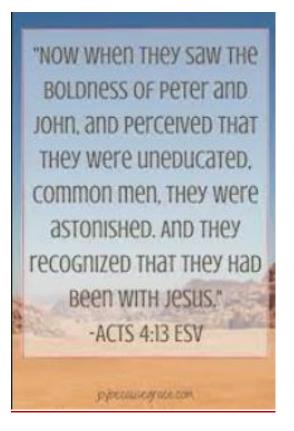


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Sunday Morning Service

The Fennell Avenue Church of Christ has re-open the church building for Services. As a result of the uncertainty of Covid-19 restrictions, you will find our Worship Service Protocols at the end of this bulletin also.

We will continue with Zoom as well as the building for those who are still not comfortable meeting with-in the church building. Covid Protocols within the Church are to be followed -Masks and members are required to maintain a physical distance of at least 2 meters.

Join Zoom Meeting – 11:00 a.m.

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6585671730?pwd=K1k0Qjl zcXBGOUIQN1NoaXpVeTIXdz09

• Meeting ID: 658 567 1730

Passcode: 4dEx5p

Phone in connection:

1 647 374 4685 or 1 647 558 0588 (Canada) Meeting ID: 658 567 1730 Password: 065970

Speaker: Brian Van Alstine

Sermon: "They had been WITH Jesus"

Reading: Acts 4: 1-22

Peter and John Before the Council

4 And as they were speaking to the people, the priests and the captain of the temple and the Sadducees came upon them,

² greatly annoyed because they were teaching the people and proclaiming in Jesus the resurrection from the dead.

³ And they arrested them and put them in custody until the next day, for it was already evening.

⁴ But many of those who had heard the word believed, and the number of the men came to about five thousand.

⁵ On the next day their rulers and elders and scribes gathered together in Jerusalem,

⁶ with Annas the high priest and Caiaphas and John and Alexander, and all who were of the high-priestly family.

⁷ And when they had set them in the midst, they inquired, "By what power or by what name did you do this?"

⁸ Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them, "Rulers of the people and elders,

⁹ if we are being examined today concerning a good deed done to a crippled man, by what means this man has been healed,

¹⁰ let it be known to all of you and to all the people of Israel that by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead by him this man is standing before you well.

¹¹ This Jesus is the stone that was rejected by you, the builders, which has become the cornerstone. ¹² And there is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved."

¹³ Now when they saw the boldness of Peter and John, and perceived that they were uneducated, common men, they were astonished. And they recognized that they had been with Jesus.

¹⁴ But seeing the man who was healed standing beside them, they had nothing to say in opposition.

¹⁵ But when they had commanded them to leave the council, they conferred with one another,

¹⁶ saying, "What shall we do with these men? For that a notable sign has been performed through them is evident to all the inhabitants of Jerusalem, and we cannot deny it. ¹⁷ But in order that it may spread no further among the people, let us warn them to speak no more to anyone in this name."

¹⁸ So they called them and charged them not to speak or teach at all in the name of Jesus.

¹⁹ But Peter and John answered them, "Whether it is right in the sight of God to listen to you rather than to God, you must judge,

²⁰ for we cannot but speak of what we have seen and heard."

²¹ And when they had further threatened them, they let them go, finding no way to punish them, because of the people, for all were praising God for what had happened.

²² For the man on whom this sign of healing was performed was more than forty years old.

Wednesday Evening Bible Study

Zoom Meeting: March 23, 2022 7:00 p.m.

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6585671730?pwd= K1k0QjlzcXBGOUIQN1NoaXpVeTIXdz09

Via Device (Computer/tablet/laptop) Meeting ID: 658 567 1730 Password: 4dEx5p

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Prayer List

- Pray for the strength of the Ukrainian people as they struggle amid the Russian invasion, especially for the family of Rayis who are in the Ukraine.
- Remember the Sandassie Family in your prayers as they morn the recent lost of Winston

- Pray for the strength and continued growth of our Church after the Covid lockdowns
- Maureen Jackson Please keep her in your prayers as she has relocated up north
- Susan J: Please pray for the doctors looking after her.
- Please continue to pray for Wendy and Phil's daughter, Melanie
- Please pray for Ed, and the Van Alstine family as they support each other through treatments for Ed
- Please remember Isabel Taylor and Madeline Cook in your prayers. They appreciate calls and cards.
- Deborah P has asked for prayers for her husband, Eugenio.
- Please pray for the Thompson and Baker families as Judy Baker passed away this past week.



