Dewey Avenue Church of Christ

July 13, 2025

701 Dewey Avenue St. Marys, WV (304) 684-3939

Schedule of
Services

Psalm 111 – His Presence

Sunday Sun Bible Class: 9:00 AM

Sun AM Worship: 10:00 AM

Sun PM Worship: 5:00 PM

Wednesday

7:00 PM

Leadership:

Elders:

Dave Lancaster

Hal Powell

Lew Wilson

Deacons:

Joe Elrod

Camaron

Lancaster

Brian Mercer

Jodi Mote

Darren Parks

Clay Perkins

Clint Perkins

Minister:

Dale Parsley

Youth Minister:

Carlos Molina

I am not sure about all the details of the assembly that the psalmist mentions in Psalm 111, but I do know that a great blessing awaits us in how the assembly applies to our lives. The psalmist said, "Praise the Lord! I will praise the Lord with my whole heart, in the assembly of the upright and in the congregation." He calls that assembly, "the congregation."

There is an assembly, a congregation, we know that is part of Christianity. Who does not know these words? "Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as is the manner of some..." (Heb. 10:25). This is the church, and this assembly is when she gathers to worship. If the psalmist rejoiced at the opportunity to be part of the congregation when it assembled, how much more should we! The psalmist described the assembly as the made up, those who were the upright. Peter describes our assembly as being "living stones," who are part of "a spiritual house, a holy priesthood, to offer up spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God." But, he does not stop with these words in describing those righteous ones who are in that assembly. He says, "You are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, His own special people" (1 Pet. 2:5, 9). These are those who assemble to praise the Lord.

Consider what a blessing it is to assemble with God's chosen ones. Consider what happens every time I am part of that congregation of priests who serve Him.

These upright ones sing to me, and I sing to them as we join our voices in praising the Lord. The unseen guest in the midst of that assembly is Jesus (<u>Heb. 2:12</u>). These upright ones listen, as I listen to the Lord speak in that assembly. He was the visible teacher in the Sermon on the Mount, but He is the invisible Teacher in the assembly, as we study the exact same words in our worship of Him.

These upright ones join me in prayers in that assembly. We pray together in His name because wherever two or three pray together, He is our unseen guest (<u>Matt.</u> 18:20).

These upright ones share the memorial feast remembering Him. We have communion in the body and the blood of that unseen guest. He promised He would be present and share it with us (Matt. 26:29).

He is present every week. I hope you are!

-by Dan Jenkins, churchofChristarticles.com

Radio and TV Programs

Good News of Peace: Sundays: 8:00 AM on WRRR 93.9 FM

Gospel Broadcasting Network: www.gbntv.org & Youtube

In Search of the Lord's Way: 7:30—Channel 4, Parkersburg; 7:30—Channel 15, Parkersburg; 8:00—Channel 7, Wheeling; 11:30—Channel 5, Clarksburg

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Worship Schedule

July- Camaron Lancaster

Aug-Connor Lancaster

July 13

Morning Worship:

Announce/Pray: Camaron Lancaster
Song Leader: Connor Lancaster
Usher/Monitor: Don Archer
Usher/Monitor: Don Collins
Reading: Lane Perkins
Communion: Clint Perkins
Closing Prayer: Lew Wilson

Evening Worship:

Announce/Pray: Camaron Lancaster
Song Leader: Connor Lancaster
Communion: Clint Perkins

Communion: Clint Perkins Closing Prayer: Lew Wilson

Wednesday July 16

Announce/Pray: Camaron Lancaster Song Leader: Connor Lancaster Closing Prayer: Desmond Parks

<u>July 20</u>

Morning Worship:

Announce/Pray: Larry Butcher Song Leader: Karson Elrod Usher/Monitor: Jesse Barnhart Usher/Monitor: Richard Lee Davis

Reading: Desmond Parks Communion: Darren Parks Closing Prayer: Melvin Truax

Evening Worship:

Announce/Pray: Larry Butcher Song Leader: Karson Elrod Communion: Darren Parks Closing Prayer: Melvin Truax

Wednesday July 23

Announce/Pray: Larry Butcher Song Leader: Karson Elrod Closing Prayer: Lew Wilson

Wed Summer Series

Messages from the Minor Prophets

July 16: Bill Deen –

What does God Require? (Micah 6:8)

July 23: Andy Robison –

The Heart of Repentance (Joel 2:12-13)

July 30: Kyle Lancaster

The Message from Obadiah

Upcoming Events

*Elders Deacons Meeting 7/14 6pm

*VBS @ Newport 14th-16th

*Next Sunday July 20th- June/July Birthday/Anniversary celebration and will be a Church/eat/Church

*Clothing Giveaway 8/2 8:30am-1:30pm

Youth Events

*WVCYC Junior Week 7/13-7/18
*WVCYC All Age Week 7/20-7/25
*WVCYC Singing Week 7/27-8/1

Birthdays/Annivers this week

July 13-Joe Elrod

July 15-Terri Parks

July 15- Derek Perkins

July 16-Gary & Pat Nichols M/M

July 16- Camaron & Ashton Lancaster

July 21- Judy Lough

July 22- Ruth Ann Keith

July 23- Mason Elrod

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PRAYER LIST

*Our condolences go out to the Marlin Runnion Family on his passing last Sunday 7/6. His viewing is Tuesday 6-8pm at Leavitt's and funeral on Wed at 1pm.

*Larry & Delores Butcher are both home after short hospital stays last week. Delores is battling heart issues and Larry was suffering from cellulitis.

*Dale Parsley is battling a blood clots and had a follow-up on Wed.

*Melvin Truax suffered a slight stroke but was able to be at Worship last week.

*Carson Parsley has one more week of medication for a tick bite.

*Chris Jones is battling back pain.

*Jane Ann Becker had tests on her heart and is undergoing treatments as well.

*Joe Elrod's brother Mark is not well in the hospital in Pensacola, Florida.

*Gerald Burns continues to recover at home.

*Bill Dutton has been struggling with pain and went to the doctor last week.

Darlene Thomas Family, Roger Truax Family, Adam Strimer Family, Jane Ann Becker, Bruce Becker, Cindy Slingluff, Stephanie Franzen, Ashton & Baby Lancaster, Carla Summers, Lisa Westbrook-Smith Family, Gary Nichols, Sandra Binegar, Aviah Lancaster, Jim Grove, Shirley Hearn, Angie Parsley, Kirk Timmons, John Hinton, Carlos Molina, Teresa Frisone, James Bennett, Fay Williams, Jim McFarland, Gerald & Janice Burns, Betty Timmons, Shirley Grubbs, Bill & Lorraine Dutton, Gail & Sandy Mote, John Rockhold, Zach Lamp, & Carolyn Rule.