

## 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, October 2, 2022**. Please go directly to your class when you arrive.

**DOOR GREETERS** (front foyer) for **Sunday, October 2:**  
**Scott and Jerri Harris**

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 2: **Mark Evans** and **Caleb Evans**

Sunday, October 9: **Mark Evans** and **Caleb Evans**

Sunday, October 16: **Tommy McClaren** and **Ethan Cooper**

Sunday, October 23: **Tommy McClaren** and **Ethan Cooper**

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.

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**.

### September 21 and September 25, 2022

Mid-Week Bible Study.....	169
Sunday Morning Bible Study.....	183
Sunday Morning Worship.....	275
Sunday Evening Worship.....	est. 70
Contribution (2022 Budget \$11,036.00).....	\$8,765.00
Average (last available).....	\$10,394.49

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

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### 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.
*4 <sup>th</sup> Sundays, 1 p.m. song service. 5 <sup>th</sup> Sundays, no p.m. service.	

### SEARCHING THE SCRIPTURES

♦ On WDXE AM 1370/FM 102.5 ♦ 12:45 p.m. ♦ Monday – Friday ♦  
The upcoming week of October 3 – October 7 will be hosted  
by the **DEERFIELD** 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. jars

*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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## Rahab

Much could be said about Rahab without ever mentioning her profession. She was a Canaanite. She courageously and effectively provided cover for the spies of Joshua as they were spying out the land of Jericho (Josh. 2:1-7). She came to believe in the God of Abraham before she ever met the children of Abraham (Josh. 2:8-11). She (along with her family) was spared in the destruction of her city (Josh. 6:22-25a). She was grafted into the Hebrew culture (Josh. 6:25b). She married a contemporary of Joshua, bore a son named Boaz, had a grandson named Jesse, a great-grandson named David, and a descendant named Jesus. Believe it or not, Rahab's name appears on the family tree of the Son of God (Matt. 1:5). We could say that Jesus had Rahab's blood in His veins.

Yet, in five of the eight appearances of her name in Scripture, she is presented as a "prostitute." It's how we are first introduced to her in Scripture: "And Joshua the son of Nun sent two spies, saying, 'Go, view the land, especially Jericho.' And they went and came into the house of **a prostitute whose name was Rahab** and lodged there" (Josh. 2:1, emphasis added). It's a bit jarring. The Bible doesn't euphemize her profession. It doesn't put any concealer on her profession to cover up the blemish. Scripture essentially points a neon sign at her profession. In fact, it's even attached to her name in the so-called "Hall of Faith." The list includes Abel, Noah, Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, Joseph, Moses, and then we read: "By faith **Rahab the prostitute** did not perish with those who were disobedient, because she had given a friendly welcome to the spies" (Heb. 11:31, emphasis added). Rahab's prostitution is a part of her testimony.

Today, some would say that we can't have that because the church is only for respectable, clean, middle-class folks. But that's like saying that hospitals are only for doctors, nurses, and x-ray machines instead of sick people. Or it's like saying that only morticians and coroners belong in morgues, not dead people. Who then should be in the church but redeemed, justified, sanctified sinners (1 Cor. 6:9-11)?

Apparently, Rahab's past (*past* is an important word here) did not bother the writers of the NT. Not only the Hebrews writer but also the Lord's half-brother James saw in Rahab a trophy of genuine, saving faith (Jas. 2:25). She effectively goes from a harlot in sin to a heroine of faith. It's as if these NT writers are saying, "Brethren, if you want to see what your faith should look like, consider the faith of Rahab the prostitute."

Now, you and I may not sell our bodies, but at some point, we've all sold our allegiance, affection, integrity, or talents. And, perhaps, you've thought at some point, "I am too soiled and sinful. God can't save me. God can't redeem me. God can't use me." God's one-word reply to such doubt is Rahab.

**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 through *September* is **Biff Helton**. 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      Tanner Romsdal      Caleb Shadrick      Glenn Snider

**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.

**GINNY CHAPMAN** (wife of **Tuck Chapman**, aunt of **Mack Evans**, great aunt of **Jacob Evans** and **Mark Evans**) was recently restricted from putting any weight on her right hip/leg for another six weeks. Ginny fell and fractured her hip back in late May, and she had surgery on June 1. Healing has not gone as expected. 209 Clayton St., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

**TIM CLIFTON** has received results from his recent echocardiogram. Thankfully, no problems were detected. 307 Kennedy St., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

**JACKIE KEATON** got a great report from his recent PET scan. He will continue with immunotherapy treatment for at least another year. 230 Campus Circle, Leoma, TN 38468.

