



Marion Road CHURCH of CHRIST

Growing in Faith Together

August 30, 2026

FALLTIME: A TIME TO RECOMMIT! As summer activities wind down and we forge our way into the fall months, it provides us the opportunity to recommit to attending Bible Classes both on Sunday Morning and Wednesday Night! This fall we would like every member and every family to make attending Bible Class a top priority! Paul the apostle wrote, "Faith comes by hearing the message, and the message is heard through the word of Christ." (Romans 10:17). To build a great Bible School, we need every member to encourage other members to be in attendance on both Sunday Morning and Wednesday Nights! On Wednesday night we are having to add more chairs and tables for our Bible Study on Revelation. We still have room for you! In addition, it is our goal to add a class or two for our young people as well. Stay tuned as we work out the details. This fall let's plant God's seed in our hearts that we might share in the harvest of bountiful blessings in eternity!



SYMPATHY. We want to express our deepest sympathy to the **Longwell** and **Dyer families** in the passing of **Max Longwell**, who passed away last Sunday. Max was the grandson of **Janet Longwell**, and nephew of **Ron Longwell** and **Lisa Dyer**.



CALLING ALL TEEN-AGERS! Our first teen activity will be a **Pizza Party** next **Sunday September 6th** immediately after our morning worship service. Pizza will be provided! It will be a great time of fellowship and fun! We are blessed in this church with a good number of teenagers. This will be for **grades 6th through 12th**. Parents, you should be able to pick up your teens around **1:30 PM**. It is our goal to have at least one teen activity a month! Please pray for our young people!

CONGREGATIONAL PANCAKE BREAKFAST has been set for Saturday morning, **September 26 at 9:00 AM!** It will be an awesome time to fellowship together as well as make plans for our future. We want to "report all that God has done," as Paul and Barnabas did when they returned to the church in Antioch after completing their first missionary journey. It is amazing what God has done with the church on Marion Road in less than two years. In addition, we want to dream and develop new plans for future growth. Churches grow both spiritual and numerical as big as they can dream. There is an amazing principle in the Bible: When you act in faith God blesses you! It is as Paul the apostle said, "Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us..." (Ephesians 3:20)

Pancake Breakfast



ANYTIME, ANY PLACE, ANYBODY. The best approach to reaching lost people around us is to be alert every day to every opportunity. Wherever you are, among whom you walk and talk, be open to taking advantage to teach people about Jesus. Invite neighbors to attend services with you. Provide assistance to those moving into the community. From every early morning to late in the day, be soul-conscious and missionary-minded!

"I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me."
- Philippians 4:13

UPCOMING EVENTS

Teen Pizza Party — September 6
Pancake Breakfast — September 26
Marion Teen Retreat — October 8-10
Fall Harvest — October 24

BY THE NUMBERS

WEEK OF AUGUST 23

Sunday Morning Worship — 105
Sunday Morning Bible School — 32
Wednesday Night Bible Study — 26
Contribution — \$1,671.00

THE STORY

REFOCUSING OUR PRIORITIES

Ezra 1:1-5; Haggai 1:1-15

PRIORITIES

_____ priorities.

- Haggai 1:1-4

_____ brought to light.

OF PRIORITIES

_____ stops _____ for us.

- Haggai 1:5-11
- Hebrews 12:5-7

God is not _____ that his _____ is not _____.

- Haggai 1:8

YOUR PRIORITIES

Consider God's _____.

- Haggai 1:8
- Proverbs 14:12
- Isaiah 55:6-7
- Matthew 6:33

God's way _____ works!

- Haggai 1:12-14

How did the people respond?

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

What did God do for them?

- 1.
- 2.



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