

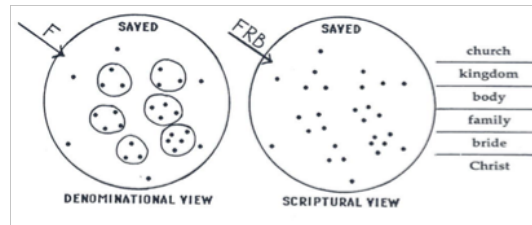
NORTH MACARTHUR CHURCH OF CHRIST



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What Does One Body Mean?

When we consider what makes us human, we can look at any person throughout the world and say that he/she has the general characteristics. On the other hand, when we say that someone is a citizen of the United States, there are conditions (being born here, applying for citizenship, etc.) that must be met in order to belong to this specific group of people. Sometimes when people talk about being Christian, they do so in such a general terminology that it seems that everybody would be in this group. Yet, the Bible makes it very clear that there are specific commands and beliefs that one must obey or accept as true to be adopted into the family of God. With so much confusion as to what constitutes the one body, a clear distinction between what the world teaches and what God's Word teaches can be demonstrated concerning this matter.



A clear illustration of the difference in these views can be illustrated by using two circles. The two circles represent two different views of

what one does to receive salvation. Most denominations teach that a person is forgiven of past sins at the moment of belief in Jesus or when one "accepts Jesus as their personal Savior." At this point, they consider one to be added to the circle of the saved. However, the scriptural view, according to Acts 2:36-38, shows that one must not only believe, but he/she must also repent and be baptized before the forgiveness of sins is promised (in the diagram, F=Faith, R=Repentance, and B=Baptism).

A second very important difference between these views relates to what happens inside the circle of the saved. The denominational view is that there are smaller circles (denominations—literally "one of many") within the larger inner circle of the saved. When one is saved (believes), he/she is in the big circle and headed for heaven, but it is not necessary to do anything else. It is good for one to join a particular denomination, but it really does not matter which one it is. Each small circle, therefore, can set its own criteria for membership since such membership has nothing to do with salvation and any small circle can be joined since they are all the same as far as salvation is concerned. The scriptural view is different on this point. There are no small circles inside the big one because scripture teaches there are to be no divisions (1 Cor. 1:10-13). Christ's followers are to be one. It is a violation of scripture to have small circles within the larger one. Every person saved by the blood of Christ and a proper obedience to God's conditions has been added to the saved circle; therefore, we are to teach God's Word and recognize teachings that are contrary to it as false and damaging. It does matter what we obeyed and how we obeyed it because of the possible false doctrine that may be behind it. -Ty Hale

ELDERS

Bill Crain
Shorty Huber
Fred Rhodes
Kelly White*
Charles Williams
(*Chairman for June)

MINISTERS

Tim Lewis ♦ Mel Latorre
Fred Rhodes ♦ Charles L. Williams
Ty Hale ♦ Gary Rollins

A WARM WELCOME AWAITS YOU AT ALL THESE SERVICES

Sunday:

Bible School9:00 A.M.
Worship10:00 A.M.
Evening Worship5:00 P.M.

Wednesday:

Bible Classes7:00 P.M.

Personal Bible studies are available during Bible study hours or by appointment.

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Let us draw near ... with a sincere heart in full assurance of faith ... Let us hold unswervingly to the hope we profess.

Hebrews 10:22-23





North MacArthur CHURCH CALENDAR

TODAY

Beginning of the Summer Quarter- Preschool children who had a birthday during the spring quarter (March 1-May 31) may move up to the next age-appropriate class today.

Focus Week Begins- All campers and their families are invited to stay for lunch before departing.

There will be a baby girl shower in honor of Haley Kaufman today from 2:00-3:30 in the small auditorium. Haley is registered at Target and Babies R Us.

June 6 *Monday Night Outreach*- 6:30 in the small auditorium



6:00 p.m. - bring a fast food meal to the building to eat with others if you desire
6:30 p.m. - gather for a brief devotional, training, instructions, prayer and distribute the work
8:00 p.m. - return to the building to report on your results.

