

# HOW TO BECOME A MEMBER OF THE LORD'S CHURCH

## NOTES

**Hear the Gospel** (Rom. 10:17) Christ came to earth, lived a perfect life, became sin offering for all mankind so you could have hope of a home in heaven.

**Believe what you have heard** (Heb. 11:6, Mark 16:16)

**Repent of past sins** (Acts 3:19, 17:30)

**Confess Jesus as Lord** (Rom. 10:9-10, Acts 8:37)

**Be immersed for the forgiveness of sins** (Acts 2:38, Acts 22:16, I Peter 3:21)

**THEN, God adds you to the church** (Acts 2:41)

Men to Serve	Today	Next Sunday
<b>10:30 A.M.</b>	<b>Jan. 8, 2012</b>	<b>Jan. 15, 2012</b>
Greeters	Dan & Cheryl	Larry & Laurie
Announcements	Larry Maach	Dan Breitbarth
Song Leader	Butch Glawe	Jeremy Lass
Prayer	Dan Lass	Ethan Bailey
<u>Lord's Supper</u>		
Preside	Adam Glawe	Butch Glawe
Cup	Ethan Bailey	Kyle DeMoss
Offering	Jordan Clark	Gary Lass
Scripture	Micah Westphal	Dan Lass
Sermon	Matt Glawe	Matt Glawe
Prayer	Jeremy Lass	Micah Westphal
Alternate	Gary Lass	Jordan Clark
<b>6:00 P.M.</b>	<b>Tonight</b>	<b>Next Week</b>
Song Leader		
Prayer	Small	KFC
Speaker	Groups	
Prayer		
Lord's Supper		
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Jan. 11</b>	<b>Jan. 18</b>
Song Leader	Butch Glawe	Jeremy Lass
Opening Prayer	Dan Breitbarth	Dan Lass
Closing Prayer	Larry Maach	Adam Glawe

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NO CREED BUT CHRIST, NO LAW BUT LOVE, NO BOOK BUT THE BIBLE

## OGDEN CHURCH OF CHRIST

### TO OUR GUESTS...

WE ARE HAPPY YOU CHOSE TO WORSHIP WITH US TODAY! LIKE YOU, WE ARE PEOPLE FROM ALL WALKS OF LIFE WHO HAVE TAKEN GOD AT HIS WORD THAT JESUS CHRIST IS THE WAY, THE TRUTH AND THE LIFE. WE BELIEVE THAT JESUS DIED FOR OUR SINS AND GOD GIVES US NEW LIFE WHEN WE RESPOND TO HIM IN FAITH AND OBEDIENCE.

### ASSEMBLY TIMES

#### SUNDAY BIBLE CLASS

9:30 A.M.

#### SUNDAY WORSHIP

10:30 A.M.

#### SUNDAY EVENING

6:00 P.M.

#### WEDNESDAY EVENING

7:00 P.M.

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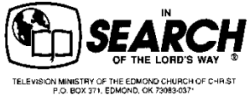
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BAPTISMS 2011

Austin Hammer  
 Cara Hammer  
 Josh Hammer  
 Becky Ellis



Week of January 15, 2012

God's Inspired Word

God enriched our lives by giving us His heart and mind in the Bible, His inspired Word. We can trust the Bible as the sacred and authoritative path to life and godliness, because we can trust the God who inspired it.

Sundays at 7:00 a.m. on KDSM FOX 17

ON THE WEB AT [www.searchtv.org](http://www.searchtv.org)

BIBLE STUDY PROGRAM ON LOCAL CHANNEL 6

Sunday at 6:00 pm; Tues. at 7:00 pm  
 Instructor -T.J. Klith

All past lessons can be viewed on our website

FOR THE RECORD

Week of 1-1-2012

Attendance

Sunday Morning Worship	63
Sunday Evening Service	-
Wednesday Bible Study	28

Giving

Last Week	\$641.00
Total year to date	\$641.00

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Small Groups tonight—Matt & Sarah’s group will meet at the building. KFC next week.
- Please keep Bill & Sue Bogue and family in your prayers. They are friends of Julia Glawe’s family that had a house fire this past week.
- Please keep our pregnant mothers in your prayers.
- Please keep Ryan and Jennifer Lingner in your prayers.
- Please keep Eric Breitbarth in your prayers.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Gospel Meeting with Jimmie Keas Mar. 11-14. The theme will be “Let’s Get Serious!”

WEDNESDAY EVENING CLASS

The Christian Home (SIBI video series)

Christians and the Old Testament

by Kevin Pendergrass

The Bible teaches that Christ fulfilled the Old Testament law (Mt. 5:17-18; Lk. 24:44). When Christ fulfilled the old law, He nailed it to the cross, took it out of the way, and established the New Testament law (Heb. 7:12; 10:9; Eph. 2:14-16; Col. 2:12-14). We are commanded to follow the New Testament law (Rom. 3:19; Jn. 12:48; Gal. 6:2; James 2:12). One might ask, “What purpose then does the Old Testament serve for Christians?” Even though we are not under the Old Testament law system, the Bible teaches us that we can learn from the Old Testament (Rom. 15:4; 1 Cor. 10:11). The Old Testament is filled with information that will help equip the Christian so that he can better understand the will of God under the New Testament system. The following are just a few things that we can learn from having knowledge of the Old Testament: First, it teaches us historical background

and the need for Christ to come to earth (Gal. 3:19-25). Second, it is filled with comfort and encouragement that is beneficial for us today (Rom. 15:4; Heb. 12:1-2). Third, it furnishes us with promises and prophecies that were fulfilled by Christ and the New Testament (Lk. 24:25-27; Jn. 5:46-47). Fourth, it reveals to us the nature of God (Mal. 3:6; Heb. 13:8). Fifth, it teaches us the importance of obedience and the perils of disobedience (Heb. 11:4; 11:7; Gen. 6:22; Heb. 11:8; 11:30; Josh. 6:1-5).

The Scripture teaches us that “ALL scripture is given by inspiration of God” (2 Tim. 3:16-17). However, we are no longer under the Old Testament law system (nor have we ever been, Deut. 5:1-5; Rom. 7:1-5), and we cannot justify a New Testament practice by using Old Testament authority. There are principles established under the Old Testament that are authorized under the New Testament (Mt. 28:18; 1 Thess. 5:21; Eph. 5:10). For example, I, as a Christian, can learn from the story of Noah about the importance of faith, obedience and the longsuffering of our Lord (Gen. 6-9; Heb. 11:7; 1 Pet. 3:18-22; 2 Pet. 2:5; 3:9). However, I am not commanded to build an ark of gopher wood, nor would I be authorized to build an altar and make an animal sacrifice to God (Gen 8:20). The reason: because the ark and the sacrifices were part of a different law system that is not authorized or established in the new law; whereas faith, obedience and patience are clearly authorized and established in the New Testament.

In conclusion, we need to be careful not to dismiss all the wealth the Old Testament has to offer. That being said, we need to be equally carefully that we are “rightly dividing the word of truth” and properly discerning God’s holy word (2 Tim. 2:15; Heb. 5:14; Phil. 1:9).