

THOSE TO SERVE

SUNDAY MORNING GREETERS – November 13, 2016

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

AUDITORIUM CLASS PRAYER.....Danny Tice

MORNING WORSHIP – November 13

OPENING PRAYER.....Mark Miller

PRESIDE AT TABLE.....Biff Helton and Reggie Holt

SERVE AT TABLE

Jeff Bass.....Jackie Keaton
 Kenneth Kidd.....Anthony Serrett
 JoJo Gieske.....Scott Harris

USHERS

Mark Evans, Mike Purcell,
 Andy Brown, Mike Hughes

CLOSING PRAYER.....Doug Burns

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

SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE – November 13

Ushers.....Jacob Cothren and Shane Hughes
 Front Door Greeters.....T.J. and Sammie Hughes
 Scripture Reading, Luke 1: 13-20.....Olen Springer
 Lead Prayer.....Randy Britton
 Closing Prayer.....Brent Thomas
 Communion & Contribution.....Biff 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 16, 2016

Scripture Reading, Isaiah 43:11-15.....Mike Keill
 Lead Prayer.....Jeff Smith
 Closing Prayer.....Lance Pope
If you cannot serve on Wednesday, please call Reggie Holt at 629-8920.

VAN DRIVERS –November 13 and November 16

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

SUNDAY MORNING.....Tim Miller: 931-244-6113.
 SUNDAY EVENING.....Jackie Keaton: 931-242-4376.
 WEDNESDAY EVENING.....Reggie Holt: 931-629-8920.

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

PROJECTOR & SOUND OPERATORS – November 13 and November 16

SUN. MORN. – PROJ. OP., Darrin McKamey. SOUND, Caleb Shadrack.
 SUN. EVE. – PROJ. OP., Shayne Adams. 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

October 26 and October 30

Mid-Week Bible Study.....242
 Sunday Morning Bible Study.....263
 Sunday Morning Worship.....363
 Sunday Evening Worship.....301
 Contribution (Budget \$9,661).....\$8,390.55
 (Average through October).....\$9,518.41

Pulaski Street Church of Christ
 247 Pulaski Street
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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 7 – November 11 will be hosted
 by the **GANDY** 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!*

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An Inside-Out Transformation

As we discussed in last week's article, Christians are being transformed into Christ's likeness (2 Cor. 3:18). God is trying to press His people into a Christ-shaped mold. But this transformation isn't an easy process, partly because the world is trying to press us into its own mold. In order to be transformed into the image of Christ we must resist being conformed to this world. Paul writes, "[D]o not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, so that you may prove what the will of God is, that which is good and acceptable and perfect" (Rom. 12:2, NASB).

How is this transformation possible? Where does this transformation begin? This transformation is possible only if it begins in the heart. Paul says that we are transformed by the renewal of our minds. This transformation is an inside-out transformation. Too often we focus on changing our actions instead of our attitudes. That's exactly what many of the Pharisees did. They were overly concerned with externals while their hearts were deteriorating. Since they focused solely on external righteousness to the neglect of their hearts, they became like cups that are clean on the outside but filthy inside. They were like pretty caskets full of dead people's bones. They looked good on the outside, but their hearts were hollow (Matt. 23:25-28).

When Paul wrote to the Christians in Philippi, he realized that their problems with regard to unity were merely symptoms of a deeper problem. Paul addresses the real problem when he offers the following solution to them: "Let this mind be in you which was also in Christ Jesus" (Phil. 2:5, NKJV). Transformation begins in the mind and then extends to our mannerisms. It begins in the heart and then extends to our habits. It begins in our attitudes and then extends to our actions.

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 *September and October of 2016* is **Biff Helton**. The elder chairman for *November and December* will be **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

THANK YOU

There are no words for how much my mother loved this church, and the love she had for each of you was undeniable. Mother lived her life for Christ, and she wanted everyone to know of Him!

