

Sunday Morning Worship

Announcements(668-2632) Steve Hillis
Lead SingingLeonard Clemons
First Prayer Tim Fisher
Reading Michael Andrews
Scripture.....Galatians 2:11-13
Lord's Table (N) *Tommy Crouch
(S)..... *Harold Cook
(N) David King
(N) Dustin Hillis
(N) Kane Maynard
(S)..... Ben Biles
(S)..... Caleb Hughes
(S)..... Lynn Gann
Sermon Tony Lawrence
Dismiss David Bouldin

Sunday Evening Worship

Announcements(668-2632) Steve Hillis
Lead SingingLeonard Clemons
First Prayer Chuck Boles
Reading Josh King
Scripture.....2 Timothy 2:22-26
Lord's Table.....*Billy Gilbert
..... *Eddie Palmer
Sermon Tony Lawrence
Dismiss Seth Bouldin

Wednesday Bible Study

Announcements(668-1242) Rickey Hurst
Lead SingingEthan Duncan
First Prayer Bob Bonner
Reading Christian Barrett
Invitation Tony Lawrence
Dismiss Darron Dixon

Welcome Committee

A.M. Ronnie Prince Family
P.M..... Derek & Miranda Vinson

Bus Driver:....Rodney Reynolds (473-3570)

Ushers:Barry Hendrixson & Kurt Maynard

Attend Nursery:..... Sharon Driver

Lock Building:.....Derek Vinson

Prepare Communion:

..... Shannon Griffin Family

Assist with Baptisms:

..... Gail Crouch & Susan Pryor

Pantry Item: Chili

Record For The Week...

A.M. Worship..... 333
Bible Study 250
P.M. Worship 281
Wednesday Bible Study..... 238
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Services

Sunday
A.M. Worship 9:00 a.m.
Bible Study 10:15 a.m.
P.M. Worship 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday
Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

Monday (2nd & 4th of each month)
Senior Saints Class 9:00 a.m.

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Sick

At Home:

Jerry Ashford (Bobby's brother)
Helen McGinness (Harold's mother)
Freda Womack
Christine Gribble
Linda Fults
Ken Lee
Avie Clemons (eye surgery on Tuesday)
Melba Bonner (heart tests on Tuesday)

In The Hospital:

Christine Cantrell-Centennial Medical Center

Sermons Topics

Sunday AM "Everybody's Doing It..."
Sunday PM Answering Questions

Baptism & Restorations

This past Thursday, Steve Hillis baptized his sister LeAnn Hillis into Christ. On Sunday morning sisters Brandi Wilcher and Jane Wilcher came forward requesting prayers.

New Youth-Associate Minister

The elders announced Sunday morning that brother Tyler Boyd will begin serving the first of June as the Youth-Associate Minister. You may send Tyler notes of encouragement at tyler@bybeebranch.org.

On a similar note, why not send Steve a note of appreciation for all the dedicated work he has done over the years?

Church Directory Proof Book

This Sunday there should be a "proof book" on the table in the lobby for everyone to check and be sure that the information is correct. Thanks to everyone for the great cooperation we have received!

Notes From Steve

HOME DEVOTIONAL

Jeff & Regina Templeton will host our monthly Home Devo this Sunday, April 20th. Boys bring a 2-liter and girls bring a dessert.

PROM ALTERNATIVE TRIP

The 14th edition of PAT takes place April 24th – 27th as we embark for Charlotte, NC. Some of the things planned for this adventure are Chimney Rock Park, Paramount Carowinds, and Inner Peaks (rock climbing.) We will also squeeze in shopping and go-karts. A mandatory meeting is scheduled for this Wednesday night following our services. Things you must bring to the meeting include your Money, signed and notarized Release Form, and signed Rules Form.

We always have a great time on these trips and this year will be no exception. It is not too late to sign-up! Please consider going with us.

Gospel Meetings & Etc.

This time of year there are numerous meetings, lectures, singings and ladies' days. Be sure to check the board in addition to the bulletin.

Dibrell church of Christ will host a Gospel Meeting on April 18-20, with Ralph Barnes preaching, services will be at 7 pm.

Berea church of Christ will host a Gospel Meeting on April 20-23, with Vernon Joines preaching, services will be at 7 pm.

Central church of Christ will host their 31st Annual Ladies Day on April 19th with Denise Reed Bailiff speaking, registration is at 9:30 am.

Morrison church of Christ will host their annual singing on Friday, April 25, from 7 - 11 pm.

Perspective on the Meeting

What a joy it is to hear the simple message of the Gospel preached each night! Brother Jeff Archey has preached the saving message of the Bible in a very simple but effective way. He has challenged us to be more faithful and serve God in a more meaningful way. We have had excellent attendance, great support from our sister congregations and wonderful preaching. At this writing, only three more services remain. Why not make it your plan to be at every service and bring someone with you?

Wedding Shower

There will be a wedding shower in honor of Hilary McGinness, bride-elect of Chris Neale this coming Sunday afternoon from 1-3 pm at the home of Jeff & Regina Templeton.

Canceling Church

Dan Williams tells the story of two preachers who were visiting over a cup of coffee. The first preacher said to the second, "I cancelled our Sunday night services about five months ago." "You did?" the second preacher replied, "What do your church members think?" The first preacher said, "I suspect they'll be pretty upset if they ever find out about it."

The meeting times for worship, study, and edification are not meant to be arbitrary requirements that test the spiritual discipline and commitment level of Christians. Rather, these opportunities are intended to be functional; to encourage, inform, and strengthen those who are trying to walk worthily in an ungodly world.

Why is it that some people will say with exasperation, "Oh no, we have church services tonight, and I've had such a bad week," instead of saying, "Wow I'm thankful it's Wednesday night and we have church services tonight because I've had a bad week?"

The difference in the two is the difference between "form" and "function." If one views church services simply as a "form" that must be checked off our "to-do list," he will see that assembly differently than the one who acknowledges the "function" and purpose of the assembly.

Maybe church members need to re-evaluate the way they view these assemblies; and see them not as an arbitrary requirement, but as an opportunity. And maybe church leaders need to re-evaluate function of these assemblies to insure that the assemblies fulfill their intended purpose.

Steve Higginbotham

The Promise Land

Moses stands upon the mountain
As he views the Promise Land
Longing so to cross over
But there is no way he can.

He's been strong before Pharaoh
With the rod within his hand,
But because of disobedience
He will never enter the land.

Still God took good care of Moses
As he dies within His hand,
But because of disobedience
He's forbidden the Promise Land.

~Benny B. Bristow~