



BAKER HEIGHTS CHURCH of CHRIST

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ISSUE 01

ORDER OF WORSHIP

GREETING/SONG LEADER - Scott McGaha
KIDS' TIME - Luke Bower

Let God Arise
#922 - Jesus Paid It All

COMMUNION PRAYERS - Will Claxton
CONTRIBUTION PRAYER - Will Claxton

#715- The Church's One Foundation

PRAYER - Lacy Loudermilk

#647 - Soldiers of Christ Arise

SCRIPTURE READING - Jesse McGaha
2 Kings 5:1-5

SERMON - Sam Dilbeck
The Power of One

#736 - To Christ Be True

ELDER'S PRAYER - Richard Oller

#464 - Because He Lives

WEEK OF JANUARY 05, 2025

SUNDAY - JANUARY 05

- Bible Class for all ages - 9 a.m.
- Worship Assembly - 10 a.m.
- Worship Assembly - 5 p.m.
- *Class Topic - Ephesians*
- *Children's Bible Class - Rm.32B*
- University Place Services - 6:30 p.m.

MONDAY - JANUARY 06

- Prayer Conference Call with Floyd Miller - 8-9 p.m.
- *Call (605) 313-5695 - Passcode is 718815*

TUESDAY - JANUARY 07

- Ladies Bible Class - 10 a.m. - Room 32C

WEDNESDAY - JANUARY 08

- "Feeding the Flock" Fellowship Meal - 5:30 p.m.
- *Sloppy Joes - \$4 per person, up to \$16 per family*
- Short Devotional - 6:30 p.m.
- Bible Class for all ages - 6:45 p.m.
- Larry Sullivan - The Prayers of Jesus - Following Christ Into the Presence of God

THURSDAY - JANUARY 09

- Men's Brown Bag - Noon - Room 32A

SATURDAY - JANUARY 11

- Redeeming the Tears - 10 a.m. - Room 32A

YOUTH HAPPENINGS

BIBLE BOWL

Sundays - 5 pm - Rm. 16

COMMUNION TO THE SHUT-INS

Sunday, January 12, 2025
After AM Worship

LTC SIGN-UP

Get forms in class
See Christopher Hall for details

BAPTISM - LAUREN FISHER

Baptized 12/29/24
We are so proud of you!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

SENIORS IN MOTION

Monday, January 13, 2025 - Fellowship Area
Meeting/Meal (soup)/Games - 11 am - 2 pm

THIRD FRIDAY GAME NIGHT

Friday, January 17, 2025
6 pm - Fellowship Area

HANNAH (OLLER) DAVIS BABY BOY SHOWER

Sunday, January 19, 2025
8:28 House - 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

CONGREGATION - WIDE MEETING

Sunday, Jan. 19, 2025 - 4:30 p.m. - Auditorium

MEETING TIMES

SUNDAY MORNINGS

9 a.m. - Bible Class for all ages
10 a.m. - Worship Assembly

SUNDAY EVENINGS

5 p.m. - Children's Bible Class
5 p.m. - Worship Assembly

WEDNESDAY EVENINGS

5:30 p.m. - Fellowship Meal
6:30 p.m. - Short Devotional
6:45 p.m. - Bible Class for all ages

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

WINTER QUARTER ADULT CLASSES

Sunday 9 am - the Book of Acts (Auditorium & Rm. 32C)

Sunday 5 pm - Ephesians (Auditorium)

Sunday 5 pm - *Alive in the Spirit* by Jimmy Jividen - Young Families - Rm. 32A

Wednesday - Prayers of Jesus - Following Christ into the Presence of God



MEMBERS



VISITORS

PRAYER REQUESTS

MEMBERS

Michael Coffey - Mesa Springs
Hannah & Zeke Davis - Birth of baby boy -
 Waylon Lee Davis - 12/30/24 - 8 lbs. 1 oz.
Johnnie Feaster - Health concerns
Wayland Lilly - Pneumonia
Janie Maness - HMC S - Knee surgery

FRIENDS AND FAMILY

Kristy Ancheta - Health concerns - prayers for recovery
 (Sister of **Christopher Hall**)
 Cheryl Deleon - Ex-husband passed away
 (Friend of **Reese Porter**)
 Rosa Doner - Health concerns
 (Relative of **Ian MacTavish**)
 Ruben Mora - Kidney transplant 01/03/25
 (Former Member of **BHCC**)

SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILY OF

Davene Rhyne - 01/03/25, Corpus Christie
 (Grandmother of **Micah Branson**)
 (Mother of **Venecia Arche**)

HOMEBOUNDED MEMBERS

Phyllis Bonner	Billie Brown
Janet Bruns	Johnnie Feaster
Jim & Connye Hays	Curtis Johnson
Perry & Shirley Neely	Jo Potter
Melinda Simmons	

LONG TERM HEALTH CONCERNS

Vickie Courville	Amanda Fiske
Roberta Guthrie	John Hanson
Paul Klozinski	Jena Madeley
Lewis Maness	Jerry Smith
Janet Smith	Larry Sullivan
Jesse Thomas	

FRIENDS AND FAMILY - LONG TERM HEALTH CONCERNS

Kristy Ancheta	Mike Baskett
Nona Barton	Zoey Courtright
Debbie Floren	Mike Layland
Ben Lilly	Abby Martin
Mike Northrup	Melissa Palomeque
Micheal Robinson	Alan See

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

NEXT PANTRY PALS
SUNDAY
January 12, 2025

Instant Mashed
 Potatoes, Tuna, Pasta
 Sauce, Hamburger
 Helper, Spaghetti,

Vienna Sausage,
 Canned Chicken,
 Pasta, Peanut Butter,
 Jelly, Ketchup,
 Mustard, Canned Fruit,
 Canned Vegetables,
 Soup, Kool-Aid,
 Pancake mix, Syrup

DON'T BE MEAN

Who robs a blind man? Who mocks a bald person? Who curses the deaf? It sounds like taunts of bullies on the playground, but God warned the children of Israel, "You shall not curse the deaf or put a stumbling block before the blind, but you shall fear your God: I am the Lord" (Lev. 19:14). Someone might ask, "Why would someone do that?"

People can be mean. Meanness comes from selfishness. Someone is smarter, prettier, faster, or has something another person wants, and selfishness responds in mean ways. It steals possessions, knocks the pretty girl into the mud, or ridicules the smart kid. Parents ought to teach their children to control selfish tendencies and not be mean. However, many childish parents raise their kids with their own childish behaviors. They yell at teachers, scold referees, and laugh at the disadvantaged. This has decivilized our society. However, there is more to cursing the deaf than just meanness.

People who take advantage of others feel safe. They think, "The deaf man cannot hear me, so I can curse him all I want and get away with it." Or "That blind man will never know who put a rock in his path." Anonymity or the belief that they won't get caught emboldens people to commit hurtful acts. Like people randomly knocking out unsuspecting individuals on public streets or creating anonymous online accounts to bully or bilk others. But meanness and anonymity do not completely explain why people abuse others.

God reveals the full extent of their hearts, "You shall fear your God." Bad behavior, wickedness, and abuse arise when people do not fear God. To summarize Paul's discussion in Romans 3:10-18, why do people turn aside and become worthless? Why do people lie, curse, deceive, steal, abuse, and murder? Paul answered with Psalm 36:1 "Transgression speaks to the wicked deep in his heart; there is no fear of God before his eyes."

Integrity means doing the right thing when nobody is looking. It means keeping the fear of God in our hearts and remembering that though the blind may not see it, or the deaf hear it, God does. A sense of God's presence helps us live every day to please him.

Sam Dilbeck

BHCC Preaching Minister

OUR LEADERSHIP

MINISTERS

Sam Dilbeck
 (Preaching)
 Luke Bower
 (Youth and Family)

DEACONS

Will Claxton
 Hank Davis
 Marty Gray
 Christopher Hall
 John Hanson
 Eric Hunt
 Chris Jeter
 Kenneth Longley
 Scott McGaha
 Dean Newman
 Justin Rosenquist
 James Sumners
 Gregg Taylor

ELDERS

Richard Bower
 Ed Cowart
 Robert Dennis
 Charles Goodnight
 Richard Oller
 Larry Taylor
 Stuart Tiner

ELDER OF THE MONTH
 Richard Oller

LAST WEEK

All numbers reflect
 In-Person attendance

Bible Class - N/C
AM Assembly - 201
PM Total - 102
 Auditorium - 76
 CBC/Other - N/C
 University Place - 26
Wednesday Devo - N/C

Contribution - \$8,908
Weekly Goal - \$8,613
Average YTD - \$9,382