

THOSE TO SERVE

SUNDAY MORNING GREETERS – February 22, 2015

Front Door – Carolyn Kilburn and Judy Vandiver
 West Door – Billy III and Lindsay Helton
 East Door – Mark and Kristi Miller

AUDITORIUM CLASS PRAYER.....Reggie Holt

MORNING WORSHIP – February 22

OPENING PRAYER.....Biff Helton

PRESIDE AT TABLE.....Mark Miller, Jeremy Gargis

SERVE AT TABLE

Mark Evans.....Danny Tice
 Dustin Maggard.....JoJo Gieske
 Jeff Bass.....TBD

USHERS

Doug Burns, Kenneth Kidd,
 Jackie Keaton, Mike Purcell, TBD

CLOSING PRAYER.....Scott Harris

If you cannot serve on Sunday morning, please call Reggie Holt at 629-8920.

SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE – February 22

Ushers.....Jacob Cothren and Shane Hughes
 Front Door Greeters.....T.J. and Sammie Hughes
 Scripture Reading, Mark 2:1-12.....Joe Miele
 Lead Prayer.....Randy Britton
 Closing Prayer.....Brent Thomas
 Communion & Contribution.....Joe Cook
If you cannot serve on Sunday evening, please call Eric Nutt at 242-3566.

The elders ask that our Bible readings come from the King James or the New King James versions.

WEDNESDAY EVENING – February 25

Scripture Reading, Isaiah 18:1-7.....Jeff Smith
 Lead Prayer.....Olen Springer
 Closing Prayer.....Shane Hughes
If you cannot serve on Wednesday, please call Reggie Holt at 629-8920.

VAN DRIVERS FOR February 22 and 25

Call the driver listed below if you won't be riding the van.

SUNDAY MORNING Tim Miller: 244-6113.

SUNDAY EVENING NO VAN RUNS.

WEDNESDAY EVENING Reggie Holt: 629-8920.

If you cannot drive the van, please contact Scott Harris at 629-5994.

PROJECTOR OPERATORS FOR February 22 and 25

Sunday Morning.....Jacob Cothren

Sunday Evening Service.....Darrin McKamey

Wednesday Evening.....Mark Miller

SERVING THROUGHOUT FEBRUARY

Nursery Attendant.....Betty Brown
 Baptismal Clothes.....Martha Britton and Mindy Janssen

Auditorium Class Song Leader.....Billy Helton III

Sunday Morning Song Leader.....Eric Nutt

Sunday Evening Song Leader.....Jeremy Gargis

Wednesday Evening Song Leader.....Reggie Holt

Prepare Communion.....Hazel Violet

Pick up Cups.....Biff and Penny Helton

February 4 and February 8

Mid-Week Bible Study.....200
 Sunday Morning Bible Study.....234
 Sunday Morning Worship.....348
 Sunday Evening Worship.....178
 Contribution (Budget \$9,069).....\$8,483.00
 (Average through January).....\$9,103.36

Pulaski Street Church of Christ
 247 Pulaski Street
 Lawrenceburg, TN 38464

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SCHEDULE of SERVICES

Sunday Bible Classes.....9:30 a.m.
 Sunday Morning Worship.....10:25 a.m.
 Sunday Evening Worship.....6:00 p.m.*
 Wednesday night.....7:00 p.m.
 (*Each 4th and 5th Sunday evening service is at 1 p.m.)

SEARCHING THE SCRIPTURES

◆ On WDXE AM 1370 ◆ 12:45 p.m. ◆ Monday through Friday ◆
 The upcoming week of February 16 - 20 will be hosted
 by the SALEM Church of Christ.

