

THOSE TO SERVE

SUNDAY MORNING GREETERS – November 27, 2016

Front Door – Reggie and Pam Holt
 West Door – Kaleb Jeans and DeAnna Thigpen
 East Door – JoAnn Hollman and Hazel Violet

AUDITORIUM CLASS PRAYER.....Jeff Smith

MORNING WORSHIP – November 27

OPENING PRAYER.....Shane Hughes

PRESIDE AT TABLE.....Tony Allen, Olen Springer

SERVE AT TABLE

J.W. Dotson.....Randy Britton
 Tim Miller.....Darrin McKamey
 Brent Thomas.....Joseph Miele

USHERS

Tim Hendrix, Steve Sisk,
 Ricky Smith, Larry Pope

CLOSING PRAYER.....Chris Sockwell

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

SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE – November 27

Ushers.....Mark Miller and Brad Nielsen
 Front Door Greeters.....Olen and Diane Springer
 Scripture Reading, Luke 1: 26-38.....Austin Serrett
 Lead Prayer.....Mark Miller
 Closing Prayer.....Scott Harris
 Communion & Contribution.....Billy Helton
*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 Version, the New King James Version, or the English Standard Version.

WEDNESDAY EVENING – November 30, 2016

Scripture Reading, Isaiah 43:22-28.....Danny Tice
 Lead Prayer.....Reggie Holt
 Closing Prayer.....Biff Helton
If you cannot serve on Wednesday, please call Reggie Holt at 629-8920.

VAN DRIVERS –November 27 and November 30

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

SUNDAY MORNING.....Joe Gambrell: 931-982-9566.

SUNDAY EVENING.....NO VAN RUNS.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.....Tim Hammond: 931-852-4832.

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

PROJECTOR & SOUND OPERATORS – November 27 and November 30

SUN. MORN. – PROJ. OP., Jacob Cothren. SOUND, Caleb Shadrack.

SUN. EVE. – PROJ. OP., Darrin McKamey. SOUND, Joe Cook.

WED. EVE. – PROJ. OP., Mark Miller. SOUND, Mike Hughes.

SERVING THROUGHOUT NOVEMBER

Baptismal Clothes.....Kristi Miller and Allison McKamey

Auditorium Class Song Leader.....Reggie Holt

Sunday Morning Song Leader.....Eric Nutt

Sunday Evening Song Leader.....Jeremy Gargis

Wednesday Evening Song Leader.....Billy Helton III

Prepare Communion.....Mae Roberson

Pick Up Cups.....Eric and Melanie Nutt

November 9 and November 13

Mid-Week Bible Study.....201
 Sunday Morning Bible Study.....176
 Sunday Morning Worship.....315
 Sunday Evening Worship.....176
 Contribution (Budget \$9,661).....\$8,524.61
 (Average through October).....\$9,518.41

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/FM 102.5 ◆ 12:45 p.m. ◆ Monday – Friday ◆
 The upcoming week of November 21 – November 25 will be hosted
 by the **MIDWAY** 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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Unique

Jesus is unique. In fact, the phrase “only begotten Son” in the NKJV’s translation of John 3:16 could arguably be rendered “only Son” (ESV), meaning that Jesus was God’s unique Son. Yes, those who are Christians are sons and daughters of God, but Jesus is special. There’s no one else like Him. Jesus was both God and man. He was both king and servant. He was both a lion and a lamb. He was both the high priest and the sacrifice.

No other religion has someone like Jesus. According to one fanciful but insightful story, a man became lost in his travels and wandered into a bed of quicksand. Confucius saw the man’s predicament and said, “It is evident that men should stay out of places such as this.” Next, Buddha observed the situation and said, “Let that man’s plight be a lesson to the rest of the world.” Then, Muhammad came by and said to the sinking man, “Alas, it is the will of God.” Finally, Jesus appeared. “Take my hand, brother,” He said, “and I will save you.” Indeed, of all the world’s religions that have ever existed, Christianity stands alone in having a loving Savior. Christianity is unique because of Jesus.

