

Blue River Church of Christ

February 23, 2020



Contact Information 221 NE Woods Chapel Rd Lee's Summit, MO 64064 816-373-7448 office@bluerivercofc.org www.bluerivercofc.org	Worship Times Sunday Bible Study 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.
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Order of Worship

8:30

10:45

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

#718 "We Shall Assemble"
"The Greatest Commands"

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Prayer Gene Clark

Prayer Alan Olas

#396 "There's Not a Friend"
"Days of Elijah"

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Sermon Darin Kennedy
"Romans: This Is Personal"

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Scripture Bruce Sewell
Romans 8:1-4

Scripture David Keller
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"Just as I Am (I Come Broken)"

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Lord's Supper Brian Wahlen

Lord's Supper Roger Cook

The Bread
The Cup

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Giving

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"God Is so Good", "Reign in Me"
"Power in the Blood", "You Are Holy"
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Invitation "All to Jesus, I Surrender"

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Shepherd's Prayer Paul Walker

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Final Praise Colossians 1:13-14

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Statistics for February 16, 2020 Attendance	79 + 170 = 249
Contribution	\$7,524.35
Weekly Average Contribution Needed to Meet Budget	\$7,054
Average Actual Year to Date Weekly Giving	\$7,158

Downtown Church of Christ Food for Life

Items Needed: canned or packaged tuna and chicken, instant pasta meals, ramen noodles, jello, green beans, tomato sauce, onion flakes, relish, instant cocoa, variety pack oatmeal, pork and beans, popcorn, instant rice or bagged, instant potato flakes, snack bars, snack cakes, peanut butter crackers, pancake mix, macaroni and cheese, gallon size zip-lock bags, sandwich bags, decaf coffee, Splenda, toothpaste, creamer. Please leave all labeled donations in the coat area by the church 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.

Prayer List

Tammy Walker – surgery March 6; David Church – **Ben Church's** brother; continued prayers for: **Bob MacMillan, Fred Patek, Andy Hester, Ralph and Eloise Staley, Bonnie Hamby, Joel Morehead, Bruce Keeton, Jurhee Bench, Nic Peerson, Will Kreisel, Donna Kerns, and Dave & Marie Nash.**

LTC Practice Schedule

TODAY!!! Please bring a sack lunch unless otherwise noted.

Sunday Schedule:

12:30-1:30 – Large Chorus

1:30-2:30 – Scrapbook/Puppet Group #1

2:30-3:30 – Puppet Group #2

Wednesday Evening:

5:00-6:00 – Scrapbook

6:00-7:00 – Live Drama

7:00-8:00 – Bible Bowl

New Small Group

Sundays (6:00-7:30 PM) - A new small group has begun at the home of **John and Sherry Owen**, 18605 E. 20th St. Ct., Independence. For details, contact **John** at 816-223-0206 or **Sherry** at 816-809-0082.

Wilshire Nursing Home Service

TODAY (3PM) – Come be a blessing and be blessed!

Homecoming Brunch

March 1 (9:30-10:30 AM) – Please plan to join us as we enjoy one another's company in a fellowship brunch. This event is designed to invite former members to reconnect with us. So, invite all of those family members we miss so much! Some food items will be catered, but we'll also have a sign-up sheet that will be sent out.

Men's Breakfast

Saturday, March 7 (7:30AM) – All men are invited to the monthly men's breakfast. Please see the sign-up sheet in the foyer.

Congregational Bible Bowl

March 29 (5PM) – Get ready for our 2nd annual Congregational Bible Bowl! The children are beginning a study on 2 Samuel. We are inviting the entire church to compete against our children in a Bible Bowl. Make sure you are prepared. You have a little over a month to read through the book of 2 Samuel.

LTC Dress Rehearsal

April 1 (7PM) – Come watch the children as they perform all of their LTC activities!!

A Minister's Musings – *Shane Hall*

For the past couple of months, I've been sending out family Bible studies via Facebook and email. The studies have been written in hopes that the families of Blue River will sit down once a week to study a small portion of God's word together. I call these short devotionals "TIME 4:1" for a couple of reasons. First, with our busy lives it is important for us to become intentional about setting aside a time, as a family, to praise God together. Our homes will be more joyful and vibrant when God is given a place of prominence in our schedules. Second, the title references Proverbs 4:1 which reads, "Listen, my sons, to a father's instruction..." The leadership at Blue River church prayerfully desires for husbands and fathers to take the lead in their homes. We believe that it is very important for men to rise up and become the spiritual leaders God has called them to be.

I know we are very busy, but we can no longer allow time to be a factor when it comes to teaching our families about Jesus at home. As a matter a fact, we should never let anything stand in the way of such vital learning! After all, we only have them in our home for a little while, and, according to James, that "little while" vanishes quickly (James 4:14). The week is busy, but you definitely have TIME 4:1!

If you have already been working through the Time 4:1 studies, I want to hear from you! I would love to have feedback about how these are working for you and your families. You can send me an email, comment on the Facebook post, write me a note, or better yet give me a personal report. How can we strengthen the effort? How can we make it better? Are there other media outlets we should be utilizing in order to send it out? Is it too long? Is it too short? Would more videos be helpful? Let me know! May the Lord Bless the Families of the Blue River Church of Christ!

Today's Morning Nursery Attendants

1st Service

Kelly and Alex Newbury

2nd Service

Stormy Cook