

February 11: Sunday Worship Leaders

Songs: Randy Grossman

Opening Prayer: Ben Wright

Communion-presiding: Carl Nulph

Communion-serving: Ryan Barron,
Scott Waltenbaugh, Jesse Delarosa

Scripture: Caleb Smith

Scripture Reading: Ecclesiastes 12:1-8

Sermon: Brandon Foresha

Closing Prayer: Rick Smith

Remarks: Steve Maul

Communion Prep: Jill Wright

February 18: Sunday Worship Leaders

Songs: Jason Tennant

Opening Prayer: Clyde Shaffer

Communion-presiding: David Barron

Communion-serving: Jonah Lee,
Chris Plummer, Justin Traxler

Scripture: Randy Salsgiver

Scripture Reading: Ecclesiastes 12:9-14

Sermon: Brandon Foresha

Closing Prayer: Steve Maul

Remarks: Clem Rosenberger III

Communion Prep: Jill Wright

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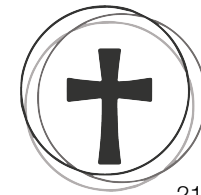
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WELCOME



TO
Kittanning
Church of Christ

213 Blaney Road, Kittanning, PA 16201
(Behind the Dairy Queen)



SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Sunday Morning Bible Class: 9:30 AM

Sunday Morning Worship: 10:30 AM

Sunday Evening Service: 2:30 PM

Wednesday Eve Bible Study: 7:00 PM

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Ladies' Bible Study:** February 22 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
- **February 25:** Fellowship dinner for the Lads 2 Leaders group.
- **Sunday afternoon studies:** Please sign up to teach a lesson from the new study book. Sign up sheet on table in foyer.
- **Save the Date April 5, 2024:** Indiana church of Christ is having a Ladies' Inspiration Day.

PRAYER REQUESTS & UPDATES

- Karen Lemley is having lung problems and might need a lung transplant. Please keep her and Don in your prayers.
- Cathy Sagi went to the hospital with chest pains on Thursday. They said she has coronary vasospasms and will need to follow up with her heart doctor.
- Linda's co-worker, Connie, has asthma and is having trouble breathing because of a virus.
- Mary Laird is going in for a CAT scan because of a lump found in her lung.
- Bella and Lexi's uncle, Tommy, has blood cancer.

Options for accessing services:

- Join us on **Facebook** at **Kittanning Church of Christ Group**
- To listen **via phone**, call in at **1-408-418-9388**; at prompt **enter code 797 046 235**
- For **Webex conference** go to:

<https://kittanningchurchofchrist.my.webex.com/meet/clemdebby>.

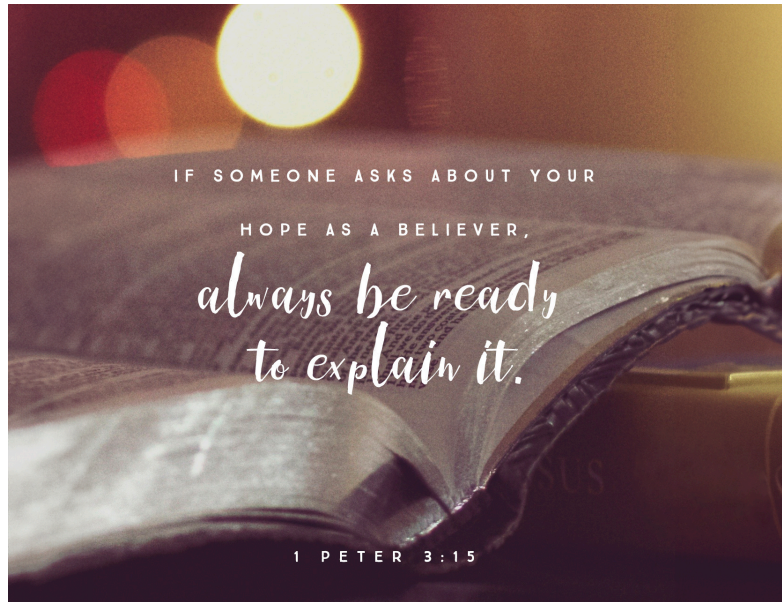
You will likely have to download Webex program on a computer or cell phone app. Follow instructions from the link. **Meeting # is 797046235**

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****Remind App text message system:** To sign up and receive messages please text this Number- 81010 with this Message- @32f4df

Pray and Watch

“Continue steadfastly in prayer, being watchful in it with thanksgiving. At the same time, pray also for us, that God may open to us a door for the word, to declare the mystery of Christ, on account of which I am in prison- that I may make it clear, which is how we ought to speak.” (Colossians 4.1-4)



I love how Paul commends these brethren to not only pray, but to be “watchful”. It goes without saying that prayer is not a “wish”, but I wonder if we too often feel that prayer is powerless. Perhaps we pray because we are told to without expecting God to reply, ‘yeah, I will make it happen’. The directive given is to pray and watch for the result. The necessary application is that the prayer needs to be somewhat specific (such as praying for an opportunity to share Christ with a specific person). The watchfulness may indicate that the granting of that prayer may be a bit different than you had in mind. Perhaps you were thinking that person was going to ask you why you are different and what actually happened is that you had a tragically horrible day and they saw it- and how you handled it. There is an entirely different tangent that could be explored here about letting your light shine so that your conduct can be admired (not today). The point is to pray and watch for God’s will in the matter.

Assured that the prayers of “normal Christians” will be heard, Paul asks for their prayers for his ability to share the Gospel (mystery of Christ). While we are trying to share the Gospel with others we should take every

advantage God is willing to grant. Pray for people that you will interact with, by name. Put their name before God and watch for the door to open, like Paul shows us. While inviting people to church is worthy, it is not the way salvation was spread in the first century. There are so many examples of teaching salvation- nearly all of them happen in streets, public spaces, and homes. 1 Peter 3.15 says we must always be prepared to answer for our hope [in salvation through Christ]. I hope you are prepared to tell someone why you know you are saved! If you are not, talk to your elders immediately! However, having that reply ready, pray for the door to be opened by God, and watch for the granting of that prayer. God only knows how many souls are counting on you.

- Trey Harper, Poor Fork church of Christ, Baxter, Kentucky



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

February 11 – Michael Quinn
February 12 – Kari Krause
February 13 – Kandi Conner
February 14 – Roberta Reefer
February 15 – Keira Stover



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

February 21 – Brandon & Amber Foresha



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*Thank you for attending services with the church
who meets in Kittanning! We invite you to
study and worship with us again.*