

June 26, 2016

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAY

Bible Study 9:30 am
Worship 10:30 am
Evening Worship 6:00 pm

TUESDAY

Men's Bible Class 9:30 am

WEDNESDAY

Ladies' Bible Class* 10:00 am
Bible Study 7:00 pm

*September through May

Please contact Kendra Walker @ 708-829-2081 or via email at kendrabw@aol.com with **prayer requests or announcements.**

There is also a **Suggestion**

OUR WEEKLY RECORD

Sunday AM Bible Class 44
Sunday Attendance 135
Contribution \$3,356
Budget \$2,774

Transportation to Sunday morning worship service can be provided for those in need. Also, for those who are unable to attend services, **communion** can be shared. Please call John Davis at 708-748-5413 to make arrangements.
To receive a **Bible study by mail**, call Robert Webster at 708-331-2615 or email him at robster67@gmail.com

SERMON NOTES:

Reflections of...



**the Church of Christ
in South Holland**

Welcome, visitors...



We are grateful to have you join us in worship today. If there is any way that we can be of help, please use the visitor's card to let us know. To learn more about churches of Christ and some of the work done here, please take a look at our website. Thank you for visiting with us today!

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Office Hours:
Wed 10am-1pm Fri 10am-1pm

WHAT MUST I DO TO BE SAVED?

- **HEAR...**the Gospel of Christ. Rom 1:16; 10:17
- **BELIEVE...**in Jesus. John 8:24
- **REPENT...**of my sins. Luke 13:3; Acts 3:19; 17:30
- **CONFESS...**my faith in Jesus Christ. Matt 10:32; Rom 10:9-10
- **BE BAPTIZED...**for the forgiveness of sins. Acts 2:38; 22:16

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Nearly 12 years later, I'm still working on it, but it makes me realize how wonderful it is to have a heavenly Father Whom I can fully trust never to let me fall. - **Psalm 56:3** "But when I am afraid, I will put my trust in You."

- Author unknown

NO ONE ELSE, BUT GOD!

I found a newspaper article from an unknown author that I thought is quite demonstrative of what it means to place our ultimate trust in no other but our Father in heaven. It says:

I always wanted to be a good father. Let me rephrase that. I didn't want to be just a run-of-the-mill father. I wanted to be the prototypical super-father. You know, one of those fathers that provides a benchmark for all fathers who would follow behind me. Not only did I want my young children to sing praises to me each night when I returned from work, I wanted them to be able to look back on each event in their lives and see how their father came through as a super hero. In triumph, I wanted them to be thankful for their talents and mindful of those less fortunate. In defeat, I would ask them what lesson they had learned. In common, everyday occurrences I would try to impart life lessons using my masterful words of wisdom. I would even make up bedtime stories, not about fairies and mystical kingdoms, but about how to deal with life's ups and downs. I wanted each and every encounter in their lives to teach them a lesson.

It didn't always turn out as I had envisioned. I remember one particular day when my entire extended family had gone to the park for a Sunday afternoon picnic. Before lunch was served, I took my two-year-old, Bailey, over to the play area for another life lesson. I had seen young children on television who had learned to trust their fathers by jumping into their arms from high atop some frightening precipice. This was going to be great! With pride, I placed Bailey on top of the play fort, which stood some four feet off the ground, and I held out my arms and said, "Jump, Sweetheart, jump!" Concern was written all over her face. She stood there for what seemed like minutes, looking around and apparently weighing her other options. "Jump!" I said again. "Bailey, I love you, and I would never let you fall." At that point, Bailey looked deep into my eyes and said those three magic words, "Go get Mom!" Apparently, my loving arms meant little to her, so much so that she would rather I abandon her for a moment in hopes of finding some more reliable means of salvation. I had not yet earned Bailey's complete trust.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Peter is driving the **Ladies Bible Class to Shipshewana** this coming Wednesday at 8AM. There are a few seats available on the van; please see Peter if you'd like to go.

Please remember to **silence or power off any electrical devices** during worship.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Ken Cooper, Siara's father, died this past Thursday. Please pray for Siara and her family.

We missed **Charles Smith, Jr.** last Sunday, as he was not feeling well. We're hoping to see him and his family this morning.

It was great to see **Ken Ware** with us last Sunday morning. Please continue to remember both him and his wife, Ursala, in your prayers.

If you have a **request for prayers**, please fill out the back of a visitor's card and hand it to one of the men during communion.

Please continue to remember **Ken & Ursala Ware, Shults-Lewis Children's Home**, our **college kids**, our **mission efforts**, and our **military personnel** in your prayers.

CELEBRATIONS!!!

Happy Birthday...

June 28 – Kyle Bumpass

June 30 – June Jones

July 1 – Jack Denney

Happy Anniversary...

June 26 – John & Michal Davis #40

June 30 – Ed & Laura Singleton #37