

# The Follower

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*Matthew 16:24*

"Then Jesus said to his disciples, If any [man] will come after me let him deny himself and take his cross, and follow me"



We welcome  
ALL OUR  
VISITORS

## What Must I Do To Be Saved?

- We must bear the word of God. (Romans 10:17)
- We must believe the Word of God. (Hebrews 11:6; John 3:16; Mark 16:15-16)
- We must repent of our sins. (Luke 13:3; Acts 2:38)
- We must confess Christ before men. (Matthew 10:32-33; Romans 10:9-10)
- We must be immersed for the remission of our sins. (Acts 2:38; 22:16; 1 Peter 3:21)
- We must live faithfully until death. (Revelation 2:10; Romans 12:1-2)

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## A WONDERFUL WEEK AT TREZEVANT! TO GOD BE THE GLORY!

As we reflect back on our 2012 VBS it was a wonderful success and many opportunities came our way. We can probably all think of things we should have done or some things we shouldn't have done. Everyone take the time to make some notes of the good things we did for our VBS and write down some things we should do even better. What will make VBS even more successful? Let's all make it our GOAL to improve our VBS every year. Our work should always be set on our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ and telling about His love for all. We need everyone to be involved. Paul said in Philippians 3:13-14 *"Brethren, I count not myself to have apprehended: but [this] one thing [I do], forgetting those things which are behind, and reaching forward to those things which are before, I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus."* Because of Christ precious blood we can have forgiveness of sins, strive each day to live closer to God and dedicate our lives to the work of HIS CHURCH. Everyone please dedicate your life to the Lord, completely. You will be so blessed in the life and especially the life to come. HEAVEN - Won't it be wonderful there. This is the real reason for having VBS.

I thank each member of the Trezevant congregation. My family and I have truly been blessed to work with you.

We are already in our 2<sup>nd</sup> year of work together. I'm still impressed by your love for each other and God. I'm still impressed by the unity you have and the desire you have to be faithful to God. I pray that this congregation will continue to do and take part in great works for the Lord.

What happened at our 2012 VBS?

1. It started out Sunday morning with a wonderful time of worship at 9:00am. We had 86 in attendance.
2. Our first session of VBS was at 10:00am with 92 in attendance.
3. At 1:30pm we left the church building for the Huntingdon Rest Home. Our young men conducted the services and they all did a wonderful job. Hayden delivered the message of the hour and a sister in Christ responded to the invitation. (You never know what good you may be doing.)
4. Sunday night we had 103 come to our VBS. I thought this was a great number. How could we top this?
5. Monday night we had 106 come to our VBS. I thought Wow! How could we top this?
6. Tuesday night we had 148 come to our VBS. I again thought that this was amazing. How could we ever beat this number?
7. Wednesday night we had 163 come to our VBS! I was blown away. It was truly amazing. WE HAD A TOTAL OF 612 AT OUR VBS! WAY TO GO!!! Our Goal was 425 and we had 612!
8. We gave away 15 New Bibles to children. Most were visitors.
9. Dillon and Curt tied for bringing the most to our VBS. Dillon was given a Bible Dictionary and Curt was given a new Bible. Great Job!
10. The food was great! The decorations were the best I've ever seen. Teachers, Helpers, Speakers, Song Leaders, everyone. Thank you, you did a wonderful job.
11. Mark Wright was a team player. The pie in the face was a fun time for all, including Mark.

I'm excited about working with you and I continue to be reenergized by your work. We (Christians) are not perfect, but we are forgiven, blessed and hopeful! Let's commit ourselves (EVERYONE) to doing more for the Lord's Body.

-Tim Rogers

To God Be the Glory!

NEWS AND NOTES

**BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES**

**Birthdays:** August 5-Shirley Butler, 6-Greg McClain, 9-J.T. Rogers, 9-Charlie Wachsmuth, 10-Shan De Priest, 11-Eva Mae Bray, 11-Bobby Giles, 23-Eli Bryant, 25-Nick Bryant, 28-Kyle Foster, 28-Dylan Holt, 28-Nina Long, 30-Annie Wachsmuth.

**Anniversaries:** August 8-Joe & Shirley Butler, 14-Terry & Mary Jo Hall, 15-Tim & Wendy Rogers, 21-Charlie & Annie Wachsmuth.

