

THOSE TO SERVE

SUNDAY MORNING GREETERS – September 13, 2015

Front Door – Randy and Martha Britton
 West Door – Shayne and Sandy Adams
 East Door – Jack and Judy Butler

AUDITORIUM CLASS PRAYER.....Andy Brown

MORNING WORSHIP – September 13

OPENING PRAYER.....Brad Nielsen

PRESIDE AT TABLE.....Shayne Adams and Jim Donnelly

SERVE AT TABLE

Joe Gambrell.....Jim Donnelly
 Brian Robertson.....Brent McKamey
 Joe Cook.....Andy Lee

USHERS

Jacob Cothren, Caleb Shadrick,
 Jeff Hughes, Billy Helton III, Cam Mashburn

CLOSING PRAYER.....Brandon Snider

If you cannot serve on Sunday morning, please call Reggie Holt at 629-8920 or Ricky Smith at 244-5982.

SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE – September 13

Ushers.....Joe Cook and Reggie Holt

Front Door Greeters.....Joe and Sandi Cook

Scripture Reading, Mark 6:35-44.....Eric Nutt

Lead Prayer.....James Weeks

Closing Prayer.....Robert Morris

Communion & Contribution.....Billy Helton III

If you cannot serve on Sunday evening, please call Eric Nutt at 242-3566 or Jeremy Gargis at 231-9557.

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

WEDNESDAY EVENING – September 16

Scripture Reading, Isaiah 28:7-12.....Tim Hammond

Lead Prayer.....Chuck Richardson

Closing Prayer.....T.J. Hughes

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

VAN DRIVERS FOR September 13 and 16

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

SUNDAY MORNING Joe Gambrell: 931-982-9566.

SUNDAY EVENING Jackie Keaton: 242-4376.

WEDNESDAY EVENING Reggie Holt: 629-8920.

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

PROJECTOR OPERATORS FOR September 13 and 16

Sunday Morning.....Darrin McKamey

Sunday Evening Service.....Shayne Adams

Wednesday Evening.....Mark Miller

SERVING THROUGHOUT SEPTEMBER

Nursery Attendant.....Vangie Gieske
 Baptismal Clothes.....Carolyn Kilburn and Linda Markus

Auditorium Class Song Leader.....Joe Cook

Sunday Morning Song Leader.....Eric Nutt

Sunday Evening Song Leader.....Jeremy Gargis

Wednesday Evening Song Leader.....Sam Boyd

Prepare Communion.....Denise Hughes

Pick up Cups.....Dean Hughes and Nita Pinckley

August 26 and 30

Mid-Week Bible Study.....238

Sunday Morning Bible Study.....243

Sunday Morning Worship.....356

Sunday Evening Worship.....

Contribution (Budget \$9,069).....\$10,680.00

(Average through July).....\$9,899.05

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 247 Pulaski Street
 Lawrenceburg, TN 38464

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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

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 September 7 – September 11 will be hosted by the **PULASKI STREET** 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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Amazing Grace

Some years ago I was visiting with my beloved grandmother here in Lawrenceburg. She had been working on the Evans' family genealogy, noting some of the more prominent historical figures, i.e. those people that for some reason or another make you feel special when you claim them as part of your ancestry. I learned that through her side of the family I have ties to John Chapman, a.k.a. Johnny Appleseed. Through my grandfather's side of the family, I have ties to Isaac Newton, one of the most brilliant minds this world has ever known. I was also informed that Mr. Newton had a brother named John. This Newton composed an early American melody that most everybody knows by heart: "Amazing Grace."

The melody of this song may be iconic, but it's the message of this song that cannot afford to be forgotten. Without grace, there is no salvation. Grace and salvation are inseparable. If justice is when you get what you deserve, and mercy is when you don't get what you deserve, then grace is when you get what you don't deserve. Grace is unearned, unmerited favor.

