

Sunday Morning Worship

Announcements(235-3248) Brandon Fuston
Lead SingingLarry Cook
First PrayerBruce Pryor
ReadingMicah Lawrence
ScriptureI Samuel 17:2-3
Lord's Table (N).....*Norman Sain
(S)*Larry Flatt
(N)Jacob Griffin
(N)Steve Smith
(N)Chris Snow
(S)Jeff Templeton
(S)Kelly Thaxton
(S)Jason Vandagriff
SermonIn the Valley of Elah - Tony Lawrence
DismissLeonard Clemons

Sunday Evening Worship

Announcements(235-3248) Brandon Fuston
Lead SingingLarry Cook
First PrayerRay Weddington
ReadingAiden McVey
ScriptureLuke 4:1-13
Lord's Table*David Keele
.....*Ronnie Prince
Sermon ...Dealing with Temptation - Tony Lawrence
DismissStanley Clendenon

Wednesday Bible Study

Announcements.....Ethan Duncan
Lead SingingTim Fisher
First PrayerRickey Hurst
ReadingJustin Randolph
Invitation.....Randall Gann
DismissRoger Cook

Welcome Committee

A.M.Doris Smith & Jean Ware
P.M.Leonard & Avie Clemons

Bus Driver:.....Ronnie Prince (808-2598)

Ushers:Ken Martin & Marc Martin
Attend Nursery:Stephanie McColloch
Un/Lock Building:Herb Rowland/Brandon Fuston
Prepare Communion:Marsha Pitts
Assist Baptisms: Susan Pryor & Almetia Jones

Pantry Item:Muffin Mix

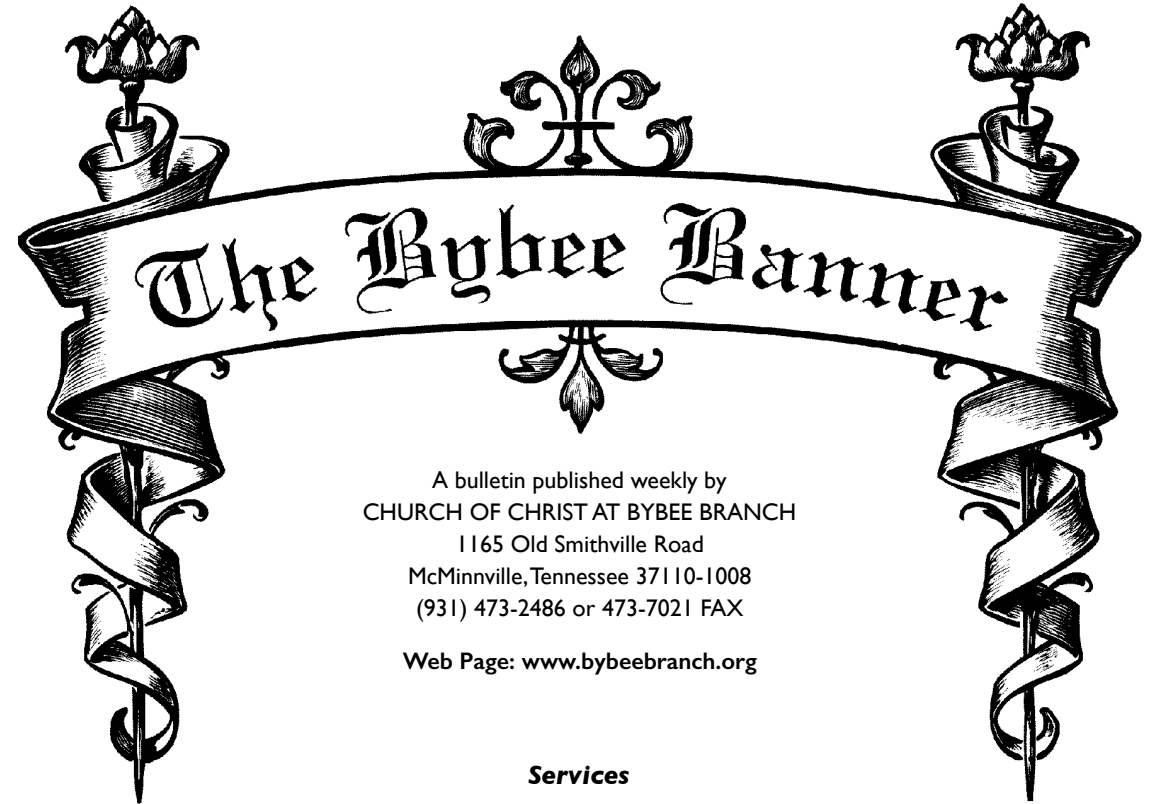
Elder Closing Remarks:Don Griffith

Record For The Week...