Visiting, card writing, prayer, phone calls, babysitting for ages 0-5.

June 8 *Wednesday Summer Series - Tommy Haynes - "I Want to Know Christ"*

For a complete schedule please pick up a brochure in the foyer.

June 12 **BK Sunday-** Next week is our regularly scheduled BK Sunday. The noon meal will be hosted by the Wilson & Morgan groups. Leaders, your call sheets are in the boxes outside of room 110.

June 15 **Fast Food Fellowship**

June 21-24 **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL** see the next page



June 25

June 26 *Blood Drive*



MR. & MRS. KELLY WHITE
REQUEST THE PLEASURE OF YOUR COMPANY
TO CELEBRATE THE MARRIAGE OF THEIR DAUGHTER

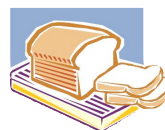
Lindsey Marie TO *Mr. Luke Johns*

SON OF MR. & MRS. RANDY JOHNS
SATURDAY, THE 25TH OF JUNE, 2011
FROM 2:00 - 5:00 PM
MAYFAIR CHURCH OF CHRIST



There will be a wedding shower in honor of Jenny Brotherton and Weston Banks on Sunday, June 26th from 2:00 - 3:30 in the afternoon at the home of Pam Rhodes. Jenny and Weston are registered at JC Penny, Bed Bath & Beyond, Target, Kohl's and Walmart.

Nursery Duty
Lisa & Sara Gower



Bread Ministry Helpers
BK Groups
Tonight (6/5) - Akard
Next Week (6/12) - Hampton



Esther

“For
Such a
Time as
This”

**VACATION BIBLE
SCHOOL**

**Tuesday, June 21 -
Friday, June 24**

9:00 A.M. - 11:30 A.M.

AGE 4 - GRADE 5



*Enrollment forms are available on North
information table*

Q & A

There is another
Question and Answer Session planned for
Sunday evening, July 31st. Four of our elders, Bill Crain,
Shorty Huber, Fred Rhodes and Kelly White, will be on the panel.
If you have Biblical questions or church programming questions
that you would like to submit, please fill out the blue forms
provided at the information box in the south foyer,
or simply give your question to one of
our elders or ministers.



**Men To Serve
Sunday Evening**

Announcements..... Charles Williams
Opening Prayer..... Mike Hall
Song Leader..... Stephen Kearby
Scripture Reading..... Mike Ross
Lord's Table..... Kevin Gates
Mike Ross
Closing Prayer..... Darrel Davis
To Lock Up(June 5-8)..... Mario Richard

Family News & Information

Baptism



Austin Carter
8412 NW 90th St.
OKC, OK 73132
806-220-3139



Youth Calendars Available

Summer youth calendars are now available on
the south information table. Be sure to pick one
up!

Indonesia Update

There are flyers on the
north information table
with an update on Colin &
Ellen McKee's mission work in Indonesia.



\$5,000 Disaster Aid

Five Thousand Dollars has been sent by North
MacArthur to the Hackleburg church of Christ, in
Hackleburg, Alabama to assist with their needs
following the recent tornado. This church of
about 70 members had eleven families who lost
their houses and property.

**Leonard & Bobbie
Humphreys**



*cards are available in pews



Adult Bible Classes will study
“See Jesus at Work” -Mark 1:1-45

THOSE WITH IMMEDIATE CONCERNS WE HAVE THE PRIVILEGE TO PRAY FOR:

OUR ILL AT THE TIME OF PRINTING (6-3)

- ☉ Please continue to remember Emma Stewart. She had another heart Cath last week. Please pray for her doctors to make the right decisions concerning her care.
- ☉ Please continue to pray for Marvin and Eulalia Cawood. Eulalia is still in Mercy hospital and doing about the same.
- ☉ Continue to remember Leonard Humphreys. He was moved Wednesday from Deaconess to Integris Hospice House just north of Mercy.
- ☉ Also remember Betty Foltz, who was admitted to Edmond hospital last week with pneumonia. She was able to go home on Thursday.
- ☉ Joanne Smith had knee surgery Thursday morning at Mercy Hospital. She is in room 390.

