

“...strengthen thy brethren”

Luke 22:32



A lady took her 5-year-old daughter shopping with her. The little girl watched her mother try on one outfit after another, and each time the little girl said, “Mommy, you look beautiful.” Finally a woman in the next fitting room called out, “May I borrow your daughter for a moment?” *House to House ~ Heart to Heart*

“Pleasant words are as an honeycomb, sweet to the soul, and health to the bones.” Proverbs 16:24

CHURCH OF CHRIST

of Genesee County

5284 Fenton Road, Flint, Michigan 48507

September 9, 2018

Schedule of Services

Worship...	Sunday	11:00 a.m.
	Sunday	6:00 p.m.
Bible Study...	Sunday	10:00 a.m.
	Wednesday	6:00 p.m.

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SERMONS

AM Intent and Motive

PM The Bliss Of Emptiness (Matt. 5:1-3)

MEMBERS

Cindy Atkinson—health.

Al Haskell - kidney problems.

Marty Stearns— he is home now and needs plenty of rest. Slowly recovering.

Cindy Dobbs—health

Cassidy Penoyer—health

REQUESTED PRAYERS

Joe and Bev Wilkerson-health-under hospice care

Ken Faris-colon cancer-Al’s co-worker

Joan’s brother Hurley, sister Christena Apostolico in Ohio—health problems

Chere’— Pryia Vannoy (daughter) and family

Pray for Mason and his parents.

Edith Taylor-Bill’s mother is in The Oaks at Woodfield 5370 E Baldwin Rd, Grand Blanc, MI 48439

Cody Cantrell-coma-Bill’s friend.

Rachel Hall—health problems

Cindy’s friends-Ireland Family, Wayne Hamilton, Kathy and Misty Davis, Jody Rynca-cancer, Marie Hall and Mitchell Larson

Betty requests prayers for Earlene Currier-health-Betty’s Aunt, Susan Wills.-Betty’s daughter– Kathy Roberts-cousin-had surgery, Lauren Weidner- grand-daughter.

Eli Clark—pray for family also, his chemotherapy has been stopped.

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Food closet: Paper Products

Ladies Bible Class September 11 and 25 (10 am)

Church of Christ of Genesee County

Worship Service	Bible Classes
House to House / Heart to Heart	Tracts and DVDs
Internet Telecast of Sermons	Evangelism / Gospel Meetings
Online Academy of Biblical Studies	Mission Work
Food Closet	Apologetics Press
Seek the Old Paths	World Video Bible School
Gospel Broadcasting Network	The Spiritual Sword

What books or standard of authority does the church of Christ follow?

The church of Christ does not follow or accept the teachings of men, including human traditions and creed books. We follow only the teaching of the Bible, because, "All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness. That the man of God may be perfect, thoroughly furnished unto all good works" (2 Tim. 3:16-17). The Bible is God's word, His truth and only its message is a safe guide to make men free (John 8:32). Our creed is the Bible: it is the only authority that we accept in our faith and practice.

Who founded the church of Christ?

It was not founded by any man, but by the Lord Himself. The Bible says, "Except the Lord build the house, they labor in vain that build it" (Psalm 127:1). The founder of the church was Jesus Christ, for He Said, "Upon this rock I will build my church and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it" (Matthew 16:18).

What do you do during your worship services?

The Bible declares that Jesus rose from the dead on the first day of the week, which is Sunday (Mark 16:9). In addition, in the first century Christians assembled on the first day of the week in order to remember their risen Lord and worship the God of heaven (Acts 20:7). Today the church of Christ continues to assemble each Sunday to worship the living God. Our worship each Lord's Day consists of five parts, which are listed below:

a. Preaching/study of God's word (Acts 20:7; 2 Tim. 4:2) – We emphasize the Bible because only the word of God is the lamp that shows man the path he should travel (Psalm 119:105). Only the gospel is God's power to save man (Rom. 1:16).

b. Prayer (Matthew 7:7-11)– Prayer is man's way to communicate to God. Our prayers include thanksgiving, requests, praise and glory to God, and confession of sin.

c. Lord's Supper (1 Corinthians 11:23-27) – The Lord's Supper, which is also called "breaking bread" or "communion," consists of two elements: unleavened bread and fruit of the vine. In order to remember the death of Jesus, each Sunday members of the church eat the bread, which represents the body of Jesus, and drink the fruit of the vine, which represents His blood (Matthew 26:26-29).

d. Contribution (1 Corinthians 16:1-2) – Giving to God on each first day of the week (Sunday) is the responsibility of each Christian. These contributions are used to support the work of the local church, and such free will gifts are the sole source of income for the church. The church does not engage in business enterprises to support its activities.

e. Singing (Ephesians 5:19) – As the New Testament teaches, our music consists of offering praises to God in acapella singing, speaking to one another and admonishing one another "in psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs, singing and making melody" in our hearts to the Lord.

From church of Christ Chipman Road