

## UPCOMING WORSHIP INFO

We will be meeting **in person** for **Sunday morning worship** at 10:30 a.m. on **March 14** with guidelines and parameters in place in order to keep us all as safe and healthy as possible.

The elders, deacons, and their wives who are attending will be wearing masks. The elders encourage you to wear a mask when you attend the Sunday morning worship service in person.

If you are sick in any way or running a fever, we obviously expect you to continue to worship with us online or on the radio. If you are especially vulnerable to the more drastic effects of Covid-19 and/or these safety measures will be difficult or impossible for you to follow, then we understand if you choose to stay home and worship with us online or on the radio.

### CONSOLE and PROJECTOR OPERATORS

Sunday, March 14: **Ethan Hammond and Shayne Adams**

Sunday, March 21: **Russ Gallian and Joe Cook**

Sunday, March 28: **Russ Gallian and Joe Cook**

Sunday, April 4: **Mark Evans and Shayne Adams**

We are meeting **in person** for **Wednesday evening Bible classes** at 7 p.m. Jacob is teaching the adult class in the auditorium. Everyone (adults and children), please remember to assemble in the auditorium FIRST to hear announcements and further information.

### PLEASE CONTINUE TO:

- Enter through the open doors in the foyer.
- On Sunday mornings, pick up PCK(s) and mask(s) (optional, but strongly encouraged) as you enter.
- Find a seat for your family (every other pew is taped off).
- Maintain social distancing (e.g., no handshaking or hugging; no sitting next to another family on the same pew).
- Minimize use of nursery and restrooms.
- Refrain from using the water fountains (bottled water available).
- On Sunday mornings, deposit your contribution in a basket, and throw away your PCK(s) as you leave through the foyer.

## 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.

Sunday Evening Bible Class Livestream: Go to **Pulaski Street's Facebook page** or **Pulaski Street Church of Christ's YouTube Channel** at **6 p.m.**

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.**

### March 3 and March 7, 2021

Mid-Week Bible Study.....	98
Sunday Morning Bible Study.....	—
Sunday Morning Worship.....	163
Sunday Evening Worship.....	—
Contribution (2021 Budget \$10,975.00).....	\$11,984.00
Average (last available).....	\$12,235.33

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### SCHEDULE of SERVICES

Please see schedule in previous column.



### SEARCHING THE SCRIPTURES

◆ On WDXE AM 1370/FM 102.5 ◆ 12:45 p.m. ◆ Monday – Friday ◆  
The upcoming week of March 15 – March 19 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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## Are You Humble?

This is admittedly a difficult question to answer. It also feels like a trap. Someone might retort, "If I say 'Yes,' then does that mean I'm not humble. Isn't it the case that those who are truly humble are unaware of their humility?" Touché. Nevertheless, I think it is important for us to determine whether we are humble or haughty. After all, Scripture says in several places that "God opposes the proud but gives grace to the humble" (Prov. 3:34; Jas. 4:6; 1 Pet. 5:5).

Below are twenty questions. Think of them as a kind of diagnostic test. Be honest with yourself as you answer each question.

- Would you rather serve others or be served by others?
- Are you overly ambitious for power, prestige, and popularity?
- How difficult is it for you to submit to other people?
- How difficult is it for you to lean or depend on other people?
- How often do you ask people for help?
- Are you usually critical or complimentary of your peers?
- When is the last time that you listened attentively and appreciatively to advice?
- How much more do you like giving advice than receiving advice?
- Do you feel threatened by the achievements of others?
- Would you rather see others fail or succeed?
- How do you feel when someone tells you that you're wrong?
- How easy is it for you to say, "I'm sorry; I was wrong"?
- Do you like for your accomplishments to be known?
- Do you desire credit and recognition for the good things you do?
- Do you only talk and think about yourself?
- Are you self-serving? Will you only "serve" others if you get something out of it and it's not too much of an inconvenience?
- Do you frequently find yourself feeling superior to others because of what you have or do?
- Are you impressed by your own knowledge and feel like there isn't much you can learn from other people?
- Do you have a difficult time showing compassion toward others?
- Do you usually listen to preaching or teaching with other people in mind instead of yourself?

After answering these questions for yourself, allow someone close to you to answer these questions with you in mind. Human beings are frequently blind either to their humility or their pride. You might be surprised what you learn one way or the other when you compare your answers with theirs. If you determine that your haughty meter is higher than your humility meter, don't fret just yet. We'll discuss some things in next week's article that can help us all develop more humility.

**Jacob Evans**

**ELDERS:** Tim Hammond, 931-852-4832    Biff Helton, 931-242-8785    Bob Markus, 931-242-3816    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 *January, February, and March* is **Eric Nutt**.