God's grace appeared in the form of Jesus Christ, bringing to us all a salvation we desperately needed (John 1:14; Titus 2:11-14). Because of our sin, we deserved the punishment and death that Jesus suffered, but God graciously gave us His Son to take our place (John 3:16; 2 Cor. 5:21). Paul put it this way: "Christ redeemed us from the curse of the law by becoming a curse for us—for it is written, 'Cursed is everyone who is hanged on a tree'" (Gal. 3:13). It should have been you and me on that cross, not Jesus. Consequently, no one should ever question the astonishing nature of God's grace.

God's amazing grace is the source or foundation of our salvation. While it is true that God's grace demands a response from us (Eph. 2:8; John 8:24; Acts 2:38; 22:16; Rom. 6:1-6; 10:9-10; 1 Pet. 3:21), such a response does not earn or merit our salvation. Jesus was the one who paid the ultimate price for our salvation, while you and I stood by the cross, doing nothing but watching Him die.

Amazing grace, how sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me!

I once was lost, but now am found; was blind, but now I see.

Jacob Evans

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 *July and August of 2015* is **Bob Markus**. The elder chairman for *September and October of 2015* will be **Eric Nutt**.

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

MINISTERS: Jacob Evans, 731-343-5325

Jeremy Gargis, 231-9557

AGAPE COUNSELING OFFICE: 762-8502

THOSE WHO ARE IN FACILITIES

(This information is up to date as of Tuesday, September 1, 2015.)

COUNTRYSIDE, 3051 Buffalo Rd., Lawrenceburg
762-7518

Margaret Estelle Coleman (Pulaski St. member)
Jewell Henson (Pulaski St. member)

KEESTONE, 322 Kennedy St., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464
766-4097

Knox Holder, 311 (Pulaski Street member)
Carrie Summers, 102 (Pulaski Street member)

KEESTONE-HEWITT HOUSE, 322 E. Washington St., Pulaski, TN 38478
(931)363-2222

Wanda Cooper, 109 (Pulaski Street member)

NHC-BRINK STREET, P.O. Box 906, 374 Brink St., L'burg
762-6548

Bob Belew, 104 (Pulaski Street member)
Carl Davis, 314A (brother of Frances Chaffin)
Beatrice Gunnell, 302B (Pulaski Street member)
Willie Markus, 101B (husband of Paulette Markus)
Jackie Miller-Gray, 102 (mother of Mark Miller)
Madge Williams, 320A (Pulaski Street member)

NHC-SCOTT, P.O. Box 767, 2380 Buffalo Rd., L'burg
762-9418

Beth Couch, 202 (Pulaski Street member)
Leonard Kirk, 115A (Pulaski Street member)
Wendell Ratliff, 127A (father of Kathy Sisk)

THE SUMMIT, 186 Prosser Rd., Lawrenceburg
762-3524

Norma Allen, B8 (Pulaski Street member)
Marie Alsup, B3 (mother of Peggy Barger) Brief afternoon visits, please.
Ruth Bryant, C6 (Pulaski Street member)
Willodean King, A7 (mother of Diane Springer)
Mary Nell Norwood, A6 (Pulaski Street member)
Reba Williams, C13 (Pulaski Street member)

NHC HILLVIEW, 2710 Trotwood Ave., Columbia, TN 38401
(931)388-7182

Henry Windham, 227A (Pulaski Street member)

Please remember all of those who are coping with
health problems and difficulties – and their
caregivers – in your thoughts, prayers, and deeds.



ALSO, PLEASE LET US KNOW OF ANY CHANGES
THAT SHOULD BE MADE TO THESE LISTS.

IN OWN HOMES

Virginia Cole, (931)565-3331, 1557 Shores Road, Goodspring, TN 38460.
Kathlyn Heffington, 762-3645, 1099 Pulaski Hwy., L'burg
Bettye Holt, 762-3736, 1704 Ann Rd., L'burg
Naoma Jacobs, (931)231-4131, 614 Brenda Ave., Loretto, TN 38469
Joe Salisbury, 629-0444, 47 Orton Rd., Lawrenceburg
Kathleen Tice, 762-5435, 708 4th St., Lawrenceburg
Frances Tripp, 762-5124, 709 Earl Drive, Lawrenceburg

THANK YOU

To our friends at Pulaski Street Church of Christ,

We would like to thank everyone for the visits,
prayers, and cards for Willie. He is still at NHC where he will
be for a long time. He is improving. Thank you. We love you
all,

Paulette Markus

Dear Church family,

I want to thank you all for your kind thoughts and prayers
during the time of my procedure. I am so grateful to be a
part of such a loving and supportive congregation. Thank
you!

