

## February Events:

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## Today's Announcements:

- Our Seasonal Adult Bible Class is Thursday mornings at 11:00 a.m. here at the building, (weather permitting) and continues through the winter months. We are studying the book of Ruth.
- February 21st is the new date for the Ladies' work day here at the building to clean up the resource room, and any of the classrooms. Bring your ideas and organizing skills to improve this room and to organize our resources. Anyone interested, we will be meeting at Winnie's for breakfast at 9:00 a.m. before meeting at the building around 10:00 a.m.



## Note of Interest:

- *Mike Wolfe's mother passed away this past week. Her service was this past Friday. If anyone would like to send a card to Mike, Melody & their family, their address is: 1051 Main Street, Lumberport, WV 26386.*

Elders: Raymond Anderson, Don Riffle, & Wayne Hartman

Deacons: Robbie Buffington, Adam Epler, & Rodney Sleeth

Minister: Mark Jones

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## Times of Service

### Sunday:

Bible Study 9:30 am

Worship 10:30 am

Evening Worship 6pm



### Wednesday:

Bible Study 7 pm

# Bridgeport Church of Christ

February 1, 2026

## Lessons from a Snowflake

During the huge winter storm that swept across the nation, one weatherman showed an up-close picture of snowflakes, and that reminded me of the amazing beauty of God's creative power. There are many lessons we can learn from the humble snowflake.

**Snowflakes show God's amazing design.** If you look at a snowflake under magnification, you will see they all have six points or sides, but take on an endless variety of shapes, styles, and sizes. What seems simple to the casual observer is actually an individual work of art by the hand of God. *"The heavens declare the glory of God; And the firmament shows His handiwork"* (Psalm 19:1).

**Each snowflake is unique.** Millions of snowflakes fall on this earth, and each one is different! Many may look similar, but they each have unique qualities that make them special. People are like that too. *"I will praise You, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made; Marvelous are Your works, And that my soul knows very well"* (Psalm 139:14). The unique qualities you have can all be used for God's glory.

**The closer you get, the more beautiful they become.** Looking at a snowflake from far away, you may not see any design, beauty, or strength to it. But when you get closer, you can see that is not the case! This is how it is with people, as well. The church needs to recognize we are all important and beautiful because we are God's handiwork (1 Cor. 12:12-20)! Draw closer to your brothers and sisters, and you will recognize the value of each.

**Snowflakes have greater strength together.** One snowflake by itself is not very strong. But put a whole bunch of snowflakes together, and you can make a snowball, a fort, or a snowman. A lot of snow together can stop traffic,

shut down electrical grids, and bring daily routines to a grinding halt. This quality of snowflakes reminds us that as Christians, we are stronger together. When the church sets its efforts on a common goal, and works together, we can accomplish great things for the kingdom of God (Acts 9:26-31).

**Snowflakes are short lived.** From the time it is formed to the time it falls to the ground, then melts and evaporates, is a very short time. Our lives are fleeting as well (James 4:14). That's why we should make the most of the time we are allowed.

So let the humble snowflake point you to God and His amazing creation!

*Matt Clifton, Judsonia church of Christ, Judsonia, AR*

## **Four Things To Pray About Before Going To Sleep:** (author is unknown)

1. Heavenly Father, thank You for today; for the joys of life, the lessons, and the blessings You have given me.
2. Father, watch over my family & my home. Let Your presence be our shield.
3. God, help me make the right choices. Show me what to do next.
4. Father, quiet my heart, ease my burdens, and fill me with hope for tomorrow.

**Card Distributor:** Megan Jones

**Greeter:** Natalie & Caroline Seyler

**Baptismal Garments:** Megan Jones

**Bible Class Locations:**

Adults—Main Auditorium

Young Adults (20s-30s)—Mark's Office

Children & Teens—Downstairs

Cradle Roll—Downstairs

## **Upcoming Events/Dates to Remember**

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**March 1st:** Singing Emphasis & Dessert Fellowship.

**March 7th:** Fishinger Road Ladies' Day.

**March 29th:** Prayer devotion; Fifth Sunday of the month.

**April 26th:** Pleasant Acres Worship Service.

**May 17th:** Friends & Family Day.

**June 28th:** Pleasant Acres Worship Service.

**June 28th-July 3rd:** WVCYC Senior Week.

**July 5th-10th:** WVCYC Intermediate Week.

## **Our Record:**

Sunday Morning

Assembly:

Sunday Bible Class:

Sunday Evening:

Wednesday Bible Study:

Thursday Morning Bible Study:

Contribution:

## **February/Anniversary List:**

2-Ed Loy & Alana Harper, 4-Carson Currey & Kathy Cross; 5-Larry Seyler, 6-Jim Seese, 7-Howard Collins Jr., 9-Syndie Buffington, 13-Caitlin Kolar, 14-Allan Craig, 16-Rachael Seyler, 23-Michael Black, 27-Allen Wilmoth, & 28-Steve Cross



## **Prayer Requests:**

### **Our Congregation:**

### **Shut-in Members: Ken Fortney and Becky Britton.**

- **Don & Kristina Riffle.**
- **Ed & Sharon Loy.**
- **Allen & RuthEllen Wilmoth:** Upcoming shoulder surgery for RuthEllen.
- **Tom & Nina Tucker.**
- **Debbie Mowbray:** Recovering from knee surgery.
- **Terry Southall:** Will have knee replacement surgery beginning on February 17th; both knees within 4-6 weeks time frame.
- **Joyce Wright.**
- **Evelyn Griffin.**
- **Gary Pastorial.**
- **Kathy Cross.**
- **Jerry Maxwell.**
- **Charles Riley.**
- **Allan & Erica Craig.**
- **Lois Jenkins.**
- **Michaela Hutcheson:** Mission work.

### **For Our Family & Friends:**

- **Brandie Gardner's mother, Charlotte Pearson:** Has been placed on hospice care.
- **Rodney Sleeth's sister.**
- **Kathy Cross' friend, Linda Wilson.**
- **Matt Buffington's father-in-law.**
- **Megan Currey's father, Terry McCracken.**
- **Helen Isabelle (Debbie & Raymond's friend).**
- **Linda Grimes & family (Susan's Supervisor).**
- **Judy Stahl.**

*If you have a prayer request or need to put something in the bulletin—Please email it to [bgptchurchofchrist@yahoo.com](mailto:bgptchurchofchrist@yahoo.com) or write it down and give it to Karen Seyler before Thursday.*