PANTRY LIST

instant potatoes/8 oz. pkg.
rice/1 lb. bag **crackers**/1 lb. box
macaroni & cheese/7.25 oz. box
quick oats/18 or 42 oz. **OR** boxes of individual packets
dried beans/1 lb. bag **ramen noodles**/3 oz. pkg.
 cans of: **tuna**/6 oz. **Vienna sausage**/5 oz. **salmon**/ 15 oz.
SpaghettiOs, ravioli, etc./15 oz. can
fruit or vegetable juice/46 oz. can or bottle
peanut butter/18 oz. jar **soup**/10.5 oz. can
canned vegetables/14.5 oz. can...
 (corn, green beans, peas, baked beans, pork & beans, etc.)
canned fruit/15 ¼ oz. (peach, pear, etc.)
canned meat/12-24 oz. (Spam, Treet, Chicken, etc.)
jelly, jam, or preserves/18-32 oz. jar

*Monetary contributions are always welcome!
 Make check payable to Pulaski Street Church of Christ,
 and please indicate "PANTRY" on the memo line.*

Thank you!

PULASKI STREET BULLETIN

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Go Save My People!

God gave Moses a mission. Beginning in Exodus 3, we find the interaction between God and Moses detailing what God's plans were. As you are likely well aware, Moses lacked self-confidence concerning the task at hand and made several excuses. Let's look at the excuses he made and think about whether we make the same ones or not.

1. "Who am I to do this?" (Ex. 3:11)

This is the first statement of reluctance from Moses. He wonders why God chose him out of all the people that He could have chosen. Perhaps we make this same excuse. Do we leave it to the preacher, the elders, and other Christians to reach out into the world and save people? God is not satisfied with this excuse and gives a solution.

2. "Who sent you? What is his name?" (Ex. 3:13)

The second statement of reluctance from Moses seems to be a bit petty. Moses is already aware that he is speaking to God; God had told him in Exodus 3:6. For us, though, maybe we think we don't have a great enough grasp of who God is to be sent by Him to do His will. This excuse still does not stand. God is not satisfied with it and gives a solution.

3. "What if they don't believe me or won't listen?" (Ex. 4:1)

In his third statement of reluctance, Moses doesn't even give the people – the ones that God desires him to go to – a chance. He writes them off before the message is even sent. Do we pick and choose who we take the gospel to? I believe that at times we neglect to share God's word with some people because we just don't think they will listen. God is not satisfied with this excuse either and gives a solution.

4. "I'm not a good speaker!" (Ex. 4:10)

In his fourth statement of reluctance, Moses refers to what he sees as his own inability. He is afraid that he won't know how to deliver the message or how to respond to what Pharaoh may have to say. At times we, too, will appeal to our personal weaknesses as an excuse not to take the life-saving gospel to those around us. God is not satisfied with this excuse and gives a solution.

5. "Just send anyone else!" (Ex. 4:13)

In his fifth and final statement of reluctance, Moses is grasping for any possible chance of not going before Pharaoh. Perhaps we have had these same feelings, thinking that someone else can take care of doing the things that God commands. However, just as is the case with the rest of the excuses that Moses made, God isn't satisfied and gives a solution.

Whatever problems we may encounter, God will give us the help that we need as long as we are going about things the way that He has asked us to! This was His continual message to Moses, and the same is true for us today.

You can do it! Now, go save souls!

JEREMY GARGIS

ELDERS: Tim Hammond, 852-4832 Biff Helton, 242-8785 Bob Markus, 762-9779 Eric Nutt, 242-3566

Please speak with the elder chairman regarding anything you'd like for the elders to discuss or to arrange a time to meet with them.
 The elder chairman for *January and February of 2015* is **Eric Nutt**.

DEACONS: Shayne Adams Joe Cook Jacob Cothren Jim Donnelly Scott Harris Billy Helton III
 Reggie Holt Shane Hughes Kenneth Kidd Mark Miller Brad Nielsen Olen Springer

MINISTER: Jeremy Gargis, 231-9557

AGAPE COUNSELING OFFICE: 762-8502

CAN'T STOP NOW

The famous engineer and inventor, Robert Fulton, returned to America from Paris in 1805 to test his invention of the steamship. In 1807, he was ready to take the steamship *Claremont* on a trial run up the Hudson River between New York City and Albany.

In the excited crowd watching the proceedings, there was a negative, pessimistic, doubtful old man. While preparations were made to start, the old man kept repeating, "They won't ever get her started." The steamship, however, was started, and began its trip up the river to the cheers of the crowd. The doubter was then heard to say, "They won't ever get her stopped."

