

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!

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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)

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Birthdays: February 4-Tanner Coleman, 4-Charles Foster, 7-Brittany Morgan, 11-Monte Morris, 13-Julie Miller, 13-Bonnie Nance, 24-Jean Ford, 25-Nichole Lawrence, 26-Curt Foster, 27-Laverne Belew

Anniversaries: February 11-David & Gail Keel, 16-Edward Ray & Jean Ford, 22-Norris & Shan De Priest, 27-Patrick & Kim Lindsey.

HEALTH WATCH

Sick this past week: **Tristin, John & Jessica Moore, Rhonda & Christine Aden, Norris, Shan & Ty De Priest, Logan Chrisman, Shirley Jennings, Shirley Butler, Jimmy McClain, David, Pam, Nick, Mandy, Eli & Callie Bryant, Sharon, Sara Beth & Garrett Wright, Penny Warren** is having a difficult time with her health. **Haley Chrisman** will have surgery on her foot in the near future. **Brittany Morgan** delivered her new baby girl. Paisley arrived 7-8 weeks early and weighed 5 lbs 4 oz. She will be in ICU for 10 days.

SHUT-INS & NURSING HOME

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

PRAYER LIST

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

CANCER: Michael Miller, Karen Allen, Wanda Barber, Jim McCaug, Ricky Reed, Michael Schlaach, Christine Johnson, Web Maddux, Debbie Browning, Pat Schneider, Sally Sullivan, Roger Birdwell, Priscilla Camper, Sammy Holland, Jr. Bell, David Jackson, Jimmy Little, Jerry De Priest, Larry Crawford, Stephanie Carter, LaDon Bradford, Jason Robinson, Amanda Spencer, Dylan Leslie, Len O'Bryant, Martha Jones, June 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	88
AM Worship	93
PM Worship	59
Wednesday Bible Study	52
Contribution	\$1,632.00

Pantry Item:

Turna or you can make a donation to Nick Bryant. He and the youth will be going to buy items for pantry.

DATES TO REMEMBER

February 2nd- Elders & Deacons Meeting, 3:00pm

February 8th - Harmony Hill Visit. Van will leave at 9:30am.

February 9th- Fellowship Meal after our Morning Service then our afternoon service will be a devotional around 12:15pm. Men will do A.L. the cooking and cleaning. "SWEETHEART BANQUET".

February 16th- Conduct services at Wesley Fountain Place in Milan. Van will leave at 2:00pm.

March 29th-Annual Senior Adult Rally. "God Is Our Oasis" Speaker: Robert Hatfield. Henderson church of Christ.

July 13th-16th- TREZEVANT - VBS

July 25th- Annual Singing.

Cards Needed: Encouragement

Penny Warren

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Laverne Belew

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Cooperative Series:

Skullbone Atwood - Trezevant

Phillip: The Vertical Aspect of Singing, Praising, Worshipping, & Honoring God.

Tim: The Horizontal Aspect of Singing, Encouraging, & Edifying each other.

Chris: The Internal Aspect of Singing, Personal Comfort, & Expression.

February 5th: Each Speaker at Home Congregation.

February 12th: Phillip @ Skullbone

Tim @ Atwood

Chris @ Trezevant.

February 19th: Phillip @ Trezevant

Tim @ Skullbone

Chris @ Atwood

February 26th: All together @ the Atwood congregation for a fellowship meal at 6:00pm & Congregational Singing @ 7:00pm

"PLAYING HURT"

I've not been much of a baseball fan. In fact I didn't like the sport at all until my younger son, Andrew, fell in love with the sport. If you've watched any of the NLCS (National League Championship Series) you know that the catcher for the New York Mets, Mike Piazza, had multiple injuries. I was reminded a couple of nights ago of the old phrase "playing through the pain." The commentators were discussing major league catchers and how none of them is ever 100% during the season because of all the little "dings" they experience on a daily basis. The best catchers they said are the ones who can perform though they are injured.

I thought of the Christians life. We all experience little "dings" on a daily basis. A cutting remark here, a misrepresentation there, A brother who belittles us on one hand and a sister who isn't strong in their faith on the other. A congregation that slips closer to digression another that spends the Lord's money not on souls, but on snooping and scandalizing the autonomy of the local church. The snub of one who thinks they are better than we or the pang of some overlooked accomplishment, each of these and a thousand more are soul injuries. We all need to be encouraged to "play hurt." To persevere. To give 100% when we don't feel 100%.

