

# The Follower

A Weekly Newsletter of The Trezevant Church Of Christ

*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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## Welcome To Our Services

### SUNDAY

Bible Study 9:00am

Worship 10:00am

Evening Worship 5:00pm

### 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 1:16; 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)

## 12 RULES FOR A HAPPY MARRIAGE

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Recently, I came across the following 12 Rules for a marriage as given by the well known Ann Landers in her weekly article. Although to my knowledge Mrs. Landers has never obeyed the Gospel of Christ, I believe she has set forth twelve practical suggestions that will promote a happier home environment. These twelve rules are no doubt Biblical. I have included scripture reference with each rule that affirms such.

1. Never both be angry at once. (Prov. 19:11)
2. Never yell at each other unless the house is on fire. (Prov. 21:23)
3. Yield to the wishes of the other as an exercise in self-discipline, if you can't think of a better reason. (Col. 3:18-19; Eph. 5:21)
4. If you have a choice between making yourself or your spouse look good - choose your spouse. (Phillip. 2:3-4; Matt. 19:19)
5. If you feel you must criticize do so lovingly. (Eph. 4:15)
6. Never bring up a mistake of the past. (Philip. 3:13-14)
7. Neglect the whole world rather than each other. (Eph. 5:25-31)
8. Never let the day end without saying at least one complimentary thing to your life partner. (Prov. 31:26)
9. Never meet without an affectionate greeting. (Prov. 5:18-19)
10. When you've made a mistake, talk it out and ask for forgiveness. (James 5:16)
11. Remember, it takes two to make an argument. The one who is wrong is the one who will be doing most of the talking. (James 3:5-8)
12. Never go to bed mad. (Eccles. 7:9; Col. 3:8)

By: Barry

Via: Roan's Creek Endeavor



*"Years ago an accomplished marksman was passing through a community in which he saw evidence of amazing shooting. On barns, on trees, and on fences were many targets with a bullet hole in the exact center of the bull's eye. So he anxiously sought out the marksman who had performed such astonishing feats.*

*In a congratulatory and inquisitive vein he said: 'Your shooting beats anything I have ever seen. How did you do it?'*

*'No trouble at all,' replied the marksman, 'I shot first and then drew the circles around the holes.'*

*We often aim at nothing and then try to draw the lines of life around accidental marks.*

*"A few years ago some young men with bows and arrows were shooting at a target. When the arrows of one of them kept hitting the ground, another companion cried out, 'Aim higher! Your arrow head is always pointed to the ground!' The same is true of man. He goes where he points himself."*

*We must aim for Heaven if we want to go. We must put the mark on Heaven and keep our aim good. If we miss Heaven we can't draw the target around it. Philippians 3:13 "Brethren, I count not myself to have apprehended: but this one thing I do, forgetting those things which are behind, and reaching forth unto those things which are before, 14 I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus."*

**Hope you have a GREAT WEEK.**

-TIM



### **BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES**

**Birthdays:** **October** 19-Zachary Chrisman, 19- Cailey Lanciloti , 21-Lori McClain, 23-Jacob Peevyhouse, 23-Scarlet Peevyhouse, 25-Ben Holmes, 28-Sharon Wright.

**Anniversaries:** **October** 21-Benji & Nichole Lawrence.

### **HEALTH WATCH**

Sick this past week: **Shan De Priest, Nichole Lawrence. Craig Ballentine** has developed an infection after his surgery. **Emily Kelly** goes back to Vanderbilt October 20<sup>th</sup>. **Brenda McCormick** will have her surgery on October 26<sup>th</sup>.

### **SHUT-INS & NURSING HOME**

Laverne Belew, Helen Pinson, Betty De Priest.

### **PRAYER LIST**

Ray McCormick (friend of Shirley Butler), Kathy Watkins, Danny Curtis, Elvy Sauls Jr., Nettie Mayberry White, Randle Smith, Anita Mayo (Barbara Holt's sister), Rachel Arrington, Larry Hays, Jimmy & Ginger Taylor, Derick Lamen (David & Gail's friend), Larry Kelley, Alice Moore, Nina Long, Cathy Glasgow, Jimmy & Kaffie Greene, Kinley Fowler, Tom Aden, Evelyn Miller, Joann Mewbourn Goodman, Denise & Mark Algoood, Otis Brown Foster, Bobby O'Dell, Missy Denton, Rena Arrington.

**CANCER:** Pat Argo, Lisa Carter ( Dale Aden's friend), Morgan Fuller(Huntingdon Student), Stella Crocker (April Williams mother), Ronnie Joyner, Mac Woods, John David Presson, Brenda Johnson, Wayne Seavers, Kim Barker (Jackie-Sue's cousin), Chayla Blagaich (friend of Pam & David), Ian Edwards, Pat Schneider, Dorothy Lowe, David Fowler, Elizabeth Cronin, Karen Allen, Kenneth Foster, Christine Johnson, Debbie Browning, Jr. Bell, Stephanie Carter, Jason Robinson (Charles Foster's nephew), Keri Dodd, Joy Hays, Tolbert Ray.

### **REQUESTED PRAYERS**

**Terry Hall** requested the prayers of the Church this past Sunday. We are proud of Terry for his drive to walk closer to God and be faithful to Him. Let us all continue to pray for Terry and encourage him.

### **Last Week's Record**

<b>Bible Study</b>	<b>82</b>
<b>AM Worship</b>	<b>92</b>
<b>Sunday Evening</b>	<b>56</b>
<b>Wednesday Bible Study</b>	<b>54</b>
<b>Contribution</b>	<b>\$1,628.00</b>

### **Donations to St. Jude**

Morgan, Claire & Garrett have put together an "UP TIL DAWN TEAM" for UTM. UP TIL DAWN is a fundraiser for St. Jude. They each have a personal goal of \$100.00, but their team goal is \$600.00.

