

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"

About Our Services

In our Worship Services you will experience:

ACAPPELLA SINGING: Which is one of the most unique things about our service, we sing without the accompaniment of musical instruments.

PRAY: In prayer we talk to God.

SCRIPTURE READING: We listen to God's desire for us.

COMMUNION: The Lord's Supper is observed every First Day of the week; to remember the death of Jesus and His Resurrection.

GIVING: (Offering) is our way of giving back to God a monetary portion of His blessings.

THE SERMONS: Are designed to help us build a bridge between the Word of God and our daily lives. To edify the Body of Christ.

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 11:1; 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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FAMILY

I ran into a stranger as he passed by, "Oh excuse me please" was my reply. He said, "Please excuse me too; I wasn't watching for you." We were very polite, this stranger and I. We went on our way and we said good-bye. But at home a different story is told, How we treat our loved ones, young and old. Later that day, cooking the evening meal, My son stood beside me very still. When I turned, I nearly knocked him down. "Move out of the way," I said with a frown. He walked away, his little heart broken. I didn't realize how harshly I'd spoken. While I lay awake in bed, God's still small voice came to me and said, "While dealing with a stranger, common courtesy you use, but the family you love, you seem to abuse. Go and look on the kitchen floor. You'll find some flowers there by the door.

Those are the flowers he brought for you. He picked them himself; pink, yellow, and blue. He stood very quietly not to spoil the surprise, you never saw the tears that filled his little eyes. By this time, I felt very small, And now my tears began to fall. I quietly went and knelt by his bed; "Wake up, little one, wake up," I said. "Are these the flowers you picked for me?" He smiled, "I found 'em, out by the tree." "I picked 'em because they're pretty like you. I knew you'd like 'em, especially the blue." I said, "Son, I'm very sorry for the way I acted today; I shouldn't have yelled at you that way." He said, "Oh, Mom, that's okay. I love you anyway." I said, "Son, I love you too, and I do like the flowers, especially the blue."

FAMILY-Are you aware that if we died tomorrow, the company that we are working for could easily replace us in a matter of days. But the family we left behind will feel the loss for the rest of their lives. And come to think of it, we pour ourselves more into work than into our own family, an unwise investment indeed, don't you think. So what is behind the story?

Do you know what the word FAMILY means? FAMILY = (F)ATHER (A)ND (M)OTHER (I) (L)OVE (Y)OU.

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BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Birthdays: July 7-Linda Ballentine, 7-Angie Holmes, 10-Helen Pinson, 15-Orvaline Mann, 23-Emily Hall, 25-Rhonda Aden, 28-Wendy Rogers. **Anniversaries:** July 7-Shane & Brooke De Priest, 10- Nathan & Dana Waibl, 15-Derek & Tonya Box, 21- Mickey & Judy Keen, 24- Jerry & April Williams, 28-Jimmy & Tina Kelly.

HEALTH WATCH

Sick this past week: **Christine Aden, Jenny Rogers, Morgan Lawrence** had surgery this past Tuesday. She will be taking rehab for several weeks. **Timmy Little** continues to be in need of our prayers while he is at Vanderbilt. **Edsel Holt** was moved to Trenton Health Care for rehab. **Christine Johnson** (Rhonda Aden's grandmother) is at McKenzie Rest Home for rehab. **Phillip Welch** had stints put in this past week after suffering a heart attack. **James Crouch** (Dale Aden's friend) will be having a heart valve replacement.

SHUT-INS & NURSING HOME

Edsel Holt, Helen Pinson, Horace Ray Coleman, Glenda Rogers, Betty De Priest, Eva Mae Bray

PRAYER LIST

Cathy Glasgow, Jonathan Lawrence (Afghanistan), Jimmy & Kaffie Greene, Haley Smith, Doug Gordon, Kinley Fowler, Nathaniel Peeveyhouse, Tom Aden, Evelyn Miller, Joann Mewbourn Goodman, Denise & Mark Algood, Otis Brown Foster, Bobby O'Dell, Leon Purvis, Judy Garrard, Sherry Parker, Rena Arrington, Zach Crider. **CANCER:** Jerry De Priest, Larry Crawford, Stephanie Carter, LaDon Bradford, Jason Robinson, Amanda Spencer, Dylan Leslie, Len O'Bryant, Mike Arrington, Martha Jones, Jane Price, Lisa Acklin, Jerri Ann Bennett, Keri Dodd, Joy Hays, Donald Kelly, Ann Spain, Ruby Fesmire, Tolbert Ray, Mary Wilson, Samantha Wallace.

