

## CALENDAR

**October 8-** Church Potluck in Fellowship Hall after Worship Service

**October 21** - Men's Breakfast in Fellowship Hall @ 8am

## SERVICES

***Class on Sundays @ 9:30 a.m.***

Adult Class: **Dan Hirschfeld** - Auditorium/Sanctuary  
Women's Class: **Beth Crawford**- Fellowship Hall  
High School Class: **James Tidei** - Class Room #5  
K-6th Grade: **Mary Munsell** - Class Room #1  
Pre-K Class: **Linda Seals** - Class Room #2  
Infant Class: **Sarabeth Tidei** - Class Room #7

***Worship Service on Sunday at 10:30am***

***Class on Wednesdays @ 7 p.m.***

Adult Class: **Calvin Arnold** - Fellowship Hall  
High School Class: **Teacher needed**- Room #5  
Kids Class: **Linda Seals/Mary Munsell** - Room #2



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October 2023

## WELCOME!

Thank you for joining us today.

### Serving Today

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Jerry Munsell*

#### SONG LEADER

*Skippy Norman*

#### 1st PRAYER

*Jake Munsell*

#### 2nd PRAYER

*David Hogins*

#### LORD'S SUPPER

*James Tidei*

#### READING

*Riley Jones*

#### CLOSING PRAYER

*Scott Helgeson*

### Today's Preacher

***Calvin Arnold***



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### Today's Reading

#### Philippians 2:3-7

**3.** Do nothing from selfishness or empty conceit, but with humility of mind regard one another as more important than yourselves; **4.** do not *merely* look out for your own personal interests but also for the interests of others. **5.** Have this attitude in yourselves which was also in Christ Jesus, **6.** who, although He existed in the form of God, did not regard equality with God a thing to be grasped, **7.** but emptied Himself, taking the form of a bond-servant, and being made in the likeness of men.

## CHURCH FAMILY

**Mt. States Children's pick up-** The coin cans and supply donations are due to be picked up on October 15th. All donations are greatly appreciated!

**Equip Conferences-** March 11-12 2024, being held at York University. For additional information please visit this site [www.york.edu/equip.php](http://www.york.edu/equip.php)

**Youth Rally-** October 21st at NYC

**Lectureship-** Salina Church of Christ, October 21st. Please RSVP so they may have a count for the meal.

[office@salinachurchofchrist.com](mailto:office@salinachurchofchrist.com) or call 785-827-2957

## PRAYER LIST

**Gary Whaley-** Has little improvements each day. Is very weak, and it will be day by day for a very long time.

**Laurie Helgeson-** Brain cancer has returned. Surgery is scheduled for Tuesday. Prayers for Laurie, and Family.

**Dru Jensen-** Surgery went very well, will have a few rough days ahead. Prayers for healing, and good rest.

**John Foster-** Has improved, still needing prayers for strength, and stability.

**Angela Wiles-** Visited a physician, and was told her kidneys are working at 35%. Has been put on a low sodium diet, and needs to drink lots of water. Many prayers needed.

**Roberta Wiles-** Prayers, cards, and encouraging words are appreciated. She is presently still at CHI in room 3205.

### Card Corner

Elaine Harms	Brenda Kinsman
Orlin Wentz	Laurie Helgeson
Sonny Sidlo	Bob Shearer
Jeannie Seals	Gary Whaley
Richard and Diana Danielson	

*Stamped & addressed cards for those listed here and on our prayer list are available in the south corner of the foyer.*

### ANY NEWS OR UPDATES?

Please send items for the bulletin to:  
[info@kearneychurchofchrist.org](mailto:info@kearneychurchofchrist.org)

## DEVOTIONAL

### Fix your eyes on God

It is easy to see why Moses became frustrated with the Hebrew people. They were so hard-hearted and weak in their faith that Moses lost his patience and became angry with them. Yet every time Moses shifted his focus away from God, it cost him. When he sought to help his people by taking matters into his own hands, he spent the next forty years herding sheep in the wilderness (Exod. 2:11-15). This time his impetuous behavior cost him the opportunity to enter the Promised Land (Num. 20:12). In his frustration at the people's irreverence, Moses committed the very same sin, blatantly disobeying God's instructions. How did this happen? Moses allowed his attention to shift to the behavior of others rather than focusing on the activity of God.

This could happen to us as well. God has put people around us who need our ministry to them. We will never be able to properly help them, however, unless our primary focus is on God. If we concentrate on people, their weakness, their disobedience, their lack of faith, and their stubbornness will quickly frustrate us. We may, like Moses, commit the very sins we are condemning. If, however our eyes are fixed on Holy God, we become more like Him - gracious, forgiving, long-suffering, and righteous. When a friend's behavior disappoints us, go immediately to the Lord. Seek to discern what God is wanting to do in our friend's life rather than concentrating on our friend's sin. Then we will have the strength, wisdom and patience we need to help our friend in the way God desires.

*Moses and Aaron summoned the assembly in front of the rock, and Moses said to them, "Listen, you rebels! Must we bring water out of this rock for you?"*

**Numbers 20:10**

*-Henry & Richard Blackaby*

### Serving 10/11

SONG LEADER  
**Andrew Hartman**

1st PRAYER  
**David Hogins**

READING  
**Bobbie Seals**

### Serving 10/15

PREACHER  
**Calvin Arnold**  
ANNOUNCEMENTS  
**Jerry Munsell**  
SONG LEADER

**Doug Houtz**  
1st PRAYER

**Ben Hirschfeld**  
2nd PRAYER

**Joseph Marrow**  
LORD'S SUPPER

**James Tidei**  
READING

**Mark Schierling**  
CLOSING PRAYER  
**Gary Merritt**