

## UPCOMING WORSHIP INFO

We will be meeting in person for **Sunday morning Bible classes at 9:30 a.m.** and for **worship at 10:30 a.m.** on **April 25**. Please go directly to your class when you arrive.

Masks are available for your use as you arrive. Hand sanitizer is available. Bottled water is available. 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. You can deposit your contribution in a basket in the foyer.

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, April 25: **Ethan Hammond and Mark Miller**  
Sunday, May 2: **Russ Gallian and Joe Cook**  
Sunday, May 9: **Russ Gallian and Joe Cook**  
Sunday, May 16: **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.

## 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**.

### April 14 and April 18, 2021

Mid-Week Bible Study.....NA  
Sunday Morning Bible Study.....152  
Sunday Morning Worship.....224  
Sunday Evening Worship.....—  
Contribution (2021 Budget \$10,975.00).....\$8,874.00  
Average (last available).....\$11,604.02

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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 April 26 – April 30 will be hosted  
by the LEOMA 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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## A Body of Empathizers

Take a moment to read **1 Corinthians 12:26** and **Romans 12:15** in their respective contexts. Don't worry. I'll wait. Did you do the reading? Great! In these two passages, Paul is admonishing Christians to be empathizers. An empathizer is one who vicariously experiences the feelings, thoughts, and attitudes of another.

Based on 1 Corinthians 12:26, being empathetic should be a natural occurrence if we are truly a part of a body, i.e., a local congregation, and if the body we are a part of resembles what Scripture envisions. As Albert Barnes says, "If we are truly one, members of the same body, then we will be empathetic towards one another." That makes sense, doesn't it? If a group of people have truly come together as one body, and they are truly united, and they have genuine fellowship, then it is only natural that if one member suffers, everybody is going to suffer. And it is only natural that if one member is rejoicing, all the members are going to rejoice. If no reciprocal rejoicing or weeping is occurring in a body of believers, then one could legitimately question the health of that body.

Romans 12:15 reminds us that even within a healthy congregation of God's people there is a need for imperatives or commands: "Rejoice with those who rejoice, weep with those who weep." It's easy to come into a church family and punch your clock on Sundays and Wednesday nights, and do little more than warm a pew and try to avoid getting involved in other people's lives. But Scripture nowhere enjoins simply warming a pew. Every child of God is called to give themselves over to the hurts and hang-ups as well as the joys and jubilee of fellow Christians. We are called to enter each other's lives—the bright and the beautiful and the dark and the ugly. We're asked to be there for each other when everything is going right and when everything is going wrong.

In these two passages, Paul is saying to some of us, "You need to remain an empathizer." To others, Paul is saying, "You need to become an empathizer." A body of believers should be a body of empathizers.

**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 April, May, and June is **Tim Hammond**.

**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 Shadrick

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

## PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED

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

**JIM DONNELLY** has tested positive for Covid-19. As of Tuesday, April 20, his symptoms were mild. Following Jim's positive result, **Kaley, Matti Grey, and Duke** were also tested, and all were negative. 29 S. Park Grove Rd., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

Please keep praying for **CLEO KEATON and her family** as she continues with hospice care at NHC Lawrenceburg. 374 Brink St., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

**RUBY WELCH** is recovering at home after a recent fall that resulted in some rib fractures. She has been in a lot of pain, but she was some better as of Tuesday, April 20. 411 Morris St., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

**DAVID MASSEY**, brother of **Sammie Hughes**, is continuing to battle health problems. David has suffered another stroke, and his kidneys are not functioning properly. He is in the stepdown ICU at Maury Regional Hospital. He has a long recovery ahead of him. 89 Gang Rd., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

**O.V. MARTIN**, cousin of **Thelma McCloud** and **Dorothy Collins**, has been transferred to Select Specialty Hospital in Nashville. O.V. suffered spinal injuries causing below-the-waist paralysis in a March vehicle accident. His condition is very serious. Please continue to pray for him. c/o Select Specialty Hospital, 2000 Hayes Street, Suite 1502, Nashville, TN 37203 or home address: 2135 Elkton Pike, Pulaski, TN 38478.

## SYMPATHY

We extend Christian love and sympathy to the family of **SHARON GILLESPIE**. Sharon was the cousin of **Reba Porter**. She was a coworker and friend of **Cathy Atwell**. We had no information about arrangements by print time.

Condolences may be sent to **Reba** at 200 Simms St., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

## THANK YOU

Members of Pulaski Street Church of Christ,

Thank you so much for supporting Summertown students. Your donation will help those in need. We appreciate you!