Last Week's Record

Bible Study	71
AM Worship	80
PM Worship	50
Wednesday Bible Study	n/a
Contribution	\$4,005.00

Pantry Item
Peanut Butter & Jelly

VBS

Meeting today after our Morning services. Please make a list of everything you need and give to Tim or Wendy.

DATES TO REMEMBER

July 7th-Elders & Deacons Meeting. 3:00pm.
July 8th- SYS at Huntington. Van will leave at 6:30pm.
July 13th- Visit Harmony Hill in Huntington. Games & Devo. Van will leave at 9:30am.
July 14th- Monthly Fellowship Meal.
July 14th- Conduct services at Wesley Fountain Place in Milan. Van will leave at 1:45pm.
July 15th- SYS at North Jackson. Van will leave at 6:00pm.
July 21st- Conduct Services at the McKenzie Rest Home. Van will leave at 1:30pm.
July 22nd- SYS at New Johnsonville. Van will leave at 6:00pm.
July 26th- Annual Singing.
July 28th-31st- VBS
August 5th- SYS at Henry. Van will leave at 6:30pm.
August 18th-21st- Gospel Meeting.
September 8th- FAMILY AND FRIEND DAY!
January 19th-22nd -Gospel Meeting with Dorian Flynn

Teachers for July – September

2 yr –Preschool

Sunday – Sharon Wright
 Wednesday – Wendy Rogers

Kindergarten – 3rd Grade

Sunday – April Williams
 Wednesday – Lori McClain

4th Grade – 6th Grade

Sunday – Shirley Butler
 Wednesday – Mary Jo Hall

7th Grade – 12th Grade

Sunday – Mark Wright
 Wednesday – Greg McClain

If you have any questions see Mark Wright.

**If one first gives himself
to the Lord, all other
giving is easy.**

Welcome To Our Services

SUNDAY

Bible Study 9:00am
Worship 10:00am
Evening Worship 5:00pm

WEDNESDAY

Bible Study 7:00pm
"Bible Classes for all Ages"

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MISSION WORK

Dorian Flynn & Partners 4 Africa
West Tennessee Children's Home

Sunday Morning	July 7, 2013 9:00am	July 14, 2013 9:00am
Power Point	Dale Aden	Dale Aden
Greet	Edward Ray & Jean	Edward Ray & Jean
Announcements	David Bryant	David Bryant
Song Leader	Keith Peevyhouse	Keith Peevyhouse
Scripture Reading	Dale Ballentine	Garrett Wright
Reading Text	Matthew 28:19-20	John 3:15-17
Opening Prayer	Sherrill Smith	Nick Bryant
Preside - Table	David Brasher	David Brasher
Preside - Table	Greg McClain	Greg McClain
Table	Joshua Brasher	Joshua Brasher
Table	Norris De Priest	Norris De Priest
Table	Dylan Holt	Dylan Holt
Table	Shane De Priest	Shane De Priest
Closing Prayer	David Brasher	David Bryant
Sunday Night	July 7, 2013 5:00pm	July 14, 2013 12:15pm
Song Leader	Norris De Priest	Norris De Priest
Opening Prayer	Mark Wright	David Brasher
Scripture Reading	Monte Morris	Jacob Keen
Reading Text	Colossians 3:1-2	Ephesians 5:1-16
Table	David Brasher or Greg McClain	David Brasher or Greg McClain
Closing Prayer	Shane De Priest	Joshua Brasher
Wednesday Bible Study	July 10, 2013 7:00pm	July 17, 2013 7:00pm
Opening Prayer	Dale Aden	Charlie Wachsmuth
Devotional	Charlie Wachsmuth	Hayden McClain
Closing Prayer	Peyton Lindsey	Mark Wright

Come Worship With Us

GRANDMA AND THE CAKE

A little boy is telling his Grandma how 'everything' is going wrong in his life. School, problems with friends, severe health problems in the family, not enough money, etc... Meanwhile, Grandma is baking a cake. She asks her grandson if he would like a snack which, of course, he does.

"Here, have some cooking oil." "Yuck," says the boy.

"How about a couple of raw eggs?" "Gross, Grandma!"

"Would ye like some flour then? Or maybe some baking soda?"

"Grandma, those are all yucky!"

To which Grandma replies: "Yes, all those things seem bad all by themselves. But when they are put together in the right way, they make a wonderfully delicious cake. God works the same way. Many times we wonder why He would let us go through such bad and difficult times. But God knows that when He puts these things all in His order, they always work for good! We just have to trust Him and, eventually, they will all make something wonderful!"

"And we know that to them that love God all things work together for good, even in them that are called according to his purpose." Romans 8:28

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