

What Kind of Church Is the Church of Christ?

We are a congregation of people who love to serve God in the manner which he has instructed.

We believe in Jesus Christ as the Savior of the world because God teaches us through the Bible that, "God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life." (John 3:16 NKJV). In God's love for mankind, He gave us His very best.

We are a church... striving to follow Jesus and His teachings as best we can. Though you cannot "join" the church everyone can be added to it by the Lord when they obey the gospel of Christ by being baptized for the remission of sins (Acts 2:38, 47).

We are a church... that has sincere love for those around us, wanting all to enter Heaven.

We are a church... that seeks to cut through centuries of tradition and doctrines of men by getting back to the Bible as the sole guide for our worship and for a successful spiritual life. As such the churches of Christ use only the Bible for its basis of belief and teaching, thus rejecting the creeds and rules of men.

We are a church... that loves to study God's word in our assemblies. Such an emphasis is key to a better understanding of who Jesus is; what He has done for us; and central to the production of faithful and mature Christians (2 Timothy 3:16-17).

We are a church... that is self-governed, patterned after the New Testament church with Christ as the head of the church (Ephesians 5:23).

What Should You Expect When You Visit Us?

You will find the Lamar church of Christ to be one of the friendliest groups of people you have ever encountered, filled with love and compassion.

You will also find our services to be conducted in an orderly and reverent fashion.

We have acapella congregational singing and prayer. The sermon you hear will be Bible-based... not mere opinion or a stand-up routine.

We partake of the Lord's supper each Lord's Day (Sunday) as exemplified by the New Testament church. During the services we also take up a collection to further the work of the church in Lamar, Barton County, and the rest of the world via our evangelistic efforts.

We have a nursery for small children that is available anytime during bible classes and worship services.

Classes are offered for everyone ranging from Pre-K through High School and adult classes. Thoughtful participation and questions are encouraged in all classes. Bible classes begin at 9:30 am on Sunday with worship service at 10:20 am. Each Sunday we enjoy a fellowship meal with one another, followed immediately by our afternoon worship session at 1:00 pm. Our Wednesday night Bible study classes begin at 7:00 pm.



How Does One Become A Member of the Church?

It is not our place to choose who shall be a member of God's church. The Bible teaches that those who render obedience to God are added by the Lord to His church.

The Bible teaches five things one must do in order to be added to the Lord's church...

- We must hear the word (Romans 10:14).
- Hearing will produce faith (Romans 10:17).
- The word of God convicts of us sin, and convinces us of a need for a Savior. As such one should be willing to repent of a life of sinfulness, resolving to change one's life to walk in the footsteps of Christ (Acts 17:30).
- We cannot be ashamed of Christ, but must be willing to confess Him before others (in word and deed) all of the rest of the days of our lives (Matthew 10:32-33).
- Having a willingness to obey these four steps, there is one more thing that Jesus says is required in order to obtain forgiveness of sins and salvation. We must be baptized in order to have our sins washed away (Acts 2:38). There is nothing magical in the water... but in submitting to baptism that we come into contact with the blood of Christ, making our plea to God for a clean conscience (1 Peter 3:21).

If you would like to have someone study the Bible with you... either in your home or via a correspondence course, please let us know.



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Which church should I attend?

There are certainly a lot of options when it comes to the religious world with churches on every corner. When you visit they each seem to teach something different. It makes you wonder if everyone is working from the same book? The Bible tells us that God is not the author of confusion (1 Cor. 14:33), yet that is exactly what we find today.

What is the remedy? Get back to the bible!

The Lamar church of Christ seeks to do just that by cutting through centuries of tradition and doctrines of men, using the Bible as the sole guide for our worship and a successful spiritual life. The churches of Christ use only the Bible for its basis of belief and teaching, thus rejecting the creeds and rules of men. We simply desire to worship our Creator and Savior in the manner He desires (after all worship is about HIM not me).

If you would like to know more about the Lamar church of Christ or more about God's plan for your salvation, please contact us.

You Are Invited to the Lamar Church of Christ



Are you tired of worship that lacks the reverence the Lord deserves? Then join us this Sunday and Wednesday as we worship in the manner that God desires!

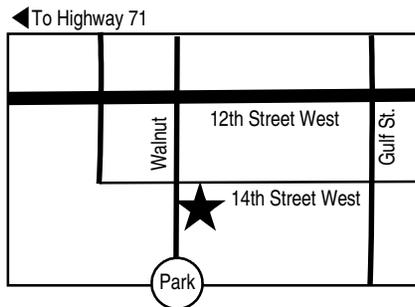
"Him we proclaim, warning everyone and teaching everyone with all wisdom, that we may present everyone mature in Christ." Colossians 1:28 (ESV)



Welcome!



We want to introduce you to the Lamar church of Christ and invite you to come and worship with us. We are located at 1400 Walnut, on the road that leads to the Lamar city park (Walnut Street).



Schedule of Services

Sunday Services

Morning Bible Classes.....9:30a
Morning Worship.....10:20a
Afternoon Worship.....1:00p

Wednesday Service

Evening Bible Study.....7:00p