

Church of Christ
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Faith Always Wins

Faith always wins against all odds. Inner strength is much greater than outer power. God is never covered by circumstances, and when we face overwhelming odds we will win when God is in our midst.

The enemy may surround and threaten but ultimately he will be defeated. Go not at the mercy of our checkbook balance, hostility of superiors, or any devastation that disrupts our lives. He is always and ever will be God.

When we trust Him totally in times of trial, we will conquer all foes. And the victory will generally not be according to our way of thinking. Just look at Joshua and the Israelites, and the city of Jericho.

Written by: Ron Hembree

People Are Like Eggs

Someone once said that people are a lot like eggs, "They may look tough on the outside, but they're pretty easily cracked."

God is fully aware of our humanness. He knows how weak we truly are. That's why He's concerned about our every need. He stoops with compassion to treat us with gentle care, knowing how easily we crumble under pressure.

Such gently caring is the responsibility of all Christians. Paul said: "Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another..." Eph. 4:32. A congregation should be comprised of people who are sensitive to each other's needs and ready to offer support.

Written by: William M. Fletcher



**The record you help to make:
Attendance for Jan. 13, 2007
Sunday Worship am 99
Contribution: \$1132.14**

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Welcome!
Jan. 20, 2008

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SERVING SCHEDULE

Next Week Jan. 27, 2008

Song Leader-Bob Swain

Opening Prayer-Ivan Everson

Scripture Reader- Josh Hennen

Scripture Reading-T.B.A.

Over The Table Josh Kehl

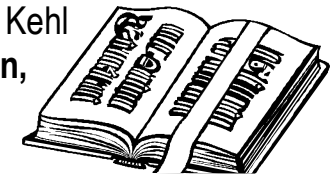
Serving-Tony Hennen,

David Eaton, Gary

Kehl

Announcements-Barry Hennen

Usher-Clinton Knotts



Times of Meeting:

Sunday Worship 9:00 a.m.

Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

BIBLE STUDY

Sunday 10:15 a.m.

Wednesday 7:00 p.m.



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Prayers

- ◆ All of those who are thinking of coming to Christ.
- ◆ **Our congregation to have elders.**
- ◆ Our shut-ins
- ◆ Those with chronic health issues
- ◆ Those serving in the military.
- ◆ Mark Kerrigan
- ◆ Janet Holter
- ◆ David Rose
- ◆ Billy Holter-Kathleen Holters brother-in-law has throat cancer.
- ◆ Randy Rogers-Is in need of an immediate liver transplant.
- ◆ Peggy Alleman-has been diagnosed with back problems
- ◆ Cecil Dillon
- ◆ Beulah Little
- ◆ Kelsie Swain-had surgery on her finger last week.



Events

- ⇒ **Pew Packers** Tonight at 5:40. Bible Drill & Singing ages 12 & under
- ⇒ **Picture Board**-Don't forget to have your picture taken for the board. See Gary Kehl for more information.
- ⇒ **Area Wide Youth Devo.** Jan. 25 from 7-9pm at Lubeck for more info see Mark.
- ⇒ **Mens Meeting**-tonight after evening services.

For Your Info...

Josh & Tiffany Kehl will soon be leaving for Austria. Please keep them in your prayers as they are gone.

Teens Lock In

January 25.

(after the devo. at Lubeck)

The teens are working on putting this together.

If you would like to give donations to help with pizza see Kassie hall. There is a sign up sheet on the bulletin board for other items needed.

Congratulations



To Emily Null on her baptism last week. Take the time to welcome her to the family.

Book of the month for
January Daniel
Read and sign up
outside Marks office

Fathers To The Rescue

The Year was 1940...

The French Army had just collapsed under Hitler's onslaught. The Dutch had folded, overwhelmed by the Nazi regime. The Belgians, had surrendered. And the British Army was trapped on the coast of France in the channel port of Dunkirk.

Two hundred and twenty thousand of Britain's finest young men seemed doomed to die, turning the English Channel red with their blood. The Fuehrer's troops only miles away in the hills of France, didn't realize how close to victory they actually were.

Any rescue seemed feeble and futile in the time remaining. A "thin" British Navy--"the professionals"-told King George VI that at best they could save 17,000 troops. The House of Commons was warned to prepare for "hard and heavy tidings." Politicians were paralyzed. The king was powerless. And the Allies could only watch as spectators from a distance. Then as the doom of the British Army seemed imminent, a strange fleet appeared on the horizon of the English Channel-the wildest assortment of boats perhaps ever assembled in history. Trawlers, tugs, fishing sloops, lifeboats, pleasure craft, smacks and coasters, sailboats, even London fire-brigade flotilla. Each ship was manned by civilian volunteers-English fathers sailing to rescue Britain's exhausted, bleeding sons.

William Manchester writes in his epic Novel, The Last Lion, that even today what happened in 1940 in less than twenty-four hours seems impossible-not only were all of the British soldiers rescued, but 118,000 other Allied troops as well.

Today the home is much like those troops at Dunkirk. Pressured, trapped, and demoralized, it needs help. Your help. With the highest divorce rate of any nation on earth, we need an all-out effort by men and women "sailing" to rescue the exhausted and wounded family casualties. We need an effort by common Christian couples with faith in an uncommon God. "...comfort the feeble-minded, support the weak, be patient toward all..."

Taken from Glad Tidings

The Map

A father wanted to read a magazine but was being bothered by his little girl, Shelby. Finally, he tore a sheet out of this magazine on which was printed the map of the world. Tearing it into small pieces, he gave it to Shelby, and said, "Go into the other room and see if you can put this together."

After a few minutes, Shelby returned and handed him the map-correctly fitted and taped together. The father was surprised and asked how she had finished so quickly. "Oh," she said, "On the other side of the paper is a picture of Jesus. When I got all of Jesus back where He belonged, then the world came together."

So many children have had their world torn apart. They will never be able to fit it back together until they get Jesus back where He belongs. As a Bible class teacher, you have the distinct privilege of helping them see Jesus (John 12:21), and showing them where He belongs in their lives. Be sure to make the most out of every opportunity you have.