

Sunday Morning Worship

AnnouncementsLarry Flatt
 Lead SingingCeleb Graves
 First PrayerMike Mullins
 Reading.....Dale Bennett
 ScriptureI John 1:6, 7
 Lord's Table (N)*Ray Weddington
 SermonTony Lawrence
 DismissJeff Flatt

Sunday Evening Worship

AnnouncementsLarry Flatt
 Lead SingingCaleb Graves
 First PrayerMatthew Woodside
 Reading.....Kane Maynard
 Scripture.....Genesis 27:41
 Lord's Table*Rickey Hurst
*Seth Graves
 SermonTony Lawrence
 DismissNorman Sain

Wednesday Bible Study

AnnouncementsPaul Hurst
 Lead SingingRickey Hurst
 First PrayerBrandon Fuston
 Reading.....Willie Newby
 InvitationJason Adams
 DismissHerb Rowland

Record for the Week...

A.M. Worship 194
 Bible Study..... 157
 P.M. Worship..... 102
 Wednesday Bible Study 110
 Contribution\$6,233

Welcome Committee

A.M.....Allen & Glenda Hughes
 P.M.....Micah Lawrence & Family

*If you can not serve, please contact
 Mike Mullins (931) 743-8093*

Ushers:Bruce Pryor, Darren Dixon, Tim Gann
 Un/Lock Building:.....Rodney Maynard/Mike Mullins
 Assist Baptisms:Mary Flatt & Amy Lawrence
 Pantry Item:Chicken Salad
 Check Pantry:Kara Fuston
 Check Kitchen:Denice Rhea
 Check Workroom:Dorris Smith
 VideoTommy Turner
 Elder Closing RemarksAllen Hughes

January Bus Route Drivers

Sunday AM.....Seth Graves
 Sunday AM.....Stan Hillis
 Sunday PMJeff Flatt
 Wednesday PM.....Clent Kesey

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Services

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

Each Wednesday at 10:00 AM on WBMC 960 AM and 97.7 FM.

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Sick

At Home:

Gabrielle Buford (Rachel Mayes' cousin)
David Chilton
June Crouch
Tony Lawrence
Kelly Peoples
Jimmy Ramsey (Maggie Hurst's brother-in-law)
Howard Witty
Francis Woodlee (Nelma & Nona's sister)

Hospital

Martha Cathy (surgery)
Cathy Hennessee (Darron's sister) NHC #408A
Wilma Rogers (Lily Rutledge's sister) Willow Branch

Sympathy

We want to extend our sympathy to the family of Stephaine Ann Martin (Gail Crouch and Joe Maynard's niece). Her services were on Monday Please keep her family in your prayers.

Neighborhood Bible Study

The Arlington congregation will be having a series of Monday night Bible study sessions in January. They will meet each Monday evening, beginning with refreshments at 6:00 PM followed by Bible study at 6:30 PM.

Ladies Day (further information is on the bulletin board)

The Morrison congregation will be having a ladies day on January 28th beginning 9:30 AM.

Singing (further information is on the bulletin board)

The Findley congregation (in Sparta) is hosting a singing on Friday, February 10th. Drinks and desserts will be provided at this event. Activities will begin at 7:00 PM.

Visitation Team #4

Visitation team #4 will meet in room #1 following our evening services.

Youth News and Updates

Bible Bowl Combined Class

Just a reminder that there is a combined class for grades 5th - high school, on Sundays. Micah and Jason are teaching this class in room #10/11.

January Home Devo

Our next home devo will be on January 22nd at the home of Carol LaTurno and Barbara Lance. Boys bring drinks and girls bring desserts.

Home Devo 2023

All months have been assigned. Details of who is hosting, leading singing and speaking at each home devo is posted on the bulletin board.

Birthday Wednesday

Our next birthday Wednesday will be on Wednesday, January 25th.

Challenge Youth Conference

There are a few people who still need to get their Release forms turned in. Please see Jason for your form.

Xtreme Paintball

A paintball excursion has been planned for Saturday April 1st. The cost per person will be \$51. Jason needs to RSVP a time slot soon. If you plan on going, please sign up on the iPad.

White Water Rafting

A white water rafting excursion has been planned for Saturday, June 24th. It is early in the year, but lots of planning needs to be done to make this happen. If you plan on going, please sign up on the iPad

January Youth Activities

January 22nd (Sunday) Home Devo
January 25th (Wednesday) Birthday Wednesday
January 29th (Sunday) Youth Led Worship Service

Are You A Minister

In the church today, we have come to think of only one man in a congregation as being the minister, instead of realizing that every Christian is in reality a minister. The ministry is not something done TO the church, but something DONE by the church.

Those who seek to follow in the steps of Jesus, would do well to heed his statement, "the son of man came not to be ministered to, but to minister". Too many of the sons of God today, come to be ministered too rather than minister.

The result is that the saints are no longer participants in the arena, but spectators in the grandstand. Because of this attitude, we are delivering babies who never intended to graduate, enlisting soldiers, who never intend to fight, registering racers, who never intend to run.

Our motto has become "here he is, Lord send him."

The ship of Zion is no longer manned by a volunteer crew, working for the sheer love of the captain, but is steered by a pilot and an assistant pilot, while the remainder of paying passengers who are going along for the ride.

It is astounding, how much deadweight and dead timber there is in the average congregation. Dead timber produces no fruit and deadweight must be dragged along. Somewhere along the way, we have missed the very essence of the Christian concept and the result is that we have the greatest accumulation of unused talent and the richest deposit of untouched ability of any group of people on earth.

If we are going to be honest in our plea for restoration, it is time that we begin to revolutionize our thinking so that every soldier will don the armor, and every child of God will be active and ministering.

Let's quit being spectators and get where the action is.