

THE CHURCH INVITES YOU

The Camrose Church of Christ encourages you to discover the beauty and simplicity of God's plan for His church in the New Testament.

- * You are invited to a Bible class and to worship with us at the Camrose Church of Christ. Our service and study times are listed on the back of this brochure.
- * You can study the Bible with us, or on your own, to find the pattern for the church. We have several study aids to assist you on that journey. Please ask us or call the office at 780.672.1220 for more information.
- * Find a friend in the Church of Christ and study with him or her and both of you will benefit and grow from the time spent together in God's Word.

Service and Study Schedule

Sunday

Bible Class10 a.m.
Sunday School10 a.m.
Worship11 a.m.

Thursday

Bible Study7 p.m.

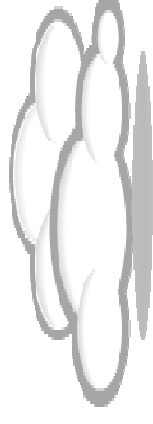
For all other events please help yourself to our events calendar found on the table by the door in the foyer or check out our webpage that is listed below.



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CHURCHES OF CHRIST

WHO ARE YOU?



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People sometimes ask the question, "Which church should I attend?" because you can find hundreds of different churches and amongst them is the Church of Christ.

If you were to stop and ask Peter or Paul what kind of Christian they were, you would receive a very puzzled look. They might reply, "what do you mean, what kind of Christian? We are Christians, period."

The Churches of Christ are not a denomination like most that you find out there. Rather we seek the simple goal to become Christians just like those found in the New Testament of your Bible.

"We strive to follow the guidelines and patterns set out by the apostles in the first century"

With all the confusion in Christianity today, how do we become a Christian like Peter or Paul? Well, when we do what they did we will become a Christian like they were. By finding the commands God gives us and following the examples of those taught directly by Jesus and by those whom he appointed to continue his teaching we can find the pattern for Christianity.

THE CHURCH PATTERN FOUND IN THE NEW TESTAMENT

When you open your New Testament you will read about a dramatic and world-changing start in Acts 2. On that day the church Jesus promised to build came into existence. The basis of that was the preaching of the apostles who Jesus had prepared to tell the message.



The church had several distinguishing characteristics.

They looked to the inspired word of God for guidance. They knew that when you planted the word of God in the human heart, the only fruit it would bear is the fruit that God wanted. The scriptures were their one and only guide for faith.

The church that Jesus built had a simple, basic structure. It did not look like a fortune 500 company or a government bureaucracy. Rather it had men to guide the church (called elders) and men to insure the details were cared for (called deacons) and men to tell the world of the love of Jesus Christ (called preachers).

The church also had a simple and profound way of worship. They met to remember the Lord Jesus each Sunday (First day of the week) partaking of the Lord's Supper instituted by the Lord Jesus Himself. They sang from music that came from their hearts and vocalized it using their voices. They presented their prayers to God and they heard a message from God through His messengers or preachers. They also had fellowship together.

The church that Jesus built was never a building or an organization. It was however an organism that was designed to grow and produce. It was the body of those who had committed their life to Christ and the head of that body was Christ.

The Churches of Christ simply read the New Testament and follow the pattern found there. We invite you to join us and begin your own similar journey of discovery and faith.