

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"

Welcome To Our Services

SUNDAY

Bible Study 9:00am

Worship 10:00am

Evening Worship 4:00pm

WEDNESDAY

Bible Study 6:30pm

"Bible Classes for all Ages"

OUR AIM IS . . .

- To speak where the Bible speaks, and to be silent where the Bible is silent!
- To call Bible things by Bible names and to do Bible things in Bible ways!
- To have unity in matters of faith, liberty in matters of opinion, and love in all things!
- To "serve God acceptably with reverence and with Godly fear"! (Heb. 12:28)
- To welcome all who submit themselves to God and honestly seek to do His will!

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)

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SAND & STONE

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A story tells that two friends were walking through the desert. During some point of the journey, they had an argument, and one friend slapped the other in the face. The one who got slapped was hurt, but without saying a word, he wrote in the sand: "*TODAY MY BEST FRIEND SLAPPED ME IN THE FACE.*"

They kept on walking, until they found a oasis, where they decided to take a bath. The one who had been slapped got stuck in the mire and started drowning, but his friend saved him. After he recovered from the near drowning, he wrote on a stone: "*TODAY MY BEST FRIEND SAVED MY LIFE.*"

The friend who had first slapped, and then saved his friend asked, "After I hurt you, you wrote in the sand, and now, you write on a stone, why?" The other friend replied: "When someone hurts us, we should write it down in sand, where the winds of forgiveness can erase it away, but when someone does something good for us, we must engrave it in stone where no wind can ever erase it."

**Learn to write your hurts in the sand, and to carve your blessings in stone.*

"For if ye forgive men their trespasses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you: But if ye forgive not men their trespasses, neither will your Father forgive your trespasses." Matthew 6:14-15

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Birthdays: November 28-Joshua Brasher, 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: November 25-J. I. & Glenda Rogers.

December 16-Carlton & Joann Davison, 23-Edsel & Barbara Hult

HEALTH WATCH

Sick this past week: Nina Long, Kim & Hunter Lindsey, Shan & Norris De Priest, Jessica Moore, Dana Kelly is not doing well. Kyle Foster is waiting on his test results. Kenny Dunavan is home from the hospital. Garrett Wright will be taking rehab for four weeks.

SHUT-INS & NURSING HOME

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

PRAYER LIST

Jennifer Marcus, Kyle Foster, Major Walpole, Beverly Walters, Cathy Glasgow, Jonathan Lawrence (Afghanistan), Jimmy & Kaffie Greene, Doug Gordon, Kinley Fowler, Nathaniel Peevyhouse, Tom Aden, Evelyn Miller, Joann Mewbourn Goodman, Denise & Mark Algood, Otis Brown Foster, Bobby O'Dell, Leon Purvis, Judy Garrard, Missy Denton, Sherry Parker, Rena Arrington, Zach Crider.

CANCER: Christine Johnson, Web Maddox, Debbie Browning, Tina Kelly, Pat Schneider, Sally Sullivan, Roger Birdwell, Priscilla Camper, Sammy Holland, Dewayne Bateman, Jr. Bell, David Jackson, Timmy Little, Jerry De Priest, Larry Crawford, Stephanie Carter, LaDon Bradford, Jason Robinson, Amanda Spencer, Dylan Leslie, Len O'Bryant, 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	76
AM Worship	97
PM Worship	48
Wednesday Bible Study	71
Contribution	\$1,939.00

Pantry Item: Canned Vegetables or you can make a donation to Nick Bryant. He and the youth will be going to buy items for pantry.

Thanksgiving Baskets

We will be making Thanksgiving Baskets and delivering them this afternoon at 2:30pm.

DATES TO REMEMBER

December 1st-Elders and Deacons Meeting

December 8th- Holiday Meal

December 8th- Conduct services at Wesley Fountain Place in Milan. Van will leave at 2:00pm.

December 14th- Visit Harmony Hill in Huntingdon. Games & Devo. Van will leave at 9:30am.

