

*****PREPARE COMMUNION*****

September - Rodney Williams
October - Allen & Garner

NURSERY ATTENDANTS

TODAY - Cindy Williams * September 29 - Bonnie Jones

CHILDREN'S HOME NEEDS

Hamburger Helper * Paper Towels * Trash Bags (13 Gallon)
* Cream of Chicken Soup * Shampoo or Conditioner *
Ibuprofen * pick up date December 16

OUR RECORD FOR LAST WEEK

Attendance - 133
Contribution - 3774

FOOD PANTRY

SEPTEMBER ITEMS: SPAGHETTI NOODLES

Canned spaghetti sauce, peanut butter, canned fruit (no apple-sauce). Cash donations also gratefully accepted



Happy Birthday:

September 23 - Shirley Johnson
September 26 - Jacob Clayton
September 27 - Pam Collier
September 28 - Sue Flowers
Wyatt Adams

Happy Anniversary:

September 23 - Curtis and Vickie McClard

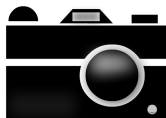


Bible Trivia:

Who was the first drunkard to be talked about in the Bible?

Last Week's Answer:

In the story of Noah and the Ark (Genesis 8:9) it talks about the sole of a dove's foot



We are down to the last 10 or so families who have yet to submit a photo for our directory. If you are one of them, please see Amy or Trish about having your photo taken. Thank you.

SERVING TODAY

September 22, 2019

Song Leader.....Morris Karnes
Opening Prayer.....Tim Woods

LORD'S TABLE

Ron Garner.....Zack Tanner
Marty Howard.....David Howard
Jason Karnes.....Jacob Clayton
Scripture.....Wayne Reams
Prayer.....Jonathan Simmons
Announcements.....David Carson
Dismissal.....Jeff Rodgers

Sunday Evening

Song Leader.....Tim Woods
Prayer.....Darrin Shipman
Scripture.....Joe Watson
Matthew 26:1-5

Dismissal.....Sam Garner

Wednesday, September 25, 2019

Song Leader.....Joe Watson
Prayer.....Ron Garner
Dismissal.....Jerry Burleson

September 29, 2019

Song Leader.....Wes Howard
Opening Prayer.....Zack Tanner
LORD'S TABLE

David Carson.....Justin Allen
Tim Flowers.....Jeff McGowan
Jeff Rodgers.....Johnny McGowan
Scripture.....Jonathan Simmons
Prayer.....Jon Neely
Announcements.....Ron Garner
Dismissal.....Darrin Shipman

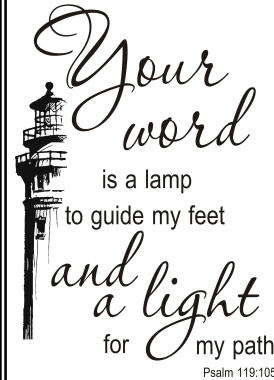
Sunday Evening

Song Leader.....Wayne Reams
Prayer.....Rodney Williams
Scripture.....David Burleson
Matthew 26: 6-9

Dismissal.....Jerry McCoy

COUNT SEPTEMBER CONTRIBUTION

Wayne Reams.....Jerry McCoy
Johnny McGowan.....David Howard



SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAY

Bible Study...9:30AM
Worship.....10:15AM
Worship.....6:00PM

WEDNESDAY

Bible Study.....7:00PM

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TRUE LIGHT

September 22, 2019

Thirteen Reasons to Do Something Nice for Somebody Today

(Ten weren't enough)

