



MONTICELLO

# CHURCH OF CHRIST

*As we have therefore opportunity, let us do good unto all men—Galatians 6:10*

## THE CHURCH

*Andrew Connally*

The church is not made up of people who believe they are better than others, but rather it is made up of those who realize that they should be better than they are and must continually strive to do better always.

The church is not made up of perfect people, but people who realize they are following a perfect Lord and a perfect law and therefore must do the very best they can.

The church is not made up of people who never make mistakes, but those who often acknowledge their mistakes and then forsake them. Never must we seek to justify them or continually make the same mistakes over and over again.

The church is not trying to withdraw from everyone but rather to draw everyone into its fellowship and love who are willing to walk in the light where God the Father and Christ the Son are found.

The church is not trying to set up arbitrary rules to hinder anyone but rather to show the rule of Christ which helps everyone.

The church is not trying to take the joy out of your life, but rather is trying to put real joy into every life it touches.

The church is not trying to make you feel ugly, but rather it is trying to instill the beauty of holiness in your life.

The church is not trying to separate you from your money but rather is trying to keep your money from separating you from God.

The church is not trying to become the master of your life but trying to get you to master yourself. The church is not trying to rob your life of priorities, but rather trying to get you to put the priorities in your life.~

## Memory Verse

**Let your steadfast love come to me, O Lord, your salvation according to your promise; then shall I have an answer for him who taunts me, for I trust in your word.**

**Psalm 119:41-42 (ESV)**

**March 17, 2024**

### ELDERS

Mike Beard

Larry Fisackerly

Joe Moore

### DEACONS

Marty Baker

Chris Bryant

Ray Linder

Jason Meier

Jeff Newton

Joshua Pettigrew

Kerry Rice

Jeremy Wilson

### MINISTERS

#### **Pulpit Minister**

Josh Walker

#### **Campus Minister**

Brad Tolbert

### Meeting Times

Bible Study 9:30 AM

Assembly 10:30 AM

Assembly 5:00 PM

### WEDNESDAY

Bible Study 6:30 PM

### ATTENDANCE

Bible Class ..... 92

Sunday AM Worship... 112

Sunday PM Worship .... 72

Wed. Evening ..... 83

Budget ..... \$5,514

Contribution ..... \$N/A

## THOSE IN NEED OF PRAYERS

- ◇ **Judy Beard** passed away Wednesday. Remember this family in your prayers.
- ◇ **Fran Calvart** is recovering from surgery
- ◇ **Laura Smith** is recovering from surgery
- ◇ **Monte Meier** waiting to have a heart valve replaced
- ◇ **Brad Tolbert** is undergoing chemo and radiation for the next five weeks
- ◇ **Dorothy Glover** (David Wilson's friend) may have had a stroke
- ◇ **Lavon** (Janet Staudinger's brother) dealing with COVID and a need for plasma with antibodies
- ◇ **Larry Earnest** has been put on hospice
- ◇ **Elizabeth Phillips** has been diagnosed with Stage 4 Bone Cancer
- ◇ **Ike Rochell** is undergoing treatments for liver cancer
- ◇ **Andy Boykin** will have procedures that require him to be in the hospital five days every month for a year
- ◇ **Lindsey Hall** (Drake Hall's [Monticello Police Officer] wife) is

home recovering

- ◇ **Jone Baldrige** (Janet Staudinger's sister) is having issues with her kidneys.
- ◇ **Allie Cooper's** cancer has returned
- ◇ **Acacia May** (Becky Rice's niece) was taken to the hospital with breathing issues
- ◇ **Judy Purvis** (Fern Baker's mother) had a appointment with the cardiologist Friday
- ◇ **Jamie Edwards** (Fern Baker's brother-in-law) has started chemo and is having stomach issues

## REMEMBER OUR SHUT-INS

Jean Enlow    Betty McGuire    Pat Turner  
 Lyndell Baker    Judy Purvis    Laverne Potter  
 Marie Wooten



***David, Stacy, & Andrew Vondran  
 have expressed their desire to  
 place membership. Welcome  
 them and let them know how  
 happy we are for their decision.***

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS TODAY

Sunday Morning class on David—Chris Bryant  
**Group 3 (Ray & Kathy Linder) - Return Cards Today or  
 Wednesday**

### THIS WEEK

22nd-24th - Gospel Meeting: Kevin Rhodes - Rison Church of Christ in Rison, AR

### THIS MONTH

30th - Easter Egg Hunt

### APRIL

20th - Areawide Singing - Monticello Church of Christ Building

### BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

#### MARCH

- 17 Seth & Lindsey Baker
- 18 Regina Dunn
- 19 Brooks Newton
- 23 Mathew & Samantha Tannehill
- 24 James Robert Miller  
Sawyer Smith
- 25 Becky Colvin

### DAILY BIBLE READING

- MONDAY**                      1 Cor 7–8
- TUESDAY**                    Gen 44–47
- WEDNESDAY**                1 Sam 6–10
- THURSDAY**                  Ps 33–35
- FRIDAY**                        Job 23–24
- SATURDAY**                  Isa 62–66
- SUNDAY**                      Mark 3–4

### LADIES' DUTIES

#### Communion Prep

- 17-Mar Rachel Wilson
- 24-Mar Carolyn Ashcraft
- 31-Mar Carolyn Ashcraft
- 7-Apr Sandra Baker

#### March

#### CARDS

Lori Rabb

#### FOOD

Stacy Usry  
 Kristen Smith

#### PENCILS/CARDS

Carolyn Ashcraft

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# **RISON** **CHURCH OF CHRIST**

## **Spring 2024** **Gospel Meeting**

with



**Kevin Rhodes**

director of



**BROWN TRAIL**  
**SCHOOL OF PREACHING**

**Theme: The Work of the Church**

**March 22-24**

The Work of the Deacon (Friday 7:00 pm)

The Work of the Elder (Saturday 7:00 pm)

The Work of the Preacher (Sunday 9:30 am)

The Work of the Member (Sunday 10:25 am)

Fellowship Meal (Provided)

The Work of the Member (Sunday 1:00 pm)

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