**DEACONS:** Shayne Adams    Joe Cook    Jacob Cothren    Jim Donnelly    Mark Evans    Scott Harris  
Billy Helton III    Reggie Holt    Shane Hughes    Andy Lee    Mark Miller    Brad Nielsen    Caleb Shadrack

**MINISTERS:** Jacob Evans, 731-343-5325    Jeremy Gargis, 931-231-9557    Rodolfo Espinoza, 615-516-0650 (**Hispanic Ministry**)    **AGAPE COUNSELOR**, 931-762-8502

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## FAMILY ADDITION

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Chris and Jennette Sockwell are thrilled to announce that **Peyton, Sarai, and Emma Kate Sockwell** are officially a family. The process of adoption was finalized on Monday, March 8. Chris and Jennette ask you to join them in welcoming Emma Kate, whose second birthday was on Wednesday, March 10, into the family.

You may send congratulations and well wishes to **Peyton**; his wife, **Sarai**; and their daughter, **Emma Kate**, at 1395 Crowder Rd., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

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## COMING SOON

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**Saturday, March 13:** Before retiring this evening, remember to move your clocks forward one hour!

**Sunday, March 14:** Daylight Saving Time begins!

**Tuesday, March 16: Dorcas Sewing.** 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. in the fellowship building.

**Sunday, March 21: Soul Food Sunday.** 5:30 p.m. in the fellowship building. Jeremy has planned a special Soul Food Sunday this time. **EVERYONE IS WELCOME** at this event. Please bring your favorite dish, whatever it may be: main dish, side dish, bread, dessert, salad, etc. (Drinks will be provided.) Judges will taste-test each dish, and a winner will be selected. Following the meal, there will be singing and a devotional.

**Tuesday, March 30: Dorcas Sewing.** 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. in the fellowship building.

**Saturday, April 24: "God and Science" Seminar** for Hispanic families. Ingram Sowell Elementary School. See details in next column.

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## AREA OPPORTUNITY

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**March 14 – 17: Spring Gospel Meeting.** East Hill Church of Christ, Pulaski, TN. M-W at 7 p.m. The speaker will be Jimmy Clark.

**Saturday, April 10: Ladies Day.** East Main church of Christ, Murfreesboro, TN. Breakfast and registration begin at 8:15 a.m. Ladies Day is from 9 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. with lunch served in the annex. The speaker will be Lori Boyd. The theme is *Joy*.

**April 17: Young Men's Seminar.** East Main church of Christ, Murfreesboro, TN. 8:45 a.m. until noon. The speaker will be Josh Pierce. Lunch will be served.

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Then they said to him, "What must we do, to be doing the works of God?"

John 6:28 ESV

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## SPECIAL BIRTHDAY

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**CLEO KEATON** will celebrate her **96<sup>th</sup> birthday** next week on **Friday, March 19**. Please help make this birthday special by sending birthday cards to her at *NHC Lawrenceburg, 374 Brink St., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464*.

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## MEMORIAL

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A donation from **J. W. and Ruby Welch** has been given to Pulaski Street Church of Christ in memory of **HOWARD NUTT**.

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## PHOTOS NEEDED

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### HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE GRADS:

We need a photo of you for the bulletin. We would prefer your actual senior picture, but any good, clear picture will do. We need your FULL name and the name of the school from which you are graduating/have graduated.

College students, we also need the degree you have achieved.

High school grads, we need several photos (15-20 pics) of you throughout your life, from babyhood to now. We need photos of you involved in church youth group activities and/or classes. You may also give us photos of you involved in school activities, sports activities, community events, etc.

Please e-mail your photos and information to [pulstch@pulaskistreet.com](mailto:pulstch@pulaskistreet.com).

You can also text or give these to Melanie, Jeremy, or Jacob.



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## "GOD and SCIENCE" SEMINAR for Hispanic families

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On Saturday, April 24, **Dr. Mike Houts**, the Nuclear Research Manager at NASA's Marshall Space Flight Center, will be conducting a **seminar entitled "God and Science"** at Ingram Sowell Elementary School for Hispanic families. There will be a total of four lessons: two sessions before lunch (10:00; 11:00) and two sessions after lunch (1:00; 2:00). Lunch will be provided at noon. Rodolfo has obviously been instrumental in planning and organizing this event.

### HELP IS NEEDED:

In order to allow parents to listen to these lessons without distraction, their children will need to be supervised in the gym. If you would like to hang with these kids either before lunch or after lunch, **sign-up sheets are now available** on both sides of the foyer. For those who plan to get involved, a discussion about Covid-19 protocols and other matters will take place prior to the event.

*¡Bienvenidos, amigos!*

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## YOUTH NEWS

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**March 11<sup>th</sup> - Girls Devo!** Girls in the 7<sup>th</sup> grade and up, plan on attending a girls-only devotional at the Gargises' house at 6:00 p.m.! Supper will be provided. Please make your plans to attend!

