

Shore Lines of the Northfield church of Christ

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Sunday Morning Bible Study @ 9:30AM

*This week we are beginning a study from a book...
"Forgotten God ...Reversing our tragic neglect of the holy spirit".*

Sunday Morning Worship Service @ 10:30AM

Men meet @ 10:20AM before services!

Sunday Spanish Speaking Services @ 1:30PM.

Sunday Evening... Youtube @ 6:00PM

Monday Dinner & Bible Study @ the Seim's

Wednesday Bible Study... ZOOM @ 6:30PM

Workbook Lesson 6... Hebrews 4:12-16.

(Get an invite from northfieldchurchofchrist@gmail.com)

LINKS FOR ARTICLES/STREAMING

Christian Courier Articles

Church of Christ Articles Blog

Bible Talk TV

In Search of the Lord's Way TV Ministry

The Magnolia Messenger

Gospel Broadcasting Network

Answering The Error

Video... The Truth about drinking

Video... Should Christians use gender preferred Pronouns

FROM THE BACK PEW!

*How Are You Going To Win... If You Are Not Right Within!
Without Spiritual Growth... Numerical Growth Won't Happen!*

You can lead a horse to water, but you can't make him drink.

You can show a person the truth, but you can't make them accept it.

You are not responsible for how others respond to the truth; you are only responsible for only staying faithful to it and spreading the word as GOD told us to do (**Revelation 2:10, Matthew 28:19-20**).

Keep planting the seeds (**1 Corinthians 3:6**).

Keep shining your light (**Matthew 5:16**).

Keep speaking truth in love (**Ephesians 4:15**).

Some may not receive it today but that doesn't mean that you are to give up if they don't listen to you and you think that your voice and words don't matter (**Matthew 10:14, John 12:48, 2 Timothy 4:3**).

Let your peace come from knowing you did what you were commanded to do and you did it with grace. (**Mark 16:15**).

Revelation 2:10 (NASB)

Do not fear what you are about to suffer. Behold, the devil is about to cast some of you into prison, so that you will be tested, and you will have tribulation for ten days. Be faithful until death, and I will give you the crown of life.



Are YOU a Tychicus?

July 12, 2026 Article [David Sproule](#)
[2026 Bulletin Articles](#), [Bulletin Articles](#)

One of the things that makes Bible study so enjoyable is reading about faithful brothers or sisters in Christ for whom there is very little information given. Why is that enjoyable?

First, it rejoices the heart that God saw fit to introduce them to us, even if they were not *“a big name in the church”* (from our perspective).

Second, it refreshes the soul to try to relate to them today, knowing that even if there is not much known about me, I can still be useful to the Lord. Third, it revives a longing to be in heaven to meet these brethren and to learn of their devoted service to the Lord.

One such brother in Christ was Tychicus. His name is found five times in the New Testament. He is first found in a list of some of Paul’s travel companions on his third missionary journey ([Acts 20:4](#)). Paul told the church in Ephesus that he was sending Tychicus to them from Rome, so that they would know how Paul was doing ([Eph. 6:21](#)). Paul told Titus that he may send Tychicus to relieve him in Crete ([Tit. 3:12](#)), and near the end of Paul’s life, he sent Tychicus to Ephesus ([2 Tim. 4:12](#)).

The verse that tells us the most about Tychicus is a single verse in Colossians, where we learn three things about him. However, the three things we learn are the kind of Christian character for which we must strive today, nearly 2,000 years later. Think about each description from [Colossians 4:7](#).

Tychicus was *“a beloved brother.”*

First, he was a brother in Christ. Paul was a Jew, and Tychicus was a Gentile. But, in Christ, those distinctions made no difference ([Rom. 1:16](#); [Gal. 3:28](#)).

Second, he was beloved—a word that means *“one who is dearly loved, prized, valued.”* Do you have any beloved brothers? Have you told them such? Are you a beloved brother to any brethren in Christ?

Tychicus was a *“faithful minister.”*

First, he was a *“minister,”* which is from the Greek diakonos—a word that emphasizes *“one who renders service to another; a servant.”*

Second, he was faithful, which not only shows that he was trustworthy and dependable, but he was dutiful and devoted in those efforts. Do you know any faithful servants in the church? Are you a faithful servant in the church?

Tychicus was a *“fellow servant in the Lord.”*

First, the word *“servant”* is from the Greek for *“slave,”* which denoted one who gave himself up to the will of another.

