

Sunday Morning Worship

Announcements(668-8936) Allen Hughes
 Lead SingingLeonard Clemons
 First Prayer Bruce Pryor
 Reading Steve Hilton
 Scripture.....Colossians 3:16-17
 Lord's Table (N) *David Chilton
 (S)..... *Larry Flatt
 (N) Marty Boles
 (N) Jeff Rhea
 (N) Ben Biles
 (S)..... Ryan McColloch
 (S)..... Bob Cantrell
 (S)..... Jason Vandagriff
 Sermon Tony Lawrence
 Dismiss Don Sullivan

Sunday Evening Worship

Announcements(668-8936) Allen Hughes
 Lead SingingLeonard Clemons
 First Prayer Danny Duncan
 ReadingChip Cantrell
 Scripture.....Genesis 2:18-25
 Lord's Table..... *Joe Collins
 *Calvin Rogers
 Sermon Tony Lawrence
 Dismiss Tommy Crouch

Wednesday Bible Study

Announcements(668-9537) Larry Flatt
 Lead Singing Paul Hurst
 First Prayer Steve Hillis
 Reading Kane Maynard
 Invitation Tony Lawrence
 Dismiss Noel Pepper

Welcome Committee

A.M. Michael Andrews Family
 P.M..... Clent & Lynette Kesey

Bus Driver:..... Ronnie Prince (934-4088)

Ushers:Rickey Hurst & Steve Wilcher

Attend Nursery:..... Glyna Lee

Lock Building:.....David Keele

Prepare Communion:

.....Doris Smith & Wanda Hendrixson

Assist with Baptisms:

.....Corretta Lawrence & Gail Crouch

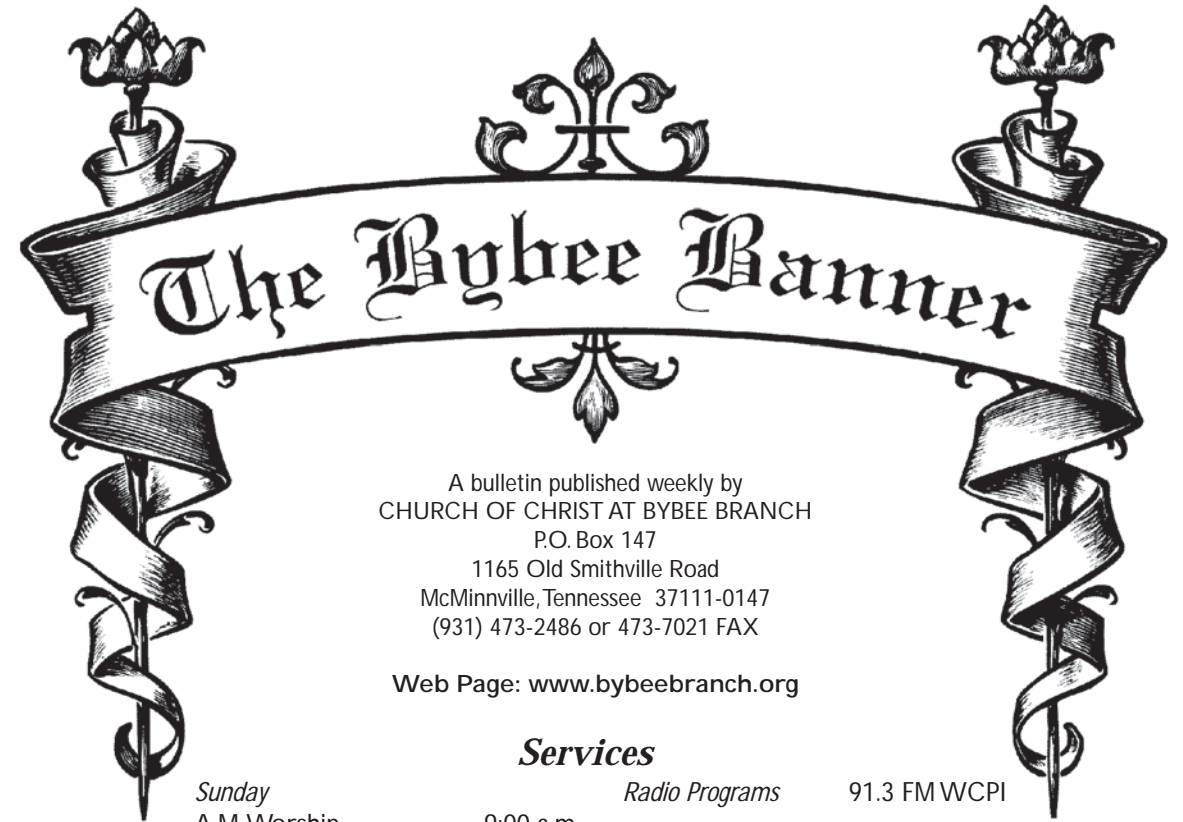
Pantry Item: Carrots or Green Beans

Record For The Week...

