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Sunday Morning Worship

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Announcements	Caleb Graves
Lead Singing	Seth Graves
First Prayer	Larry Flatt
Reading	Jason Vandagriff
Scripture	Mark 1:12-13
Lord's Table	*Willie Newby
Sermon	Tony Lawrence
Dismiss	David McColloch

Sunday Evening Worship

Announcements	Caleb Graves
Lead Singing	Seth Graves
First Prayer	Jason Adams
Reading	Jeff Flatt
Scripture	Mark 11:26
Lord's Table	*Kurt Maynard
	*Kane Maynard
Sermon	Tony Lawrence
Dismiss	Ronnie Hoover

Wednesday Bible Study

Announcements	Bruce Pryor
Lead Singing	Rickey Hurst
First Prayer	Mike Mullins
Reading	
Invitation	
Dismiss	Don Sullivan

Record for the Week...

A.M.Worship	
Bible Study	
P.M. Worship	
Wednesday Bible Study	
Contribution	\$5,986

Welcome Committee

Temporarily suspended

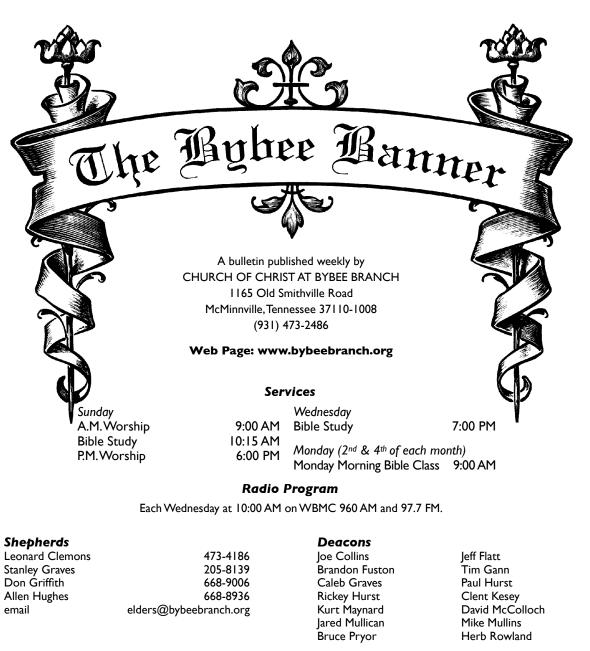
If you can not serve, please contact Mike Mullins (931) 743-8093

Ushers:Dwight Barrett, Ronnie Prince, Stan Hi	llis
Un/Lock Building:Ronnie Prince/Caleb Grav	/es
Assist Baptisms:Mary Flatt & Jane Flat	att
Pantry Item:Cl	hili
Check Pantry:Kara Fust	on
Check Kitchen:Denice Rh	iea
Check Workroom:Kara Hu	rst
VideoCaleb Hugh	ies
Elder Closing RemarksDon Griff	ìth

February Bus Route Drivers

Sunday AM (van)	Paul Hurst
Sunday PM (van)	Paul Hurst
Wednesday PM	Eddie Palmer

HERE	[RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED]
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At Home:

Stanley & Jean Clendenon
Glenda Ferrell (following heart ablation)
Sherry Graves (following by-pass surgery)
Kingston League (following surgery) should be home this week
Steve Nearing (continuing treatments)
Rickey Jones (Stephanie's father)
Eugene Womack
Dale Zuna (stage 3 esophageal cancer) treatment at MD Anderson in Houston. (cards may be sent to Hope Lodge #413; 6801 Ardmore St., Houston TX 77054)
Pamela Edwards (Margret Schillinger's niece)

Hospital

Phillip Clemons (Linda Hamilton's brother) St. Thomas Midtown

Iva Cunningham - in the hospital in Georgia.

Chris Garrison (Joe Collins' great nephew) - surgery for a work related injury.

Note: Starting this month, if someone is unable to attend for the whole month their names will be moved to the shut-in list published the second week of each month. This is not because they are unimportant as every soul is precious. Should someone on the shut-in list become hospitalized or become gravely ill their names will be put back on the sick list.