Second, he did not do this on his own, but *“fellow”* emphasizes a unity and fellowship of many slaves.

Third, note carefully that his service was focused *“in the Lord.”* Do you know any fellow servants in the Lord? Are you a fellow servant in the Lord?

Are YOU a Tychicus?

What a great example for us!

SERVING TODAY

Bible Class: Bro. Russell Weems
Streaming/Audio: Bro. Mike Walsh
Song Leader: Bro. Lee Christensen

WORSHIP ORDER

Call to Worship (Himno)

Announcements... Bro. Mike Walsh

Opening Prayer (Oracion)... Bro. William White

Hymn (Himno)

Lord's Supper (Santa Cena)... Bro. Ron Clevenger

Hymn (Himno)

Reading- Micah 6:6-8 (Bro. Al Morel)

Sermon- *What Does God Require Of You?* (Mark Seim)

Invitational Hymn (Himno)

Closing Hymn (Himno)

Closing Prayer (Oracion)... Bro. Bill Wills

CONGREGATIONAL NOTES

- The Sunday AM Adult class is beginning a study from the book... **"FORGOTTEN GOD ...Reversing Our Tragic Neglect Of The Holy Spirit"**.
- We had a 13 in attendance at our last Wednesday Night for our Service and Bible Class at the building.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- All South Jersey Churches of Christ Picnic @** Parvin State Park, **THIS SATURDAY AUGUST 8TH**, details to follow.
- Ladies Luncheon on Saturday, October 17th @** 11:30 am. Location yet to be determined. There is a sign up sheet on the bulletin board for an accurate count on those attending. Thank you!

A.C. COMMUNITY OUTREACH... August 22nd

Proverbs 22:9

Javier & Miranda Perez (609)553-3990... Bill Wills: (609)547-9408

Items Needed.

Men items: *Gently used/new Men's tops and bottoms (No Dress Pants). Men's boxers/briefs (L/XL)*

Women items: *Individually wrapped female products.*

Toiletries: *Tooth brushes, toothpaste, mouth wash...*

Food items: *Tuna packs & snacks individually wrapped.*

FOOD NEEDED FOR THE PANTRY!

1 Timothy 5:8; 2 Corinthians 9:7

*** **Peanut Butter** ***

Oatmeal (Regular or Instant), Box Cereals, Grits (Regular or Instant), Tuna Fish (In the packets), Beans/Peas (Dry good bags), Mash Potatoes (Box/packets), Corn Meal, Flour, Cooking oil, Pasta, Sauce, Sardines, Peanut Butter & Jelly, Mac & Cheese, Soups, Canned fruits.

PRAYER REQUEST

[If you want someone added to the bulletin prayer list please fill out a prayer request card and put in the one of collection plates. They will be collected after services.]

- Deb R. R... health issues.
- Debbie Shurig... health issues.
- Melida... health issues.
- Teri Clevenger... chronic back pain.
- Natalie Weems... health issues.
- Tim Height... health issues.
- Elsie Thompson... health issues.

Friends & Relatives

- Miriam's brother *Eddie* and Aunt's husband *Tommy* dealing with health issues.
- Javiers nephew *A.J.* needing prayers for spiritual support.
- Anna's 6 yr. old nephew undergoing hernia surgery, also her cousin passed away last week.
- *Nancy DeSalvo*, Terri's sister who has some serious health issues.
- *Michelle* (Ruth's daughter) will be undergoing a needed heart procedure. *Gary Smalls*, (Ruth's Son-in-law) health issues.
- Keep *Ami's friend* who has breast cancer in your prayers.
- *Mike Walsh's mom* is recovering @ home.
- *Allen Crabb* (Shurig's friend) dealing with heart issues.
- *Dalene White's brother* health issues.
- Debi R-R's sister *Isabel* and her son *Tory* dealing with major health issues.
- From the Weems; *Carolynne Searle*- Stroke & loss of vision in one eye, *Anthony Castagna*- personal issues, *Paul Huber* (stepdad) health issues, *Gina Palmer*- lung cancer.
- Linda's cousin *Eddie* needs prayers, her brother *Don* is recovering from surgery, *Rob Mar* (Linda's Meredith's cousin), *Barbara Keenan* (Linda's sister) *Ryan Keenan* (Linda's nephew) for spiritual strength & health, *Jack Keenan* (Linda's B.I.L.) suffering from cancer.

