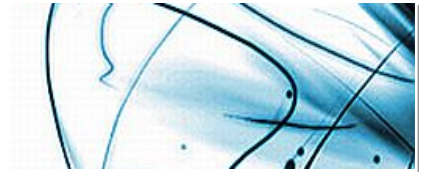




# North Garland CHURCH OF CHRIST



**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

### Upcoming Events

- Oct. 4-**Wednesday Meal-Chicken, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Dessert
- Oct. 6-9-**Camp Out at Salt Plains-Everyone is welcome. Please see Alan Lindsay for more details.
- Oct. 8-**Elders/Deacons Meeting, 8:00 A.M.
- Oct. 11-**Wednesday Meal-Baked Potatoes, Fixins, Salad, Dessert
- Oct. 11-**Blood Drive, 5-8
- Oct. 14-**Stamp Out Starvation, 5:30-7:30
- Oct. 18-**Wednesday Meal-Sub Sandwiches, Chips, Dessert
- Oct. 25-**Wednesday Meal-Pizza, Salad, Dessert
- Oct. 29-**Trunk Or Treat
- Oct. 30-**Alva Bible Chair
- Nov. 1-**Wednesday Meal-Chicken
- Nov. 4-**Ladies Tea
- Nov. 5-**Daylight Savings Time Ends, Turn clocks **BACK** 1 Hour
- Nov. 8-**Wednesday Meal-Baked Potatoes, Fixins, Salad, Dessert

### Class Bell Ringer

We are in need of bell ringers for class. For Sunday's we are in need of one for the Winter Quarter and the Summer Quarter. For Wednesday's we are in need of one for Winter, Spring, Summer & Fall Quarter. If you are interested, please see Jim Osburn or call the church office.

## Order of Worship

- Song Leader**.....**Glenn Walker**
- #449.....Thy Word
- #446.....Hear, O Israel
- Welcome/Scripture**..... **1 Thessalonians 5:16-24**.....**Erik Granberg**
- Opening Prayer**.....**Gordon Jantz**
- #313.....The Old Rugged Cross
- #315.....When I Survey The Wondrous Cross
- Communion Talk** .....**George Gordon**
- George Gordon**     **Bryce Thornton**     **Brett Thornton**     **Steve Long**
- Michael Manley**     **Gene Schroeder**     **Cooper Thornton**     **Jerry Rogers**
- .....**Dismiss To Children's Church**
- #53.....Father, I Adore You
- .....Hide Me Away O Lord
- #959.....Just A Little Talk With Jesus
- Sermon**.....**Erik Granberg**
- #683.....I Am Mine No More
- Welcome/Announcements**.....**Gordon Jantz**
- Shepherd's Prayer**.....**John Wright**
- Nursery**.....**Mary Sherrill, Kim Spencer**
- Sound Booth**.....**Gene Schroeder**
- Slides**.....**Dudley Darrow**
- Lock Up**.....**Butch McComas, Robb Mills**

**Scripture:** 1 Thessalonians 5:16-24

**Thought:** In the middle of those verses, there is a small phrase, "abstain from every form of evil." That was a component of faith that Eli and his sons struggled with. With evil all around, this is an incredibly difficult task for anyone.

**Questions:**

1. It is a sad fact of life that very frequently someone we thought lived a virtuous life is exposed for sin they were covering up. What has made the news recently?
2. What are some guidelines you have for yourself to help avoid every form of evil?
3. What stood out to you from the sermon time?

## Prayer List

**Jo Edwards**-has poison ivy.

**Erin Meier**-is having seizures and is in pain. Surgery to relieve the problem has not worked. She is the daughter of a co-worker of Jamie Barr.

**Naomi Goodridge**-has breast cancer. She is a former member.

**John Vitez**-is having complications with a leg infection. He is Anna Burris' brother. Anna is Cathy Berry & Cindy Geitzenauer's step mom.

**Bill Dugan**-fell and broke his femur. He is Patty & Jim Long's brother-in-law.

**Vernon Griffin**-brain stem cancer.

**Cory Moore**-heart tests

## Record for 09-24-17

Bible Class.....	83
Morning Worship.....	165
Life Groups.....nc	
Contributions.....	\$7,353.00
Budget.....	\$6,634.62
2017 YTD Cont.....	\$245,409.59
2017 YTD Bdgt.....	\$252,115.56

## Birthdays

### October:

1st...Susan Oldham  
4th...David Holland  
.....Carissa Hurt  
7th...Cledis Waddle

## Tuesday Ladies Bible Class

Ladies Bible Class is every Tuesday from 10:00-11:00 in the Education Building. We will continue our study on the book "Investment in Eternity."

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Enter by the narrow gate; for the gate is wide, and the way is broad that leads to destruction, and many are those who enter by it. For the gate is small, and the way is narrow that leads to life, and few are those that find it. Matthew 7:13-14

How do we know God's will? Through the pages of His Word, the Bible. This is why it is important to read the Word of God every day. In the Bible are God's principles and directions for life ;

(1) "I am not ashamed of the gospel, for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes" (Romans 1:16).

(2) "Blessed is he who reads and those who hear the words of the prophesy, and heed the things which are written in it, for the time is near" (Revelations 1:3).

(3) "the unfolding of Thy words gives light; it gives understanding to the simple" (Psalms 119:130).

Please make it a habit to read the Bible everyday and pray to God for guidance in your life.

Wado; John

## Directory Update

It's time again to update our directory. If changes have been made to your family or would like to get your picture added, please see Cathy Berry or the ministers to have them take your picture today.

## Westview Boys Home

Its time to collect for the Westview Boys Home again. Below is a list of items needed: **Pringles, Velveeta 100% Juice, Applesauce, Debbie Snack Cakes, Assorted Frostings, Vegetable/Olive Oil, Pre-Mixed Kool-Aid, Stove Top Stuffing Mix, Canned Ravioli/Tamales, Shampoo, Plastic Forks, Toilet Paper/ Paper Towels, Paper Plates/Styrofoam Saucers**

If you can bring some of the items, please place them in the wooden box by the kitchen by October 2nd.

## Stamp Out Starvation

Our next Stamp Out Starvation will be October 14th from 5:30-7:30. We need someone to be the organizer for that. Please contact Erik Granberg if you are interested in organizing it.

## Baby Boy

Congratulations to Kaiser & Dawn Webb on the birth of their grandson, Shepard Sutton Webb, born Saturday, September 23rd, 2017. He weighs 7 pounds 4 ounces.