There are two kinds of doubters: the active, investigative doubters who are willing to study evidences before reaching a conclusion, and the lazy, prejudicial doubters who are unwilling to consider any possible evidences.

Be a good doubter. Consider the reasons you should believe the Bible and be a member of the church you read about therein.

"...learn of me..." Matthew 11:29

via House to House ~ Heart to Heart
Jacksonville Church of Christ

SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

He who is not grateful for what he does have will not be happy with the things that he desires to have.

He who is ungrateful in little will also be ungrateful in much!

If we are not thankful to God for the blessings He bestows, what reason is there to expect Him to bestow additional blessings?

If the blessings for which we are thankful were suddenly removed, what would our lives really be like?

"Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God;" (Phil. 4:6).

May your blessings be many, and may your burdens be few on this day.

David Lacy

Channelview Church of Christ, Channelview, TX
Via Bulletin Digest.com, 1001 N. Johnson St., McCrory, AR

ABOUT ATTITUDE...

A cloudy day is no match for a sunny disposition.

-William Arthur Ward

Attitude is a little thing that makes a big difference.

-Winston Churchill

The world is full of cactus, but we don't have to sit on it.

-Will Foley

I don't like that man. I must get to know him better.

-Abraham Lincoln

SYMPATHY

We extend our Christian love and sympathy to the family of **MARY COATS**, a longtime member here until her move to Illinois. The funeral was held Tuesday, February 10, at Neal Funeral Home.

MEMORIAL DONATION

In lieu of flowers, a donation has been given to the Pulaski Street Youth Group in memory of **CORDIE HILL**.

THANK YOU

Dear Pulaski Street family,

Thank you so much for the overwhelming support during Thad's surgery and recovery. Your cards, calls, and messages were so comforting. It is powerful to know you are lifting our family up in prayer. You are truly a blessing to our family. Love, **Jon, Katie, Zoe, Seth, and Thad Morris**

Dear Church family,

Thank you all so very much for the cards, prayers, and every act of kindness and concern toward me during my surgery, recovery, and rehab. Thank you to the elders for their prayers. Especially, I thank my Sunday School class (the Billy Helton class). There is not a big enough thank-you note to hold all the gratitude I feel for all that you have done for me. I love you all. **Mary Wilson**

Thank you for everything you do for me. Thanks to Peggy Price for staying with me in the hospital and caring for me. Thanks to all at church who sent cards and called. It means a lot to me to know you all care. I thank the Lord for helping me. I love being with you all. Thanks to the Elders. Hoping maybe I'll get to where I can come back. Pray for me. Thanks. **Naoma Jacobs**

Millis Brown, grandfather of **Andy Brown**, is doing much better. He sends his thanks to Pulaski Street for the cards that he received while he was sick.

UPCOMING MISSIONS

T.J. Hughes, Jim Donnelly, and Sam Boyd are scheduled for a mission trip to India to take place February 19 through March 3.

Jeremy Gargis's mission trip to Burma is now scheduled for March 12 through March 30. (This is the trip that had been postponed from last fall due to the injury of Joey Barrier.)

Kaleb Jeans is scheduled for a mission trip toward the end of March with his school (Columbia Academy).

Please pray for the safety of these individuals and the success of these mission efforts.

YOUTH NEWS

February 15th – Soul Food Sunday! This is for 7th-12th grades.

February 17th – Tweens Activity! Details to come.

February 18th - Songs Class! Join us at 6:15 p.m. for a time of learning, worship, and edification!

February 21st – Valentine Banquet!

February 27th-March 1st - CYC!

March 6th-8th - Family Retreat! Our speaker this year will be Enoch Rinks! Make your plans to be with us this weekend at Camp Meribah in Centerville, TN. **Please sign up by February 22nd!**

March 12th - In-Betweens Activity! Details to follow.

LOOKING AHEAD

February 16: Widows' Breakfast, 9:30 a.m. at Hardee's.

