

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 - 92
Sunday pm - 29
Wednesday - 16
Contribution-\$8,843.00

Sunday Schedule Morning

Song Leader.....Ron Jensen
Opening Prayer.....Ivan Stewart
Lord’s Supper Leader.....Marc Moran
Assistant.....Marcos Celaya
AssistantKayden Derbigny
Assistant..... Chris Jatko
Assistant.....Kaden Dunham
Scripture Reading.....John Nason

Psalms 119:9-16

Lesson.....Steven Jaeger
Closing Prayer.....Chris Welsby

Sunday Evening

Song Leader.....Ron Jensen
Opening Prayer.....James Slagle
Lord’s Supper Leader.....Marc Moran
Lesson.....Jeff Oaks
Closing Prayer.....Kevin Dunham

Wednesday Evening Schedule

Class.....Brett Reitmair

Service Times

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



May 14, 2023

A Mother’s Hug

A child sits at his window
Watching storm clouds in the sky
Knowing that he’s frightened
Not really knowing why

Maybe it’s the thunder
Could be it’s the rain
Maybe it’s the lightning
Mirrored on the window pane

But it really doesn’t matter
What fears the day may bring
If you’re safe and snug in a mother’s hug
You can face most anything

So soon the smiles of childhood
Turn Into teenage frowns
It seems so much of growing up
Consists of falling down
And through those painful middle years
I soon would come to know
The kind of pain that hurts the most
Is the kind that doesn't show
Now children do get older
But a child they still remain
Childish fears of darkness
Give way to worldly pain
Maybe it's the sadness
When you lose someone you know
Maybe it's the grief that comes
From reaping what you sow
But it really doesn't matter
What fears the day may bring
When you're safe and snug in a mother's hug
You can face most anything
Now I still look out those windows
At storm clouds in the sky
At hopes and fears and joys and tears
Of many years gone by
And I thank God for the blessing
Of allowing me to be
The one who gives the comfort
When my children come to me
Cause it really doesn't matter
What fears the day may bring
When you're safe and snug in a mother's hug
You can face most anything.

—Susan Brewer

Announcements

Prayers

Diana Oaks' friend's daughter, Danielle, is very young, yet going through long-term illness. She almost lost her life on several occasions. Prayers for her situation are appreciated.

Please be praying for **Chris Welsby**, as his myopathy is flaring up, causing a great deal of leg pain.

Ronn Eudaley Pray that his blood clots will dissolve and he can be back to normal.

Jennifer Sandstede's Aunt JoAnn Berdahl's kidney is failing and the future is unclear. Prayers for her and her family are requested.

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

Harold Price, Sherry Derbigny's Dad-health challenges

Eleanor Jatko— health problems

Jane Hanavan-heart issues

Chris Jatko's Uncle Ralph Holso-chemo treatment

Tim Parker— headaches from concussion

News and Notes

Senior Graduate Celebration

The congregation is planning to celebrate Mackenzy and Kayden Sunday, June 4th following morning service. Food details are still being worked out but please mark your calendars to join in on this celebration.



Summerfest

We will be manning a booth again this year at the annual Brighton, Summerfest event. This is a perfect time to promote Vacation Bible School and share information about our congregation. Mark Thacker is organizing this event and if you can come to help out in the booth it would be most appreciated. Stay for a few hours or how ever long you can. Mark always brings drinks and snacks and Nao-mi will bring lunch for whoever is there manning the booth.

Saturday, June 3, 2023 from 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Carmichael Park (650 E. Southern Street) behind City Hall

Deacon

Several weeks ago, the Elders announced they're considering Paul Nikolai as a deacon. Although Paul had intended to take on that role, upon further reflection, he has decided to withdraw from consideration. At the present time, he won't be able to devote the time he believes is necessary to achieve the desired level of success. However, we're grateful that he has also stated his commitment to still continue to actively participate in the work here. We appreciate his candid evaluation of the situation and certainly respect his decision.