December 15th- Conduct Services at the McKenzie Rest Home. Van will leave at 1:30pm.

December 26th- Mid Week Bible Study will be on Thursday.

January 19th-22nd-Gospel Meeting with Dorian Flynn

Cards Needed: Encouragement

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Happy Thanksgiving

What a wonderful God is ours! As we read and study we can see God's help throughout the Bible. For an example, think about how much God did to help Noah and his family. He was told how to build the ark, what to use to build it and everything he needed to survive the flood. Another wonderful example is found in Daniel chapter three. Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego were taken care of because of their faith in God. God loves and takes care of His people. *Romans 8:28 "And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God."*

Wendy and I are so thankful that God has helped us and continues to help us through life. A big part of that help is our brothers and sisters in Christ here at Trezevant. We are so thankful for each and every one of you and the very special place that you have in our lives.

We wish each one a very Happy Thanksgiving and encourage each of you to count your many blessings.

Love, Tim and Wendy

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MISSION WORK*Dorian Flynn & Partners 4 Africa
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Sunday Morning	November 24, 2013 9:00am	December 1, 2013 9:00am
Power Point	Mark Wright	Shane De Priest
Greet	Shane & Brooke	David & Pam Bryant
Announcements	Greg McClain	Charlie Wachsmuth
Song Leader	David Bryant	Nick Bryant
Scripture Reading	Mark Wright	John Henry Long
Reading Text	I Thess. 5:16-18	Joshua 1:8
Opening Prayer	Charlie Wachsmuth	Steve Foster
Preside Table	Sherrill Smith	Greg McClain
Preside Table	Nick Bryant	Keith Peevyhouse
Table	Barry Moore	Dale Ballentine
Table	Benjie Lawrence	Norris De Priest
Table	Joshua Brasher	Garrett Wright
Table	Jacob Keen	Dillon Foster
Closing Prayer	Terry Hall	Mark Wright
Sunday Night	November 24, 2013 4:00pm	December 1, 2013 4:00pm
Song Leader	Keith Peevyhouse	David Bryant
Opening Prayer	Sherrill Smith	Nick Bryant
Scripture Reading	Peyton Lindsey	Daniel Rogers
Reading Text	John 17:20-22	Mark 12:28-31
Table	Sherrill Smith or Nick Bryant	Greg McClain or Keith Peevyhouse
Closing Prayer	Dale Ballentine	Monte Morris
Wednesday Bible Study	November 27, 2013 6:30pm	December 4, 2013 6:30pm
Opening Prayer	David Brasher	Dale Aden
Devotional	Mark Wright	Tim Rogers
Closing Prayer	Greg McClain	Peyton Lindsey

Come Worship With Us

EVERYDAY SURVIVAL KIT

Items Needed: Toothpick; Rubber-band; Band Aid; Pencil; Eraser; Chewing Gum; Mint; Candy Kiss; Tea Bag

HERE'S WHY...

- ☞ Toothpick - to remind you to "pick out" the good qualities in others (Matt. 7:1).
- ☞ Rubber-band - to remind you to be "flexible." Things might not always go the way you want, but it will work out (Romans 8:28).
- ☞ Band Aid - to remind you to "heal hurt feelings"...yours or someone else's (Col. 3:12-14).
- ☞ Pencil - to remind you to "list your blessings" every day (Ephesians 1:3).
- ☞ Eraser - to remind you that "everyone makes mistakes," and it's okay (Genesis 50:15-21).
- ☞ Chewing gum - to remind you to "stick with it" and you can accomplish anything (Phil. 4:13).
- ☞ Mint - to remind you that you are "worth a mint" to your heavenly father (John 3:16-17).
- ☞ Candy Kiss - to remind you that "everyone needs love" everyday (I John 4:7).
- ☞ Tea Bag - to remind you to "relax" daily and to think about God's blessings (I Thes. 5:18)

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