT SNACKS. Please bring to the building by next Sunday morning. Thank you in advance for your help.

Youth and Youth parents meet with Adam tonight after service.



Sympathy
We extend our sympathy to James Craig and his family in the loss of his mother, Mattie Craig. Funeral service will be Wednesday at 1 p.m. at Gorman Scharpf Brentwood Chapel. Visitation is Tuesday night from 7-8 p.m.



Birthdays

- 24 Michael Fahr
- 25 Eula Compton
- 26 Brandon Mudersbach
- 27 Luis Tovar



- ◆ Continue to remember Thelma Fain, Jackie Freeze, Greg Larimore, Truman Coltrane
 - ◆ Dale Harp is at Mercy Villa for a few weeks.
 - ◆ Eula Compton has not been feeling well
 - ◆ Nadean Green had surgery to set her wrist last Friday
 - ◆ Diana Compton is recovering from back surgery
 - ◆ Melinda Barton will have reconstruction surgery on Monday, February 24th
 - ◆ Norman High as he continues to deal with cancer
- Friends & Family
- ◆ Greg Larimore's dad is in Mercy Hospital doing better after complications from having a stint put in on Wednesday
 - ◆ Brian Horton's aunt Mary is in the hospital and they asked for prayers
 - ◆ Matt Seats, youth minister at Brookline, is now home from the hospital
 - ◆ Lanae Gillespie's first cousin's wife, Holly Treat, has been diagnosed with melanoma
 - ◆ Tim & Becky Marsolf's 2 year old granddaughter, Aviley, who continues to have some health concerns
 - ◆ Lucile High wanted us to continue to pray for their granddaughter, Sarah Reynolds, who has a torn ligament in her ankle, and her husband Ray Reynolds, who has some ongoing health concerns; now their little boy Izak has a broken leg

Expectant Moms

- Megan Jobs (girl) (March)
- Brittany Morrison (girl) (June)

Service Rosters

THIS MORNING

- AM Nursery:** Jill Morrison/Meredith Reaves
- Greeters:** Barney & Debbie Crawford
- Van Driver:** Jerry Stockdale/693-7505
- KYB Phone:** Jerry & Pat Milligan
- Serve Communion:** Aaron Morrison/Eddie Sanders
Travis Morrison/Scott Nichols
Tom Norrell/Aaron Schwartz
Steve Prewitt/John Stayton
Trevor Kraus/James Simons

THIS EVENING

- Song Leader:** Adam Blaney
- Opening Prayer:** Don Essex
- Lesson:** Bill McFarland
- Closing Prayer:** Trenton Essex
- Communion:** Adam Stipp/Carl Tindall
- Nursery:** Lee Ann Donoho

NEXT WEEK, February 23

- Song Leader:** Kerry Cole/Jon Ewing Adam Blaney
- Opening Prayer:** Jon Davis Barney Crawford
- Communion:** Tim Bowling A. Stipp/C. Tindall
- Closing Prayer:** David Kern Jon Ewing
- Greeters:** Tom & Gin Crumrine
- AM Nursery:** Gin Crumrine/Meredith Reaves
- PM Nursery:** Donna Jordan/Meredith Reaves

MONTH OF FEBRUARY

- AV Scott Barton/
- Room: Bruce Tindall
- Open Building Tim Timmons
- Secure Justin Reaves/
- Building: Tim Buckner

Wednesday, February 19

- Devotional:** John Mahon
- Song Leader:** Luke Lines
- Prayer:** Fred Lorenz
- Van Driver:** Tim Stockstill/
849-7678