Quotes on Forgiveness

I can forgive, but I cannot forget, is only another way of saying, I will not forgive. Forgiveness ought to be like a cancelled note—torn in two, and burned up, so that it never can be shown against one. ~ Henry Ward Beecher ~

There's no point in burying a hatchet if you're going to put a marker on the site. ~ Sydney |. Harris ~

A man may as well go to hell for not forgiving as for not believing. ~ Thomas Watson ~

Youth and Family Activities

Sunday Night Eats

Our next Sunday Night Eats will be on Sunday, February 11th following our evening services. This is opened to all high-school and college aged youth.

H.E.Y. at Arlington

The next H.E.Y. gathering will be at the Arlington congregation. Those attending and needing a ride, please sign up on the iPad or youth website.

Home Devo

Our next home devotional will be on Sunday, February 18th following our evening services. The location has yet been determined.

Spring Youth Retreat

Our Spring Youth Retreat is just around the corner. Jason needs all who will be attending to sign up no later than Wednesday, February 28th (*this is so we can get our t-shirts ordered and made on time*).

Upcoming Youth Activities

Sunday February I Ith
Sunday February 18thSunday Night Eats
Home DevoSunday February 18thHome DevoSunday February 18thHEY at ArlingtonWednesday February 28thSYR sign up deadline

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### **Another Day**

O the bliss of a newborn day And the freshness of morning's dew When life reaches its highest peak With such a God-given view.

Life is a beautiful gift from God Then what more can we say Except, thanks to the living God For the light of another day.

> ~Benny B. Bristow ~ (Corretta's father)

## Shut-In At Home

Irma Castorena (Josue's mother) W.C. & Nelma Chilton **Janice Foster** Vickie Griffith (former member, receiving treatments) Greg Grizzell Devon Grove Ronnie Hamilton Willie Holmes Sarah Kell Irene Lawrence (back at her home) Daisy Maxwell Helen Morgan Noel Pebber Maxine Pittman (Mary Ashford's sister) Rodnev Revnolds Lottie Ward (Judy Sullivan's mother)

# NHC

(928 Old Smithville Rd McMinnville, TN 37110) Serese Brock #406 Morris Griffith #301 Jean Henderson (Cindy Fisher's mother) #113 Cathy Hennessee #408A Lola Barrett

# **Riverview Terrace**

(114 Highland Drive McMinnville, TN 37110) Anna Jean Bond #B4

## **Willow Branch**

(415 Pace Street McMinnville, TN 37110) Greg Hughes (Allen's cousin) #102 Marty York #509

## **Brookdale Retirement Center**

(910 Murfreesboro Rd, Franklin, TN 37064) Phyllis Brasher (Mary Flatt's mother)

### Holding a Grudge

One day a visitor leaned on the old fence around a farm while he watched an old farmer plowing with a mule. After a while, the visitor said, "I don't like to tell you how to run your business, but you could save yourself a lot of work by saying, 'Gee' and 'Haw' to that mule instead of just tugging on those lines." The old farmer pulled a big handkerchief from his pocket and wiped his face. Then he said, "Reckon you're right, but this animal kicked me five years ago and I ain't spoke to him since."

The moral of the story seems obvious: A grudge is harder on the one who holds it than the one it is held against. The Apostle Paul said that we are to forgive any man if we have a quarrel against him. Just like Christ forgave us, we are to forgive each other (Col. 3:13). Friend, if God and Christ can extend mercy to you for your sins, surely you can be merciful to those who offend you.

~ Practical Bible Illustrations From Yesterday and Today ~

### Forgiveness is Good For Your Health!

Researchers Have Discovered New Truth Behind the Old Adage, "to Err Is Human and To Forgive, Divine." Studies Suggest That People Who Forgive Experience Physical and Mental Health Benefits. Research Also Indicates the Beneficial Health Benefits Vary by Age, and Are Affected by a Person's Willingness To Forgive Others, Their Willingness To Forgive Themselves, and Feelings of Being Forgiven by God.

The Study Conducted by the University of Michigan and Partly Funded by the National Institute of Mental Health, Found Young Adults; Aged 18–44 Were Less Likely To Forgive Others Than Middle Aged Adults (45– 64) and Older Adults (65 and Up). Younger Adults Were Also Less Likely To Believe They Had Been Forgiven by God.

People who forgive reported decreased psychological distress, including fewer feelings of restlessness, hope-lessness, and nervousness. Young adults who reported high levels of self-forgiveness were more likely to be satisfied with their lives. Older adults who reported high levels of forgiveness for others were more likely to report increased life satisfaction.

 $\sim$  Journal of Adult Development 8 (2001)  $\sim$