

Good News From Chardon Church of Christ

128 Maple Ave., Chardon, Oh 44024

December 14, 2025

Issue 50

Schedule of Services

Greeting: Tom

Song Leader: Myron

Opening Hymn:

23—Sweet Hour Of Prayer

Opening Prayer: Dale

Hymn:

257—Amazing Grace

Scripture Reading: Ryan

1 John 1:6-10

Hymn:

301—He Loved Me So

Lord's Supper: Robert

Hymn:

39—Is My Heart Right With God?

Sermon: Tom

Invitation Hymn:

640—Softly And Tenderly

Closing Hymn:

22—I Will Sing The Wondrous Story

Closing Prayer: Ryan

Life is in the Blood

In December 1799 George Washington passed from this life. He had been out taking care of his property in foul weather and had come down with what would appear to be a cold (sore throat, congestion, etc.). In an effort to save the former president, his doctors took to opening veins and "bleeding" him, which was believed at the time to be the way to get the illness out of his system. What the doctors of the time failed to realize is that life is in the blood.

Man cannot sustain his physical life without blood. This was well known to the Israelites, or should have been, since God forbade the eating of blood because "life is in the blood. . ." (Leviticus 17:11a NKJV). Human medicine has come to realize the importance of blood in sustaining life in the years following Washington's death. Now, much can be done with transfusions to help stabilize patients who have suffered a loss of blood.

In looking at man's spiritual life, it can be seen that our spiritual life is also in the blood. The Scriptures tell us that we have all sinned (Romans 3:23), and that the wages, the anticipated payment, of sin is spiritual death (Romans 6:23). We know that this is not in reference to physical death, for we must all be subject to that unless the Lord returns first (Hebrews 9:27). In order to have spiritual life, an eternity in heaven, we must have our sins covered by the blood of Christ (1 John 1:7; Revelation 1:5).

We make contact with the blood of Christ when we are buried with Him in the act of baptism (Romans 6:3-4). In obeying the command of Christ to be baptized (Mark 16:16), we can have our sins washed away (Acts 2:38; 22:16). It is in our obedience to the words of Scripture, that the blood of Christ is applied to us and we are cleansed from our sins. Thus, we are able to have spiritual life. Thus, both our physical life and our spiritual life are in the blood!

Dale J. Babinsky preaches for the Great Smoky Mountains Church of Christ in Pigeon Forge, TN

♪ I'm just a weary pilgrim, Plodding thru this
world of sin; Getting ready for that city
When the saints go marching in.
Up there I'll see the Savior Who redeemed
my soul from sin, With extended hands He'll
greet me. When the saints go marching in.
When the saints go marching in, When the
saints go marching in; Lord I want to be in
that number,
When the saints go marching in. ♪

CALENDAR

Dec 14--Bible Study 10 am, Worship 11 am
Speaker Tom

Dec 21--Bible Study 10 am, Worship 11 am
Speaker

Dec 28--Bible Study 10 am, Worship 11 am
Speaker

Dec 29-(b) Caleb

Dec 31-(b) Randy

PRAYER LIST

Mynda as she travels. Her Mom is improving. Her **Aunt Donna** and family.
Tom & Nina health, Sister in law **Frances** health, Daughter **Jenny** and family
Mark and **Debbie** as they travel. Mark's brother **Dale** Their daughter & husband's job
Bonnie's health, grandsons **Devin, Dakota, Dillon, Mick, Connor.** Daughters **Ronda** and **Renee.**
Wanda's migraines; son **Allen.** Her sister **Joyce's** brother in law health
Mary, Carl and family, Keatha—Mary's sister-in-law. Mary's brother **David** with health issue, Nephew
Jim and Beverly G. health issues. Jim is at VA hospital, Bev is in treatment
Wayne and Diane G. with health issues
Kathy's health, friends Channing, Jimmy & Howard, Kim, Rex, Edard Family, Nick & Emily Family, Sandi & John
Linda's broken foot & health, **Tiffany** & family. **Christian** seizures, son **John** & wife **Becky's** health, great Grand daughter **Dahlia** health. **Ethan's** health
Zarna and her family
Juanita and her family. Nurse's aid Maddie's health
Ray and **Barbara** and their family.
Dale's health issues, headaches, His family. 7 year old girl, **Lucie**, with Leukemia. Cousins, **Randal** physical & mental health, **Jalen's** mental health. Uncle **Earl** with cancer, **Aunt Rose** health, Brother in Christ **Johston** surgery recovery. Uncle **Jimmy** stroke.
Ray's health and his family. He is at Chardon Health care room #203. **Steven and Asher.**
Pat and her family
Robert & Sara, Son **Michael,** Daughter **Maddi e,** Sara's father **Jeff's** recovery, her mother **Connie's** health
Brenda heart issues, son **Mark's** heart issues, sister-in-law **Linda,** breast cancer, grandson **Jason** neck disc, granddaughter **Amanda.** brother **Jim** Back surgery Friend **Marge** with cancer.
Larry as he heals from his accident and pacemaker
Doug's mother, **Virginia,** as she heals

WORD LIST

BAPTIZE	BLOOD	BURIED
CHRIST	CLEANS	COMMAND
CONFESS	COVERED	DARKNESS
DEATH	DECEIVE	ETERNITY
FAITH	FORGIVE	HEAVEN
JESUS	LIAR	LIGHT
OBEY	SIN	SPIRIT
TRUTH	WAGES	WALK
WASHED	WORD	

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WHERE IS IT WRITTEN ?

If it be possible, as much as lieth in you,
live peaceably with all men.

Answer: Romans 12:18

1 John 1:6-10

6 If we say that we have fellowship with him, and walk in darkness, we lie, and do not the truth:
7 But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship one with another, and the blood of Jesus Christ his Son cleanseth us from all sin. 8 If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. 9 If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. 10 If we say that we have not sinned, we make him a liar, and his word is not in us.

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