**HEALTH WATCH**

Lori McClain is still recovering from her hip surgery. Jay Rogers will go back for his scans and test this Thursday. Jerry Martin is not doing well. Otis Brown Foster (Charles Foster's Uncle) is having heart problems.

**SHUT-INS & NURSING HOME**

Billy Bennett, Helen Pinson, Horace Ray Coleman, Glenda Rogers, Betty De Priest, Eva Mae Bray.

**PRAYER LIST**

Otis Brown Foster, Edsel Holt, Irmgard Cunningham, Bobby O'Dell, Kayla Belew, Doug Gordon, Gerthal Leach, Kury Granada, Leon Purvis, Lois Arrington, Jeff Bell & family (Preacher at Union City), Judy Garrard, Norma Garner, Ruth Bennett, Josie Plunk, Sherry Parker, David King, John David Pfesson, Rena Arrington, Jerry & Betty De Priest, Reitha Martin, Zach Crider.

**CANCER:** Martha Jo Knott, Lisa Acklin, Lizzie Sims (Benjie's Aunt), Diana Bray, Martha Bobo, Jerri Ann Bennett, Keri Dodd, Joy Hays, Sam Bailey, Judy Robinson, Donald Kelly, Ann Spain, Becky Bledsoe, Bobby Giles, Linda Bynum, Ruby Fesmire, Sherry (Argo) Stout, Tolbert Ray, Gail Pritchard, Mary Wilson, Jay Rogers, Dwayne Bateman, James Green, CJ Wachsmuth, Joey Anderson, Pat Schneider, Samantha Wallace, Beth Ann Potter, Jerry Martin, Josie Plunk.

**MILITARY:** Troy Pollack

Let's continue to remember our men and women in the military.

**REQUEST PRAYERS**

Last Sunday at the Huntingdon Rest Home sister Louise Mebane came forward requesting prayers. Her desire was to be in the right relationship with God.

**VBS was GREAT!!!**

	Youth	Adults	Total
Sunday AM	24	68	92
Sunday PM	53	50	103
Monday	59	47	106
Tuesday	86	62	148
Wednesday	78	85	163
<b>TOTALS:</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>312</b>	<b>612</b>

**VBS WEEK Total 612**

	Last Week's Record	Goals
Bible Study:	92	75
Worship AM:	86	101
Worship PM:	103	75
Monday Night	106	85
Tuesday Night	148	85
Wednesday:	163	75
Contribution	\$3,838.00	\$1,650.00

Invite A Friend To Worship!

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR**

August 5<sup>th</sup> - Elders & Deacons meeting at 3:00pm.  
 August 5<sup>th</sup> - Short meeting of all interested in the visitation program. We will meet after our evening services for just a few minutes to discuss what is next.

August 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> - Gospel Meeting at the Roan's Creek church of Christ. Speaker: Josh Ketchum. Times: Sunday-Wednesday 7:30pm.

August 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> - Gospel Meeting at Bethany church of Christ in Trenton.

August 6<sup>th</sup> - SYS at Henry, Van leaves at 6:30pm. "For what is a man profited...?" on Discipleship.

August 12<sup>th</sup> - Monthly Fellowship meal after our morning service.

August 19<sup>th</sup> - Conduct services at the McKenzie Rest Home. 2:00pm. Care Group #2

August 19<sup>th</sup>-22<sup>nd</sup>-Gospel Meeting at Bradford church of Christ.

August 26<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup> - Fall Gospel Meeting. Tony Taylor will be the speaker.

September 2<sup>nd</sup>-Elders & Deacons meeting at 3:00pm.

September 5<sup>th</sup> - Monthly Singing.

September 9<sup>th</sup> - Monthly Fellowship meal after our morning service.

September - Annual "Golden Age Banquet" **THEME: THE DIFFERENCES YOU HAVE MADE!**

September 11<sup>th</sup> - Tennessee Children's Home food truck will be here to pick up their pantry items. We will focus on these items for the next 5 weeks. Please take part in this food drive. They are asking for \$10.00 from each family for perishable foods.

September 15<sup>th</sup> - 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Fall Festival at Porter Children's Home. For more information (270)843-3038.

September 16<sup>th</sup> - Conduct services at the McKenzie Rest Home. 2:00pm. Care Group #3

September 30<sup>th</sup> - Huntingdon Rest Home. 2:00pm.