Erin Serrett

The staff at Kid's Place would like to extend our
appreciation for your recent donation. Your efforts help
make a difference in your community. Your support makes it
possible for us to help families who are experiencing
difficulties due to child abuse. Thank you for your
contribution to your local child advocacy center. Together we
can make a big difference!

The staff at Kid's Place Child Advocacy Center

COMING SOON

September 6: CLASS PROMOTION!

September 6: Wellness Class, 5 p.m., in the church office.

September 7: LABOR DAY.

September 9: Ladies' Bible Class resumes.

Saturday, September 12:

Lawrence County Walk4Water

Registration begins at 8 a.m.; the walk starts at 9 a.m. at Rotary Park.

Go online to register and/or donate:

<http://www.hhi.org/walk4water/lawrenceburg-tn-2015>

September 13: Magi Box items are due.

September 15: Dorcas Sewing Group, 10-3 in the FB.

September 16: Songs Class, 6:15 p.m. in the auditorium.

September 17: 20s and 30s Ladies' Devo, 6:30 p.m. at Michele
Tice's house, 134 Brewer Lane, Ethridge, TN.

September 19 - UPCOMING EVENT

Please check the bulletin board, your e-mail,
and the announcement slides for some information of interest
concerning an upcoming event.

AREA OPPORTUNITIES

Wednesdays through October 14: 8 wk. church history study, 7
p.m., Fairview Church of Christ, Iron City, TN, w/ C. Wayne Kilpatrick.

Wednesdays through October 28: Fall Series, Southgate Church of
Christ, Columbia, TN, 6:30 p.m. Various speakers.

September 13 – 16: Gospel Meeting at Salem Church of Christ.
Guest speaker James Horton of Tupelo, MS.

September 19: Ladies' Day 2015 at East Main Church of Christ,
Murfreesboro. Spkr. Donna Faughn. Reg. 8:15 a.m., prog. 9 – noon.

November 10: Agape's 49th Annual Dinner. 6:30 p.m. An evening
of Stories and Songs. Franklin Marriott Cool Springs.

December 4: 2015 FHU Benefit Dinner. Guest speaker Dr. Kent
Brantly, medical missionary and Ebola survivor. Order tickets by
calling (800)348-3481, ext. 607 or online at www.fhu.edu/brantly

YOUTH NEWS

September 5th – Teens Activity! Joe and Sandi Cook will be
in charge of this, and it will take place at their house.
Festivities will begin at 5:00 p.m., and if you'd like to ride the
bus, be at the church building by 4:45 p.m. Plan on it!

September 6th – Combined Devo! Stay after the Sunday
evening service for a time of devotional, fellowship, food and
fun! Special thanks to Sandi Cook for organizing the food for
this event!

September 16th – Songs Class! Join us at 6:15 p.m. for a time
of learning, worship, and edification!

September 19th-20th – RUSH at FHU! We will be going over
on Saturday morning like we have the past several years. This
is for grades 7-12. You will need to bring money for four
meals and whatever souvenirs you may want to buy.

September 20th – Soul Food Sunday! This is for the 7th
grade and up. Shane and Denise Hughes will be hosting this.
Make your plans to be there!

September 30th - Songs Class! Join us at 6:15 p.m. for a time
of learning, worship, and edification!

October 4th - Combined Devo! Stay after the Sunday
evening service for a time of devotional, fellowship, food and
fun!

Closing it out:

So, here's something that you may not have known:
in Tennessee, it's against the law for students to hold hands
while at school as this is considered a "gateway" sexual
activity. The law was passed in April of 2012 after some
much lewder things had taken place. While this law may
seem a bit ridiculous, the idea of "gateway" activities is one
with merit.

