

UPCOMING WORSHIP INFO

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 **October 17**.

Please go directly to your class when you arrive.

Masks are available for your use as you arrive. Hand sanitizer 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 the slot boxes 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, October 17: **Russ Gallian and Joe Cook**

Sunday, October 24: **Russ Gallian and Joe Cook**

Sunday, October 31: **Mark Evans and Shayne Adams**

Sunday, November 7: **Mark Evans and Shayne Adams**

We have resumed **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**.

October 6 and October 10, 2021

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| Mid-Week Bible Study..... | 86 |
| Sunday Morning Bible Study..... | 110 |
| Sunday Morning Worship..... | 175 |
| Sunday Evening Worship..... | — |
| Contribution (2021 Budget \$10,975.00)..... | \$9,832.00 |
| Average (last available)..... | \$10,831.07 |

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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 October 18 – October 22 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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The Uniqueness of the Bible

When people consider the Bible, whether they believe it is from God or not, they are forced to admit that there are several things that are unique about the Bible.

One thing that sets the Bible apart from most books is that **it claims to be from God**. The overwhelming majority of books that you might pick up at Books-A-Million don't make that claim. In 2 Timothy 3:16-17, Paul writes: "All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, that the man of God may be competent, equipped for every good work." That's a bold statement. According to Paul, Scripture is God-breathed; it's a product of God. Then, in 2 Peter 1:20-21, we get a tiny glimpse into the process of producing a God-breathed book: ". . . knowing this first of all, that no prophecy of Scripture comes from someone's own interpretation. For no prophecy was ever produced by the will of man, but men spoke from God as they were carried along by the Holy Spirit." So, according to this passage, God "carried along" various people in the production of Scripture. Nevertheless, the use of human beings does not negate the fact that Scripture's source is ultimately God, not man. The Bible clearly claims to be from God. That's a unique feature of this book when compared to countless other books.

Secondly, although the Bible does have such a prominent place in bookstores today, **it is remarkable that the Bible is even in bookstores today**. Throughout history, the Bible has been a very controversial book. It's been burned, and it's been banned. In the 18th century, there was a man named Voltaire, and he said that within one hundred years the Bible would be a relic of the past. What's interesting is that twenty-five years after Voltaire died his house was bought and used as a storehouse to distribute the Bible. This book, through all the controversies, the burnings, and the bans, has not just survived, but it has thrived. Over 100 million Bibles are sold or given away for free every year in the world. It is the #1 bestselling book in the history of the world. Of course, it's one thing to purchase a Bible, another thing to read it, and still another thing to live it.

Third, unlike every other book in the world, including the Koran, the Book of Mormon, or the Vedas, **the Bible is a compilation of 66 books written by 40 individuals over a period of 1,500 years or more**. People from different walks of life and from different periods of time and from different places wrote in a total of three different languages different types of literature that now comprise the Bible. Remarkably, despite all this variety, the Bible is unified in theme, purpose, and doctrine. The Bible is unique to say the least.

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 *October, November, and December* is **Bob Markus**.

DEACONS: Shayne Adams Joe Cook 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

coming soon

OCTOBER

LADS TO LEADERS SIGN-UPS

If you would like to sign your child/children up for **Lads to Leaders**, please go to the L2L Facebook page and follow the link provided there. You can also follow this link:

<https://forms.gle/iuBRDwCpAGhYqo8s6>

The **deadline** to register is **Sunday, October 24**. If you have any questions about Lads to Leaders, please see **Sandy Adams** or **Shane Hughes**.



During the month of **October**, we are participating in a **Food Drive** for the Family Resource Center of the Lawrence County School System.

Please bring any type or brand of packaged snacks.

Sunday, October 17: Elders Planning Session. The elders will be meeting at 2 p.m. for their monthly meeting combined with their annual planning session.

Tuesday, October 19: Dorcas Sewing. 10-3 in the FB.

Saturday, October 23: Men's Breakfast. 8:30 a.m. in the fellowship building. The guest speaker will be Danny Pettus. Be watching for a sign-up sheet that will be placed on the bulletin board.

Sunday, October 24: 20s and early 30s Supper and Bowling. The Gargises and the Evanses invite you to meet at Striker's at 6 p.m. to eat and go bowling together afterward. If you have any questions, please see **Brittany, Jacob, Katie, or Jeremy**.