"Let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, having our hearts sprinkled from an evil conscience, and our bodies washed with pure water" (Heb. 10:22); "And not only so, but we glory in tribulations also; knowing that tribulation worketh patience, and patience, experience, and experience, hope..." (Rom. 5:3-4)... "Praying always with all supplication in the Spirit, and watching thereunto with all perseverance and supplication for all saints" (Eph. 6:18). "Behold, we count them happy which endure. Ye have heard of the patience of Job, and have seen the end of the Lord; that the Lord is very pitiful, and of tender mercy" (James 5:11).

The best players play hurt!

- Dale Jenkins

ON BEING LIKE JESUS

- ❖ We want to be like Him as He walks on the water, but don't want to walk the dirty floor of a poor man's house.
- ❖ We would raise the dead, but will not hold the hand of the sick.
- ❖ We would turn water into wine, but will not turn our money into food, clothing, and shelter for the needy.
- ❖ We would still a storm on Galilee, but will not calm the troubled heart of a neighbor.
- ❖ We would restore the deaf man's hearing, but will not share with him what he needs most to hear.
- ❖ We want to be like Jesus but prefer to walk with Him in triumph over palm branches, not under the weight of the cross. We want the crown, but not the cross.
- ❖ We would like a scepter, but not a shepherd's staff. We prefer the royal garment to the service towel.
- ❖ We want to be like Jesus as King, but not as a servant.

"For even hereunto were ye called: because Christ also suffered for us, leaving us an example, that ye should follow his steps:" 1 Peter 2:21

Privileged To Serve In February

February

Prepare Communion Trays: Penny Warren

Power Point: David Brasher

Greet: Charles & Jackie Sue Foster

Announcements: Dale Aden

Song Leader AM: Nick Bryant – Song Leader PM: David Bryant

Preside at Table: Monte Morris & Joshua Brasher

Serve on Table: Mark Wright, Barry Moore, Curt Foster, John Moore

Scripture Reading: February 2nd AM - John 14:1-6

Scripture Reading: February 2nd PM - 1 Peter 1:4-7

Date February Sunday	AM Opening Prayer	AM Scripture Reading	AM Closing Prayer	PM Opening Prayer	PM Scripture Reading	PM Closing Prayer	Date February Wednesday	Wednesday Opening Prayer	Wednesday Devotional	Wednesday Closing Prayer
2	Dale Ballentine	Kyle Foster	Jacob Keen	John Lung	Sherrill Smith	Peyton Lindsey	5	David Brasher	Tim Rogers	Jimmy McClain
9	David Bryant	Keith Peavyhouse	Garrett Wright	Greg McClain	Jack Lawrence	Charlie Wachsmuth	12	Dale Aden	Mark Wright	Dylan Holt
16	Sherrill Smith	Peyton Lindsey	Terry Hall	William Moore	John Long	Monte Morris	19	Greg McClain	David Brasher	Jacob Keen
23	Charlie Wachsmuth	Garrett Wright	Shane DePriest	Steve Foster	Dale Ballentine	Keith Peavyhouse	26	Mark Wright	Nick Bryant	Joshua Brasher

Tennessee Children's Home Food Drive – Spring 2014 (March 17, 2014)

How Can We Help?

"Change for the Children" Coin Banks(On Back Table) - Give \$10.00 to Nick for Perishable Foods

Food & Supplies Needed: 100% Bottle Juice(Orange, Grape, Apple), Hot Sauce, Little Debbie Snack Cakes, Sugar, Gatorade Powered Mix (canisters), Velveeta Cheese, Microwave Popcorn, Pickles (whole, sliced, spears), Cereal Bars, Instant Potatoes, Kool-Aid/Lemonade(canisters), Toilet Paper, Laundry Detergent, Bathroom & Kitchen Cleaners, SOS Cleaning Pads, Automatic Dishwasher Detergent, Dish Soap Liquid, Paper Towels, Garbage Bags(13 gal), Fabuloso or PineSol Floor Cleaner, Paper Plates

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MISSION WORK

Dorian Flynn & Partners 4 Africa

West Tennessee Children's Home