

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"

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What Must I Do To Be Saved?

We must hear 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)



-TRUTH for YOUTH-
A FRIEND LIKE THAT

You are likely blessed to have many friends. Some are from your math class at school, some of them go to church with you, and you probably play sports with some of them.

While you certainly don't want to be selfish with your friend's time, but you must acknowledge that the more people your friend who knows and admires, and the more people who know and admire your friend, the less time your friend will have to pay attention to you. That's just the way people are, because they only have so much time and they can't be in two or three places at once. It almost makes you wish that you had a friend that didn't have any friends beside you, doesn't it? You want to have a friend all to yourself. That way, anytime you needed him, he would be there, and he would be dedicated to helping and caring for only you.

But where can you find a friend like that? Good news! Jesus is exactly such a friend. Of course, He's not just your friend, He's a friend of all those who serve Him (John 15:14). The key is that He's not bound by time or space, and so He's there for you anytime, anywhere (Psalms 139:7-10).

You might say, "I know Jesus was a great teacher and I know He was the apostles' friend, but how can Jesus be my friend when I can't even see Him?" Let's start here: You have His spiritual teachings and perfect instruction in God's Word ever at the ready, which abundantly reassures you that He knows you personally, and He knows exactly what you need (Matthew 6:8, John 10:30). He wants to fulfill your physical necessities (Matthew 6:25-32). He knows what it's like to go through every temptation you have (Hebrews 4:15). He's your friend even when you do wrong (Matthew 26:50). You can rest assured that He's always ready to be your advocate before the Father (I John 2:1, Hebrews 4:16), and you can know for sure that He's preparing a place where you can be with Him for all eternity (John 14:2-3).

Who can ask for a better friend than that? The question is not whether or not you have a friend in Christ. You do. The question is this: Does Christ have a friend in you (John 4:4)?

-Caleb Colley

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Birthdays: December 6-Dale Ballentine, 7-Jana Blount, 10-Pam Bryant, 12-Mary Jo Hall, 20-Joann Davison, 23-Hunter Holmes, 23-Keith Peevyhouse, 26-Dianne Giles,

Anniversaries: December 16-Carlton & Joann Davison, 23-Edsel & Barbara Holt.

HEALTH WATCH

Sick this past week: **Penny Warren, Christine Aden, Hunter Holmes, Angie Holmes, Kim Lindsey** is at home improving. **Glenda Rogers** will go for a CT Scan on Tuesday.

SHUT-INS & NURSING HOME

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

SYMPATHY

We extend our deepest sympathy to the family of **Lizzie Sims**, (Benjie's Aunt). Her funeral was Thursday in McKenzie.

PRAYER LIST

Brent Bush, Tom Aden, Will Robinson, Dustin Church, Evelyn Miller, Joann Mewbourn Goodman, Denise & Mark Algood, Otis Brown Foster, Edsel Holt, Irmgard Cunningham, Bobby O'Dell, Doug Gordon, Gerthal Leach, Leon Purvis, Lois Arrington, Judy Garrard, Ruth Bennett, Josie Plunk, Sherry Parker, David King, John David Presson, Rena Arrington, Jerry & Betty De Priest, Reitha Martin, Zach Crider.

CANCER: Dylan Leslie, Len O'Bryant, Tracy Lewis, Mike Arrington, Kim Mewbourn Warren, Martha Jones, Anita Mayo, Jane Price, Lisa Acklin, Martha Bobo, Jerri Ann Bennett, Keri Dodd, Joy Hays, Judy Robinson, Donald Kelly, Ann Spain, Becky Bledsoe, Bobby Giles, Ruby Fesmire, Sherry (Argo) Stout, Tolbert Ray, Gail Pritchard, Mary Wilson, 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.

Pantry Item This Week - Canned Fruit

Add to Church Directory

- 1) **Shirley Jennings**
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Birthday April 22nd
- 2) **Tim's new email address:**
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	<u>Last Week's Record</u>	<u>Goals</u>
Bible Study:	90	75
Worship AM:	102	101
Worship PM:	69	75
Wednesday:	75	75
Contribution	\$1,794.00	\$1,650.00

Invite A Friend To Worship!