Sunday, October 31: Deadline for Ladies Retreat money! If you plan to attend the Ladies Retreat scheduled to take place January 7 – 9, please give your money (\$75 per person) to Brittany by this date!

Sunday, October 31: Trunk or Treat. Watch for more information.

NOVEMBER

Sunday, November 7: Daylight Saving Time ends. Before going to bed on Saturday evening, November 6, remember to move your clocks back one hour.

Thursday, November 11: Ladies Holiday Party. This much-anticipated event will begin at 6 p.m. in the fellowship building. A sign-up sheet will be posted on the foyer bulletin board. Be watching, and if you'd like to attend, please sign up!

thank you

Thank you, Pulaski Street Church of Christ, for your kindness, thoughts, cards, texts, phone calls, and fervent prayers. I appreciate them very much. May God bless you richly! Our Heavenly Father even gave me the opportunity to go to Peru for a mission trip. Count on me when you need me.

Rodolfo Espinoza

Dear Pulaski Street Church family,

My family wishes to thank the church for the gift sent to West Fayetteville Church of Christ in memory of my brother, Cliff D. Johnson, where he was a member. The family also thanks each one for your prayers for Debbie. She is in a room now, out of ICU, and slowly improving. Please keep her in your prayers as she recovers. In Christian love,

Hazel Violet and family

We greatly appreciate the phone calls, texts, cards, and prayers for Lisa and for Jean. We are grateful for everything that Cheryl Pilkinton and Sandy Adams have done and for all the ladies who have helped and fixed food. We love everybody at Pulaski Street, and we thank you all so much.

Tony Parrish and family

sympathy

We extend Christian love and sympathy to the family of **NADINE PARDUE**. Nadine was the mother of **Diane Braswell** who has frequently attended here. A graveside service was held on Monday, October 11, at Five Points Church of Christ Cemetery.

Condolences may be sent to **Diane Braswell** at 1513E Springer Rd., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

We extend Christian love and sympathy to the family of **DWAIN SHAW**. Dwain was the husband of retired LCSS schoolteacher **Charlotte Shaw**. He was a longtime Kroger employee and a friend to many here. He had been on our prayer list recently as he battled cancer. The funeral was held on Saturday, October 9, at Neal Funeral Home.

Condolences may be sent to **Charlotte Shaw** at 151 Lovers Lane, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

Blessed is the man
who walks not in the counsel of the wicked,
nor stands in the way of sinners,
nor sits in the seat of scoffers;
but his delight is in the law of the LORD,
and on his law he meditates day and night.

He is like a tree
planted by streams of water
that yields its fruit in its season,
and its leaf does not wither.

In all that he does, he prospers.

Psalms 1:1-3, ESV

youth news

This Thursday, October 14th - Teens Devo! This will take place at the Donnelly's from 6:00 to 8:30 p.m. We will have a meal, a bonfire, singing, and a devotional. Look forward to seeing all of you!

October 22nd-24th - Erupt Youth Rally! This youth rally is held in a cave! Everything takes place in The Volcano Room at Cumberland Caverns. What a cool setting to join with others and worship God, learn more about Him, and be motivated to live for Him! The cost is \$40, which covers a portion of your registration and hotel costs. You will also need money for meals. We will be leaving Friday night after the conclusion of Homecoming festivities at LCHS.

October 31st - Trunk or Treat! There will be a soup and chili supper in the fellowship building at 5:30 p.m., followed by Trunk or Treat in the east parking lot. The trunk or treating should get underway by 6:30 p.m. Bring a pot of soup or chili, some toppings, or sides, and get those trunks/truck beds decorated!

November 6th - RUSH at FHU! We will leave the south parking lot at 6:20 a.m. to head to Henderson! Registration cost will be covered by the youth budget, but you will need to bring money for meals and any souvenirs you may want to purchase. We will stop for breakfast if you want to get a biscuit, and you will need money for lunch and supper. Looking forward to it!

In the opening verses of Romans 10, Paul discusses the fact that the Jews in his day had their hearts in the right place, but that simply wasn't enough. They had zeal, he says, but not combined with the appropriate knowledge. A good heart and enthusiasm are important, but combining them with God's expectations is even more vital!