Stitch and Chat for will meet on <u>Wednesday March 23</u> from 10:00am to 2:00pm



March 2022 ISSUE

Our March 2022 issue is now available at our website at <u>https://gospelherald.org/</u>

Our goal each month is offer articles that are timely and relevant. Thus, the

editorial this month draws attention to a recent amendment to the Canadian criminal code that appears adversarial to Christian evangelism and openly hostile to godly living.

Of course, the time is always right to consider the eternal truths of God's word as they relate to the One who does not change and apply to all those called to faith and obedience.

Please share our website with your friends and feel free to link to us on our church website

David Knutson - Editor



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Ruth Zimmerman's **March 2022** Newsletter from Papua, New Guinea is now available for your review. To view it, please click the attached link. <u>View it</u> <u>in your browser.</u>

https://mailchi.mp/73eca8f2c6cb/newsfrom-ruth-zimmerman?e=d0614b3402

Attendance: March 13, 2022

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Morning Service: 29

Contributions

The Church is now set up to receive electronic transfer (e-Transfer) of funds for Church Donations. If you wish to take advantage of this convenience, please send you donations to our Treasurer, Chris Gardner: cgardnercchg@gmail.com or cchg@rogers.com or

email@churchofchristhamilton.com

Collection: Mar. 13th, \$ 389.00 (Includes \$109.00 toward Red Cross Ukraine Relief)

Weekly Average: \$ 475.24



Dear Friends,

Great Lakes Christian High School would like to invite you to our family friendly play production, the two-act comedy, *Foibles and Folly*.

Foibles and Folly is a light and fun experience for all ages. We hope you and members of your congregation will consider joining us for one of our performances.

Humbly,

Don Rose – Chief Administrative Officer Great Lakes Christian High School



Acts 26: 1 - 18

Paul Defense Before Agrippa

26 So Agrippa said to Paul, "You have permission to speak for yourself." Then Paul stretched out his hand and made his defense:

² "I consider myself fortunate that it is before you, King Agrippa, I am going to make my defense today against all the accusations of the Jews, ³ especially because you are familiar with all the customs and controversies of the Jews. Therefore, I beg you to listen to me patiently.

⁴ "My manner of life from my youth, spent from the beginning among my own nation and in Jerusalem, is known by all the Jews. ⁵ They have known for a long time, if they are willing to testify, that according to the strictest party of our religion I have lived as a Pharisee. ⁶ And now I stand here on trial because of my hope in the promise made by God to our fathers, ⁷ to which our twelve tribes hope to attain, as they earnestly worship night and day. And for this hope I am accused by Jews, O king! ⁸ Why is it thought incredible by any of you that God raises the dead?

⁹ "I myself was convinced that I ought to do many things in opposing the name of Jesus of Nazareth. ¹⁰ And I did so in Jerusalem. I not only locked up many of the saints in prison after receiving authority from the chief priests, but when they were put to death, I cast my vote against them. ¹¹ And I punished them often in all the synagogues and tried to make them blaspheme, and in raging fury against them I persecuted them even to foreign cities.

Paul Tells of His Conversion

¹² "In this connection I journeyed to Damascus with the authority and commission of the chief priests. ¹³ At midday, O king, I saw on the way a light from heaven, brighter than the sun, that shone around me and those who journeyed with me. ¹⁴ And when we had all fallen to the ground, I heard a voice saying to me in the Hebrew language,^[a] 'Saul, Saul, why are you persecuting me? It is hard for you to kick against the goads.' ¹⁵ And I said, 'Who are you, Lord?' And the Lord said, 'I am Jesus whom you are persecuting. ¹⁶ But rise and stand upon your feet, for I have appeared to you for this purpose, to appoint you as a servant and witness to the things in which you have seen me and to those in which I will appear to you, ¹⁷ delivering you from your people and from the Gentiles—to whom I am sending

you ¹⁸ to open their eyes, so that they may turn from darkness to light and from the power of Satan to God, that they may receive forgiveness of sins and a place among those who are sanctified by faith in me.'

Worship Service Protocols

Entrance will be by the Fennell Avenue door. Please exit by the doors on the East 27th entrance. Those who require the Ramp entrance off the parking lot may use this entrance to enter and exit the building.

Please use the hand sanitizer when you enter and leave the building. We ask that you do not linger in the building after the worship time is complete and follow the arrows on the floor to enter and exit.

When you enter from the Fennell entrance, there will be communion items available on the table. Please pick up your Communion cups which will contain a bread wafer and grape juice and proceed to the seating area. If you prefer to bring your own communion items, you are welcome to do that. Please choose your seat while being particular to social distance from other members. Masks are required within the church building. If you do not have one, there will be a supply of masks available for members to use. We will not be singing during the worship time, but some Acapella music will be played.

If you are not feeling well, please stay home. The worship service will be available on Zoom also and you are welcome to join the Zoom meeting.