



Warren  
Church of  
Christ

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FORWARDING SERVICE  
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**Paul Kern** 388-9573 (Chairman of the Board) **Rick Furnish** 224-7115 (Lead Deacon)  
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**Sunday Services:**

**Fellowship Time 9:15 AM**  
**Worship Service 9:30 AM**  
**Sunday School 11:00 AM**

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**SEPTEMBER HELPING HANDS SCHEDULE**

	Greeters	Fellowship Food	Worship Nursery	Worship Toddler	Worship Preschool	Kids Worship	Sunday School	Lead Elder	Communion To Shut-Ins
<b>1st</b>	Mike & Carol Keene Fay Cartwright	Adam & Krystal Boxell Son-Rise Bakery	Ross & Kiann Palmer	John Williams	Vicki Sparks Lincoln Stivers	Liz Richardson Abagayle Wright	Misty Stivers	Todd Winkler	Todd Winkler Derek Blair
<b>8th</b>	Rick & Elaine Furnish Shirley Fusselman	Kent & Lana Shafer	Brian & Karen Pinkerton	Josh Heim	Vicki Sparks Addison Stivers	Liz Richardson Dustin Fortney	Becky Hartley	Kent Shafer	Bill Bonham Connor Miller
<b>15th</b>	Joe & Becky Hartley Joan Boyer	Rick & Elaine Furnish	Randy & Brandi Richardson	Adam Boxell	Vicki Sparks Elsa Fortney	Liz Richardson Andrew Fisher	Dustin Fortney	Paul Kern	John Morrison Dustin Fortney
<b>22nd</b>	Tom, Kim & Taylor Jordan Janice Jordan	Jim & Vicki Sparks Betty Zimmerman	Derek Blair Joan Boyer	Dolly Blair	Vicki Sparks Morgan Blair	Liz Richardson Taylor Jordan	Andrew Fisher	John Morrison	Ray Holzheuer George Keplinger
<b>29th</b>	Bill & Pam Martin Rachel Schuller	Brian & Karen Pinkerton	Andrew & Jalinda Pursifull	Rachel Schuller	Vicki Sparks Lily Richardson	Liz Richardson Kari Heim	Misty Stivers	TBD	Troy Price Lane Wright

**Deacons:** Rick Furnish, Troy Surfus, Dustin Fortney, Larry Watson, Larry York, Mike Keene  
**Communion Prep:** Liz Richardson, Tara Bower, Betty Yoder, Sarah Wright **Piano:** Betty Yoder

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"I am the vine; you are the branches.  
 If man remains in me and I in him,  
 he will bear much fruit;  
 apart from me you can do nothing." John 15:5

September 2019

**WCC GOLF OUTING**

WCC will hold it's annual golf outing on Sunday, Sept 8th at Dogwood Glen.  
 This will be a 4 person scramble with a shotgun start at 3 PM.  
 The cost is \$15 per person, which includes 9 holes of golf plus a cart.  
 A quick meal will be served after golfing. Please contact John Morrison  
 to get signed up or to answer any questions.



260-433-7579

**MEN'S RALLY**



On Monday, September 9th, there will be a Men's Rally at Lake James Christian Assembly. A steak dinner will be served from 5:15-6:45 PM, with worship starting at 7 PM. The speaker for the evening will be Aaron Chambers of Journey Christian Church. If you would like to go, please sign-up at the Announcement Table. Tickets are \$5 each. We will be using the church vehicles and carpooling at 4:30.

**WCC's ANNUAL PICNIC**



Sunday, September 15th  
 11:30 AM at Tower Park



Everyone is invited! Please bring a side dish and a dessert to share and join us for our annual kickball game and cornhole, or just relax and fellowship with others.

Meat, drinks and table service will be provided by WCC.



### FEED THE FLOCK

August 2nd we restocked our frozen meals. Showing our love through food is fun!

#### Betty Horn's Landscaping

Shannon Spann and the Stivers Crew cleaned up Betty's landscaping. With all the workers we had, and all the fun we were having, the work went by fast!  
*"Many hands make light work."*

#### Karing For Kids Golf Outing

We took two teams to support KFK. Out of 11 teams we finished 2nd & 4th! One of the funny parts was putting with an 18 inch putter. Ted Fiock drained a 20-footer!

#### Men's Rally (No Pictures)

I can't wait to go on our annual journey to LJCA. *And that's not just the steak & shrimp talking!*  
 Remember guys: "It's not just the destination, it's also the trip!"



Please join us for our Fall Small Groups. We offer a Christ-centered, friendly atmosphere.

Crown Financial will be offered Sept. 25 - Nov. 20. A second class will also be offered - TBA.

## **Christianity 101 - Sermon Series** Late August - Sept.

*I'm thrilled to be preaching the basics. Wouldn't you agree that "getting back to the basics" is needed every once in a while?*

***Please prioritize church. Join in these Sundays and build God's Kingdom.***

- August 25.** The Bible is the Word of God — Use His "God-breathed" words to use as the authority in your life.
- Sept. 1.** Jesus is the Son of God — God made Himself known through the Hebrews, etc., but through Jesus most of all!
- Sept. 8.** The Holy Spirit is the Power of God — There is a Holy Guest placed in our hearts when we are born again!
- Sept. 15.** The New Birth is the Plan of God — Titus 3:5, "He saved us... by the washing & rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit."
- Sept. 22.** The Christian is the Child of God — We are named after God's Son. The name Christian shows we belong to Christ.
- Sept. 29.** God's Heart for the Church — The church doesn't exist for us. We are the church—existing for saving the lost world.



## **FINANCIALS/ATTENDANCE FOR AUGUST**

Monthly Need: **\$18,630.00**

Monthly Total Given: **\$13,962.00**

Date	Sunday School Attendance/ Offering	Worship Service Attendance/ Offering	Outreach	Giving
August 4th	49 \$ 15.00	152 \$ 4,217.00	Pavon Christian Ministries (Mission of the Month)	\$1,272.00
August 11th	44 \$ 15.00	123 \$ 3,470.00		
August 18th	32 \$ 7.00	118 \$ 2,944.00		
August 25th	45 \$ 11.00	120 \$ 3,331.00		

**Tuesday, Sept 10th**

**5:30 PM Missions**  
**6:30 PM Elders**  
**7:00 PM Board Meeting**

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

January - 57 February - 35 March - 49  
 April - 44 May - 49 June - 44  
 July - 32 August - 43  
**2019 Average - 44** 2018 Average - 45

#### WORSHIP SERVICE ATTENDANCE

January - 118 February - 128 March - 128  
 April - 147 May - 140 June - 141  
 July - 125 August - 128  
**2019 Average - 132** 2018 Average - 151



#### WCC now offers ONLINE GIVING

Sign up at: [osvonlinegiving.com/4515](http://osvonlinegiving.com/4515)  
 There is a link available on our website: [www.warrenchurchofchrist.org](http://www.warrenchurchofchrist.org).  
 We also have a mobile app!  
 Contact Derek Blair with any questions at 260-273-2940.

**Family Outing To Pine Lake 8-11-19**



John Gasser will be with us on Sept 15th to take part in our Worship service. He will also stay to fellowship with us at our annual picnic.

## **SERVICE PROJECT FOR IDES**

WCC will be teaming up with the Markle Church of Christ to serve one of our local missions. Saturday, Sept 14th from 9 AM to noon, we will be packing meals for those in need with an organization called IDES (International Disaster Emergency Services). We have a limited number of spots left to help with this service project. Please sign up at the Announcement Table or contact Kent Shafer if you would like to help us.

