

Sunday Morning Worship

Announcements.....(668-8936) Allen Hughes
 Lead Singing.....Leonard Clemons
 First Prayer.....Tim Flsher
 Reading.....Jared Mullican
 Scripture.....John 11:25-27
 Lord's Table (N).....*Joe Collins
 (S).....*Charles Gillies
 (N).....Harold McGinness
 (N).....Jason Vandagriff
 (N).....Connor Dixon
 (S).....Don Cathey
 (S).....Sam Gillies
 (S).....Kevin Flatt
 Sermon.....Tony Lawrence
 Dismiss.....Vernon Keith

Sunday Evening Worship

Announcements.....(668-8936) Allen Hughes
 Lead Singing.....Leonard Clemons
 First Prayer.....Willie Newby
 Reading.....Gordon Mayfield
 Scripture.....Acts 16:25
 Lord's Table.....*David Chilton
*W.C. Chilton
 Sermon.....Stephen Sutton
 Dismiss.....Mike Mullins

Wednesday Bible Study

Announcements.....Jeff Flatt
 Lead Singing.....Paul Hurst
 First Prayer.....Tim Gann
 Reading.....Tyler Judkins
 Invitation.....Don Sullivan
 Dismiss.....Josh Templeton

Welcome Committee

A.M.Ronnie & Elaine Hoover
 P.M.Josh King Family

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

Ushers:Ricky Prince & Shannon Griffin
Attend Nursery:Martha Pepper
Un/Lock Building:.....Jordan Thomas/Clent Kesity
Prepare Communion:Clemons & McCollochs
Assist Baptisms:Judy Sullivan & Kathy Elam

Pantry Item:Tea Bags

Elder Closing Remarks:Stanley Graves

Record For The Week...

A.M. Worship.....321
 Bible Study.....226
 P.M. Worship.....239
 Wednesday Bible Study.....194
 Contribution.....\$6,636

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Services

<i>Sunday</i>		<i>Wednesday</i>	
A.M. Worship	9:00 AM	Bible Study	7:00 PM
Bible Study	10:15 AM		
P.M. Worship	6:00 PM	<i>Monday (2nd & 4th of each month)</i>	
		Monday Morning Bible Class	9:00 AM

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Sick

At Home:

Ethan Gierucki

Wilma Chisam (at her daughter's home)

In The Hospital:

Dennis Eller-

Larry Snow (father of Chris) - Select Speciality Hospital/Nashville

Spenser Hill -Vanderbilt

Grace McMahan (Bobby Ashford's aunt) - River Park #244

Betty Newby (Willie's mom) - River Park #212

Lucas & Logan Merideth -Williamson Medical Center

Sermons for Sunday

AM.....Do You Believe In Hell?

PM.....Summer Series: Stephen Sutton

Gospel Meetings

Rockliff church of Christ, June 8-11, services at 7 pm with Dalton Gilreath preaching.

Grange Hall church of Christ, June 8-12, services at 7 pm with Kevin Key preaching.

Vacation Bible Schools

Earleyville church of Christ, June 8-11, services at 7 pm.

Central church of Christ, June 8-11, services at 6 pm.

New Hope church of Christ, June 16-19, services at 7 pm.

Restoration

On Sunday evening sister Aryn Snow came forward and requested the prayers of the congregation. Please keep this special young woman in your prayers.

Youth News

The **PEW PACKERS CLASS** will meet on Sunday, June 22nd. The theme we are using this year is The Armor of God and our topic will be "The Helmet of Salvation."

If the Lord wills, 20 of us will be leaving for Chalmette, LA this Saturday at 8 am to help the brethren in that city with Vacation Bible School. We will knock doors each day to invite the town to services, plus try to set-up Bible studies. We will return on Thursday, June 19th, hopefully around 7 pm. Please pray for us daily. Pray that our travels will be without harm. Pray for our families as we are separated from them. Pray also that people will be receptive to the invitations and the gospel, because that is the reason we are going. Our lessons will center upon the theme of creation, looking at how the body functions, the uniqueness of the solar system, and the evidence for creation rather than evolution. We are appreciative of the opportunity and will give a full report to the congregation afterwards.

Summer Series

The speaker for this Sunday evening's Summer Series will be brother Stephen Sutton. He is a graduate of the Memphis School of Preaching and has preached the past 12 years. Stephen is also a Certified Flight Paramedic with Chest Pain Accreditation. In addition he serves on the State Emergency Medical Services Board. However, most people know Stephen as an exception song leader. Each year he leads singing at the lectureships at Memphis School of Preaching, Southeast Institute of Biblical Studies and Freed-Hardeman University. In 2011 he delivered a powerful lesson at the Memphis School of Preaching Lectureship titled "Enthusiastic Song Leaders." We are in for a treat to have brother Sutton with us this Sunday evening!



Why Does The Church Exist?

Why does the Lord's church exist? For what purpose did He build and purchase it? What does Jesus want us as His body to be doing? A study of the Scriptures will reveal that the church exists to:

- **Exalt God.** Eph. 3:21 mentions that God is given glory in the church. The church exalts God through proper worship and actions that honor Him. Everything what the church does should be to the glory and praise of the One who created it. The church is to always be offering spiritual sacrifices to God (1 Pet. 2:5).
- **Evangelize the world.** In Acts 13-14 (as well as many other places in that book), we see Paul and company preaching the word of God to lost souls. This was a church sponsored mission (Acts 13:1-3; 14:27) which was in obedience to the Great Commission of Christ (Matt. 28:18-20). The church evangelizes through proper preaching and teaching. The church is the keeper and proclaimer of the truth (1 Tim. 3:15).
- **Edify the believers.** In Eph. 4:16, we can see that when the body (the church) is joined together, encouragement and edification take place. These are to take place every time the church properly gathers and fellowships. This helps to keep the church energized which affects so many others (2 Cor. 9:2).
- **Equip the Saints.** Eph. 4 also gives us another thing that should take place in the church – equipping the saints for service (v.12). It is vital that the church be developing it's members for the most effective use of their talents. This comes about through proper education, mentoring, and training programs (cf. 2 Tim. 2:2).
- **Ease the burdens of the needy.** In 2 Cor. 9:13, Paul commends the church at Corinth for their "liberal sharing with...all men." The church should be concerned about helping those in need, both within and without. The

church does this through proper benevolence programs and projects. This helps to get the name of the church (and her Lord) out in the community (Acts 2:44-47).

Obviously after studying these, it begs the question: "Why does the church here exist?" Are we glorifying God in all of our efforts of the above? Could we do more as a congregation? Are you helping this church in these areas? Let's resolve to do all that God asks us to do – in His name, by His authority, for His glory!

~ Edd Sterchi ~
Via BulletinGold

Sunset

The sun is now slowly setting
Leaving dark shadows across the land
The day has been filled with brightness
Guided by God's powerful hand.

Soon the stars will be shining
Accenting a beautiful moon
With the sounds of nature singing
Their many delightful tunes.

We reach the sunset in our lives
Slowly dimmer than ever before
But God will turn on His eternal light
For the saved forevermore!

~ Benny B. Bristow ~

Something To Think About

"Greed is the assumption that it is all for my consumption."

"There is no better test for a man's integrity than his behavior when he is wrong."

"Conviction is worthless until it is converted into conduct"

"The best way to gain self-control is to practice it."