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

December 2nd - Deadline to Sign up for CYC \$25.00 for ticket.

December 2nd - Elders & Deacons Meeting 3:00pm

December 2nd-5th - Gospel Meeting at the Marlboro church of Christ. Speaker: David Powell. Sunday afternoon 1:30pm. Monday-Wednesday 7:30pm

December 5th - Monthly Singing.

December 8th - Visit Harmony Hill in Huntingdon. (GAME DAY) Everyone is encouraged to go. Van will leave at 9:30am.

December 9th - Holiday Meal after our morning services.

December 9th - Couples/Singles party at Greg & Lori's house. (330 Johnson Street) 6:00pm. Prizes for the ugliest sweater/Christmas sweater. No gifts-just donations for "Jay's Pantry". Sign up for drinks and finger foods.

December 16th - Conduct services at the McKenzie Rest Home. 2:00pm. Care Group #1

December 30th - Huntingdon Rest Home. 2:00pm

January 12th - Visit Harmony Hill in Huntingdon. (GAME DAY) Everyone is encouraged to go.

January 18th-20th - Evangelism University, Hardin County High School in Savannah. Tim will speak on Saturday. Subject will be: Job-Chosen for Perseverance: How the World Can See God Through Our Pain.

February 22nd-24th - CYC. See Dale, David or Mark for more details.



All of our young people are encouraged to stay after services tonight. We are going to decorate stockings and stuff them full for Harmony Hill Retirement Home. After we finish with stockings we are going to EAT PIZZA! It's going to be FUN - FUN - FUN!



Sunday Morning	Dec. 2, 2012 9:00 am	Dec. 9, 2012 9:00 am
Power Point	Dale Aden	Dale Aden
Greet	The Halls	The Halls
Announcements	David Bryant	David Bryant
Song Leader	Nick Bryant	Nick Bryant
Scripture Reading	Norris De Priest	John Henry Long
Reading Text	Proverbs 14:11-12	Acts 26:27-29
Opening Prayer	Charlie Wachsmuth	Mark Wright
Preside - Table	Terry Hall	Terry Hall
Preside - Table	Dale Ballentine	Dale Ballentine
Table	Keith Peeryhouse	Keith Peeryhouse
Table	Garen Wright	Garet Wright
Table	Benjie Lawrence	Benjie Lawrence
Table	Tim Rogers	Tim Rogers
Closing Prayer	John Henry Long	David Bryant
Sunday Night	Dec. 2, 2012 5:00 pm	Dec. 9, 2012 12:15 pm
Song Leader	Norris De Priest	Norris De Priest
Opening Prayer	Tim Rogers	Keith Peeryhouse
Scripture Reading	Garet Wright	Greg McClain
Reading Text	Proverbs 15:1-3	James 5:16
Table	Terry Hall or Dale Ballentine	Terry Hall or Dale Ballentine
Closing Prayer	Monte Morris	Nick Bryant
Wednesday Bible Study	Dec. 5, 2012 7:00 pm	Dec. 12, 2012 7:00 pm
Opening Prayer	Steve Foster	Nick Bryant
Devotional	Tim Rogers	Mark Wright
Closing Prayer	Joshua Brasher	Monte Morris

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

West Tennessee Children's Home

"Judge not, that ye be not judged. For with what judgment ye judge, ye shall be judged: and with the measure which ye measure with, it shall be measured to you again. And why beholdest thou the mote that is in thy brother's eye, but considerest not the beam that is in thy own eye? Or how wilt thou say to thy brother, Let me pull out the mote out of thy eye; and, behold, a beam [is] in thy own eye? Thou hypocrite, first cast out the beam out of thy own eye; and then shalt thou see clearly to cast out the mote out of thy brother's eye."

Matthew 7:1-5