October 3<sup>rd</sup> - Monthly Singing.

October 7<sup>th</sup> - Elders & Deacons meeting at 3:00pm.

October 14<sup>th</sup> - Monthly Fellowship meal after our morning service.

October 21<sup>st</sup> - Conduct services at the McKenzie Rest Home. 2:00pm. Care Group #1

November 4<sup>th</sup> - Elders & Deacons meeting at 3:00pm.

November 7<sup>th</sup> - Monthly Singing.

November 11<sup>th</sup> - Monthly Fellowship meal after our morning service.

November 18<sup>th</sup> - Conduct services at the McKenzie Rest Home. 2:00pm. Care Group #2

**Cards Needed!**

Martha Jo Knott  
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Jay Rogers  
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**Pantry Item**

**Tennessee Children's  
 Home  
 Kool-Aid**

**Partners 4 Africa  
 Pencils & Ink Pens**

Sunday Morning	August 5, 2012 9:00 am	August 12, 2012 9:00 am
Power Points	Greg McClain	Greg McClain
Greet	The Aden's	The Aden's
Announcements	Charlie Wachsmuth	Charlie Wachsmuth
Song Leader	Nick Bryant	Nick Bryant
Scripture Reading	Mark Wright	Terry Hall
Reading Text	Matthew 5:38-44	Leviticus 18:22-30
Opening Prayer	Keith Peevyhouse	Tim Rogers
Preside - Table	Sherrill Smith	Sherrill Smith
Preside - Table	Steve Foster	Steve Foster
Table	Jay Rogers	Jay Rogers
Table	Dale Aden	Dale Aden
Table	John Henry Long	John Henry Long
Table	David Bryant	David Bryant
Closing Prayer	Jay Rogers	David Bryant
Sunday Night	August 5, 2012 5:00 pm	August 12, 2012 12:15 pm
Song Leader	Keith Peevyhouse	Keith Peevyhouse
Opening Prayer	Charlie Wachsmuth	Nick Bryant
Scripture Reading	Monte Morris	Garrett Wright
Reading Text	1 Corinthians 6:9-11	1 Peter 1:3-7
Table	Sherrill Smith or Steve Foster	Sherrill Smith or Steve Foster
Closing Prayer	Dale Ballentine	John Henry Long
Wednesday Bible Study	August 8, 2012 7:00 pm	August 15, 2012 7:00 pm
Opening Prayer	Sherrill Smith	Jay Rogers
Devotional	Shane De Priest	David Brasher
Closing Prayer	Joshua Brasher	Mark Wright

**WELCOME TO OUR SERVICES****SUNDAY**

Bible Study 9:00a.m.  
Worship 10:00a.m.  
Evening Worship 5:00p.m.

**WEDNESDAY**

Bible Study 7:00p.m.  
"Bible Classes For All Ages"

**COME WORSHIP WITH US**

We welcome all our visitors and invite you to attend at every opportunity.

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**MISSION WORK**

Dorian Flynn & Partners 4 Africa

**SINS THAT CRIPPLE THE CHURCH - Jim Martin**

**ABSENTEEISM** "Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is; but exhorting one another; and so much more, as ye see the day approaching" (Heb. 10:25)

**INDIFFERENCE** "I know thy works, that thou art neither cold nor hot: I would thou wert cold or hot" (Rev. 3:15)

**WORLDLINESS** "Love not the world, neither the things that are in the world. If any man love the world, the love of the Father is not in him" (1 John 2:15)

**UNFAITHFULNESS** "Nevertheless I have somewhat against thee, because thou hast left thy first love" (Rev. 2:4)

**SELFISHNESS** "Look not every man on his own things, but every man also on the things of others" (Phil. 2:4)

**NEGLECT** "How shall we escape, if we neglect so great salvation..." (Heb. 2:3)

**COMPROMISE** "Wherefore come out from among them, and be ye separate, saith the Lord, and touch not the unclean thing; and I will receive you" (II Cor. 6:17)

**CONTENTION** "... that ye all speak the same thing, and that there be no divisions among you" (I Cor. 1:10)

**IGNORANCE** "And the times of this ignorance God winked at; but now commandeth all men every where to repent" (Acts 17:30)