

UPCOMING WORSHIP INFO

If you need to ride the church van to our services, please contact **Scott Harris** at **931-629-5994**.

We will be meeting in person for Sunday school classes at **9:30 a.m.**, and we will be meeting in person in the auditorium for worship at **10:30 a.m.** on **Sunday, April 21, 2024**. Please go directly to your class when you arrive.

DOOR GREETERS (front foyer) for **Sunday, April 21:**
Brad and Emily Nielsen

AUDITORIUM GREETERS for Sunday, April 21:

- Group 4 Sandi Cook** – East Wing
- Kim Smith** – East Outside Aisle
- Matthew Smith** – East Center Aisle
- Jim Donnelly** – West Center Aisle
- Kaley Donnelly** – West Outside Aisle
- Joe Cook, Facilitator** – West Wing

On Sunday mornings, we are continuing to use individual/personal communion kits (PCKs). Please place your empty PCK back into the plastic bag and discard it as you exit.

CONSOLE and PROJECTOR OPERATORS

- Sunday, April 21: **Russ Gallian** and **Russell Gibbons**
- Sunday, April 28: **Mark Evans** and **Caleb Evans**
- Sunday, May 5: **Mark Evans** and **Caleb Evans**
- Sunday, May 12: **Tommy McClaren** and **Ethan Cooper**

We are **meeting in person** for Wednesday evening Bible classes at **7 p.m.** Everyone (adults and children), please remember to assemble in the auditorium **FIRST**.

PLEASE HELP US WITH ANNOUNCEMENTS

When information is given by spoken word for announcements, it makes it difficult to ensure the information is accurate and complete, especially when it's given last minute. If you have any information that should be announced on Sundays or Wednesdays, **please write it down on paper, or text it** to Melanie, Sandy, Jacob, Jeremy, or one of the elders. This way, the information will be accurately received and much easier to share with the congregation.

REMOTE ACCESS

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

Via Internet: Go to (1) **Pulaski Street's Facebook Page** or (2) **Pulaski Street Church of Christ's YouTube Channel** at **10:30 a.m.**

Via Radio: The Sunday morning services will **air at about 6 p.m.** (6 p.m. is not an exact time; the broadcast should begin sometime between 6 p.m. and 6:30 p.m.) on Sunday evenings at 106.1 FM (Lawrenceburg), 93.1 FM (Loretto), or 590 AM (Lawrence County) and via X Radio App on both Apple and Android.

Wednesday Evening Adult Bible Class Livestream: Go to **Pulaski Street's Facebook page** or **Pulaski Street Church of Christ's YouTube Channel** at **7 p.m.**

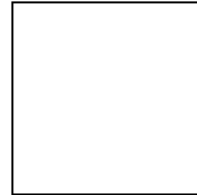
During **church office hours (Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m.)**, you may pick up personal communion kits and/or drop off your weekly contribution.

You may also mail contributions/donations to **247 Pulaski Street, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464**.

April 10 and April 14, 2024

Mid-Week Bible Study.....	unavailable
Sunday Morning Bible Study.....	unavailable
Sunday Morning Worship.....	unavailable
Sunday Evening.....	150
Contribution (2024 Budget \$12,353.00).....	\$11,464.32
Average (last available).....	\$11,578.54

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



SCHEDULE of SERVICES

Sunday Bible Classes.....	9:30 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship.....	10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening.....	5:30 p.m.*
Wednesday Evening.....	7:00 p.m.

*4th Sundays, 1 p.m. song service. 5th Sundays, no p.m. service.

Remember to **help stock our Blessing Box** now located near the church mailbox on Pulaski Street. Containers with lift-tops/pop-tops are most convenient. Jars of peanut butter and boxes of crackers are also very helpful.

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. jars

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

PULASKI STREET BULLETIN

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Upsetting Family

For those who are contemplating a change in their spiritual lives, there is a fear or worry that consumes some people. They are concerned, even scared, about how their grandparents, parents, or even spouse will react.

Let's say her name is Jenny. She grew up in a home where God's name was never mentioned unless it was in vain. Her parents were unbelievers. Her family never went to church, never prayed together, and never contemplated what lies beyond the grave. After all, as far as her parents were concerned, when you die, it's over, and all anyone has to look forward to is endless nonexistence. They've been quite outspoken against Christianity, not to mention all religions. But imagine Jenny has a friend who invites her to church. She's contemplating going with her friend, but then she thinks of how her parents might respond. In the thinking and wisdom of her parents, religion, God, and church are best left alone. She's afraid of disrespecting her parents. She's afraid that they might be disappointed in her.

Let's say his name is Johnny. His situation is similar, except in his case, he's contemplating attending a church that is different in name, beliefs, and practices from the church he grew up attending with his family. Johnny has been doing some independent thinking lately. He's been confronted with certain teachings or emphases that he was not regularly exposed to at the church he attended most of his life. Nevertheless, his stomach turns when he imagines how his family might respond when he decides to chart his own course in pursuit of God.

In either one of these cases, to go against family wishes and wisdom requires a great deal of courage. Oftentimes, it can really cost the person who makes the decision not to follow in his/her family's footsteps.

