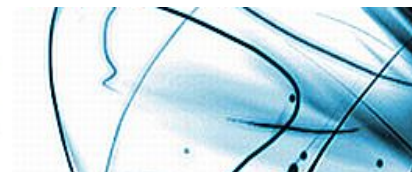




North Garland CHURCH OF CHRIST



We strive to Be: A church devoted to making disciples of Jesus Christ, growing in knowledge and relationship with God and each other.

Today's Events

- Life Groups

Upcoming Events

Oct. 17-FISH @ The Denney's,
7:00-8:30

Oct. 19-Wednesday Meal-
Meatloaf, Potatoes, Green Beans, Bread, Dessert

Oct. 22-Zac Sherrill/Lilli Mera
Wedding, 3:00

Oct. 23-Darcy Tuohy/James
Asbill Wedding Shower @ Jo Ann Rogers house, 2:00

Oct. 24-FISH @ The Denney's,
7:00-8:30

Oct. 26-Trunk Or Treat,
5:30-7:30

Oct. 30-Missions Sunday

Oct. 30-5th Sun. Fellowship

Oct. 31-Alva Bible Chair, bring
food by 9:00 A.M.

Nov. 2-Wednesday Meal-
Spaghetti, Salad, Corn, Dessert

Nov. 6-Daylight Savings Time
Ends-Turn clocks **BACK** 1 Hour

Nov. 6-Youth Devo

Nov. 7-FISH

Nov. 9-Wednesday Meal-

Nov. 12-Mary Owen's 90th
Birthday Party, 2-4

Nov. 13-Elders/Deacons
Meeting, 8:00 A.M.

Nov. 14-FISH

Nov. 16-Wednesday Meal-
Chili, Crackers, Cheese, Dessert

You are invited

Wedding of Zachariah Sherrill and Lillian Mera, Saturday, October 22nd, 2016 at 3:00 at North Garland Church of Christ. If you plan on attending the reception, please call or text Mary Sherrill at (808) 741-2742.

Order of Worship

Song Leader	Dee Plummer
#794.....	Unto Thee, O Lord
.....	Hallelujah
#238.....	You Are The Song That I Sing
Welcome/Scripture	Esther 4:8-16
Adam Smith	
Opening Prayer	Chase Coldwater
Baby Blessing	Elder
#484.....	You Are My All In All
#810.....	Listen To Our Hearts
Communion Talk	Bill Oldham
Bill Oldham	Bryce Thornton
John Wright	Cooper Thornton
	Manny Walker
	Steve Long
	Butch McComas
	Cody Ott
.....	Dismiss To Children's Church
.....	Cornerstone
#470.....	Victory In Jesus
Sermon	Erik Granberg
#560.....	Living By Faith
Welcome/Announcements	Gordon Jantz
Shepherd's Prayer	Brent Dittmeyer
Nursery	Susan Oldham, Charlotte Owen
Lock Up	Michael Manley, Butch McComas

Life Group Questions

Scripture: 2 Corinthians 5:17

Thought: Dreams are good. They can provide benefits like inspiration, encouragement and direction. However, they can also leave us lost and unsatisfied with life. Knowing who we are in Christ and finding our purpose in God needs to be of more importance.

Questions:

1. Share about some dreams, goals, or aspirations you had as a child.
2. Talk about purpose found in God verses purpose found in jobs and relationships.
3. What stood out to you from the sermon?



Prayer List

Woody Jobe-has been moved back to Garland Rd. Rehab.

Irene Harguess-went home

Greg Palmer-is in Bass Hospital Rm. 224 with pneumonia.

Cheryl Siders-will have heart stent placement this Wednesday, Oct. 19th.

Robb Mills-is recovering from back surgery.

Link Setser-had knee replacement surgery Wednesday in OKC. He is scheduled to have gone home Saturday.

Melvin Weast Family- he passed away. He was Susan Oldham's father.

Record for 10-09-16

Bible Class.....115
Morning Worship.....196
Life Groups.....81
Contributions.....\$5,162.25
Budget.....\$7,211.52
2016 YTD Cont.....\$268,244.11
2016 YTD Bdgt.....\$288,460.80

Birthdays

October

16th...Gabe Ward

.....Dawn Webb

17th...Deana LeCrone

19...Jeanita Meek

20th...Carol Jantz

Placed Membership

Daylon & Kaylen Roitsch placed membership with us last Sunday. Be sure to give them a warm welcome hug.

Daylon & Kaylen Roitsch

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Enid, OK 73703

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Children's Christmas Program

The Children's Christmas Program practice will start next Sunday, Oct. 23rd during Children's Church. The ages for participation is 3 years-5th grade.

If anyone needs size 13 hearing aid batteries, we have some in the church office. For more questions, please see Gordon Jantz.

The Way of Peace

Peace has been an elusive thing throughout human history. I remember as a young boy hearing politicians, Miss America winners, and others talking about world peace. At the end of the 20th Century, when I was young, the world was looking back at the past 100 years and wondering what had gone wrong. Humankind was supposed to be getting better. We were supposed to be progressing. The Enlightenment had taught us that humans will continue to pursue the good and make life better for all. And then the world suffered through two world wars. Asia was in upheaval between the Vietnam and Korean wars. And the Middle East was no better.

Peace. From a global perspective it may seem an elusive reality. But on a smaller or more local scale, it is achievable. The question becomes how do we participate in peace? What is the way of peace. I believe the way of Jesus is the way of peace. Jesus says, "Blessed are the peacemakers" (Matt. 5:9a), and "I have told you all this so that you may have peace in me. Here on earth you will have many trials and sorrows. But take heart, because I have overcome the world" (John 16:33). Paul says, "And let the peace that comes from Christ rule in your hearts" (Col. 3:15a), and "So letting your sinful nature control your mind leads to death. But letting the Spirit control your mind leads to life and peace" (Rom. 8:6). The way of Christ, of the Spirit alive in us, is the way of peace.

So what does this mean for us? I believe we've focused for too long on how to bring peace on a global scale. (And that would be amazing!) Christ calls us to bring peace into our small sphere of influence. Being peaceful may mean forgiving that person who has wronged you over and over. It may mean letting go of what you want so someone else gets what they want. Whatever it looks like for you, your life should seek after peace. -Adam Smith

Updating Directory Pictures

We are in the process of updating the directory. If you need to update your picture, please see Erik, Adam or Cathy within the next 2 weeks as we are trying to put the updated directory out the first week of November.

Trunk Or Treat

The Trunk Or Treat will be Wednesday, October 26th from 5:30-7:30. There is a sign up sheet in the foyer for those that would like to decorate their trunk. We are also in need of candy donations for the trunk or treat. For more information, please see Dudley Darrow.

Fall Softball Games

The church softball games this week will be Thursday, Oct. 20th at 6:30 & 7:30.

Baptisms

We want to congratulate Cheyenne Snodgrass & Zach Guymon. Cheyenne was baptized last Sunday and Zach was baptized Wednesday night. Be sure to give them warm welcome hugs.

Thank You

Dear North Garland,

Thank you so much for the lovely plant sent honoring the loss of my grandma. Your calls, cards and prayers have been a great source of strength and encouragement to our family during this time. Love, Mary Downing