13. Be nice just because you can (Galatians 6:10). Every opportunity to be nice is a gift from God.
12. Being nice to others follows the good example of some notably good people (Abram in Genesis 13: 8-9, David in 2 Samuel 9:1-13, Dorcas in Acts 9:36-43 to name a few)
11. Being nice to others combats pride and arrogance (Proverbs 3:34 and 16:5). Seeking to bless others keeps us from focusing too much on ourselves (Philippians 2:4).
10. Good people always appreciate you for being nice to them (1 Thessalonians 5:17). Gratitude is built into their souls.
9. Believers - and sometimes even others - know that everything good flows from God, and they'll glorify Him because of your niceness (Matthew 5:16, James 1:17).
8. Few things feel as nice as being nice (Philippians 4:4-9). Niceness pulls us upward.
7. Practice (good, sound, correct practice), makes perfect (1 Thessalonians 4: 9-10). The more we're nice, the more we'll know how to be nice.
6. It often costs nothing - except kindness and attention - to be nice (Proverbs 11: 24-26). Niceness need not break the bank or even strain the budget.
5. Most people reciprocate - be nice to them and they'll be nice to you (2 Chronicles 9: 5-12, 1 Samuel 25: 18-42). Niceness can set in motion a cycle of blessing and encouragement.
4. God rewards niceness and every other loving behavior (Genesis 24: 10-60, Colossians 3: 23-24).
3. Today is all we have (James 4: 13-17). There's absolutely no guarantee of tomorrow. Even if you have a tomorrow, the people you plan to be nice to may not.
2. Showing love draws us closer to God (1John 4:7-8).
1. As nice as it is to be nice, "nice" doesn't even begin to cover how good God is to us (1 John 4: 9-10 and 19, Romans 5: 6-11). Bill Bagents, Mars Hill Messenger

Treat everyone with kindness and respect, even those who are rude to you - not because they are nice, but because you are.

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MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

Wednesday Fellowship Meal: hot dogs, soups and chili. Desserts will be needed
September 28: Children’s Home Homecoming/Fish Fry. Let’s get our change for children cans filled up. If anyone is able to take the cans, please let Stan or Amy know
September 28: Ladies Day at Central church of Christ in Paducah. The theme is “Lessons From the Front Porch” with speaker Donna Faughn. More information is posted on the bulletin board by the nursery
September 29: Fifth Sunday early evening service and potluck meal. We will eat following morning worship and have a 1 p.m. evening service. Everyone is encouraged to stay for the meal
September 29 - Oct 2: Harding Lectureships. The theme is “Fan the Flame.” More information is posted on the bulletin board by the nursery

Looking Ahead

Ladies Lunch Out October 10 at 11:30 at Sandy Ridge Smokehouse in East Prairie. We will take the van and depart from the church parking lot at 10:45. PLEASE make sure to sign up if you plan to attend

Hayride and Youth Rally October 19 at the Magill Farm, beginning at 1:30 p.m. More information is posted on the bulletin board by the nursery

Gospel Meeting at Bernie Oct. 20-23 with Alex Bayes. Be praying for a successful meeting

Mary and Martha will not meet in October due to the Gospel Meeting at Bernie

BYC Ladies Retreat Oct. 25 & 26, hosted by the Advance congregation. The theme is “If the Shoe Fits.” The cost is \$15 for Friday or Saturday; \$25 for both days. T shirts are available for \$12. Ladies are asked to bring a colorful pair of new socks to be donated to the children’s home

Thomason “Farewell Tour” Spooktacular Oct 25. This will be the final party before retirement!

LOOK WHAT YOU DID TO ME!

The story is told of a very angry fellow who unleashed a haymaker toward his neighbor. The neighbor ducked, the angry man hit the wall, and he fractured his hand. As soon as the pain allowed him to speak, he yelled at his neighbor, “Look what you did to me!”

We see the inaccuracy, the false attribution. It’s not “what you did to me.” Rather, it’s what you did to you. We often struggle to take responsibility for our actions and their results. Examples abound:

*the student who yells at his teacher, “I can’t believe you failed me!” * the speeder who yells at the officer, “I can’t believe you hid behind that sign with your radar gun!” * the gossip who yells at his friend, “I can’t believe you repeated what I told you in confidence!” * the employee who yells at her boss, “I can’t believe you fired me just for being late!” * even worse, the abusive husband who yells at his wife, “I can’t believe you made me hit you - again!”