A.M. Worship.....353
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Services

<i>Sunday</i>		<i>Radio Programs</i>	91.3 FM WCPI
A.M. Worship	9:00 a.m.	<i>Sunday</i>	
Bible Study	10:15 a.m.	Tony Lawrence	8:00 a.m.
P.M. Worship	6:00 p.m.	Winford Claiborne	8:30 a.m.
<i>Wednesday</i>			
Bible Study	7:00 p.m.		

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Sick

At Home:

Georgia Brooks
Debbie Fitro (Rickey Hurst's sister)
David Keele
W.C. Chilton
Hallie Cantrell (following a fall)

In The Hospital:

Preslie Slatton (granddaughter of Jim & June Slatton)-Ronald McDonald House
Lawrence Lane - moved to NHC
Bessie Atnip (Eddie Palmer's mother) - moved to NHC
Mary Davis - Middle Tennessee Medical Center following successful surgery.

Sympathy

We express our deepest sympathy to the family of Gary Bottoms, uncle of our Jeff Templeton. He passed away suddenly on Saturday. His funeral will be this Saturday at Highs.

Singing

The *Altamont church of Christ* will host an state-wide singing on Friday night, November 23, beginning at 7 pm.

Sermons Topics

Sunday AM .. Instrumental Music, Why or Why Not?
Sunday PM God, Save My Marriage #1

Ladies Fellowship

All the ladies of the congregation are invited to a holiday dinner on Monday, December 3rd at the Inn at Harvest Farms. Sign up sheet is in the foyer. Next Sunday night is the deadline to turn in your money to Carol Boyd.

Notes From Steve

WEDNESDAY NITE YOUTH SOMETHING
W.N.Y.S. is this Wednesday night (11/21.) Everyone is asked to bring his or her favorite board or card game and don't forget the annual "Connect-the-Dot" World Championship. Refreshments will be provided. The schedule is on the youth bulletin board.

HOME DEVOTIONAL

The next Home Devo will be hosted by Steve & Carol Boyd this Sunday, November 25th, from 7:15 pm to 9:00 pm. Boys are to bring a 2-liter and girls bring a dessert.

BIRTHDAY WEDNESDAY

Next Wednesday (11/28) our youth are invited to stay and help celebrate all students who have November birthdays. A sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board for those who can help with food. Also, the December birthday celebration will be the first Wed. of the month (12/5.)

EVANGELISM UNIVERSITY

E. U. takes place the weekend of January 18-20, 2008. The cost for the trip is \$30.00 if signed up by December 12th (\$40.00 if after this date.) The trip is for High School students only. A sign-up sheet is on the youth bulletin board.

YOUTH SERVICE PROJECT

Each year our youth group asks the congregation for monetary donations to help buy gifts for nursing home residents and underprivileged children. The teens purchase, prepare, and deliver all the gifts. We are again seeking help in this endeavor. If you can, please give your money to me or one of the elders.

"It is easier to tell someone what you would do in his place than to do what you ought to do in your own place."

Giving Thanks To God

One of the beautiful words, among the many in the Bible, is the word "thanksgiving." This is true because this word is a reflection of our attitude toward God. How can we feel right toward Him if we are not thankful, since God is the giver of all blessings?

"Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, and comes down from the Father of lights, with whom there is no variation or shadow of turning" (Jas. 1:17).

Therefore, how can we receive all of these gifts and then refuse to express gratitude to Him?

"When you drink from the stream, remember the spring" (Chinese Proverb).

Someone might say, "I am grateful to God, but how do I show Him that I am?" The following are some suggestions that can help:

(1) *By the way we live*

God is holy and righteous; therefore He wants those who serve Him to make every possible effort to do the same! As Peter wrote to some Christians of his day,

"but as He who called you is holy, you also be holy in all your conduct, because it is written, "Be holy, for I am holy" (1 Peter 1:15, 16).

Jesus said, "Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God" (Mt. 5:8).

A tremendous price of love was paid to make salvation possible, and we must live our lives in a way that shows our thankfulness to God.

(2) *By the way we pray*

Abraham Lincoln is quoted as saying: "I have been driven many times upon my knees by the overwhelming

conviction that I had nowhere else to go."

Since this is a truth needed by all Christians today, shouldn't we thank God for always being there for us? Paul admonished the Christians at Ephesus:

"giving thanks always for all things to God the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ," (Eph. 5:20).

(3) *By the way we receive salvation*

How do we feel about God's salvation? I expressed my feelings this way:

If I had but one song to sing
While seeking God's face
It would be the eternal melody
Of God's amazing grace.
If I had but one prayer to offer
Before the One who is right
I'd praise the Sun of Righteousness
And for His gilded light.

~Benny Bristow~

Four Things You Can Do With Your Hands

1. Wring them in despair.
2. Fold them as if there were nothing to do.
3. Clench them in anger.
4. Find a place where they fit in the work of the Lord and KEEP THEM BUSY.

The Prodigal Son

A Bible school class had been studying about the prodigal son. The teacher gave a quiz to see how well they understood the parable. She asked one youngster, "Who was sorry when the prodigal son came home?" The boy gave it a lot of thought, then said, "It was probably the fatted calf."

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