**CAROLYN KILBURN** is still in NHC Lawrenceburg, Rm. 113B. Please continue to pray for Carolyn and her family as her condition declines. 374 Brink St., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

**DOYLE COOPER**, father of **Ethan Cooper**, will be having a heart ablation procedure prior to beginning radiation treatment for prostate cancer. The ablation is now rescheduled for October 4. 309 Pond Field Rd., Westpoint, TN 38486.

**DARLENE GIBBS**, sister of **Debbie Kidd** (longtime former member here), was scheduled for eye surgery on Wednesday, September 28.

**CINDY GOBBELL**, our Agape receptionist and Thursday-Friday Pulaski Street secretary, was treated on Friday, September 23, for a frozen shoulder. Cindy had shoulder replacement surgery this summer. 41 Gobbell Lane, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

**KATIE HOLMAN**, daughter-in-law of **Leah Holman** who is a niece of **Bob and Linda Markus**/cousin of **Mindy Markus**, is currently undergoing chemotherapy for breast cancer. She is extremely tired from the treatments. Prayers are requested for **Katie**; her husband, **Jimmy**; and their sons, **Cash** and **Elon**. 57 Stingy Ridge, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

**DENISE HUCKABA**, sister of **Debbie Kidd** (longtime former member here), had lung cancer surgery on Monday, September 26, at Vanderbilt UMC. We had no report by print time.

**JOHNNY LYLES**, co-worker of **Vangie Gieske**, was scheduled for consultations and tests at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, MN, this week due to problems with his balance. 624 Aspen Court, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

**ROBERT OSBORN**, cousin of **Tim Clifton**, is continuing to recover at the home of his brother from very serious injuries he suffered in a recent motorcycle accident.

**LISA PARRISH**, wife of **Tony Parrish** and daughter-in-law of **Jean Parrish**, was able to return home from NHC-Maury Regional on Tuesday, September 27. 230 Jackson Ave., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

**ALICE (TOBY) SOCKWELL**, mother of **Chris Sockwell**, moved to Lawrenceburg during Labor Day weekend. She fell on September 7 and suffered a hip fracture. She is home after a partial hip replacement and physical therapy. She is doing remarkably well. 417 Weakley Creek Road, Lawrenceburg TN 38464.

Please also continue to pray for: **Ricardo Diaz, Elizabeth Land, Michael Mashburn, Tony Parrish, Debbie Phann, Diana Smith, Catherine Blasingim, James Brown, Jamie Casteel, Pattie Clevenger, Tyler England, Keith Faulkner, Brent Gobbell, Steve Kelley, Walter Lopez, Tim and Renee Miller, Randall and Cathy Staggs, Darlene Surratt, Don Sweeton, Van Vansandt, James Weeks**, and all those mentioned recently.

**youth news**

**Wednesday, October 5<sup>th</sup> - Good Works Wednesday!** Lions, meet in the south parking lot at 5:00 p.m. We will go make a visit, and we'll eat supper before coming back for Bible class!

**Saturday, October 8<sup>th</sup> - RUSH!** There will be a meeting after Bible class on Wednesday, October 5<sup>th</sup>, with information needed for this trip.

**Wednesday, October 12<sup>th</sup> - 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!

**Friday, October 21<sup>st</sup>-Sunday, October 23<sup>rd</sup> - Erupt!** We will have a meeting after Bible class on Wednesday, October 19<sup>th</sup>, with information needed for this trip.

**Saturday, October 29<sup>th</sup> - Lions Activity!** This will begin at 6:30 p.m. at the Thigpen farm, 400 Land Rd., Leoma, TN. Make your plans to be there!

**coming soon**

**NOVEMBER**

**Friday, November 4: Ladies Holiday Party.** 6 p.m. in the FB. Watch for details.

**new deacons**

Recently, two men's names were announced to the congregation to consider for the role of deacon here at Pulaski Street. On Sunday, September 25, both **TANNER ROMSDAL** and **GLENN SNIDER** accepted these responsibilities, and we are thankful for their willingness to serve in this capacity.