There are biblical examples of this sad tendency to deny and displace responsibility:

*Adam tried it with, “The woman whom You gave to be with me, she gave me of the tree, and I ate” (Genesis 3:12) * Aaron tried it with, “You know the people, that they are set on evil “ (Exodus 32:22) * Saul tried it with, “When I saw the people were scattered from me, and that you did not come within the days appointed...” (1 Samuel 13:11) * Saul tried again with, “I have sinned ... because I feared the people and obeyed their voice” (1 Samuel 15”24) * The one-talent man tried with, “Lord, I knew you to be a hard man, reaping where you have not sown, and gathering where you have not scattered” (Matthew 25:24).

People keep trying to dodge, deny and displace spiritual responsibility. It hasn’t worked yet - not even once. Such efforts impede repentance which, in turn, impedes both forgiveness and restoration. And while doing so, those futile efforts both insult God and make us look really bad.

Via Mars Hill Messenger

Lifting up in Prayer...

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Pam Jerals (David Burleson’s sister) has been diagnosed with stage 2 cancer * Michal Woods broke her wrist early last week and saw an orthopedic surgeon Thursday * Gloria and Ronnie Moore both have the flu * Pansy Zimmerman hasn’t been feeling well for the past week or so * Jennifer Hampton broke her finger and saw an orthopedic surgeon Wednesday * Trish Baldwin’s MRI came out fine; she is scheduled to see the doctor tomorrow regarding her pituitary gland * Curtis McClard is still waiting on test results * Reba Owens had an appointment Friday for infection in her toe * Darlene McGowan’s lumpectomy did not remove all the cancer. She will see the doctor Tuesday * David Carson will have surgery on his sinuses October 1 * Helen McGowan will have another procedure October 9 to prepare her for dialysis * Marty Watson hasn’t been doing well * Lola Johnson has an appointment Friday in preparation for home dialysis * Christy Mercado (Linda Jones’ daughter) will have a laparoscopic hysterectomy Oct. 11 * Megan Brenna will have a c section Wednesday and surgery for her brain tumor Friday

CONTINUING PRAYERS

(congregational)

Louella Akers * John David Barnett * David Burleson * Jerry Burleson * Pam Claeys * Billie Cooper * Scott and Judy Flannery * Sue Flowers * Grant Howard * Curtis McClard * Darlene McGowan * Helen McGowan * Jeff McGowan * Donna McKuin * Ida Roberts * Gayle Rodgers * Waynetta Rodgers * Elwood Rush * Jane Smith * David Terrill * Max Terrill * Bettie Thurston * Joy Watson * Marty Watson * Sharlette Watson * Woody Wood * Darrell Zimmerman * Pansy Zimmerman *

CONTINUING PRAYERS (non congregational)

Cancer

Pauline Bratcher
Roxanne Carson
Sherry Chambers
Jackie Cooper
Bill Fitzpatrick
Peggy Hampton
Kristi Hargrave
LeAnn Jacques
Tommy Jacques
Pam Jerals
Andy Kelley
Connie Lemmons
Annette Lumsden
Phil McKuin
Christy Mercado
Betty Nicholson
Donnie Rawlings
Gerald Robertson
Deanna Rogers
Bobby Thornton

Other Health Issues

Megan Brenna (brain tumor/pregnancy)
Amy Green (poor health)
DeeDee Burch (auto accident)
Mary Burke (poor health)
Renee Goodman (serious health issues)
Clyde Jacques
Lola Johnson (kidney)
Beckie King (MS)
Nikki Lawrence (migraines)
Sonja Mays (poor health)
Alvin Miller (poor health)
Tom Provance
Gene Rowland
Traci Suiter (poor health)
Paige Tanner (congestive heart failure)
Geraldine Tomah (poor health)
Kay Wright (declining health)

OUR SHUT INS

Central Garden:	Lois McKuin #117	Ridgeview Living:	Shirley Johnson #225
Cypress Point:	Joy Watson #8		Bertha Skidgell #218
Winchester Place:	Travis Cooper, #7 Elwood Rush, #6		Max Terrill #207 Isaac Wheeler #201
Winchester Nursing Home:	Sue Flowers #208	Crowley Ridge Nursing:	Fern Botsch, #103

AT HOME: Pam Claeys, Scott & Judy Flannery, Gayle Rodgers