**March 21<sup>st</sup> - Soul Food Sunday!** We will meet in the fellowship building at 5:30 p.m., and you are invited! Please bring your favorite dish! Is your favorite dish a dessert? Great! Some kind of barbecue? Fantastic! A side of some sort, or a homemade bread? Sounds delicious! We will have judges who will be testing your offerings, and we will crown a winner of the best dish! Your only prize might be knowing that you have some serious culinary skills and the pride associated with it. Regardless, bring your food, and plan on having a great time together! Drinks will be provided, and a time of singing and devotional will follow our meal.

Does it make you laugh as much as it does me when kids mispronounce words? Some are funnier than others, and they really crack me up! Sometimes the child in question even knows they aren't pronouncing a particular word correctly, but they just can't make themselves say it properly.

Here's an example: Amelia likes to eat "brekstiss" in the mornings and also likes to have "brekstiss" for supper from time to time. Not breakfast, but "brekstiss." I now only refer to what is traditionally the first meal of the day as "brekstiss" because I have heard it so much. But many times, when she hears me pronounce it that way, she corrects me. "Don't say it that way, Daddy," she will say to me. You see, she can hear that it is wrong when someone else says it, but she can't force herself to say it the right way.

We have a similar problem as followers of Christ, don't we? When others have problems, do things they shouldn't do, or commit sin in general, we can easily see it and point it out. We may even tell them something like "You don't need to do it that way." But when the problems are our own, they can be much more difficult to notice or correct.

If you're like me, the first passage that comes to your mind when thinking about this is found in the Sermon on the Mount. In Matthew 7:5, Jesus, according to my paraphrase, tells us that we need to fix our own issues before trying to help others with theirs. Is this difficult to do? Yes, it absolutely can be. But if we want to follow the teachings of Jesus, one area we should focus on is fixing ourselves so we can, in turn, help others.

Until next time,  
**Jeremy**

**RECYCLING REMINDER:** When you are spring cleaning this year, remember that we have a recycle building/shed in our church parking lot (at the southwest corner of our lot toward Taylor Street). Items accepted are aluminum and cans, metal cans, cardboard, magazines, newspapers, number 1 and number 2 plastics, and scrap metal. You may place recyclable items in the recycle building at any time. **When the county has them available, recycle bags for your use can be found in the main foyer of the church building.**

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## PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED

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*Addresses are included in case you'd like to send cards.*

**LEONARD KIRK** was able to return to The Summit last Tuesday, March 2, after being hospitalized with a severe UTI. Leonard is feeling much better. *c/o The Summit, 186 Prosser Rd., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.*

**MICHAEL MASHBURN** became ill with fever, chills, and nausea on Saturday, March 6, following his second injection of the Covid-19 vaccine. He was taken to STRHS-Lawrenceburg and was diagnosed with aspiration pneumonia. Michael was airlifted to Vanderbilt UMC on Monday, March 8, and was placed on a ventilator. *250 Wesley Chapel Rd., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.*

**REESE BAKER** is the newborn baby daughter of **Joel and Laci Baker** who are good friends of **Andy and Katie Lee**. Reese had open heart surgery at Vanderbilt Children's Hospital on Wednesday, March 3, to correct some heart defects. Reese is doing well and was able to return home on Saturday evening, March 6. *Joel and Lacie Baker, 422 Miles Johnson Pkwy., Spring Hill, TN 37174.*

**WILL GIBBONS** is the son of **Jeff Gibbons**, a local police officer who visits here occasionally. Will and his local National Guard unit have been deployed to the Middle East. This is Will's first deployment. Prayers are requested for Will and his family and all of those deployed.

**DAVID MASSEY**, brother of **Sammie Hughes** and **Tammie Thomas**, is undergoing physical therapy at home, and he is improving. He will likely continue with home treatment until he's able to go to NHC for outpatient therapy. The family thanks you for your prayers. *89 Gang Rd., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.*

**KEITH MATTOX** (whose wife **Gale** is a former coworker of **Biff Helton** and **Billy Helton**) was still in Maury Regional Hospital with complications of Covid-19 as of Tuesday, March 9. Keith was still in the critical care unit, but his vital signs had improved. *546 Kent Street, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.*

**NORMAN THOMPSON**, husband of **Susan Threet Thompson** (who is a friend of **Vangie Gieske**), is battling metastatic cancer. His medication has been changed, and his pain is being controlled better. Prayers are requested for **Norman, Susan**, and their daughter, **Lilli**. *57 Hagan Rd., Ethridge, TN 38456.*

On Christ, the solid Rock, I stand;  
All other ground is sinking sand.

-Edward Mote