Thank you for the calls, texts, and visits during her illness and untimely death. Although we miss her terribly, we rest in the comfort that she is in heaven!

The Clifton family

Dear Church family,

Thanks to everyone that helped me celebrate my 90th birthday party hosted by my children. I really enjoyed the party and my pretty cards. I got one hundred cards and lots of nice gifts. I really appreciate your being so thoughtful and your kindness. Thanks for my get-well cards and phone calls after my retina surgery. The doctor thinks the surgery went well, but I won't know until my six week check-up. I'm not driving until the gas bubble they put in my eye clears up. I hope to be back to worship soon. Thanks for all your prayers. In Christian love,

Hazel Violet

Your kind expression of sympathy is deeply appreciated and gratefully acknowledged.

The family of Julia Whitworth

AREA OPPORTUNITIES

November 5: Ladies' Day, South Gate Church of Christ. Columbia, TN. Brunch at 9 a.m. Speaker Erin Wells.

November 7: 29th Annual Benefit Dinner for the Christian Student Center at UNA. 7 p.m. at the Florence-Lauderdale Coliseum. Honoring Danny Pettus. Tickets are \$75, and sponsorships are available.

November 10: 50th Anniversary Annual Agape Dinner. Franklin Marriott Cool Springs.

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

PARKING

We have been asked to remind each driver about parking within the individual designated parking spaces on our church parking lot.

Even if it appears that there is plenty of space for parking, if there are no painted lines indicating a parking space, please do not park in that location. We must leave access for emergency entrance into and exit from all areas of the lot, and any vehicle left in the spaces that moving vehicles need to use may hinder that access. Please be considerate of these needs.

Again, **please PARK in designated parking spaces ONLY.**



COMING SOON

Saturday, November 5: GOLDEN AGE BANQUET!

This great event will begin at 4:30 p.m. in the FB. This event is in honor of all of those age 60 and over. The theme is Psalm 17:8: "Keep me as the apple of Your eye, hide me under the shadow of Your wings." You won't want to miss this!



If you plan to attend and you need a ride, the church van will run. Please call the church office to get on the list.

If you are making a food item, please have it at the fellowship building by 2:30 p.m.

November 6: Daylight Saving Time Ends. Before you go to bed on Saturday, November 5, be sure to set your clocks back one hour. Fall back!



Saturday, November 12: HOLIDAY PARTY!



Ladies of the congregation, you are invited to a holiday get-together at 6 p.m. in the FB. There will be a catered dinner, so **please sign up** on the foyer bulletin board if you plan to attend.

Ladies, in order to play a fun **game**, please bring **three identical* unwrapped gifts**. These should be items you'd enjoy receiving yourself. These gifts can be anything that you'd like to bring, homemade or purchased. These can be home décor/accessories, kitchen items, homemade or purchased foods or crafts, ornaments or décor for any holiday - bring any items that you think ladies would like to have. You may spend whatever you wish on your items. If you'd like to see some ideas from a similar party she attended, see Brittany's posts on Facebook. (*By identical, we mean identical types. For example, if you bring three pies, they do not have to all be the same flavor of pie. If you bring three rugs, they do not all have to be the same color.)

Also, we will be collecting **toys for children** in the community. Please bring NEW toys for infants up to twelve years old, for either boys or girls. These toys will be donated to the *Spirit of Santa* program for local families.

If you have any questions about this event, see **Brittany Evans** or **Abigail McKamey**.

November 17: Ladies' Devotional, Brittany Evans's house, 6:30 p.m. 227 Parkes Ave., Lawrenceburg.

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

November 24: THANKSGIVING DAY.

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

YOUTH NEWS

November 5th – Golden Age Banquet! Make your plans to be at this event where we have the opportunity to spend time with and serve some of those who are older than we are!

November 6th – Combined Devotional! Stay after the evening worship service for a time of devotion, fellowship, food, and fun! Special thanks to Sandi Cook and Heather Hammond for organizing the food for this month's combined devotional!

