

Invitation

Welcome everyone. We pray you will be strengthened by your visit with the Brighton Church of Christ. You are not just our guest, but you are welcome and wanted right here. Join our family of imperfect people perfected in by the blood of Jesus. Restrooms are located across the foyer near the front of the auditorium on the upper floor. If you need assistance in any way, ask any member for help.

Mission

The Brighton Church of Christ is a spiritual family with a focus on going to heaven. We are determined to honor God, to strictly follow the teachings of the New Testament, and effectively make that teaching available to the city of Brighton and the surrounding areas.

Leadership

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Attendance last week:

Sunday am - 78
Sunday pm - 20
Wednesday - 23
Contribution-\$2,219.00

Sunday Schedule Morning

Song Leader.....Brett Reitmair
 Opening Prayer.....John Nason
 Lord’s Supper Leader.....Coby Mendoza
 Assistant.....Alan Samuelson
 AssistantMarcos Celaya
 Assistant.....Chris Warner
 Assistant.....Kayden Derbigny
 Scripture Reading.....Kaden Dunham

Psalms 119:121-128

Lesson.....Ron Jensen
 Closing Prayer.....Chris Peterson

Sunday Evening

Song Leader.....Brett Reitmair
 Opening Prayer.....Kevin Dunham
 Lord’s Supper Leader.....Mark Thacker
 Lesson.....Jeff Oaks
 Closing Prayer.....Marc Moran

Wednesday Evening Schedule

Class.....Chris Peterson

Service Times

Sundays:
 Morning classes 9:30 am
 Worship 10:30 am
 Evening worship 6:00 pm
 Wednesdays:
 Evening Bible Study 6:30 pm



August 20, 2023

Back To School

It seems like it was yesterday when you could hear the last school bell ring letting you know that summer had officially begun. You trade in your backpacks full of books for suitcases full of swimsuits and sunglasses. The sun’s been out and the weather has been hot, even if it was for a short while. VBS and summer vacations have come and gone. But we’ve reached the time of year where it starts getting darker earlier, the leaves will start changing colors and the heat will turn into cool, crisp air. And all this can only mean one thing: school is back in session. Many of the young people are already back in classes, while some will start in the coming weeks. Moms and dads may be done with school, but the thought of sending a child off to their first day of middle school, high school, or even college can be very frightening. Schools today are a battleground of sins and temptations. Will they remember everything we’ve taught them about friends, relationships, drinking, etc.?



Message to the kids/teens: This is a new year. A time to start fresh and start over. It's easy to get sucked into all the temptations that can be found on a college or high school campus. Satan is prowling like a lion ready to devour

you (1 Peter 5:8). But remember who you are. Remember that you wear the name of Christ proudly. Paul wrote in 1 Cor. 11:1 to "imitate me, just as I also imitate Christ." Remember that our attitude and our personality should always imitate Christ's attitude. There will be times where it will be hard to do the right thing and you'll find yourselves between a rock and a hard place, but just remember "if God is for us, who can be against us?" (Rom. 8:31). Remember that you have a family of Christians that are here for you whenever you need them. Don't be afraid to admit you need help.

Message to the parents: It's impossible to know everything that goes on while your child is at school. But the best thing you can do is give them a daily reminder of the Lord they serve. Pray with your children each morning before school. Read scriptures with them about temptations and how to overcome them. Write a scripture on a piece of paper or a napkin and put it in their lunch. If their mind is constantly on the Lord, guess who will be on their mind when a problem arises.

Message to the congregation: It is not just the parent's responsibility to raise these children in the "training and admonition of the Lord" (Eph. 6:4). As a flock of God's people we are to look after each other. We are to all set an example in "word, in conduct, in love, in spirit, in faith, in purity" (1 Tim. 4:12). Let us all take the responsibility to make sure that everyone continues to grow spiritually. It takes a village to raise a child. Whether you want to admit it or not, every child in this congregation is your own. Remember what it was like to be young? Do whatever you can to help these students succeed.

~ Kevin

Kevin Harrington
08/11/13 - Sunday Bulletin
East Foothill church of Christ

Announcements

Prayers

Ernest Kite is home recovering from his surgery.

Ann Adams is asking for continued prayers for herself and Bill. Her primary doctor wants her to see a cardiologist. Prayers that all will go well.

Georgiana Savoie, sister of Rickie Bass, (former members of Thornton) will undergo major back surgery. Prayers please for a positive outcome.

Our **Elders** are actively searching for a full time preacher. Pray that the search will be successful.

Prayers for the work in **India**. Pray for the health and strength of the fellow Christian workers who spread the Gospel.

Continued Prayers

Ronn Eudaley-adjusting to the loss of his lover leg

Harold Price, Sherry Derbigny's Dad-health challenges

Eleanor Jatko- health problems & prayers for the family tending to her.

Jane Hanavan-heart issues

Tim Parker- headaches from concussion

Jennifer Sandstede's Aunt JoAnn Berdahl- kidney failure

News and Notes

Social Studies Bible Study

The next study is September 8th. More details to follow.

Baptism

Emma Case was baptized on August 6th. Please take the time to welcome her into the family.



Note from the Manzanases'

Dear Brighton Family,

It's with much thought, discussion, and prayer that Wayne and I have decided to return to worship and place our membership with Highlands Ranch church of Christ. We have been so blessed by worshiping with and being a part of the Brighton family for the past eight years and will always hold our brothers and sisters here dear to our hearts.

We have had close relationships with the families of the Highlands Ranch congregation for over two decades; in fact, Becca moved to Colorado to work with the congregation in its infancy. As much as we have loved our Brighton brothers and sisters, we feel pulled to return to HRcoC to continue our spiritual walk.

It was not an easy decision, but we believe it is the best for us. Please know that our love and prayers will continue to be with the Brighton family. Our last Sunday with this family will be August 27th.

Thank you for all you for the love and prayers you have shared with us over the years! May God bless you all richly!

With love,

Wayne & Becca Manzanases



Thank you very much to those who donated to this last food and supply drive. Even with the late notice we had a fair amount of items for them to pick up.

