

LADIES HOLIDAY PARTY



WHEN: December 14, 2019 at noon

WHERE: Antonio's Restaurant

COST: \$ 17.00 per person

Menu: potatoes, salad, pasta with sauce, chicken, roast beef,

vegetable, dessert, and coffee and tea.

PLEASE BRING NON-PERISHABLE FOODS FOR THE FOOD PANTRY.

GIFT EXCHANGE—IF YOU BRING A GIFT YOU WILL GET A GIFT.

ALL MONEY IS DUE TO DENISE GARLITZ

Today <u>DECEMBER 8TH.</u>



NEWSLETTER

Dec. 08, 2019

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Schedule of Services

Sunday AM Bible Study 9:45 AM Sunday AM Worship 11:00 AM

No Sunday PM Service

Tuesday Ladies' Bible Study 10:00 AM Wednesday PM Bible Study 7:00 PM

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We welcome all who are here today.

If you are a visitor we are honored to have you with us. Please fill out a *Visitor Card* (on the back of the pew in front of you) so we may have a record of your visit. Later in the service we will pass around a collection plate. As a visitor you are not expected to give money but we would like for you to place the *Visitor Card* in the collection plate. Thanks.

There is a nursery at the rear of the auditorium up the stairs for infant care.

Please keep cell phones and other noise making devices silent during Bible study and worship.



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Prayers In our prayers, let's praise God, recognize His greatness, and thank Him for His blessings.

Let's keep Ray McArthur's mother in our prayers as she deals with some health issues.

Let's keep Jack Curnew and his mother in our prayers as they deal with health issues.

Bryan, Denise Garlitz' son in law, is having health issues. He will have ear surgery some time this month.

Georgia Smith, a neighbor of Maria Swindlehurst, is dealing with breast cancer.

Dennis Phillips Sr., Louella Hopkins former spouse who now lives in Florida, is under hospice care because his health has declined and it isn't looking good for him.

Nick, Bruce Brink's cousin is having a problem dealing with the loss of his father in Sept. Let's pray for God to help him and his family and loved ones. Let's also pray for Bruce to be able to say the right things to help them.

Let's pray for children, families, and the staff at Potter Children's Home and Family Ministries.

Let's pray as we continue our preacher search process.

Let's pray for the congregation in Fenwick, ONT as they do the same.

Upcoming Events (Lord willing)

Dec. 08	Today	Attn. Ladies	Money due to Denise for Ladies Holiday Party
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- **Dec. 11** House to House / Heart to Heart mailout. 10 AM at the church building.
- Dec. 14 Ladies Holiday Party Please see posted info. or the back of this bulletin.
- **Dec. 15** Men's Business Meeting
- **Dec. 24** Christmas Eve
- Dec. 25 No Wednesday night Bible study tonight.

Sharron Gantt says hello and sends hugs and kisses to everyone.

Please see the posting in the back concerning volunteers needed at St. Mary's Hospital in Lewiston.

Directory and Phone Tree

Updates of both are on the back table.

Business Meeting Minutes

Minutes of both Nov. 17 & Nov 24, 2019 are on the back table.

SMILE PRETTY!

It's time to update the photo board in the back of the auditorium. This is a valuable tool to new (or older) members to help them get to know everyone or put a face with a name.

Special thanks to *Lisa Hansen and Erin Orton* who have volunteered to take on this task. Please assist Erin and Lisa by having your picture taken when they come around to ask you. Thanks

Classes and Sermon

Part 3 *My Strength Fails Me* (David: A Life of Highs and Lows



Serving Today

Announcements Mark Dailey

Song Leader Rodney Jones

Direct Communion Bruce Brink

Serve Mark Dailey

Serve Ron Cameron

Serve Zach Hansen

Clean Trays Erin Orton

No Sun. PM Service

Sermon Topic Today:

Tuesday Ladies' Bible Study 10 AM

Scripture Reading: Psalm 31:9-12

Sun. AM Adult Bible Study Matthew

Wed. PM Bible Study 2nd Kings



HELP NEEDED! The last issue of **House to House / Heart to Heart** for 2019 has arrived and is ready for us to mail to our neighbors. Join us for a labeling get-together on **Wednesday, December 11th at 10 AM** here at the church building. Please continue to pray for open and receptive hearts in the homes we will be mailing to.

It's All About the Heart

by Dave Benner Karns church of Christ Knoxville, TN

There are hundreds of Bible verses that mention the heart. In the Bible, the heart refers to your core being. It's the decision center where you decide what is right and wrong. It is essentially the real you.

Recently I was studying Acts chapter 8. It contains two important stories and both mention the heart. One of the stories is about the Ethiopian eunuch. Philip found him studying the Bible. Beginning where the eunuch was reading, Philip "preached Jesus to him." Seeing some water, the eunuch said, "What hinders me from being baptized?" Philip said, "If you believe with all your heart, you may" (Acts 8:35-37).

There are several lessons here about baptism. First, preaching Jesus obviously includes teaching baptism. Remember, Jesus said, "He who believes and is baptized will be saved" (Mark 16:16). Second, only those who believe that Jesus is the Son of God at the core of their being is eligible for baptism into Christ.

The other story in Acts 8 recounts the conversion of Simon the sorcerer. Simon believed and was baptized. When Simon saw that the apostles Peter and John could convey spiritual gifts by laying their hands on believers, Simon offered money for this ability. Peter said, "Your money perish with you because you thought that the gift of God could be purchased with money! You have neither part nor portion in this matter, for your heart is not right in the sight of God. Repent therefore of this your wickedness, and pray God if perhaps the thought of your heart may be forgiven you" (Acts 8:13-22).

Our heart is crucial to our spiritual being. We must believe at the core of our beings that Jesus is our King. Further, we must guard our hearts so they remain right in the sight of God.