

**Sunday Morning Worship**

Announcements.....(934-2398) Randy Griffith  
 Lead Singing.....Stanley Graves  
 First Prayer .....Tim Fisher  
 Reading.....Larry Cook  
 Scripture.....Jude 22-23  
 Lord's Table (N).....\*Jamie Brock  
 (S).....\*Norman Sain  
 (N).....Phillip Brock  
 (N).....Eddie Palmer  
 (N).....Tim Gann  
 (S).....Bruce Pryor  
 (S).....Ezra Dixon  
 (S).....Junah Bouldin  
 Sermon .....Tony Lawrence  
 Dismiss .....Don Sullivan

**Sunday Evening Worship**

Announcements.....(934-2398) Randy Griffith  
 Lead Singing.....Stanley Graves  
 First Prayer .....W.C. Chilton  
 Reading.....Micah Lawrence  
 Scripture.....Acts 20:32  
 Lord's Table .....\*Clent Kesey  
 .....\*Noel Pepper  
 Sermon .....Tony Lawrence  
 Dismiss .....Ray Weddington

**Wednesday Bible Study**

Announcements.....Dale Bennett  
 Lead Singing.....Steve Hillis  
 First Prayer .....Rickey Hurst  
 Reading.....Doug Hendrixson  
 Invitation .....David Keele  
 Dismiss .....Ronnie Prince

**Welcome Committee**

A.M. ....Bruce & Susan Pryor  
 P.M. ....Calvin & Nancy Rogers

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

**Ushers:** .....Kurt Maynard & Tommy Crouch  
**Attend Nursery:** .....Amanda Gann  
**Un/Lock Building:**.....Jeff Templeton/Don Griffith  
**Prepare Communion:** .....Andrews  
**Assist Baptisms:** .....Doris Smith & Missy Biles  
**Pantry Item:** .....Canned Peaches  
**Elder Closing Remarks:** .....Stanley Graves  
**Record For The Week...**  
 A.M. Worship .....294  
 Bible Study.....239  
 P.M. Worship.....225  
 Wednesday Bible Study .....210  
 Contribution .....\$7,856

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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 (2<sup>nd</sup> &amp; 4<sup>th</sup> of each month)</i>	
		Monday Morning Bible Class	9:00 AM

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## Sick

### At Home:

Glenda Faye Ferrell  
Farris & Brenda Young  
Kelly Smartt (step-father of Tina Mullins) - begins chemo this week, requests prayers.

### In The Hospital:

Preston Huckeby (cousin of Herb Rowland) - Select Speciality Hospital in Nashville  
Leonard Crouch - River Park #309  
Mary Davis - Rain Tree #509 (temporary)

## Sympathy

We extend our sympathy to the family of Robert Rowland, brother-in-law to our Ruby Huntley. His funeral was Sunday morning.

We also extend our sympathy to the family of Lola Hash of Van Alstyne, TX. She was the sister of our Ruby Huntley. Her funeral will be this week.

## Sermons for Sunday

AM.....Rescue The Perishing  
PM.....DIY - Learning To Apply The Bible

## Mission Trip

Please remember brother Don Sullivan as he travels to Nicaragua this week on a medical mission trip.



HOW MUCH LONGER DO I HAVE TO SIT PERFECTLY STILL?

## Youth News

So thankful for the lessons received and memories made this past weekend at **EVANGELISM UNIVERSITY** and **EU2**. Hopefully all of us who attended are better prepared and eager to share the good news about Jesus. Excited to tell people how to take hold of The Vine (John 15.)

The **PEW PACKERS** begins a brand new year of lessons this Sunday. Our theme for this year is "In the Beginning..." Our time together will be spent looking at the first book of the Bible, Genesis. The lesson title to begin our series will be "In Six Days." ALL kids in 5<sup>th</sup> grade and down are invited to help us make this a great year.

The next **HOME DEVOTIONAL** will take place here at the building this Sunday. The reason is that right before our devo a **PARENT'S MEETING** is planned to discuss events and activities for January to April. Parent's, please make every effort to attend this meeting.