Jesus’ uniqueness makes His church unique. He is the founder and foundation of a special assembly (Matt. 16:16-18; 1 Cor. 3:11). Nowhere else will you find a body of people who serve a founder who gave His very life to take away the sin of the world (John 1:29; Rom. 5:8; 2 Cor. 5:21; 1 John 2:2). No other group of people could say that their founder left heaven itself, came to earth, lived as a man, served mankind, suffered and died for mankind, before returning to His rightful place in heaven (Phil. 2:5-11). The church belongs to Jesus. The church worships Jesus. The church preaches Jesus. Indeed, the church’s identity is found in Jesus, and it is He who makes the church so distinctive.

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 the elders to discuss or to arrange a time to meet with them.
 The elder chairman for *November and December* is **Bob Markus**.

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

MINISTERS: Jacob Evans, 731-343-5325 Jeremy Gargis, 931-231-9557 **AGAPE COUNSELOR**, 931-762-8502

DECEMBER 2016 - AUDITORIUM GREETERS LIST

Group 1	Brittany Evans -- East Wing/Facilitator Harley and Victoria Pope -- East Outside Aisle Jacy Haislip -- East Center Aisle Melissa Haislip -- West Center Aisle Theresa Brown -- West Outside Aisle Robert Morris -- West Wing Joe Cook -- Visitors	Sunday, December 4
Group 6	J. Fred Johnston -- East Wing/Facilitator Kathy and Emma Sisk -- East Outside Aisle Jackie and Beth Keaton -- East Center Aisle Biff and Penny Helton -- West Center Aisle Patrick Hughes -- West Outside Aisle Brandon and Mary Beth Snider -- West Wing Shane and Denise Hughes -- Visitors	
Group 2	TJ and Sammie Hughes -- East Wing/Facilitator Hazel Violet -- East Outside Aisle Billy Helton, Sr. -- East Center Aisle Brian Robertson -- West Center Aisle Kim Pope -- West Outside Aisle Brent McKamey -- West Wing Jim Donnelly -- Visitors	Sunday, December 11
Group 7	Kerri Gambrell -- East Wing/Facilitator Sandi Cook -- East Outside Aisle Jack and Judy Butler -- East Center Aisle Kristi Miller -- West Center Aisle Tim Miller -- West Outside Aisle Dean Hughes -- West Wing Brad Nielsen -- Visitors	
Group 3	Judy Maggard -- East Wing/Facilitator Sharon Hendrix -- East Outside Aisle Abigail McKamey -- East Center Aisle Linda Snider -- West Center Aisle Zoe Morse -- West Outside Aisle Sam Boyd -- West Wing Billy Helton III -- Visitors	
Group 8	Anna Fisher -- East Wing/Facilitator Bob Markus -- East Outside Aisle Allison McKamey -- East Center Aisle Joe Miele -- West Center Aisle Coy Green - West Outside Aisle JoJo and Vangie Gieske -- West Wing Jeremy Gargis -- Visitors	Sunday, December 18
Group 4	Doug Burns -- East Wing/Facilitator Tammie Thomas -- East Outside Aisle Carolyn Kilburn -- East Center Aisle Dustin & Amanda Maggard -- West Center Aisle Mark Miller -- West Outside Aisle Kristen Mashburn -- West Wing Mark Miller -- Visitors	
Group 9	Tim Hammond -- East Wing/Facilitator Camry Harris -- East Outside Aisle Michael Mashburn -- East Center Aisle Lakin Robertson -- West Center Aisle James Weeks -- West Outside Aisle Chuck Richardson -- West Wing Scott Harris -- Visitors	
Group 5	Megan Shadrick -- East Wing/Facilitator Jennifer Springer -- East Outside Aisle Jeff and Christy Smith -- East Center Aisle Heather Hammond -- West Center Aisle Lindsay Helton -- West Outside Aisle Randy Britton -- West Wing Shayne Adams -- Visitors	Sunday, December 25
Group 10	Shirley Evans -- East Wing/Facilitator Maxine Anderson -- East Outside Aisle Will Baxter -- East Center Aisle Jerri Harris -- West Center Aisle Katie Gargis -- West Outside Aisle Amanda Brown -- West Wing Shelley Boyd -- Visitors	

THANK YOU

Thank you all for the prayers, cards, and concern for me during the time of my surgery and recovery. I am continuing physical therapy, and I hope to be back at church soon.

