

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

Elders

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Attendance last week:

Sunday am -58
Sunday pm - 30
Wednesday - 27
Contribution-\$2,581.00

Sunday Schedule Morning

Song Leader.....Brett Reitmair
 Opening Prayer.....John Nason
 Lord’s Supper Leader.....Mark Thacker
 Assistant.....Nolan Peterson
 AssistantChris Peterson
 Assistant.....
 Assistant.....Andrew Henry
 Scripture Reading.....Michael Jatko

Luke 12:13-21

Lesson.....Cory Pierce
 Closing Prayer.....Kaden Dunham

Sunday Evening

Song Leader.....Brett Reitmair
 Opening Prayer.....
 Lord’s Supper Leader.....Mark Thacker
 Lesson.....Cory Pierce
 Closing Prayer.....

Wednesday Evening Schedule

Class.....Cory Pierce

Service Times

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



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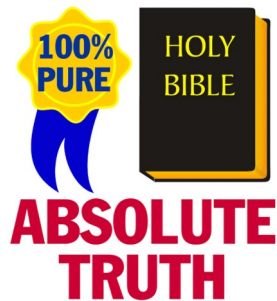
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DIFFERING PATHS

Often, when traveling through the Appalachians, I have noted the markers indicating the Eastern Continental Divide. This line denotes the watershed between streams that feed into the Atlantic Ocean and those that feed into the Gulf of Mexico. Two drops of rain, falling only inches apart on the ground, will end up separated by hundreds of miles before they reach the end of their journeys.

As we consider the choices we make day by day, we should recall the words of our Lord, “He that is faithful in that which is least is faithful also in much: and he that is unjust in the least is unjust also in much” (Luke 16:10). The small things in our lives can well lead to big changes, either for good or for evil. This principle extends to congregations, as well.

Frequently, an emphasis on doctrinal exactness is greeted with a roll of the eyes. Why should we, after all, be concerned over small departures here and there? Isn’t it just nit picking to question everything that doesn’t measure up to the truths we understand from Scripture?



We should be concerned about apostasy, even in the smallest measure, because it is a step down a path which will end in destruction. Every heresy that has divided the church began with a small departure from the truth, which lead to greater and greater departures over time.

Our fellowship must stand firm on the inerrancy of Scripture —the total truth and authority of God’s word. We must stand firm in attempting to understand and follow the pattern of faith and practice outlined in the Bible. Most centrally, we must stand firm in teaching the exclusive truth of God’s way of salvation through Jesus Christ. Even the slightest deviation in our commitment to these basic truths will plunge the church quickly into all manner of false teaching.

When Christian teachers and preachers depart from a complete confidence in Scripture, they stand in danger of losing their faith altogether. When congregations begin introducing unauthorized elements into the worship and work of the church, there is no end to the changes which will occur. When the church begins fellowshiping outsiders as if they were members of the Lord’s church, soon the very heart of the Gospel is laid aside.

Constant vigilance is needed to keep the Lord’s church true to the Lord’s way.

Gregory Alan Tidwel
The Church of Christ at Leoni

Announcements

Prayers



Jeff Oaks’ mother, **Helena Oaks**, is less and less active, sleeping most of the day, and in moderate pain. Your thoughts and prayers are encouraging. Hope to be back with my family soon.

Harold Price, Sherry Derbigny’s dad, is in the hospital with flu and pneumonia. Prayers for his comfort and well being.

Randall Jatko, family of Chris Jatko, needs a liver transplant. Asking for prayers.

Pray for the work in **India** that it can continue to train people to spread the Good News.

Continued Prayers

Adams’-health challenges

Jane Hanavan-heart issues

Tim Parker– headaches from concussion

News and Notes

Sunday Potluck

Sunday, October 6th, right after morning service.



Female Teacher Workshop

For all current teachers and those interested in teaching or being a teachers aide. **October 5th at 1:00 p.m.**

Meet in the elementary classroom resource room.

Curriculum and resources will be discussed and we will work on organizing the resource area.

Inglenook Bible Study



A Bible study at 6:30 pm, on Mondays at the Inglenook Senior Living facility have begun. All are welcome to come and support this effort, but we are looking for men who are willing to lead prayers and devotionals.

Scrooge! The Musical - Nov. 21st 6PM- Candlelight Dinner Theatre

We have enough interest to get the group rates. Ticket rates are as follows and include dinner, show, fees and gratuity.

Adult: \$76.55 Youth (13-18): \$59.00

Child (12 and under): \$50.00

Final count and payment is due October 20th to Kristi Dunham. Please add your name to the list on the bulletin board by Oct. 1st if you plan to go.

Teachers Needed for Youth Bible Classes

Male and female teachers are needed to teach youth Bible classes.

Curriculum and resources are provided.

This is a great opportunity to serve the congregation and impact our youth!

Please let one of the elders know if you are interested.

Ernest Kite

Due to personal reasons Ernest Kite is attending another congregation.

Sunday Night Service

Let’s sit like a cozy family on Sunday nights, in the center sections.



Birthdays and Anniversaries

September 23

Jane Hanavan

Birthday