Additionally, Romans 10:3 indicates that Paul's Jewish contemporaries seemed to be more concerned with their own idea of righteousness than God's righteousness. It is important to be righteous, but it is even more vital to submit our hearts to God's righteousness rather than being more concerned with the appearance of righteousness that we may try to establish in the eyes of others.

Finally, in Romans 10:4, Paul points out that Christ was the "end of the law" when it comes to righteousness concerning believers. There are two things to consider here when thinking about the idea of Christ being the end of the law. First, He did bring the Old Covenant to an end so that it was no longer binding. Second, He was the goal of the Old Covenant. Many times we think of the end of something being the goal, and that was the case with Christ and the old law! He was the goal of the law, and He brought its end. Righteousness now is only found by placing our trust in Christ and submitting to the teachings of the New Covenant!

There is so much packed into these four verses, and we would do well to heed them!

Until next time...

Jeremy

prayers are requested

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

RANDY BRITTON is scheduled for surgery to repair an aortic aneurysm on Wednesday, October 27, at St. Thomas Hospital. 365 Chicken Creek Rd., Pulaski, TN 38478.

ETHAN COOPER has tested positive for Covid-19. His symptoms are similar to those of a sinus/upper respiratory infection, and he also has a cough. 309 Pond Field Rd., Westpoint, TN 38486.

MICHAEL MASHBURN was still in Vanderbilt UMC with aspiration pneumonia as of Tuesday, October 12. 250 Wesley Chapel Rd., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

JEAN PARRISH had an appointment with Dr. Hunter on Monday, October 11, to reassess injuries she suffered in a fall at home two weeks ago. She will not have to have surgery for her fractured wrist. Her cast was replaced, and she is to return in three weeks. Jean will be undergoing physical therapy for her back and fingers. 215 Lafayette Ave., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

LISA PARRISH was scheduled for follow-up appointments this week after being hospitalized with sepsis last week. She is very weak and has a long recovery ahead of her. 230 Jackson Ave., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

TANNER ROMSDAL is slowly recovering from Covid-19. **KATELYN** is much better and has been able to return to work. Thankfully, **WELLS** still seems to be fine. 1600 Ray St., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

AARON SNIDER, son of **Jeremy Snider** and grandson of **Glenn and Charlotte Snider**, is scheduled for a follow-up appointment on Friday, October 15, after his recent thumb surgery. Aaron has some swelling and soreness but is doing well. 25 Chambers Rd., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

VELVA CARROLL and **TYSON GROOMS** are both battling Covid-19. Velva has had mainly respiratory symptoms, including a severe cough. As of Tuesday, October 12, Tyson was hospitalized at STRHS-Lawrenceburg in ICU with pneumonia. 414 Nixon Ave., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

DOMONICA CHEATWOOD, who was an employee in the LCSS some years ago and known to many here, is battling Covid-19. She is in CCU at North Alabama Medical Center and on a ventilator. She is not doing very well. **Domonica** is the wife of **Steve Cheatwood**; they are owners of Lofty Hitchens, a local wedding/event venue. 3200 Lanning Rd., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

DEBBIE DELOACH, sister-in-law of **Shirley Evans**, is doing much better; in fact, she is back to normal. 926 Bass Ave., Port Isabel, TX 78578.

GREG DONNELLY, father of **Jim Donnelly**, is continuing with medical appointments and tests to determine the cause of his low white blood cell and platelet counts. 8621 Cherokee Trail, Crossville, TN 38572.

BILLIE HAGAN, father of **DeAnna Thigpen**, is doing much better and has been released by his doctors following a recent stroke. 68 Pine Tree Lane, Leoma, TN 38468.

J.W. WELCH, husband of **Ruby Welch**, was hospitalized last week with a variety of health issues. He is now at home with hospice care. 411 Morris Street, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

Please continue to pray for **Kym B. Brown, Nell Davis, Ricardo Diaz, Robbie Guthrie, James & Thelma McCloud, Tony Parrish, Debbie Phann, Barbara Sisk, Debbie Baker, Jeff Clifton, David Daniel, Bernadette Gray, Samantha Hood, Debbie Johnson, Carson Jones, James Markus, Tim & Renee Miller, Kala Murrell, Dorothy Pope, Jenna Kelly Sanders, James Shaffer**, and all those who have been mentioned recently.

It's nice to be important, but it's more important to be nice.

Author Unknown