God's Plan for Saving Man

Divine Love: John 3:16

God's Grace: Ephesians 2:8

Christ's Blood: Romans 5:9

Holy Spirit's Word: 1 Corinthians 2:12-13

Sinner's Faith: Acts 16:31

Sinner's Repentance: Luke 13:3

Sinner's Confession: Romans 10:10

Sinner's Baptism (Immersion): Acts 22:16

Christian's Love: Matthew 22:37

Christian's Work: James 2:24

Christian's Hope: Romans 8:24

Christian's Endurance: Revelation 2:10

"BE A BARNABAS"

Zach Shurig continues training after boot camp and is thankful for the letters sent to him and his friends in his platoon. They do appreciate the letters which are an encouragement.

SPC Shurig, Zachary Roster 416 1-50TH IN BN C CO 4th Platoon 9825 2ND ARMORED DIV RD BLD 3575 Fort Benning, GA 31905	PVT Rogers, Saul Roster 406 1-50TH IN BN C CO 4th Platoon 9825 2ND ARMORED DIV RD BLD 3575 Fort Benning, GA 31905	PVT Sickler, Gary Roster 417 1-50TH IN BN C CO 4th Platoon 9825 2ND ARMORED DIV RD BLD 3575 Fort Benning, GA 31905
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Avoiding Religious Confusion

■ Sabbath Keeping

Acts 20:7 • 1 Cor. 16:1,2

■ Claims of Tongues & Miracles

*Acts 2:1-8 Acts 8:18,19
1 Cor. 13:8-10*

■ Conscience a Safe Guide

Acts 23:1 • Acts 24:16

■ Believe Only

Matt. 9:1 • Mark 16:16 • James 2:24

■ 1000 Year Reign of Christ on Earth

Mark 9:1 • John 18:36 • 1 Thess. 4:18

■ Sincerity is all that's necessary

Acts 26:4,5 • Acts 26:9-11

■ Once Saved – Always Saved

1 Cor. 10:12 • 1 Tim. 4:1 • Jude 5

■ Many Churches

*Matt. 16:18 • Eph. 4:4 Eph. 1:22,23
Col. 1:18*

■ No Strict Standard

Gal. 1:8,9 • John 12:12:48

■ Worship as Please

Matt. 15:8,9

■ No Pattern

Heb. 8:5 • 2 Tim. 3:16,17 • 2 John 9

2 Peter 2:1-3

But there were also **false prophets** among the people, even as there will be **false teachers** among you, who will secretly bring in **destructive heresies**, even **denying the Lord** who bought them, and bring on themselves swift destruction. And many will follow their **destructive ways**, because of whom the **way of truth will be blasphemed**. By covetousness they will exploit you with **deceptive words**; for a long time their judgment has not been idle, and their **destruction** does not

SEARCH THE SCRIPTURE

John 5:39

SPEAK AS THE ORACLES OF GOD

1 Peter 4:11

PROVE ALL THINGS

1 Thess. 5:21

STUDY

2 Tim. 2:15 • 2 Tim. 3:14-17

August 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
26 9:30 AM Sunday AM Bible Class 10:30 AM Sunday AM Worship 1:30 PM Spanish Speaking Services	27 6:30 PM Monday Night Study at the Seims	28	29 6:30 PM Bible Study @ the building	30	31	1
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PICNIC

AT PARVIN STATE PARK

701 Almond Road, Pittsgrove, NJ 08318

SATURDAY, AUGUST 8, 2026 AT NOON



Churches Invited:

Northfield (Hosting), Pitman,
Collingswood, Camden, Cape
May Court House, Millville,
Tabernacle, and Tom's River
Churches of Christ

Burgers, hot dogs, paper products, plastic ware, and ice will be provided. **Please bring enough buns for your family.**

WHAT SHOULD YOU BRING IN ADDITION TO BUNS?

Pick 2 or 3 items from the list below:

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| 1. Potato Salad / Pasta Salad | 5. Vegetable Tray with Dip |
| 2. Baked Beans | 6. Surprise Us |
| 3. Lettuce, Tomato Slices, and Onions Slices | 7. Desserts |
| 4. Chips / Fritos / Doritos | 8. Regular Drinks |
| | 9. Diet Drinks |

WHAT ELSE MIGHT BE APPROPRIATE TO BRING?

Blanket or lawn chair to sit on, big umbrella, tablecloth, board or card games, basketball, soccer ball, wiffle ball and bat, etc.

Note: Swimming at Parvin Lake is closed for the 2026 season.