February 16: 20s and 30s Ladies' Devo, 6:30 p.m. at the home of **Lisa Wells, 254 Bryant Boswell Road, West Point, TN.**

February 17: Dorcas Sewing Group, 10 a.m.–3 p.m. in the FB.

February 18: Songs Class, 6:15 p.m. in the auditorium.

February 22: 4th Sunday, 1 p.m. song service.

March 6 – 8: Family Retreat at Camp Meribah.

March 14: Men's Breakfast, 8 a.m. in the FB.

April 21 -24: India Missions Conference at Heritage Christian University.

April 26: Coming Home Sunday.

AREA OPPORTUNITIES

February 20: Area-Wide Acapella Singing at Madison Church of Christ, Madison, AL. 7 p.m.

February 21: Ladies' Bible Study and Fellowship at Crewstown Church of Christ, 10 – 11:30 a.m.

February 21: Ladies' Breakfast at Lone Cedar Church of Christ, 8:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Speaker Carol Fulton.

February 28: Christian Servants Day- East Hill Church of Christ. 9am-1pm. Speakers: Dan Winkler and Tom Holland.

PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED

(Addresses are listed when possible in case you'd like to send a card.)

MAXINE ANDERSON was given another ultrasound and more tests last week. Thankfully, no areas of concern were found, and a biopsy was not necessary. *140 Michael Circle, L'burg.*

BOB BELEW is doing a little better and is continuing at home to battle chronic lung problems. *805 Daniel Drive, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.*

NORMA DEAN BOWLING was scheduled for a follow-up appointment on February 10 with her doctor after her recent hip replacement. *528 West Point Road, L'burg, TN 38464.*

JOYCE CLARK is home and recovering after having gallbladder surgery on January 30. *533 Navy Lane, L'burg, TN 38464.*

BETTYE HOLT has continued to have severe back pain for the last several months. She has more fractures in her back and a fractured rib. She had more procedures last week in which a cement-like substance was injected into and around her discs. Since these procedures, her back pain is a little better. *1704 Ann Road, L'burg, TN 38464.*

DUANE DAVIS had an appointment last week at the Bone and Joint Clinic and was diagnosed with a pinched nerve. He has an appointment with a neurologist later this month. *1214 Poplar Ave., L'burg, TN 38464.*

ROBBIE GUTHRIE had CT scans and doctor appointments this week in Columbia. She will not be undergoing chemotherapy at this time. She has an appointment Monday, February 16, with a radiologist to discuss the possibility of radiation treatment. *1804 Jean St., L'burg, TN 38464.*

REGGIE HOLT has a stress fracture in his foot and will be wearing a boot for about a month. *111 Pond Dr., L'burg, TN.*

JACKIE KEATON was able to be at church on Sunday, February 8. *4 Delana Ave., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.*

MIKE PURCELL is recovering from last week's foot and ankle surgery. He has a follow-up appointment this Friday, February 13, and is hoping to be put into a boot as soon as possible. *9 Ashley Court, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.*

DIANE SPRINGER is continuing to recover well after thyroid surgery last week. No cancer was found, and she was able to return to work this week. *314 Prosser Rd., L'burg, TN.*

SHERRY BARNETT BUTLER, cousin of **Nita Pinckley** and **Sondra Thigpen**, is in Florence Nursing and Rehab, Rm. 508. *2107 Cloyd Blvd., Florence, AL, 35630.*

EMILY MARKS, niece of **Brent Thomas's** sister-in-law and niece of **JoJo Gieske's** sister-in-law, was to begin her final round of chemotherapy this week at St. Jude for brain cancer.

ABBY LOU DUNKIN, newborn granddaughter of **Teresa Dunkin**, was hospitalized this week at Maury Regional Hospital with pneumonia.

HAZEL NORRIS, aunt of **Melanie Nutt**, was hospitalized this week in Tupelo, MS with breathing problems. She is 92.

~Jerri Harris's sister-in-law Becky has requested prayers for her friend's mother. The friend is Cassie Ridley, and **Cassie's mother** has been diagnosed with Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease (CJD). This is a degenerative brain disorder and is progressing rapidly in this case. We still don't have her name, but please pray for Cassie's mother and her family.