Willa Dean Hamby

Thank you so much for your thoughts, prayers, and cards you sent. It was very difficult this past two weeks. Ethan is doing better.

Nora and Ethan Smith

To the Deacons, Elders, Congregation, and Billy Helton's class,

Thank you for the cards from all the loved ones with faithful hearts who were dedicated in thoughts and prayers during my illness, through my surgery and recovery, and for my family.

Mary Wilson

Thank you so much to the ladies who make the hats for cancer patients. Your efforts are greatly appreciated.

Reba McCoy, Breast Cancer Health Specialist, MPMC

I want to thank everyone who had a part in the Golden Age Banquet. The food was delicious. A special "Thank You" to the young children who sang those beautiful songs to us. May God bless you all. With love,

Barbara Sisk

Thank you to each one that had a part in the Golden Age night. I really did enjoy it. The decorations were beautiful, the program and singing was great, and the food was delicious. Old people and precious youth, we are so blessed with all our sweet little ones on up to our young parents and all of our church family. In Christian love,

Hazel Violet

NEW BABY

Brand new baby boy **CHRISTOPHER BENNETT BOWSER** arrived on Saturday, November 12, to new parents **Chris and Anna (Bass) Bowser**. Born in Columbia, TN, Christopher weighed 7 lbs., 5 oz., and measured 19.5 inches long. Pulaski Street grandparents are **Jeff and Denise Bass**, great grandmother is **Ruby Bass**, and uncle is **Jordan Bass**. Mother and baby are doing fine.

COMING SOON

November 17: Ladies' Devotional, 6:30 p.m. Brittany Evans is in charge of this devo.

November 21: Widows' Breakfast, 9:30 a.m. at Hardee's.

November 24: THANKSGIVING DAY.

November 27: 4th Sunday, 1 p.m. song service.

December 6: Dorcas Sewing Ladies, Christmas Lunch.

December 8: Ladies, you are invited to the annual ornament party at Jennette Sockwell's house.

December 11: Ladies, please be watching for information about an upcoming event in the FB!

AREA OPPORTUNITIES

November 18: 12th Annual ThankSinging, Clifton Church of Christ. Fellowship meal at 6pm, singing at 7pm.

November 29: John Gibbs, 66 years of gospel preaching, 50 years at County Line. 6 p.m.

December 2: Freed-Hardeman University's 52nd Annual Benefit Dinner. The guest speaker will be Peyton Manning.

December 10: 9th Annual Men's Day at Leoma Church of Christ. Speaker B.J. Clarke. 9am until noon. Lunch provided.

December 11: Lawrence Co. Churches of Christ Singing, 2pm, Salem.

YOUTH NEWS

November 20th – Soul Food Sunday! This event is for the 7th through 12th grades and will be at the home of Shane and Denise Hughes. Make your plans to be there!

November 29th - Tween Activity! This will take place in the fellowship building from 3:30-4:45 p.m., and Mark and Erin Evans are in charge. Please notice the change in date from November 15th!

December 3rd – Teens Christmas Party! This is for the 7th grade and up and will take place at the Gargis residence! You will need to bring a gift that cost no more than \$10 that you wouldn't mind taking home for yourself. Looking forward to this! Make your plans to be there!

December 4th – Combined Devotional! Stay after the evening worship service for a time of devotional, fellowship, food, and fun! Special thanks to Sandy Adams for organizing the food for this month's combined devotional!

December 13th – In-between Activity! This will take place at the home of Joe and Sandi Cook from 5:30-7:30 p.m. Make your plans to be there!