For years, marijuana has been considered a gateway
drug that often leads to the use of more dangerous ones.
While looking at various studies makes it difficult to conclude
whether this is actually the case, this is another example of
the idea of one thing leading to another.

Maybe you have heard someone utter those very
words before when telling about a mistake that they made.
"Well, one thing led to another, and the next thing you
know..." Are we partaking in what one might consider
"gateway" sin? Yes, all sin is equal in the eyes of God. I am
not in any way trying to argue that some sins aren't as bad as
others. What I am trying to point out is that the longer we
allow ourselves to be involved in activities that seem to not
be TOO bad, such as not studying our Bibles as we should, or
not praying throughout every day, or not giving our full
attention when at worship or Bible class, it could lead to
other, more dangerous things. What may start as a small rut
could become a complete disregard for the Lord and His will if
we aren't careful. We should all be careful to be proactive in
keeping our relationship with God in tune and growing!

Jeremy

PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED

SUSIE DAVIS had a cement injection procedure done on
Monday, August 31. This was done to hopefully stabilize
fractures and relieve her back pain. *Woodcrest 109B, 11
Burton Hills Blvd., Nashville, TN 37215.*

LEONARD KIRK suffered a light stroke this past weekend. He
was scheduled to be transferred to in NHC Scott, Rm. 115A,
on Tuesday, September 1. Home address: *3067 Buffalo Rd.,
L'burg. NHC Scott: 2380 Buffalo Rd., L'burg.*

ERIN SERRETT had GI tests last week in Columbia. The
preliminary results were good, but final test results will take a
couple of weeks. Erin's esophagus was stretched, and she
has been prescribed some medication. *116 Guard Drive,
Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.*

HUNTER SERRETT was scheduled for an appointment with a
cardiologist this Thursday, September 3. He has been having
chest pain and palpitations recently. *116 Guard Drive,
Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.*

WAYNE SNIDER was at home as of Tuesday, September 1. He
was not doing well. *703 Lloyd Street, L'burg, TN 38464.*

EDDY COTHREN, father of **Jacob Cothren**, is recovering from
having two heart bypasses last week at Vanderbilt UMC. He
was still in Vanderbilt, Rm. 5218, as of Tuesday, September 1,
awaiting test results to see if a defibrillator would be
necessary. *243 Nelson Road, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.*

JOAN KITTRELL, sister-in-law of **Troyce Spears**, was
transported to Vanderbilt UMC on Tuesday, September 1,
with heart problems. (This is the lady who had heart and
kidney transplant surgeries in January.) *958 S. Cross Bridges
Road, Mt. Pleasant, TN 38474.*

BRIDGETT PEDIGO, girlfriend of **Donna Tice Gray's** son **Daniel
Gray**, was transported to Vanderbilt UMC on Tuesday,
September 1, after being diagnosed with a tumor in her
colon. *822 Windsor Avenue, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.*

RENEE RAY, niece of **Ruby Welch**, has been diagnosed with
cancer. She was scheduled to have a double mastectomy on
Tuesday, September 1. *No address yet.*

SYMPATHY

We extend our Christian love and sympathy to **Jeff
and Denise Bass** on the death of Denise's father, **RAY
HUGHES**. Mr. Hughes was the grandfather of **Jordan Bass**
and **Anna Bowser**. The funeral was Friday, August 28, in
Loretto.

We extend our Christian love and sympathy to the
family of **WYLODENE BOSTON**. Mrs. Boston was the aunt of
Vickie Crouch and a good friend of **Susie Davis** and others
here. The funeral was Monday, August 31, in Lawrenceburg.

KID'S PLACE SNACKS REMINDER: This Sunday, September 6,
is the date to bring snacks for Kid's Place – A Child Advocacy
Center. This time, the Center is in particular need of snack
crackers or individual packs of Cheez-Its. Please place these
in the boxes located near the southeast and southwest exit
doors.