

Dewey Avenue Church of Christ

April 26th, 2026

701 Dewey Avenue
St. Marys, WV 26170

Schedule of Services

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

Darren Parks

Deacons:

Joe Elrod

Camaron

Lancaster

Brian Mercer

Jodi Mote

Clay Perkins

Clint Perkins

Minister:

Dale Parsley

Youth Minister:

Carlos Molina

Measuring the Value of Life

By Neal Pollard

Recently, outside the Bulgarian Embassy in Washington, D.C., the son of a former embassy member lost his life. Walking with his friends, he was confronted by muggers. Apparently, however, his murder could have been averted since the thieves only wanted his jacket. He resisted and fought until one of the agitated criminals slew him. Without benefit of an opened police report, one's imagination awakens. What was so special about that jacket? What made the coat worth a human life to its young, foreign possessor—its age, design, or material? Why did he not just give up the jacket?

Tragically, mankind has made the same mistake, giving up something so valuable for something less important since the dawn of his existence.

- Adam and Eve gave up their lives for a piece of forbidden fruit (Gen. 3:6-7).
- Lot's wife gave up her life for a single glance back at Sodom (Gen. 19:26).
- Korah gave up his life for a run at power (Num. 16:31-35).
- Achan gave up his life for, among other trifling things, a "Babylonish garment" and a bit of wealth (Josh. 7:21,25).
- Absalom gave up his life for a seat on a throne (2 Sam. 18:14-15).
- Ahab gave up his life for a vineyard of grapes (1 Kings 21:19; 22:29-38).
- Haaman gave up his life for a bow from Mordecai and his own foolish pride (Esther 3:2ff; 7:9-10).
- Judas gave up his life for approximately twenty dollars (Zech. 11:12; Acts 1:18).
- Ananias and Sapphira gave up their lives for an infinitesimal percentage of the world's riches (Acts 5:5,10).
- Some Christians give up their lives for brief pleasure (1 Tim. 5:6).

The soul is worth far more than anything of the world with which we might compare it (Matt. 16:26; 1 John 2:15-17). So many fritter away their spiritual selves in pursuit of the transient (Luke 12:15). Life is so worthless to many!

If one is lost to materialism, he is spiritually dead. When called before the Judge, will he watch Christ hold up his cars, houses, bank accounts, boats, pleasures, and unforgiven sins and say, "My friend gave his live for this?" May it never be so! bulletindigest.com

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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

Apr– Darren Parks

May– Camaron Lancaster

April 26

Morning Worship:

Announce/Pray: Camaron Lancaster

Song Leader: Caleb Parsley

Usher/Monitor: Don Archer

Usher/Monitor: Don Collins

Reading: Desmond Parks

Communion: Lew Wilson

Closing Prayer: Joe Elrod

Evening Worship:

Announce/Pray: Camaron Lancaster

Song Leader: Caleb Parsley

Communion: Lew Wilson

Closing Prayer: Joe Elrod

Wednesday April 29

Announce/Pray: Camaron Lancaster

Song Leader: Caleb Parsley

Closing Prayer: Joe Elrod

May 3

Morning Worship:

Announce/Pray:

Song Leader:

Usher/Monitor:

Usher/Monitor:

Reading:

Communion:

Closing Prayer:

Evening Worship:

Announce/Pray:

Song Leader:

Communion:

Closing Prayer:

Wednesday May 6

Announce/Pray:

Song Leader:

Closing Prayer:

Upcoming Events

*There will be a graduation celebration for Karson Elrod May 2 at the Pleasants County Park at 2pm at the shelter above the pool.

*May 3rd after PM Service will be a Elders & Deacons meeting

*May 16th Amber Perkins graduation party from 11am-2pm at 700 Greene St. Newport, OH. Please RSVP to Rhonda at 304-834-8246.

*May 17th will be a Church, eat, Church to honor our graduates.

Graduates are: Amber Perkins, Angelus Palata, Emmalynn Goodnight, & Karson Elrod.

Youth Events

*April 26 Traveling Youth Group @ 36th Street Vienna

*May 23 & 24th Lads to Leaders in Altoona, PA

*May 31– June 3rd VBS @ Dewey

Upcoming Birthdays/Annivers

May 3– Michael Butcher

May 4– Hal Powell

May 4– James Bennett

May 7– Tom Becker

May 8– Marci Davis

May 10– Pat Hays

May 12– Dave & Kathy Lancaster ANV

May 12– Max Cook

PRAYER LIST

Kelly Dierkes, Randy McCoy, Shirley Hearn, Alan Shultz Family, Cindy Nichols, Ashley Penisi, Tina Keith, Tom Goodnight Family, Angie Parsley, Judy Lough, Becky & John Hinton, Jim & Blye Grove, Retta Parsley, Jane Ann Becker, Fay Williams, Gerald & Janice Burns, Betty Timmons, Shirley Grubbs, Bill & Lorraine Dutton, Gail & Sandy Mote, & John Rockhold.

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