

January 7, 2024

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Schedule of Services

Sunday Morning Bible Class: 9:30 AM Sunday Morning Worship: 10:30 AM Sunday Evening Service: 6:30 PM Wednesday Evening Bible Study: 7:00 PM

Options for accessing services:

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• To listen via phone, call in at 1-408-418-9388; at prompt enter code 797 046 235

• For **Webex video conference** go to https://kittanningchurchofchrist.my.webex.com/meet/clemdebby. You will most likely have to download webex program on a computer or cell phone app. Follow instructions from the link. **Meeting # is 797046235**

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ELDERS: EVANGELIST: DEACONS:

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January 7: Sunday Worship Leaders

Songs: Clem Rosenberger III Opening Prayer: Steve Maul

Communion-presiding: Brian Steffy Communion-serving: Clyde Shaffer, Scott Waltenbaugh, Jesse Delarosa Scripture: Randy Grossman

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Scripture Reading: Ecclesiastes 9:1-6

Sermon: Brandon Foresha Closing Prayer: Matt Fisher Remarks: Ben Wright

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January 14: Sunday Worship Leaders

Songs: Jason Tenant

Opening Prayer: Ben Wright **Communion-presiding:** Cal Nulph **Communion-serving:** Ryan Barron,

Frank Ridenour, Rick Smith **Scripture:** Garret Elder

Scripture Reading: Ecclesiastes 9:7-18

Sermon: Brandon Foresha **Closing Prayer:** Caleb Smith

Remarks: Steve Maul Communion Prep:

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Ladies' Bible Study: January 11 on Prayer. Every other Thursday at 1:30 pm at the building.
- Every Wednesday at 1pm a group gathers at the building for visiting. See Ben or Frank

PRAYER REQUESTS & UPDATES

- Julie Delp has an appointment on January 18 about her upcoming surgery.
- Janice has a procedure on January 17.
- Mike Gutherie is being deployed to Africa. Pray for his family and his safety

Text or email announcements and prayer requests to Stephanie 724-398-9329 steph@grafxloft.com

Weekly Scripture Readings: Luke 9:23

Putting Jesus Back in the Box

The Christmas holiday has come and gone. Time to take down those decorations, Christmas trees, blow-up yard ornaments, and lights, including those religious scenes and figurines. Along with the tinsel and multicolored lights, the little statues of the baby Jesus will be placed in boxes and storage bins and stored away till next December. Folks will stop posting memes that say "Jesus is the Reason for the Season" and "Put Christ Back in Christmas" on social media. The time of year in which so much attention is given to Jesus Christ has past. Sadly, many people will not attend church, pray, or even mention Jesus until the traditional Easter holiday. They will return to their busy lifestyles full of work and play. It would seem that they have put Jesus in a box, only to let Him out on a couple of religious holidays during the year.

It has been said that we should be thankful that so many think about Christ, even if it's for a short time. However, such traditions practiced only occasionally do not find favor with the Lord. Jesus said if any person desires to follow Him, they must deny themselves, pick up their cross and follow Him every day. (Luke 9:23) What a worthy goal it is to have Christ in the forefront of our daily activities, including bible reading, prayer, evangelism, benevolence and regular worship.

- Jay Launius - Maud Church of Christ Maud, Texas

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

January 7 – Jacque Lukehart

January 7 – Tyler Steffy

January 9 – Elijah Lee January 11 – Hannah Kralik

January 11 – Steve Maul

January 11 – Jacob Sellers

January 13 – Stephanie Waltenbaugh



January 7 – Riley & Sandy McMillan

