

Sunday Morning Worship

Announcements (668-8936) Allen Hughes
Lead Singing.....Leonard Clemons
First Prayer Eddie Palmer
Reading..... Chuck Boles
Scripture.....Matthew 7:1-4
Lord's Table (N).....*Calvin Rogers
(S).....*Charles Gillies
(N).....Joe T. Cantrell
(N).....Don Cathey
(N).....Joe Roller
(S).....Eugene Wilcher
(S).....Lynn Gann
(S).....Harold McGinness
Sermon Tony Lawrence
Dismiss Kelly Thaxton

Sunday Evening Worship

Announcements (668-8936) Allen Hughes
Lead Singing.....Leonard Clemons
First Prayer.....Kurt Maynard
Reading.....Justin Griffin
Scripture..... I Corinthians 10:20-21
Lord's Table..... *W.C. Chilton
..... *Mike Driver
Sermon Tony Lawrence
Closing Prayer Tyler Boyd

Wednesday Bible Study

Announcements(668-8473) W.C. Chilton
Lead Singing.....Dustin Rhea
First PrayerBo Rivers
Reading..... Darron Dixon
InvitationBruce Pryor
Dismiss Jacob Griffin

Welcome Committee

A.M.....Kelly & Gaye Hillis
P.M.....Doug & Wanda Hendrixson

Bus Driver:.....Kelly Thaxton (607-9169)

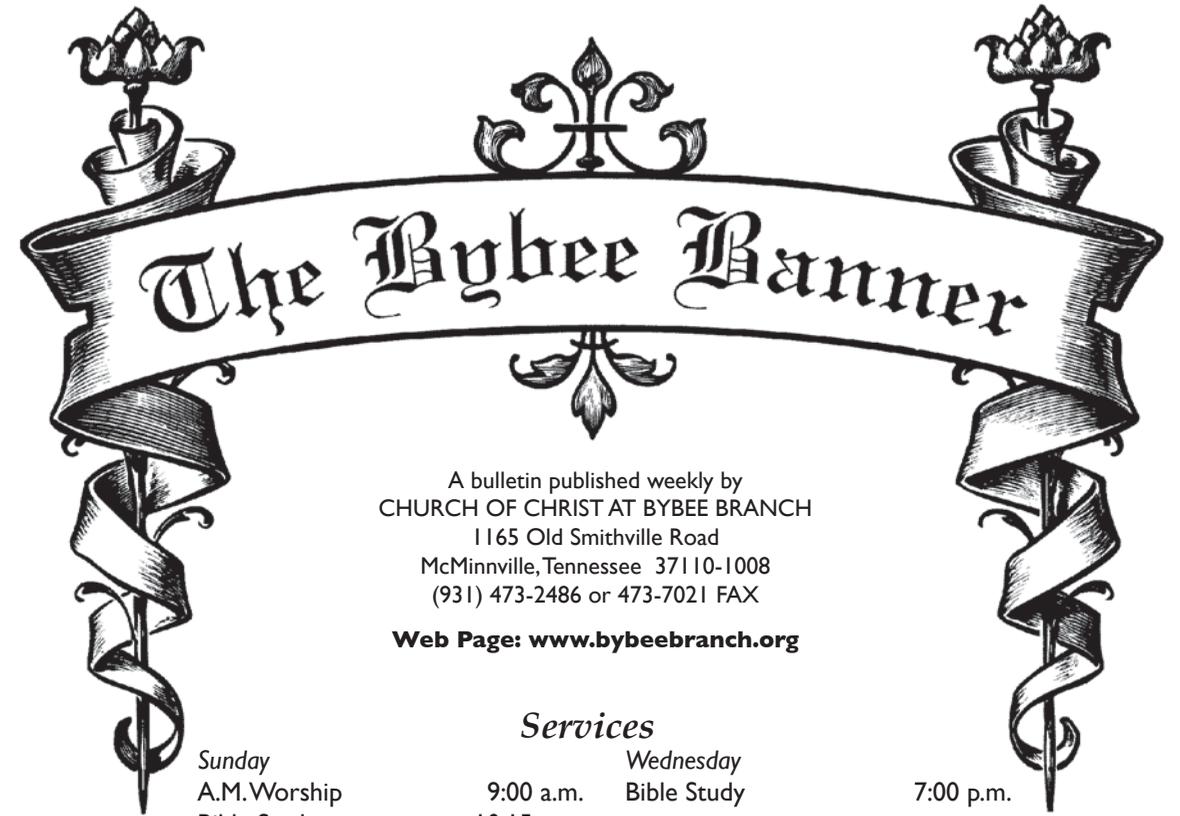
Ushers: Rickey Burks & Heath Griffith
Attend Nursery:.....Becky Maynard
Lock Building:.....Caleb Graves
Prepare Communion:Allen Hughes Family
Assist with Baptisms: Judy Sullivan & Carol Boyd
Pantry Item: Instant Pudding
Elder Closing Remarks: Rodney Reynolds

Record For The Week...

A.M.Worship..... 325
Bible Study 234
P.M.Worship 230
Wednesday Bible Study..... 214
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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)
Monday Morning Bible Class 9:00 a.m.

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Sick

At Home:

Lennie Ruth Kesity
Lisa Thaxton
Charlene Palmer
Bruce Pryor
Brenda Bratten
Bob Cantrell

In The Hospital:

Gwen Bristow (Corretta Lawrence's mother)-moved
to Summer Meadows in Longview, TX
Bob Bonner - River Park with blood clot

Sunday's Sermons

A.M..... Are You A Critic?
P.M..... Angels & Demons

Gospel Meetings & VBS's

The *Bethany church of Christ* will host a Gospel Meeting, March 14-17, services will be at 7 pm. Eddy Craft will be the guest preacher.

