

Sunday Morning Worship

Announcements(668-9727) Randall Gann
 Lead Singing.....Leonard Clemons
 First Prayer.....Tommy Turner
 Reading.....David Keele
 Scripture.....TBA
 Lord's Table (N)*Tommy Crouch
 (S).....*Ken Martin
 (N).....Joe Maynard
 (N).....Harold McGinness
 (N).....Ryan McColloch
 (S).....Rodney Maynard
 (S).....Herb Rowland
 (S).....Caleb Graves
 Sermon.....Jason Adams
 Dismiss.....Jamie Brock

Sunday Evening Worship

Announcements(668-9727) Randall Gann
 Lead Singing.....Leonard Clemons
 First Prayer.....Stanley Graves
 Reading.....David McColloch
 Scripture.....TBA
 Lord's Table*Eddie Palmer
*Kelly Thaxton
 Sermon.....Ben Bailey
 Dismiss.....Ronnie Hoover

Wednesday Bible Study

AnnouncementsRickey Hurst
 Lead Singing.....Ethan Duncan
 First Prayer.....Tony Lawrence
 Reading.....Tim Gann
 Invitation.....Stanley Clendenon
 Dismiss.....Paul Hurst

Welcome Committee

A.M.Ronnie & Elaine Hoover
 P.M.Mike Mullins Family

*If you cannot serve, please contact
 David Keele (273-5566)*

Ushers:Dwight Barrett, Rodney Maynard, Stan Hillis
 Un/Lock Building:.....Gordon Mayfield/Caleb Graves
 Prepare Communion:Clemons
 Assist Baptisms: .. Cynthia Duncan & Amy Lawrence

Pantry Item:SpaghettiOs/Ravioli

Elder Closing Remarks:Stanley Graves

Record For The Week...

A.M.Worship279
 Bible Study.....212
 P.M.Worship.....214
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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

Radio Program

Each Wednesday at 12:45 on WBMC 960 AM and 97.7 FM.

Shepherds

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 Herb Rowland

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Sick

At Home:

Marsha Dunlap
Jaxson Chalfont (cousin to Barbara Lorange)
Ronnie Reynolds (Rodney's brother)
Ronnie Rogers (following surgery)
Gracie King

In The Hospital:

Don Blackwell (Director of GBN) - now an outpatient. Mailing address:
WFRC #003; c/o Shepherd Center; 2020
Peachtree Rd NW; Atlanta GA 30309

Gospel Meetings

Hebron church of Christ, July 14-18, services at 7 PM with Jim Dearman preaching.

Smartt church of Christ, July 21-25, services at 7 PM with Larry Acuff preaching.

Ivy Bluff church of Christ, July 21-25, services at 7 PM with John Deberry preaching.

Jericho church of Christ, July 28-30, services at 7 PM with Jason Gann, Robert Garibaldi, Gene Brock & Tim Long preaching.

Bluff Springs church of Christ, July 28-31, services at 7 PM with John Simmons preaching.

Science Hill church of Christ, July 28-31, services at 7 PM with B.J. Clarke preaching.

Vacation Bible Schools

Mt Leo church of Christ, July 22-25, 6-8 PM

Hwy 56 church of Christ, July 21-23, 7 PM

Arlington church of Christ, July 21-24, 7 PM

Rockliff church of Christ, July 28-31, 7 PM

Central church of Christ, July 28-31, 6-8 PM

Jason Adams - preaching Sunday

The elders have invited Jason Adams back for a second interview to work with the youth. He will be preaching this Sunday morning.

Youth News

- SMBC – Coffee County Week—July 14 - 19
- Kayaking—July 20
- Pew Packers—July 21
- Softball/Kickball Sunday—July 21
- Home Devo @ Brock's—July 28
- Birthday Wednesday—July 31

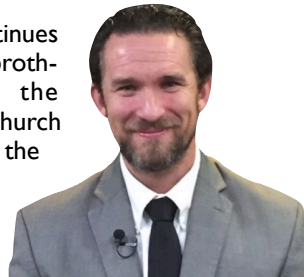
Short Mountain Bible Camp – We have several at camp this week. Please keep them in your prayers and thoughts for a safe week and lots of learning of God's word be instilled in their hearts. We look forward to hearing about their adventures this week.