November 9th – Songs Class! Join us at 6:15 p.m. for a time of worship, learning, and edification!

November 10th – Teen Activity! Jim and Kaley Donnelly will be hosting a bonfire at their house. Stay tuned for details!

November 14th – Inbetween Activity! This will take place in the fellowship building from 3:30-4:45 p.m., and Dustin and Amanda Maggard are in charge.

November 15th – 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.

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!

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!

Closing it out...

What a great night we had Sunday! We had many visitors for our youth area-wide event and so many of our members who worked hard to promote and prepare food for the soup and chili supper! Phil Waggoner did a great job, delivering an inspiring lesson about overcoming fear! It was so encouraging to have him here with us, giving folks the opportunity to reminisce about the days of his internship at Pulaski Street in the summer of 2000.

I would like to say a very special thank you to Sandy Adams for organizing the meal and making sure we had plenty to feed everyone. Thanks, also, to everyone for sticking around! I don't recall ever seeing the fellowship building so full, and it was awesome! Trunk or Treat was great, too!

Thank you so much to so many for making it such a special night for our youth group.

Until next time,

JEREMY

PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED

MAXINE ANDERSON had an appointment last week with her cancer doctor; he thinks the area is scar tissue and hopefully, nothing to worry about. 140 Michael Circle, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

ROBBIE GUTHRIE has been having some difficulty swallowing and is scheduled for an upper GI endoscopy on November 8. 1804 Jean Street, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

ANGELENA STEWART is in NHC Scott, Rm. 221B, after having recent heart valve replacement and pacemaker surgeries. 343 Geri St., Apt. A-5, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

THOMAS TURNER, son of **Jeff and Alena Dowlen**, has been diagnosed with type one **neurofibromatosis**. He will be undergoing more tests in order to determine treatment. 322 Deller St., Lawrenceburg.

JAMES WEEKS was examined at the ER last week after having excessive bleeding following dental work, but he is doing better. 297 Napier Rd., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

WILLIE CHILDRESS, brother of **Betty Brown**, is home after being hospitalized last week with pancreatitis.

JIM DAVIS, son of **Susie Davis**, was hospitalized this week at Baptist Hospital for blood clots. As of Tuesday, November 1, he was still hospitalized, but he hoped to return home on Wednesday, November 2. 453 Manley Drive, Nashville, TN 37220.

MICHAEL MASHBURN SR., father of **Michael Mashburn**, is home after a stay in Maury Regional Hospital during which he was diagnosed with cancer in his kidneys, liver, and lungs. A lymph node biopsy was done on Monday, October 31, and results are expected this week.

JONATHAN MCCORMICK is the 19-year-old son of **Andy and Marilyn McCormick**; the McCormicks are friends of many here and have been visiting our services. Jonathan was diagnosed with a brain tumor in August and is scheduled for a biopsy on Thursday, November 3, in Memphis. 7 Gene Drive, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

KENNETH SPEARS, who is familiar to some of you as a former school classmate, has asked for our prayers. P.O. Box 354, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

EMILY BUIE WHITSON daughter of **Dan and Nita Buie**, is dealing with several health issues. Most recently, a cyst on her left kidney was drained and sent for biopsy. She is also facing possible surgery due to vein problems in her legs, as well as diverticulitis. Emily's husband, **ISAAC WHITSON**, who was diagnosed with a malignant brain tumor two years ago, is doing very well after completing radiation and chemotherapy. The tumor has stopped growing, and Isaac continues to have an MRI every four months. 211 Hemphill Ave., Chattanooga, TN 37411.

MADDY WINKLER, granddaughter of **Billy and Donna Helton**/niece of **Biff and Penny Helton**, is recovering from mononucleosis. 2300 Lucerne Drive, Franklin, TN 37064.

Oh, give thanks to the Lord, for He is good!

For His mercy endures forever.

Psalm 136:1