

# Good News From Chardon Church of Christ

128 Maple Ave., Chardon, Oh 44024  
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## Schedule of Services

Greeting: Tom  
Song Leader: Dale  
Opening Hymn:  
**5—Worthy Art Thou**  
Opening Prayer: Jerad  
Hymn:  
**77—Hallelujah Praise Jehovah**  
Scripture Reading: Ryan  
Galatians 1:6-12  
Hymn:  
**257—Amazing Grace**  
Lord's Supper: Robert  
Hymn:  
**274-A— Jesus Loves Me**  
Sermon: Tom  
Invitation Hymn:  
**644—Trust And Obey**  
Closing Hymn:  
**13—Wonderful Words Of Life**  
Closing Prayer: Larry

Rock of Ages, cleft for me, Let me hide  
myself in Thee; Let the water and the  
blood, From Thy wounded side which  
flowed, Be of sin the double cure, Save  
from wrath and make me pure.

## CALENDAR

June 9—Bible Study 10 am, Worship 11  
am  
Speaker Tom  
June 15—(b) Audrey  
June 16—Bible Study 10 am, Worship  
11 am  
Speaker Mark  
June 19—(b) Asher  
June 19—(a) Danny & Susan  
June 22—(b) Bonnie  
June 22—(b) Brendan  
June 23—Bible Study 10 am, Worship  
11 am  
Speaker  
June 26—(b) Bennett

## Craving Approval

We like to be liked and love to be loved. It's normal. And like most normal things, we can carry it to unhealthy extremes. How many "likes" did I get on my Facebook post? Only fourteen? Woe is me!

The earliest Christians in Jerusalem were "praising God and having favor with all the people" (Acts 2:47). The general population looked on those disciples approvingly as they saw them living reverently before God and taking care of the needy (2:42-45). Does our example today encourage our community's approval? "Let your light so shine before men that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven" (Matthew 5:16).

Before long, however, those positive feelings turned into bitter opposition and persecution. Proclaiming the risen Jesus as the Messiah didn't set well with the religious elite. How disappointing! Our ancient brethren, however, didn't despair, nor did they modify their message or their conduct. Even when beaten, they thanked God for the privilege of suffering for Jesus (Acts 5:41).

When the world looks favorably upon you as you do right, that's icing on the cake! But don't allow yourself to develop an unhealthy craving for people's approval. Remember these words from Jesus: "Woe to you when all men speak well of you, for so did their fathers to the false prophets" (Luke 6:26).

"For if I still pleased men, I would not be a bondservant of Christ" (Galatians 1:10).

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## PRAYER LIST

**Mynda** as she travels. **Caleb's** shoulder treatment  
**Tom & Nina** health issues.  
 Their son-in-law **Chris** lost his job  
**Mark** and **Debbie** as they travel.  
**Tom's Bible Study** with **Roberta, Channing,** and **Kris.**  
**Nina's** back, Nephew **Gary** with cancer  
**Bonnie's** health, grandsons **Devin, Dakota & Dillon,**  
 Daughters **Rhonda** and **Renee**  
**Wanda's** migraines; son **Allen,** sisters **Lorraine &**  
**Joyce** . Her niece **Nikki** in bad accident  
 Her niece **Lorrie** had a heart attack  
**Mary, Carl and family** , they are all doing. better.  
**Keatha,** Mary's sister in law.  
**Jim and Beverly G.** with health issues  
**Wayne and Diane G.** with health issues  
**Kathy's** friends **Fran** with cancer and **Murial's** surgery  
**Linda's** health and severe back pain **Tiffany & family**  
 2 1/2 year old baby with terminal cancer.  
**David & Renee's** home caught fire  
**Zarna** and her family  
**Juanita,** is at Briar Hill rehab room 100, and her family.  
**Ray** and **Barbara** and their family.  
**Dale's** health issues, headaches and his family. His **Mot-**  
**her's** medical procedure and sciatic pain. 7 year-old  
 girl, **Lucie,** with Leukemia. Cousin **Kenny** hernia,  
 Cousin **Joshua** heart Issues, Cousin **Randal** physi-  
 cal & mental health Cousin **Roosevelt** with nerve  
 pain Cousin **James** in serious truck accident  
**Ray's** health and his family. **Rebecca, Steven, and Asher**  
**Pat** recovering from a fall, and her family  
**Robert & Sara** their **Son Michael** and Daughter **Maddie**  
 Friend **Hailey** serious health issues after birthing  
**Brenda's** health, her sister **Linda** with shingles and  
 sister-in-law **Linda** as they struggle with cancer. Her  
 son **Mark** surgery recovery, granddaughter  
**Amanda.**  
**Larry & family**  
**Mike & Debra** as they lead Bryce back to Christ.  
**Betty's** friends; **Ann** with cancer,  
**Miyapur Church of Christ** in Hyderabad, South India  
**Les Cayes Church of Christ** in southeast Haiti

## WORD LIST

ACCURSE	AFTER	ANGEL
BRETHREN	CALLED	CERTIFY
CHRIST	GOD	GOSPEL
GRACE	HEAVEN	JESUS
MARVEL	MEN	NEITHER
OTHER	PERSUADE	PERVERT
PLEASE	PREACH	RECEIVED
REMOVED	REVELATION	SEEK
SERVANT	TAUGHT	TROUBLE

U Q F L S N K T J C O T J H A  
 T S Q E E U H Q G H N T C H C  
 J Y K V B G S O D R V E H L C  
 G V A R U V S E R I A N M E U  
 B E G A I P V E J S U C S G R  
 H J T M E O C T V T J U E N S  
 T K O L M E L B U O R T C A E  
 T L Z E I E D A U S R E P D R  
 M R R V K L P R E A C H T O V  
 J G E E B R E T H R E N J G A  
 K D E V U A R E H T I E N Y N  
 J S A S R F F C A L L E D D T  
 Y F I T R E C T F U C G R A Q  
 G E C K U U P L E A S E Z Y V  
 N O I T A L E V E R X D H F N

### WHERE IS IT WRITTEN?

Not everyone that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven.

*Answer: Matthew 7:21*

**Galatians 1:6-12** <sup>6</sup> I marvel that ye are so soon removed from him that called you into the grace of Christ unto another gospel: <sup>7</sup> Which is not another; but there be some that trouble you, and would pervert the gospel of Christ. <sup>8</sup> But though we, or an angel from heaven, preach any other gospel unto you than that which we have preached unto you, let him be accursed. <sup>9</sup> As we said before, so say I now again, if any man preach any other gospel unto you than that ye have received, let him be accursed. <sup>10</sup> For do I now persuade men, or God? or do I seek to please men? for if I yet pleased men, I should not be the servant of Christ. <sup>11</sup> But I certify you, brethren, that the gospel which was preached of me is not after man. <sup>12</sup> For I neither received it of man, neither was I taught it, but by the revelation of Jesus Christ.

SUNDAY: Bible Study—10:00 am, Worship—11:00 am  
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