CONTINUE TO REMEMBER: Rondell Thomas; Addyson Hood; Sharon Osborne's mother, Kathryn Beardain; Karen Hardy; Kristy Duarte's sister, Barbie Hills; Cynthia Helmuth; Jeff Bennett's father, Richard Bennett; Pat Danley's son, Scott; Martha Thomason's parents, Eugene & Evelyn Perry; Jane Harbert's daughter-in-law, Janet Harbert; Mary Ann Williams' niece, Rumer Austin; Kaye Parrott's friend, Gary Cooper; Diana Williams' father, John Martin; Dara Robison's sister, Jamie Feroli; Jane Taylor's friend, Kathy Taylor

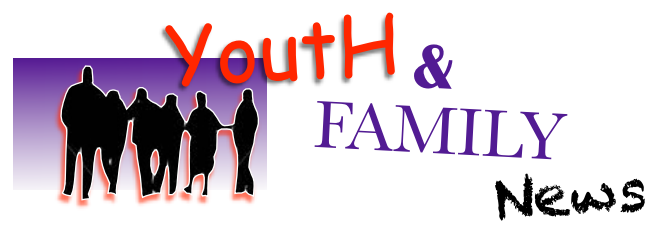
OUR SHUT-INS: George Pruitt, Dimples Aldridge, Carl Stevens, Mamaw Gower; Dick & Kitty Welch; Wilda Copeland

OUR MILITARY: Wayne and Joy Johnson's grandson, Casey Johnson; Weona Wilcox's grandson, Nathan Phillips; Bob & Diana Williams' son, Jonathan Williams; Brad & Heather Bush's son, Jordan Bush; Jeff Findley; Andrew Akard; Mark Kopf's son-in-law Cameron Witte; Kristen Dixon's brother-in-law; Jane Harbert's grandson, Kevin Harbert

Our Missionaries

Indonesia Colin McKee & native preacher	Tanzania George Jensen	New Zealand Chris Miller
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Attendance 5/29/11:	
Bible Class 418	
Worship 578	
Giving: \$14,946	
Contribution Report	
May 29, 2011	
Budget needs:	
through 5/29/11 (\$17,980 x 22*).....	\$395,560
Contribution: through 5/29/11.....	\$414,660
	+19,100
*Does not include mission Sunday	
Mission (October '10):	
Total Purposed.....	29,050
Total Given to Date.....	27,233



As I look back on my teen years, some of my most remarkable and fond memories are the times I spent at church camp. I can remember looking forward to summer, especially because of camp. It was a time to renew old friendships as well as make new ones. It was a time to recharge our spirits, deepen our bible knowledge and strengthen our connection with God. Growing up, camp was the highlight of my summer, as it made a significant impact on my life. Well, even though I can't relive those years, I can still go to camp. This week over 60 from our midst will be attending Focus Week Camp. I know that our youth are looking forward to it as they will get to make remarkable and fond memories of their own. It's going to be an uplifting week.

We are excited to have with us Jack Dodgen as this year's summer intern. Jack has spent a year at Bear Valley Bible Institute and will be spending the next 10 weeks at this congregation. His internship will not be exclusively with the youth as he will participate and get experience in several different ministry areas. It will be a great addition to our ministry team to have Jack with us over the summer.

Just as a reminder, make sure to pick up a calendar highlighting some of the youth events for this summer. It's going to be a great summer.

Mel

Order of Worship
Sunday, June 5, 2011

Announcements..... Charles Williams

Prayer..... Richard Dodgen

Song Leader..... Scott Hankins

Song #121, "Come, Let Us All Unite to Sing"

Song (slides only), "Pierce My Ear"

Song (slides only), "I Am Mine No More"

Song #324, "Alas! and Did My Savior Bleed?"

Lord's Supper..... Jerry Campbell

Giving as We Have Promised

Song #903, "There Is Power in the Blood"

Scripture Reading..... Caleb Wilson

Hebrews 9:11-14

Sermon..... Tim Lewis

Song (slides only), "Let Him Have His Way with Thee"

Song #4, "To God Be the Glory"

Closing Prayer..... John Whaley