

Welcome

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SERVICES:

Sunday Morning:
Bible Class 9:30
Worship 10:30

Wednesday Evening:
Bible Study 6:30

I therefore, a prisoner for the Lord, urge you
to walk in a manner worthy of the calling to which
you have been called, with all humility
and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one
another in love

Ephesians 4:1-2



Welcome to our worship service. We are honored that you have joined us, and we hope that your time spent with us is spiritually uplifting. If you are visiting, please fill out a visitor's card located on the back of the pew in front of you and place in the collection basket in the foyer so that we will have a record of your visit. We hope to see you again soon.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

August 16: Fellowship meal following worship service

September 19: Ladies Day here at the building

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES:

August 10: Jerry Connor, Rich & Donann Mason♥

August 11: Sherry Spaite, Ben & Amber Greenawalt♥

August 12: Eric Fleming, Herman & Karen McHan♥

August 14: Marcella Mackall

August 15: Derek Hiscox

UPDATES TO OUR PRAYER LIST

Reburta Everson: Is not doing too well and is in need of prayers. (Paul Everson's mother)

Karen Shuttleworth: Will be having a heart ablation tomorrow (Lynn Shodd's mother)

Sally: Had a fall (Debbie Mamonis sister)

Gwen Clunen: Is in the hospital

Steve Laber: Is in the hospital

Mary Vorkapich: Is now on hospice care

Susan Williams: Had surgery on the 7th

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Hunter's podcasts!



Please remember to silence your cell phones before worship.

Remember in Prayer:

Nancy Affinito (Friend of Kelly Bartels)
Bob Baker
Anna Bailey (Friend of Grant Spaite)
Deb Barker (Wife to an elder at Tri County)
Sandy Brewer
Ron Brewer
Jeff Brink (Friend of Grant Spaite)
Sharon Brown (Cousin to Carol Nelson)
Madison Bowser-Seitzinger
Sandy Buttermore
Celeste Carroll
Gwen Clunen
Jerry Connor
Morgan Croyal (George Mackall's great niece)
Allison Dobro
Jim & Shirley Fersch
Deana Fick
Rubin Gladman's brother
Amy Grissmen
Loretta Hartley
David & Farah Holub (Kandis Mong's brother in law)
Bill Hopkins
Chuck Inickie (Marcy Pancakes brother)
Jerry (Friend of the Bailey's)
Donna Kyler (Gary Bailey's sister)
Steve & Judy Laber
Ron Laufry
Caleb Liance
Tom & Sherry Liance daughter
Willie & Dinie Linthorst
Mark Low (Friend of Dan Schaffer)
Vickie Lucas (Rich Mason's co-worker)
Mary Ellen Macioge
Joe Mamonis
Molly Mardanny
Krew Martino (Sandra Brewer's grandson)
Veronica Marioti (Co-worker of Rich Mason)
Eugene May
Bonnie McDade
Colin McGowen (Friend of Grant Spaite)
Herman McHan
Bob McVehil
Karen Meek
Nick (Bonnie McDade's Grandson)
Bob Milhoan
Gene Miller (Micah Marshall's Grandfather)
Jessica Myers
Carol Nelson
Dale Pancake
Marcy Pancake
Stephanie Perez
Shirley Roberts
Rose-Marie Rodrigues
Kelly Saverko (Saverko's daughter in law)
Matt Shaw (Carol Pierce's brother)
Jan Shears
Mary Shodd
Doug Shodd, Sr.
Hayden Snettzer (Aaron Vorkapich's co worker)
Gage Thompson (Joyce Stewart's nieces' grandson)
Angelica Thorn (Lou Osbourne's granddaughter)
Glen VanAcker
William (Friend of Pacella's)
Ray and Dee Wilt
Carol Yohn
Amanda Young (Lilli's mom)
Our Shut ins:
Joyce Bennett
Dallas & Marilyn Gallagher
Peg McVehil
David Shears
Mary Vorkapich

TODAY'S SERMON:

"Three Calls of The Christian Life"

FAMILY RECORD

Contributions	\$ 2,945.00
Previous 4-week average	\$ 4,454.75
Weekly Budget	\$ 3,828.75

Prayer List

If someone you know on the prayer list is doing better & can be removed, please tell Lilli!

How Would Paul Have Used Social Media? -Doug Burleson

I know that this may be in the running for the weirdest article title ever, but I think it's a question worth asking. For years, I have heard people speculate about how the apostle Paul would have taken advantage of air travel, the internet or even a cell phone, but perhaps it's appropriate to also ask how he, the mission-minded apostle, would have used social media. I would imagine this already has gotten a strong reaction in the minds of some who have avowed to not be on social media or who think such speculations are wasteful, but given how much we know about Paul from Acts and his letters, maybe we can answer this to some extent. Given the length of many of Paul's letters, we know he would have lots to say, though given the limited nature of posting on most platforms, he might have to keep his thoughts a bit briefer than he did in Romans or 1 Corinthians. Yet, beyond that, I think there are some things we can know for sure that Paul would have done if he had been able to use social media. I don't believe Paul would have used social media to promote himself (Romans 12:3). He would have used it to share the Gospel (Romans 1:16). While this would not have been the only means he would have used to share the truth about Jesus, we know Paul learned how to be all things to all people so that he could save some (1 Corinthians 9:19-23). I don't believe Paul would have used social media to hurt other people (2 Corinthians 2:4). He would have used it to stay connected with people for their spiritual benefit (1 Corinthians 8:1; 10:23). I don't believe Paul would have used social media to spread gossip (Romans 1:29). He would have used it to pray for people and to request prayers from fellow Christians (1 Thessalonians 5:15-18). I don't believe Paul would have used social media to compare any political leader to Christ or to Satan (Romans 13:1-7). He would have respected his Roman citizenship while also recognizing his higher citizenship under the Kingship of Christ (Philippians 3:20). I don't believe Paul would have used social media to condone sin (1 Thessalonians 5:22; 2 Timothy 2:19). He would have used it to reprove, rebuke and exhort his brothers and sisters (2 Timothy 4:2). I don't believe Paul would have used social media to cause people to question what Christians really care about (Colossians 4:5; Titus 2:8). He would have used it to encourage people, especially his brothers and sisters (Galatians 6:9-10). Maybe it's silly to speculate about how Paul would have used social media, but it's not silly to evaluate how we are using it. If we are on social media and are not using it in a manner that glorifies God, then let's take down our accounts or remove our affiliations with the Lord's people from our profiles. If we are on social media and are using it to glorify God, then please continue to let your light shine. I believe this is what Paul would do and more importantly what God would have us to do.

Worship service will be live streamed live every Sunday morning at 10:30 on <https://www.facebook.com/Columbianachurchofchrist/> and on the website www.columbianachurchofchrist.org.