

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 10:30 A.M.	Today June 22	Next Sunday June 29
Greeters	Dan & Amanda	Kyle and Emily
Announcements	Larry Maach	Gary Lass
Song Leader	Adam Glawe	Jeremy Lass
Prayer	Ethan Bailey	Kyle DeMoss
<u>Lord's Supper</u>		
Preside	Tim Taylor	Butch Glawe
Cup	Jeremy Lass	Larry Maach
Offering	Jordan Clark	Dan Lass
Scripture	Jeremy McBride	Dan Breitbarth
Sermon	Butch Glawe	Adam Glawe
Prayer	Gary Lass	Tim Taylor
Alternate	Dan Breitbarth	Jordan Clark
6:00 P.M.	Tonight	Next Week
Lord's Supper Lesson	Small Groups	Singing
Song Leader		Jeremy Lass
Opening Prayer		Kyle DeMoss
Closing Prayer		Butch Glawe
Wednesday	June 25	July 2
Song Leader	Adam Glawe	Jeremy Lass
Opening Prayer	Ethan Bailey	Adam Glawe
Closing Prayer	Dan Lass	Tim Taylor

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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.





UPCOMING EVENTS

- LADIES BIBLE STUDY THIS TUESDAY, JUNE 24TH AT 7:00 PM AT LAURIE MAACHS HOME.



June 22 2014 - Why Do We Suffer?"

When life comes crashing down, people often respond by asking the question, "Why?" For many troubles of life, there are answers; but some tragedies make no sense. In times like these, we must reach out to God for comfort and strength.

(Channel 9 in Ogden and Boone Mediacom) Sundays at 6:30 a.m. on INSP (Dish 259; Mediacom 93) ON THE WEB AT www.searchtv.org WORSHIP SERVICE BROADCAST ON LOCAL CHANNEL 6 Sunday at 6:00 pm; Tues. at 7:00 pm All past lessons can be heard on our website

For the Record

Week of 06-15-2014

Attendance

Sunday Morning Worship: 39
Sunday Evening Service: 23
Wednesday Bible Study: 36

Offering

Last Week: n/a
Year to Date: \$18,414.63

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Please keep Tammy Taylor in your prayers.
- Please keep Lloyd Winkelman in your prayers.
- Please keep Austin Hammer in your prayers.
- Please keep Joyce Lass in your prayers.
- Please keep Johnston family in your prayers.

Lasting

Keith Wishum reports: There is a lesson to be learned in Hiawatha, Kansas. It is one taught not in school there, but in the local cemetery. Charles Allen describes some unusual grave-stones in Hiawatha. They were erected by a man named Davis, a self-made man who started out as a poor, hired hand on a farm. Through hard work, fierce determination, and extreme frugality, Davis amassed a sizeable fortune.

When his wife died, Davis hired a sculptor to create an elaborate statue of him and his wife seated on a love seat. He liked the piece so much that he then hired the sculptor to create a statue of him kneeling by his wife's grave placing flowers there. Pleased with that, he commissioned another statue of his wife kneeling by his future grave.

Eventually, Davis added several more pieces to the gravesite, spending a quarter of a million dollars on the monuments!

Unfortunately, Davis had little interest in anything else. He ignored his family. He did not cultivate friendships. He had no interest in the community; just his monuments. Davis died at 92, alone and penniless. Of the few who attended his funeral, only one seemed sad to see him go – Horace England, the tombstone salesman.

And now in the little town of Hiawatha, Kansas, the monuments on which Davis spent so much money and energy are disappearing. Slowly, but very surely they sink into the soft Kansas soil. The added ravages of weather and vandalism make it clear that the monuments will soon be gone, just as Davis is gone. Everything Davis worked for will be gone, because everything he worked for was material. The lesson to be learned in Hiawatha, Kansas applies everywhere and in every age. The things of this world that often seem so important to us, so permanent to us, don't last. Even granite monuments will soon be forgotten. Only the unseen realities beyond this

world are worth our attention and energy. ***Jesus said...**, "Do not lay up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy and where thieves break in and steal; but lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust destroys and where thieves do not break in and steal." – Matthew 6:19-21

The Apostle John wrote: "Do not love the world or the things in the world. If anyone loves the world, the love of the Father is not in him. For all that is in the world; the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life; is not of the Father but is of the world. And the world is passing away, and the lust of it; but he who does the will of God abides forever." – 1 John 2:15-17

"So we fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen. For what is seen is TEMPORARY, but what is unseen is ETERNAL," the apostle Paul wrote (2 Corinthians 4:18).

Jesus and His apostles teach us to focus on those things that are eternal. Then Jesus died for us – to pay the price for our sins – so that we might live with him for eternity.

To accept Jesus' offer of salvation and eternal life, we must place our **faith** and trust in Him (Acts 16:30-31), turn from our sin in **repentance** (Acts 17:30-31), **confess** Him before men (Romans 10:9-10), and be **baptized** (immersed) into Christ for the forgiveness of sins (Acts 2:38). Then, as we walk in the light of His word, His blood continues to cleanse us from sin (1 John 1:7).

Invest YOUR life in those things that are truly lasting: Salvation and Eternal Life in Christ!

Won't YOU?

[David A. Sargent](#), Minister