In Matthew 10, Jesus is addressing his twelve disciples, and he's preparing them for some terrifying realities. They will be persecuted. They will be betrayed. They could be killed. They will face pressure to deny their Lord. Jesus also tells them that they may lose or be forced to forfeit some of their closest and most meaningful relationships (cf. Luke 14:26). In light of these possibilities, Jesus implores his disciples to do two things. First, they must fear God more than anyone (vs. 28). Second, they must love Christ more than anyone (vs. 37). These are God's expectations in cases like Jenny's and Johnny's.

Jacob Evans

ELDERS: Tim Hammond, 931-852-4832 Biff Helton, 931-242-8785 Shane Hughes, 931-242-1261
Bob Markus, 931-242-3816 Mark Miller, 931-242-0692 Eric Nutt, 931-242-3566

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 April 2024 is **Tim Hammond**.

DEACONS: Shayne Adams Joe Cook Jim Donnelly Mark Evans Scott Harris Billy Helton III
Reggie Holt Andy Lee Brad Nielsen Tanner Romsdal Caleb Shadrack Glenn Snider

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

prayers are requested

Addresses are included (when possible) in case you'd like to send cards.

VICKIE CROUCH got a good report at her appointment last week. Her stitches were removed, and she is healing well. Her activities will be restricted for another four weeks. *590 Watson Drive, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.*

MARK GANDEE had a cancer treatment procedure last week. He was hospitalized for a few days of heart-related tests after experiencing chest pain following the procedure. Thankfully, his heart checked out fine. He is scheduled for a follow-up appointment on Monday, April 22. *473 Annie Rooney Road, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.*

SUE GIBBS was in Maury Regional Hospital with a UTI as of Tuesday, April 16. *26 Gang Road, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.*

AMANDA MAGGARD had surgery on Tuesday, April 16. The surgery went well, and Amanda was expecting to return home on Wednesday. *483 Annie Rooney Road, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.*

DARRIN MCKAMEY's port surgery is on hold until his blood levels improve. He did not have immunotherapy on Monday, April 15. Please pray that his blood levels improve, and immunotherapy can be done next week. *614 Aspen Court, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.*

CONNIE POWELL had a follow-up appointment on Tuesday, April 16, with her surgeon. She is continuing to recover from her recent breast reconstruction surgery, but she is still having a lot of pain and discomfort. She is scheduled to return in two weeks for another follow-up appointment. *66 Jordan Road, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.*

CARTER SHADRICK was recovering at home from pneumonia as of Tuesday, April 16. He was hoping to return to school on Wednesday. *311 Land Road, Leoma, TN 38468.*

CHARLIE SHADRICK (son of **Caleb and Megan Shadrick**) had medical appointments last week in Chattanooga; both appointments went well. His leg is improving and will be rechecked in six months. *311 Land Road, Leoma, TN 38468.*

DANNY CASE, father of **Tommy Case**, has resumed chemotherapy this week; this is his second round. Danny also expects to begin radiation treatment soon on a schedule of five days a week for seven weeks. *215 Smith Circle, Loretto, TN 38469.*

JUDY DOTSON, wife of **J.W. Dotson**, was recently diagnosed with thyroid cancer. She is scheduled to have thyroid removal surgery on Monday, April 22. *53 Kelsey Drive, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.*

CECILIA FAIN, member of our Dorcas Sewing Group, is having problems with her right eye. The issue is causing tension on her retina. Her doctor has told her that the issue will not require immediate surgery, but if the problem persists, surgery may be necessary. Cecilia has requested prayers for improvement and that surgery will not be needed. *P.O. Box 284, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.*

ETHAN MCCLURE, former employee of **Tim Hammond** and the son of a coworker of **Emily McKamey**, has been diagnosed with a gastric cancer that will require surgery. Further treatment has not yet been determined. Ethan is a member at Mt. Zion Church of Christ. *226 Ramah Road, Loretto, TN 38469.*

LARRY MURDOCK, preacher at Gandy/radio evangelist for Voice of Truth, is waiting for a date for his upcoming surgery to relieve three heart blockages. *53 Long Branch Road, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.*

RAY PRICHARD, brother of **Ginny Chapman**, has been hospitalized to try to determine the cause of his recent pain, discomfort, and general feeling of being unwell. *9435 SW Brentwood Pl., Tigard, OR 97224.*

CHARLES SMITH, grandfather of **Jenifer Hughes**, had his first radiation treatment on Wednesday, April 10, for basal cell carcinoma. *1206 S. Chipman Street, Owosso, MI 48867.*

GREG YOKLEY, son of the late **Martha Belew**, was hospitalized last week with a perforated colon secondary to diverticulitis. He was able to return home on Saturday, April 13, and he will be resting and recuperating for a couple of weeks. *3807 Stonecrest Drive, Columbia, TN 38401.*

youth news

April 18th – Lambs Activity! This will be an Earth Day activity in the fellowship building. We will be there from 3:15-5:15 p.m. The kids will be baking and doing crafts all centered on nature and spring veggies! Make your plans to be there! Special thanks to Abigail Jones for planning this activity!

