

Blue River Church of Christ

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Worship Times

Sunday
Bible Study 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 8:30 &
10:45 a.m.
Wednesday
Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

Elders	Earl Fultz John Owen	Russ Simmons Jan Sullivan
Deacons	Jim Bassford David Blankenship David Foster Darren Herrmann	Jack Hudkins Aaron Palmer Sean Turner Paul Walker
Pulpit Minister	Darin Kennedy dkennedy@bluerivercofc.org	
Family Life Minister	Shane Hall shall@bluerivercofc.org	

Statistics for October 9, 2016 Attendance	102 + 146 = 248
Contribution	\$4,894.92
Weekly Average Contribution Needed to Meet Budget	\$5,554
Average Actual Year to Date Weekly Giving	\$5,901

Downtown Church of Christ Food for Life

They have need for: Ramen noodles, pasta and rice meals, peanut butter, jelly, Kool-Aid, canned or packaged tuna, canned chicken, Vienna sausages, Jell-O, cornbread mix, snack bars, diet drink packets, pork & beans, oatmeal, taco seasoning, gravy mix, spaghetti mix, tomato sauce, canned fruit, small packs of instant potatoes. Please leave all donations in the office.

Prayer Warriors are waiting to hear from you. This group of caring people will pray for you and your request. Go to the BRCC website and leave a message. You may remain anonymous. Don't carry that burden alone. Let the power of prayer work in your life.

October 16, 2016

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Order of Worship

8:30

10:45

	#678 "More About Jesus"	#674 "I Have Decided to Follow Jesus" #694 "Servant Song"
<i>Prayer</i>	Brian Wahlen	
	#536 "Higher Ground Medley" #264 "O Come, Let Us Adore Him"	<i>Scripture</i> Matt Hoggatt 1 Corinthians 10:14-22
<i>Lord's Supper</i>	Dave Blankenship	<i>Prayer</i> Aaron Palmer
<i>The Bread</i> <i>The Cup</i>		"Open the Eyes of My Heart, Lord"
<i>Giving</i>	#83 "God Is So Good"	<i>Lord's Supper</i> Larry Sullivan
<i>Scripture</i>	Jeff Petersen 1 Corinthians 10:14-22	<i>The Bread</i> <i>The Cup</i>
	#596 "In the Desert of Sorrow and Sin"	<i>Giving</i>
<i>Power Kids Dismissed</i>		#533 "I Am a Sheep"
<i>Lesson</i>	Darin Kennedy "Anticipation: Out of Egypt"	<i>Lesson</i> Darin Kennedy "Anticipation: Out of Egypt"
	#83 "God Is So Good"	#903 "There Is Power in the Blood"
<i>Shepherd's Prayer</i>	Earl Fultz	<i>Shepherd's Prayer</i> Russ Simmons
<i>Final Blessing</i>	Deuteronomy 33:29	<i>Final Blessing</i> Deuteronomy 33:29
<i>Songs Led By</i>	Shane Hall	<i>Songs Led By</i> Gary Hasty

Prayer List

Recently **Carol Hendrix's** brother passed away, and **Sherril Segos's** sister-in-law had a farming accident. **Dee Price** (former member) passed away. On Wednesday, **Phil Roberts** was taken by ambulance to St. Luke's on the Plaza. **Beverly Campbell** had unexpected foot surgery, and **Jim Trotter** is in Hospice care. **Ripley Miller** has surgery scheduled for October 17. Continued prayers for **Virginia Fuhr, Marie Nash, Betty Williams, Grover Renick, Gary Campbell, Keith and Jurhee Bench, Donna Kerns, and Liz Church.** If you would like something added or removed, please let the office know by leaving a note on the desk, a phone call or you can send an email to office@bluerivercofc.org.

Fall Classes

Auditorium – **Darin Kennedy** is teaching on “**Faith and Culture.**”

Adult Classroom – **Russ Simmons** is teaching on “**The Humanity of Jesus.**”

Wednesday evenings – **Earl Fultz** is teaching the men's class, and **Denise Fultz** is teaching the women's class. The youth group (7th-12th grade) meets here at the building, the kids K-6th grade have **Trek 812**, and a class is provided for the younger kids. Everyone is invited and encouraged to attend.

Ladies

October 18 (10:00) – **Donna Wealand** is facilitating a time of devotional and prayer. Last week was such a blessing. You don't want to miss out! It will be held weekly in the Fellowship Hall. Childcare will be provided.

Beginner Watercolor Class

Fridays through December 2 (10:00am) – If you are interested, please contact **Nancy Sullivan** at (816) 679-9092 or nancysullivanart@gmail.com.

Men's Retreat

October 21-22 – Heartland Center, 16965 NW Highway, KC, MO 64152. All men are invited to “Get in the Game”! **Men** – this is the weekend you've been anticipating!

Youth Group Lock-In

October 28-29 (6:00pm-11:00am) – Youth 7-12 grades will enjoy a time of “costume” kick ball, games, movie and Bible studies. Please see the sign-up sheets on the bulletin board in the lobby for both the youth to attend and adult volunteers. Please see **Aaron or Aylee Palmer** for additional details.

Transportation Ministry

If you need transportation to church, doctor appointments, grocery shopping, etc., please contact **Roger and Donna Wealand** (816-289-6694 or 816-289-7553). Immediate needs are welcome.

Ministry Opportunity

Our Small Group—Michael May, Larry Sullivan, David Keller and Fred Patek—has been involved with the Lee's Summit School District identifying the various needs of the students there. We found that 20% or 3,500 of them qualify for free or reduced lunches and the Harvesters Backsnack Program that provides for snacks on weekends. A sack or backpack of food is provided on Friday for students who may not be getting enough to eat on the weekends. We are working directly with the School Community Liaisons that represent all the schools in the district. A hungry child cannot be a successfully learning child.

The Lee's Summit School District revealed that they needed our support helping with the following:

1. A Backsnack Program providing food weekly for 10 students at Summit Lakes Middle School
2. Monthly snacks for 940 students in 23 schools—These snacks are made available to the kids by the teachers when the kids have not had enough to get them through the day, especially during times when other kids are allowed to have snacks brought from home.
3. School supplies and fees
4. Hygiene products

We have met with the Elders, Deacons, and Ministers, and they are supporting us in this effort.

We will be communicating with the congregation through the bulletin about how you can help these students through donations or assisting us in packaging and delivering items. Please contact any of us if you want to get involved with this effort.

Thank You

Frank Stewart says “**THANK YOU**” for all of your prayers and concerns as he recovered after his fall!