Donations can be made through cash, checks made out to St. Jude, or through their personal online links.

utd.stjude.org/morganlawrence  
utd.stjude.org/claireclark

utd.stjude.org/garrettwright

**TEAM NAME: "JAY'S WARRIORS"**

**If you have any questions ask Morgan!**

### **DATES TO REMEMBER**

**October 18<sup>th</sup>**-Conduct services at Wesley Fountain Place in Milan. Van will leave at 2:00pm. Speaker: Norris De Priest.  
**October 31<sup>st</sup>** – Trunk or Treat. 3:30pm. Everyone is invited.  
**November 7<sup>th</sup>**- Benefit for Pat Argo. **10:00am -2:00pm** Rib Eye Sandwiches & BBQ Bologna Sandwiches and a drink for \$5.00. Bidding for Silent Auction will begin and continue till 8:00pm. **4:00pm – 8:00pm** Chili, Soup and Sandwich Diner for \$8.00. Silent Auction will conclude at 8:00pm. Any and all donations will be accepted for the Silent Auction and appreciated. Cakes and Pies make excellent silent auction items. Anyone that can and is willing to help throughout the day will be welcomed. Contact: Kyle Foster or Tim Rogers for more information. Benefit will be at the Trezevant church of Christ Fellowship Hall.

## **WHERE ARE YOU FOUND?**

A NATIONAL SURVEY OF VARIOUS CHURCHES REVEALED THE FOLLOWING STARTLING STATISTICS ABOUT CHURCH

GOING FOLKS.

10% CANNOT BE FOUND.

20% NEVER ATTEND.

25% NEVER PRAY.

35% NEVER READ THE WORD OF GOD.

40% NEVER CONTRIBUTE TO THE LORD'S WORK.

70% NEVER ATTEND SUNDAY EVENING WORSHIP.

75% NEVER ASSUME RESPONSIBILITY IN THE PROGRAM OF THE LORD'S CHURCH.

95% NEVER WIN A SOUL TO CHRIST.

100% EXPECT TO GO TO HEAVEN!

### ***Tennessee Children's Home***

*Fall Food and Supply Drive*

*The Food Truck will be here Tuesday, October 20<sup>th</sup>*

100% Juice (Apple, Orange, Grape), Little Debbie Snack Cakes, Brownie Mix, Granola or Cereal Bars, Pop Tarts (Frosted or Unfrosted), Hot Sauce or Peppers (Jalapeno/Pepperoncini), Cooking Oil, Olive, Canola (Spray or Liquid), Beef Broth, BBQ Sauce, Gatorade Powdered Mix (canisters), Rice (instant or regular), Kool-Aid (Canisters),

Strawberry (Jelly/Preserves), Sugar, Velveeta Cheese,

Paper Towels, Garbage Bags with drawstrings (39 gal), Bleach, Automatic Dishwasher Detergent, Paper Plates, Vinyl Gloves (Large), Freezer Bags (Gallon or Quart), Facial Tissue, Laundry Detergent (HE) (liquid), Men's Shampoo, Deodorant Soap (bars), Fabuloso or Pine-sol Floor Cleaner, Bathroom and Kitchen Cleaners.

# Privileged To Serve

## October

Prepare Communion Trays: Steve & Rita Foster   Power Point: Keith Peevyhouse   Greet: Dale & Rhonda Aden  
Announcements: Steve Foster   Song Leader AM: Nick Bryant / Song Leader PM: David Bryant / Wednesday: Keith Peevyhouse  
Preside at Table: Terry Hall & Sherrill Smith   Serve on Table: Dylan Holt, Jacob Keen, Jack Lawrence & Joshua Brasher  
Scripture Reading: AM – Hebrews 5:9   Scripture Reading: PM – I Corinthians 14:18-19

Date October Sunday	AM Opening Prayer	AM Scripture Reading	AM Closing Prayer	PM Opening Prayer	PM Scripture Reading	PM Closing Prayer	Date October Wednesday	Wednesday Opening Prayer	Wednesday Devotional	Wednesday Closing Prayer
18	David Bryant	Jack Lawrence	Peyton Lindsey	David Brasher	Mark Wright	Daniel Rogers	21	David Bryant	Tim Rogers	Mark Wright
25	Tim Rogers	Jacob Keen	Joshua Brasher	Dale Aden	Charlie Wachsmuth	Mark Wright	28	Steve Foster	Dale Ballentine	Charlie Wachsmuth

## DAILY BIBLE READING FOR 2015

October	New Testament	Old Testament
18	Colossians 4	Isaiah 48-50
19	I Thessalonians 1	Isaiah 51-54
20	I Thessalonians 2	Isaiah 55-58
21	I Thessalonians 3	Isaiah 59-63
22	I Thessalonians 4	Isaiah 64-66
23	I Thessalonians 5	Jeremiah 1-2
24	II Thessalonians 1	Jeremiah 3-4
25	II Thessalonians 2	Jeremiah 5-6
26	II Thessalonians 3	Jeremiah 7-8
27	I Timothy 1	Jeremiah 9-10
28	I Timothy 2	Jeremiah 11-13
29	I Timothy 3	Jeremiah 14-16
30	I Timothy 4	Jeremiah 17-19
31	I Timothy 5	Jeremiah 20-22
November	New Testament	Old Testament
1	I Timothy 6	Jeremiah 23-24
2	II Timothy 1	Jeremiah 25-26
3	II Timothy 2	Jeremiah 27-29
4	II Timothy 3	Jeremiah 30-31
5	II Timothy 4	Jeremiah 32-33

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## MISSION WORK

*Dorian Flynn & Partners 4 Africa*

*West Tennessee Children's Home*