April 28th - Lions Activity! This will take place at the home of Shayne and Sandy Adams at 5:30 p.m. Plan to be there!

May 1st – Good Works Wednesday! Lions, meet in the south parking lot at 5:00 to go make a visit and then eat supper before coming back for Bible class!

May 4th – Young Ladies Activity! Girls in grades 5-8 are invited to the home of Angela Gibbons from 12:00 to 2:00 p.m. for a meal and a service project. You'll enjoy pizza and a devotional and will work on cards for members of Pulaski Street. **Please RSVP to Angela** via text or call to 931-619-2022 by May 1st.

May 5th – Senior Night! Make your plans to come to the fellowship building at 5:30 p.m. for our annual Senior Night! Please plan to bring finger foods, desserts, and drinks. Baskets for each graduating senior will be available if you would like to shower them with gifts!

May 6th – Lambs Activity! This will take place in the fellowship building from 3:30-5:00 p.m. Make your plans to attend. Thanks to Lisa Wells for helping out with this activity!

May 8th – Songs Class! 6:15-6:45 p.m. in the auditorium. Please join us as we familiarize ourselves with some new/new-to-us songs!

May 30th – Lions Activity! More details will come later, but the plan is to meet at Tommy and Patsy Lee's house at 6:00 p.m. Make sure to be there! Until next time, **Jeremy Gargis**

thank you

Pulaski Street Church of Christ,
Thank you so much for thinking of us during this difficult time and providing a meal for our family. Your kindness is greatly appreciated.
Love, **The Lee family**

We want to thank you for your thoughts and continued prayers. So proud to know that Tommy and Amy and family are part of your church. In Christian love, **Pam and Danny Case**

I really appreciate all the cards, calls, food, and most of all your prayers. We really appreciate the elders praying for us. Your friendship and visits mean so much. They put a smile on our faces. I miss my church family and being there. Keep us in your prayers.
Jim and Elizabeth Land

happy news

PEYTON and SARAI SOCKWELL, parents of **Emma Kate** (age 5) and **Walt** (age 1), want you to know that they are expecting another baby, due in mid-August! Congratulations and well wishes may be sent to them at *120 Debus Street, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.*

baptized

We rejoice to announce that **NOAH GALLIAN** was baptized into Christ on Wednesday, April 10. Noah is the son of **Russ and Sara Gallian**. He is the brother of **Madison, Jacob, and Hannah Gallian**. He is the grandson of **Greg and Lynn Romsdal** and **Norma Gallian**. We congratulate Noah for his excellent decision. Cards of encouragement may be sent to him at *713 Douglas Drive, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.*

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
MAY 2024				1 Good Works Wednesday, 5pm, south parking lot	2 Billy Helton Connor Jones	3 Jacob Gallian	4 Kim Pope Brandon Snider Chris Sockwell Michelle Tucker <i>Young Ladies Activity at Angela Gibbons's house, noon-2pm.</i>
5 Cedar Cothren Jacob Golden Honoring our Graduates! <i>5:30pm, FB</i>	6 Madison Maggard Breakfast Bible Study, 6:55am, FB Lambs Activity, 3:30-5pm, FB	7 Clint Thigpen Seniors Biscuit & a Devo, 9am, FB	8 Jim Donnelly Dan Haislip Ellie Shadrick Songs Class, 6:15pm, aud.	9 Patty McGuire	10 Sue Gibbs Sullivan Keill	11 	
12 Amanda Keill Vickie Crouch Happy Mother's Day!  <i>F.E.A.S.T., 5:30pm, FB</i>	13	14 JoAnn Holman Dorcas Sewing, 10-3, FB	15 Angela Gibbons Greg Romsdal	16 Polly Gray Taela Jeffries LHS Graduation	17 JoJo Gieske Tasha Holcomb LCHS Graduation	18 Men's Breakfast, 8:30am, FB	
19 <i>F.E.A.S.T., 5:30pm, FB</i>	20 Rickey Crouch	21 Debbie Cockrell Seniors Biscuit & a Devo, 9am, FB	22	23 Andrew Holcomb Cora Michaud Barbara Sisk	24	25 	
26 Rodolfo Espinoza Chris Michaud <i>4th Sunday, 1pm song service</i>	27 MEMORIAL DAY 	28 Aubree Bosheers Isabella Holcomb Beckett Nielsen	29 Scott Harris	30 Lions Activity, 6pm @ Tommy and Patsy Lee's house	31 Jacy Haislip		
<i>Get ready for Vacation Bible School, scheduled for June 2-6, 2024.</i>							

coming soon

Sunday, April 21: F.E.A.S.T. 5:30 p.m. in the FB.

Tuesday, April 23: **Dorcas Sewing and Coffee.** Ladies, you are invited for **coffee and a treat** with the Dorcas Sewing Group at 10 a.m. in the fellowship building. All items made will be displayed, and the sewing group will briefly show the basics of how each item is created. **Please come and show support for this good work.**

Sunday, April 28: **4th Sunday.** 1 p.m. song service.