December 15th – Tween Activity! Cara Robertson is in charge of this event which will take place in the fellowship building from 3:30-4:45 p.m.

December 18th – Soul Food Sunday! This event for grades 7-12 will take place at the home of Caleb and Megan Shadrick. Make your plans to be there!

Closing it out...

Psalm 107 is a beautiful psalm that encourages those that have been rescued by the Lord to give Him praise. It shows a loving God accomplishing things despite the shortcomings His people have and the difficult times they are facing. It shows a loving God holding up His people when they are at their weakest.

Four times King David recorded the same words for a verse. In verses 8, 15, 21, and 31 we find the same words: "Oh that men would praise the Lord for His goodness, and for His wonderful works to the children of men!" Perhaps David realized something that would be good for us to realize today; we need to thank the Lord for seeing us through! For any one of us, I would imagine that after enough thought, we would be able to see how God has worked in our lives to bless us. For these blessings we should be thankful, and we should praise Him!

Until next time,

JEREMY

NEW DIRECTORIES

The 2016 Pulaski Street Church of Christ directories are here. If you have not yet received your new directory, please come by the church office during office hours (9am until 4pm, weekdays), or call the office and arrange to get it at the next church service.

PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED

TONY ALLEN was able to be at church on Sunday, November 13, after his recent hospitalization. 77 *Crawfish Valley Rd., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.*

LEONARD KIRK is still in NHC Scott, Rm. 113. He is undergoing physical therapy following a recent stroke last week and is doing much better. Visitors are welcome. *NHC Scott, 2380 Buffalo Rd., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.* Leonard's home address: *3067 Buffalo Rd., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.*

ANGELENA STEWART is still in NHC Scott, Rm. 221B. *2380 Buffalo Rd., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.*

MARLENE SWAIN was scheduled for elbow surgery on Wednesday, November 16, at STRHS to relieve a pinched nerve. *17 Delana Ave., Lawrenceburg TN 38464.*

FRANCES TRIPP was hospitalized at STRHS, Rm. 113, as of Tuesday, November 15, with circulation problems. *709 Earl Drive, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.*

JOHNNY BUTLER, a friend and coworker of **Tim Clifton**, had a stroke this past Friday. He was in Vanderbilt UMC, CCU, Rm. 6601, as of November 14. Tim has asked for prayers for his friend. *179 Old Hwy. 43 N., Summertown, TN 38483.*

MARY GORDON, cousin of **Reba Porter**, has rescheduled her planned procedure to have nodules removed. This will be on Tuesday, November 22. *P.O. Box 403, Lawrenceburg, TN.*

JEFF KERSTIENS, friend of **Shayne Adams** (and retired firefighter), was able to return home last week after another hospitalization with serious heart problems. *50 Dry Weakley Rd., Ethridge, TN 38456.*

JONATHAN MCCORMICK, 19-year-old son of **Andy and Marilyn McCormick**, is recovering after recently having a brain tumor biopsy at Le Bonheur in Memphis. Additional procedures are expected, as well as radiation treatment. *7 Gene Drive, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.*

DAVID SMITH, nephew of **Joyce Clark**, had open heart surgery at ECM on Tuesday, November 15.

KYLE WATSON, cousin of **Jeremy Gargis**, is home and doing well after treatment for a rattlesnake bite. *1775 Seavy Hight Rd., Columbia, TN 38401.*

CAME FORWARD

On Sunday evening, November 13, **ANDY BROWN** came forward asking for forgiveness and prayers as he strives to make improvements in his life.

SYMPATHY

We extend Christian love and sympathy to the family of **JUDY CALTON**. Judy was the aunt of **Tim Clifton**. The funeral was held on Monday, November 14, at Neal.

MEMORIALS

A donation by **J. Fred and Barbara Johnston** has been given to the Pulaski Street church library in memory of **EVA GARRETT**.

A donation by **Lavanda Miller, Norris Nix, and Polly Briggs** has been given to the Pulaski Street church library in memory of **EVA GARRETT**.