January 28<sup>th</sup> is our next **BIRTHDAY WEDNESDAY**. Please stick around and help us celebrate those with January birthdays.

A great event is coming up for young men in grades 5 to 12. The 4<sup>th</sup> Annual **YOUNG MEN'S SEMINAR** will be hosted by the East Main congregation in Murfreesboro on Saturday, February 7<sup>th</sup>. Kyle Butt will be the featured speaker. A flyer is on the Youth Bulletin Board with more details, but if interested in going let me know. We have to be registered by February 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Believe it or not, but the time has come to begin preparations for the 15<sup>th</sup> Annual **SPRING YOUTH RETREAT**. Hy-Lake Christian Camp will be the setting again, which has so many memories for the BBYG. Our theme is "Heaven is Real." Full details are on the bulletin board.

**PARENTS:** Please assist your kids in studying I John 3 this week and be prepared for a great class this Sunday morning.

### UPCOMING ACTIVITIES:

Sat. 31 Bible Bowl Study  
Sun. 2/1 Bible Bowl

## Great Example Of Humble Service

This past Friday services were conducted at High's for brother Charles (Chuck) Jackson Conner. His life was eloquently memorialized by brethren Doris Hughes and Brandon Parsley. He and his wife had been members at the Centertown church of Christ for many years. What many people did not know was that brother Chuck and his deceased wife Mary Ella (Nicki) Conner did good works quietly for many years.

About 20 years ago brother Chuck and his wife came by the church building in earlier November wanting to know if we could help them with a project they wanted to do. They said they wanted to prepare a "Thanksgiving Meal" for some needy family. He said that they wanted to do so anonymously so that the Lord got the credit, not them. So for many years they prepared a large, delicious meal with all the trimmings in disposable plates and delivered it to the church building on Wednesday before Thanksgiving. Then one of the deacons would assist in locating a needy family and taking this meal to that family. Each year, he would say, "let's just keep this quiet," often asking me not to even tell the deacons who had prepared the meal. Now that brother and sister Conner are gone I think it is time to tell of just one of their good deeds.

When I heard of brother Chuck's passing I could not help but think of what Jesus said. *"Take heed that you do not do your charitable deeds before men, to be seen by them. Otherwise you have no reward from your Father in heaven. Therefore, when you do a charitable deed, do not sound a trumpet before you as the hypocrites do in the synagogues and in the streets, that they may have glory from men. Assuredly, I say to you, they have their reward. But when you do a charitable deed, do not let your left hand know what your right hand is doing, that your charitable deed may be in secret; and your Father who sees in secret will Himself reward you openly."* Matthew 6:1-4.

~ Tony Lawrence ~

## I Am Not "Charlie"

Many people have posted on social media "I Am Charlie" in support of the French satirical magazine. The offices of Charlie Hebdo in Paris was attacked by two radical Muslim gunmen who killed 12 people and wounded 11 others. The result of this is that many have sided with the magazine and "free speech" by proclaiming "I Am Charlie." I, for one, am not "Charlie."

While any rational person should deplore violence and killing of these savages the faithful child of God would not want to align with the magazine Charlie Hebdo either. The radical Muslims said they were carrying out their attack due to Mohammed being satirized on the cover of the magazine. What many who carelessly are saying "I am Charlie" do not realize is that that same magazine has mocked Christianity as well. One brother who is familiar with the magazine reported that one issue portrayed the three members of the Godhead committing sodomy. Such blasphemy will certainly be addressed by God. *"You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain, for the Lord will not hold him guiltless who takes His name in vain."* Exodus 20:7. I will not stand with the enemies of God. *"For they speak against You wickedly; Your enemies take Your name in vain."* Psalms 139:20. I say again, I am not "Charlie" and neither should anyone else!

~ Tony Lawrence ~



LET'S HAVE LOCUST AN' WILD HONEY FOR LUNCH.