A.M. Worship.....307
Bible Study.....238
P.M. Worship164
Wednesday Bible Study.....223
Contribution.....\$7,955

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Services

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

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Sick & Shut-in

At Home:

Paula Keele (David's mother)
 Linda Cantrell - broken arm
 Dorothy Solomon (Zollie's sister) 515 Mullican St.
 Doris Settles (Zollie's sister-in-law), Cleveland, OH
 Joan Hillis
 Marty York - at his brother's home in Nashville
 Stanley Barnes (prayers requested, test this week)
 Carolyn Elrod (member at West Riverside, prayers requested)
 Jerry Flatt (Jeff's father) home following stroke
 Myra Bell - at son's home in KY, broken bone in neck

In The Hospital:

Gordon Fults - River Park
 Dorothy Hennessee - Stones River Hospital in Woodbury
 Bob Cunningham (Susan Pryor's father) - River Park Rehab
 Jaylen Wooten (Angie Caldwell's grandson) - Vanderbilt following concussion
 Morris Griffith - River Park Rehab

Sermon Topics

Sunday AMIn The Valley Of Elah
 Sunday PM.Learning To Deal With Temptation

Gospel Meetings

Main Street/Manchester church of Christ Gospel Meeting on May 15-17, services at 7 PM with Jimmy Clark.

Centertown church of Christ Gospel Meeting on May 15-17, services at 7 PM with Bill Williams

Oak Grove church of Christ Gospel Meeting on May 15-19, services at 7 PM each night with Tony Lawrence

Congratulations College Grads

Congratulations to:

Kevin Flatt - Lipscomb University
 Victoria Eschenbacher - Tennessee Tech

Preaching The Gospel Never Goes Out Of Style

A plethora of strength and benefit can be realized by both a congregation and individuals when attending local gospel meetings. We are sometimes guilty of discrediting activities that are good and wholesome because we lack interest, spiritual inclination, and being unselfish with our time. It is not uncommon to hear today that door knocking is an archaic method of evangelism and gospel meetings are things of the past. Never shall a personal distribution of truth ever become outdated or obsolete! God will not let it happen because the proclamation of truth was to be done through "earthen vessels," His followers (Rom. 9:21; II Tim. 2:20-22).

The apostle Paul records the placement of various spiritual men in the Lord's church from the time of the initiation of the body in Acts 2 on Pentecost. Their mission was to "perfect (mature) the saints," for "ministering," and "building up the body of Christ." The objectives are to enable Christians to become "perfect" (full-grown, mature, complete) "unto the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ." This would enable the truth to be spoken in love and each hearing individual to be edified and motivated "to the effectual working in the measure of every part, making increase of the body unto the edifying of itself in love" (Eph. 4:11-16).

The purpose of a gospel meeting is not just a tradition or a necessary evil; it has a three-fold purpose:

1. It is to admonish or give "kind counsel, reprove." We must be "able to admonish one another" (Rom. 15:14). We are to "Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly...admonishing one another in Psalms, hymns and spiritual songs" (Col. 3:16).

2. We have been instructed to exhort one another as well. Christians are urged to do good deeds and to preach (II Tim. 4:1-5). Encouragement is given to teach and consent to wholesome words which teach and exhort (I Tim. 6:2, 3). Admonition and exhortation by means of God's powerful Word contain the ingredients for saving self and others that hear us (I Tim. 4:11-16).

3. Gospel meetings are good for renewal and revival. David prayed for God to "renew a right spirit within me" (Ps. 51:10) for he knew he was sinful. Isaiah said that God and His word will renew our strength, but reminders are needed. A meeting is a good time to repent, find restoration, and return to the Lord (Heb. 6:6). Take advantage of every opportunity.

~ Mike King ~

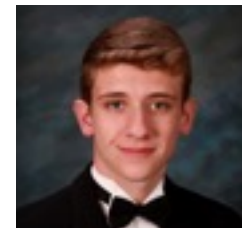
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Bybee Branch Summer Series

The Summer Series this year will be based on the theme: "Lord, Lift Me Up — Higher Ground" and will feature many extremely talented preachers speaking on positive topics to build up the church. Below is the schedule:

Date	Topic	Speaker
June 5	Living Above the World (Col. 3:1-2)	Jody Apple
June 12	Thinking Better Thoughts (Phil. 4:8)	Sam Jones
June 19	Saying Better Words (Col. 4:6)	Tom Harrison
June 26	Doing Good Deeds (Tit. 3:8, 14)	Bill Cantrell
July 3	Encouraging The Leadership (Deut. 1:38)	Ralph Hart
July 10	Living With Confidence (I Jn. 5:13)	Barry Kennedy
July 17	Having Positive Attitudes (Gal. 5:22-23)	Dan Cates
July 24	Comforting The Discouraged (Ezra - Neh.)	Ben Bailey
July 31	Inspiring The Young (I Tim. 4:12)	Chris Perry

Congratulations Graduates



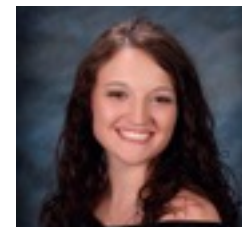
Phillip Brock



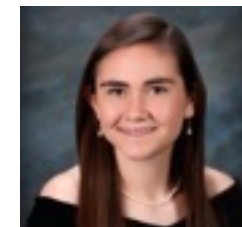
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Braxton Moody