Kayaking will be this Saturday, July 20. If you need to rent a kayak, please contact Smooth Rapids directly about renting a kayak. If you are bringing your own, please make arrangements for drop-off and pickup. We are planning to leave Pepper Branch Park at 10 and float to VFW ramp, which usually takes about 6 hours. Smooth Rapids rates are \$47 for a single kayak (1 person), \$70 for a tandem (2 person). If you wish to have Smooth Rapids transport your personal kayak, it is \$10 each. Please make your reservations ASAP. I inquired Sunday afternoon about approximate number going and was told there is another group as well.

Softball/Kickball Sunday – This Sunday evening we are planning to meet at the Civic Center for a little fun fellowship. Please make plans to come out and have a great time.

Summer Series

Our Summer Series continues this Sunday evening with brother Ben Bailey. Ben is the preacher for the Central church of Christ and speaker on the television program The Gospel of Christ. He will be speaking on the topic of "Prayer."



Try Beginning Again

Perhaps some reader has tried to be a Christian, but failed. If so, why not try again? Great success does not always come from a single effort. Worthwhile things are always worth trying and striving for, even if we must try again and again. In the year 1917, a tornado destroyed our home, blew it away and ruined our crops out on the farm before it tore up Carbon Hill, Alabama, and left the dead homeless in its wake. But we did not give up and quit. The next spring, we found ourselves planting again, and soon we were growing crops.

Life is like that. Wars are not usually won by a single battle. But battle after battle must be fought before the victory is won. In a way, some of the battles are lost, but victory belongs to those who win the last battle.

One young man started in to fight the cigarette habit but soon felt that the weed had conquered him. However, he decided that no man is licked who will keep on trying, again and again. So he summoned all his forces and marshaled them against his dangerous habit. A day at a time he vowed to his friends and to God that he would not smoke that day, regardless of what happened. Soon he had conquered a habit that is master of millions in our land.

Very few spend a long life in the service of Christ without ever getting discouraged, and for the moment, giving up in despair. But those who overcome the world are they who (if need be) try again and again – who refuse to surrender to the evil one. If they fail, they go down fighting – soon to rise again.

It is easy to give up and quit when the going gets rough, as it most certainly will – sooner or later. Long roads usually have some detours and rough places over which one must travel in order to reach the desired destiny.

The Christian life is like running a race (Heb. 12:1-2; 1 Cor. 9:25-27). If one fails he should get up and try again. The New Birth is a sort of "Land of Beginning Again" (John 3:5). So is a restoration of an erring child of God (Gal. 6:1; James 5:19-20).

~ Gus Nichols ~

What Really Changed Paul's Life?

All of Jerusalem was disturbed (Acts 21:30). Paul had been seized, dragged out of the temple, almost beaten to death, and falsely charged with desecrating the temple (Acts 21:30-32, 35).

Of interest, when he was finally allowed to defend himself, he talked about—of all things—his conversion. He spoke of

- His "education" at the feet of Gamaliel (22:1-3)
- His "convictions" relative to the strictness of the law (22:3)
- His "dedication" as a zealot, persecuting the church (22:3-5)
- His "immersion" for the remission of sins (22:16); and,
- His "commission" as one sent to the Gentiles (22:17-21).

Question: What really changed Paul's life? What turned him from one religion to another? What directed his energies? Why was he converted?

Answer: He saw Jesus! On the road to Damascus his associates saw the same light Paul encountered, but only Paul was temporarily blinded. Why? Paul was the only one actually to see the Lord in His glory, and it changed his life forever (Acts 22:6-9; 9:7).

Even so, when you and I study the Old Testament, we are encouraged to anticipate a Savior. When we study the New Testament, we are introduced to Jesus as that Savior. If we are baptized into Him (Galatians 3:26-27) and allow Him to live in us (Galatians 2:20) like Paul, it will make all the difference in our lives...and our eternity.

~ Dan Winkler ~

Monday Morning Bible Class

Our Monday Morning Bible Class will study the short book of Jude this coming Monday and then beginning August 12, we will start a study of the book of Revelation. The class welcomes everyone!