The *Centertown church of Christ*, will host a VBS on March 27, from 9 am to 1 pm. The theme will be "Bible Heroes." Classes for all ages.

The *Unity church of Christ* will host a Friends & Family Day and then Family VBS on March 28-31, from 6:30-7:30 pm. The theme will be Rise and Shine For Jesus. Classes for all ages.

The *West Sparta church of Christ* will host a Gospel Meeting April 9-11, with services at 7 pm. Dave Miller will be the guest speaker. The theme will be the Silencing of God.

Our own Gospel Meeting will be April 18-22, with David Sain.

Religion should be a steering wheel, not a spare tire.

Wedding

Mike and Sharon Driver
request the honor of your presence
at the marriage of their daughter
Alicia Dawn Driver
to
Matthew Brandon Parsley
son of
Paul and Naoma Parsley
on Saturday, the thirteenth of March
Two thousand and ten
at two o'clock in the afternoon
Woodbury Church of Christ
100 East Water Street
Woodbury, Tennessee

Marking Your Bible

Joseph Was Not The Only One Who Flew Away

As we study through the word of God, we come across what we might call "great heroes of the Bible." We think about heroes such as David who slew the great giant, Goliath (1 Samuel 16). We think about heroes such as Gideon who trusted in the Lord to deliver the Midianites into the Israelites' hands (Judges 6-8).

One of the great heroes that this author admires is Joseph, the son of Jacob. More than a fifth of the book of Genesis is devoted to his account. Everyone knows the story of Joseph and how he was sold by his brothers into slavery and was taken down to Egypt. We also know the account of how Potiphar's wife tried to seduce Joseph into having a sexual relationship with him. Yet he asked one of the most courageous questions of our time, "There is no one greater in this house than I, nor has he kept back anything from me but you, because you are his wife. How then can I do this great wickedness, and sin against God?" (Genesis 39:9) Day by day, this temptation was being pushed on Joseph as we see in verse 10. Look at the account in verses 11-15: "But it happened about this time, when Joseph went into

the house to do his work, and none of the men of the house was inside, that she caught him by his garment, saying, "Lie with me." But he left his garment in her hand, and fled and ran outside. And so it was, when she saw that he had left his garment in her hand and fled outside, that she called to the men of her house and spoke to them, saying, "See, he has brought in to us a Hebrew to mock us. He came in to me to lie with me, and I cried out with a loud voice. And it happened, when he heard that I lifted my voice and cried out, that he left his garment with me, and fled and went outside."

This author is graciously thankful for the account of the encounter that Joseph had because he wants to have the mindset that Joseph possessed in dealing with temptations that tend to be hurled at a child of God. One of the most remarkable lessons this writer learned that he never realized before was that Joseph was not the only one that ran away. Why would this author say that? Look at James 4:7: "Therefore submit to God. Resist the devil and he will flee from you." What occurs when the Christian resists against the devil's snares? The devil turns out to be a coward and retreats! When Joseph fled from Potiphar's wife, the devil fled away from Joseph! What a great spiritual truth that we can impart to our lives as we go about through the struggles in this life when the world bombards us with all kinds of temptations! Let us remember that when we resist temptation, we will not be the only ones who flee, but our great archenemy will too! Circle the word "fled" in Genesis 39:13 and put in the margin: *Joseph was not the only one who fled away (cf. James 4:7).*

~Shane Fisher~

Sentence Sermons:

Just suppose "church" was like "school" and you 'had to maintain a passing grade to stay in. How many would "graduate?" How many would "drop out?"

If absence makes the heart grow fonder, some members must be deeply in love with the church.

My Favorite Bible

Through the years, I have owned quite a few Bibles. I have two shelves in my office containing nothing but Bibles. They differ in size, translation, and binding. But of all the Bibles I own, one is particularly treasured by me. It is a little black Red Letter New Testament (3"x4.5") that I have had for the past 39 years. You've seen some like it before. It's the kind of Bible given to little children, and it is small enough for them to hold it in their little hands. The print in this Bible is just about too small to read. There are no study notes in it. And it only contains the New Testament. So what makes this Bible so special to me? Allow me to read the inscription on the first page:

"This New Testament is being presented to Steve Higginbotham for being the first in his Bible Study class to be able to say from memory all the 66 books of the Bible. Keep up the Good Work. God Bless you always. Your Bible Class Teachers, Mrs. Hester Shultz & Miss Sandy Wilson"

Isn't it amazing the impact that a few words of encouragement can have on a person's life? I was just four-years-old when this Bible was presented to me, but thirty-nine years later, I still treasure, and have this little Bible in my possession. My guess is that Hester (who is now deceased) and Sandy have no memory of the presentation of this Bible, or the message they inscribed in it. I'm sure they have no idea that something done so long ago, and something that cost so little, and took only but a moment of their time, would be so treasured by the little boy to whom they presented it.

My point? There is life-time lasting power and influence in encouragement! What takes us only a moment to say or do, can impact another person for the rest of his life. Be an encourager! Take the time and the little extra effort to compliment, commend, and encourage another. Chances are, long after you've forgotten your words of kindness, they will be locked-up, and cherished as a prize possession in the store room of someone's mind.

~Steve Higginbotham~