*Nurse Brandi - SHS*

## AREA OPPORTUNITIES

**Monday, April 26: UNA Christian Student Center Annual Golf Tournament.** 1 p.m. tee time. Lunch provided before. Contact 256-764-9439 for more info. Register by April 19.

**April 30 – May 1: 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Coats Farm Benefit Trail Ride and Auction.** All proceeds go to the North Alabama Christian Children's Home. Events include a Yard Sale, Trail Ride, Auction, etc. Please see flyer on bulletin board for details.

**May 12 – 16: Bible Lectureship.** "Never Leave the Lord." East Hill Church of Christ, Pulaski, TN. 17 lessons in 5 days.

## YOUTH NEWS

**April 23<sup>rd</sup> – Take Me Out to the Ball Park!** We will watch the baseball games at LCHS, then go get ice cream afterward! Your ice cream will be covered, but you'll need money to get in the game and get any food you may want while there. JV plays at 4:00 and Varsity at 6:30!

**April 24<sup>th</sup> - Help with Hispanic Ministry Project!** This is for anyone who is able to help. Please come to Ingram Sowell Elementary between 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. There will be a lunch provided at 12:00. If you can't be there all day, that's fine! Come for what you can. Of course, I would love to have you come help all day! This will be a great opportunity to help serve in our community.

**May 2<sup>nd</sup> – Teens Devo!** In the FB at 6 p.m. Supper provided.

**May 16<sup>th</sup> - Honor our Seniors!** In the FB at 6 p.m. for a potluck meal, a devotional, and a slideshow honoring our graduates. Please attend, and bring food to share and gifts for our graduates if you wish. We love you, seniors! *Jeremy*

## COMING SOON

### GOD AND SCIENCE SEMINAR FOR HISPANIC FAMILIES

**This 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.

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.

**Tuesday, April 27: Dorcas Sewing.** 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. in the fellowship building.

### CLARITY IN A CHAOTIC WORLD

Our preacher, Jacob Evans, has been invited to participate in a virtual Gospel meeting that will be conducted on **May 9-12, 2021**, entitled "Clarity in a Chaotic World." Jacob will be speaking on Sunday, May 9, 2021, at 5:00 p.m. CST on the topic "Submission in a Rebellious World." The plan is to livestream the lesson from our auditorium through the Facebook event page called "Clarity in a Chaotic World." Of course, you are welcome to attend in person that evening. In fact, Jacob would be thrilled to have some folks seated in the auditorium. The other lessons/speakers for this online Gospel meeting are listed below:

- Monday, May 10, 2021 @ 6:30 CST—"Unity in a Divided World" by Justin Morton
- Tuesday, May 11, 2021 @ 6:30 CST—"Purpose in a Meaningless World" by Edward Benesh
- Wednesday, May 12, 2021 @ 6:30 CST—"Hope in a Pain-Filled World" by Aarek Farmer

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
  <h1 style="font-size: 4em; color: #f4a460;">MAY 2021</h1>						1
2 Billy Helton  <b>TEEN DEVO</b> 6pm in the FB	3 Jacob Gallian	4 Brandon Snider Chris Sockwell Kim Pope	5 Cedar Cothren	6 Madison Maggard	7 Clint Thigpen	8 Jim Donnelly Dan Haislip Ellie Shadrick
9  <b>Happy Mother's Day!</b>  Jacob's VGM lesson Live@5pm in aud. Attendance welcome	10 Ray Ezell Sullivan Keill	11  <b>Dorcas Sewing, 10-3, FB</b>	12 Amanda Keill Vickie Crouch	13  <b>LHS Graduation SHS Graduation</b>	14 Alena Dowlen JoAnn Hollman  <b>LCHS Graduation</b>	15 Tony Parrish
Clarity in a Chaotic World (Virtual Gospel Meeting)						
16 Polly Gray Taela Jeffries  <b>Honoring our Graduates!</b> 6pm in the FB 	17 JoJo Gieske Tasha Holcomb	18	19  	20 Rickey Crouch	21 Debbie Cockrell	22  
23 Barbara Sisk Andrew Holcomb Cora Michaud	24	25  <b>Dorcas Sewing, 10-3, FB</b>	26 Chris Michaud DeAnna Thigpen Rodolfo Espinoza	27 Donna Helton	28 Isabella Holcomb Beckett Nielsen	29 Scott Harris
30	31 Jacy Haislip <b>MEMORIAL DAY</b> 	 <b>Get ready for Vacation Bible School, scheduled for June 6-10, 2021.</b>				