**Tanner, his wife, Katelyn, and their son, Wells**, live at 1600 Ray St., Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

**Glenn and Charlotte** live at 310 Roberta Lane, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

**new babies**

Brand new twin baby boys **JACKSON GRAY GARDNER** and **THEODORE DAVID GARDNER** were born on Saturday, September 24, in Knoxville, TN, to **Lindsey and Joe Gardner**. **Jackson** arrived weighing 6 lbs. and 12 oz., and **Theo** weighed in at 6 lbs. and 11 oz. These newborn twins have older twin brothers, **William** and **James**, age three.



Pulaski Street grandparents are **Mark and Kristi Miller**, and great grandmother is **Hazel Violet**. Everyone is doing well.

Congratulations may be sent to **the Gardners** at 2949 Sagegrass Drive, Louisville, TN 37777.

**sympathy**

We extend Christian love and sympathy to **Pam and Mike Purcell** on the death of their sister-in-law, **SHIRLEY WATKINS WHITE**. Shirley was the wife of Pam's brother, **Michael White**. The funeral was held on Thursday, September 22, in Lewisburg, TN.

Condolences may be sent to **Pam and Mike** at 9 Ashley Court, Lawrenceburg, TN 38464.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	<h1>October 2022</h1>					<b>1</b> June Helton Lisa Parrish
<b>2</b> F.E.A.S.T., 5:30pm, FB	<b>3</b> 	<b>4</b> Kristi Miller	<b>5</b> Lance Pope Bill Sisk Kimberly Smith  <b>Good Works Wednesday</b>	<b>6</b> Nell Davis	<b>7</b> Lily Kate Bowling Chuck Richardson Janice Rigsby	<b>8</b>  <b>RUSH@FHU</b>
<b>FALL BREAK LCSS</b>		<b>FALL BREAK LCSS</b>		<b>FALL BREAK LCSS</b>		
<b>9</b> Vickie Niedergeses Matthew Smith  F.E.A.S.T., 5:30pm, FB	<b>10</b> Jerren Gieske Brenda Owens	<b>11</b> Cam Mashburn  <b>Dorcas Sewing, 10-3, FB</b> 🍷	<b>12</b>  <b>Songs Class, 6:15pm, auditorium</b>	<b>13</b> Hazel Violet	<b>14</b> Denise Bass Amelia Gargis  <b>Soup, S'mores, &amp; Singing, 6pm@the Shadricks'</b>	<b>15</b> 
<b>16</b>  F.E.A.S.T., 5:30pm, FB	<b>17</b> 	<b>18</b> Jerri Harris McKenna Rose	<b>19</b> Keegan Smith	<b>20</b>  	<b>21</b> Hannah Gallian	<b>22</b> Billy Helton III
<b>ERUPT YOUTH RALLY</b>						<b>ERUPT YOUTH RALLY Cumberland Caverns</b>
<b>23</b> Abi Evans Caleb Shadrick  <b>4<sup>th</sup> Sunday, 1pm song service</b>	<b>24</b> Josie Brown Joe Wells	<b>25</b> Gary Wells  <b>Dorcas Sewing, 10-3, FB</b> 🍷	<b>26</b> Eliana Espinoza Denise Hughes McKenzie Wells	<b>27</b> Mike Hughes Luke Rochelle  	<b>28</b> Will Baxter Melissa Haislip Jackie Keaton	<b>29</b> Pam Allen Matti Grey Donnelly
<b>ERUPT YOUTH RALLY</b>		Therefore be patient, brethren, until the coming of the Lord. See how the farmer waits for the precious fruit of the earth, waiting patiently for it until it receives the early and later rain. You also be patient. Establish your hearts, for the coming of the Lord is at hand. James 5:7-8				
<b>30</b> Cindy Gobbell Maddox Hughes Parker Hughes C.J. Thigpen  <b>Soup &amp; Chili, 5:30pm, FB; Trunk or Treat, east parking lot</b>	<b>31</b> Gracie Evans  <b>HALLOWEEN</b> 	Art used is attributed to <a href="http://clipart-library.com/">http://clipart-library.com/</a> and/or is open (public domain) clipart.				