

Cheerfulness is Contagious - Be of Good Cheer, Even in the Darkest Hours!

Have you ever noticed how folks who are cheerful and have a cheerful countenance, usually influence the people they come in contact with to be cheerful as well? After all, cheerfulness is contagious! Folks who are able to accept things as they are and are always able to see the ir blessings in the darkest hours, are people of good cheer.

If you think about it, what else can you do in the face of things that cannot be altered? If we count our great blessings from our Heavenly Father, we will realize that they will always outweigh the tragedies and disappointments of life (James 1:17).

A positive, cheerful outlook on life is critical to being a true disciple (cf. Matthew 5:16; 1 Peter 2:12). There is entirely too much defeatism in the world without Christians contributing to it. Realize that we are children of the King (Gal. 3:26), and as such, are to be conquerors (Romans 8:37).

Let's think positively — **we can do it!** Let's talk positively around our brethren — it can be done. Do you deny that cheerfulness is contagious? Let's act positively by picking ourselves up when we fall, and trying again. Let's never resign ourselves to failure. Our blessed King has "overcome the world" (John 16:33), and we can as well (1 John 5:4).

The apostle Paul tells us to, "Rejoice in the Lord always. Again I will say, rejoice!" (Philippians 4:4). But we are not able to rejoice, if we do not see the reasons for rejoicing. And, if we do not see those reasons, we will not have the right kind of fellowship with God.

Because we are blessed so abundantly in Christ Jesus (Ephesians 1:3), let's be of good cheer, and when we see our brethren discouraged and troubled, let's lift up their hands and strengthen the weakened knees (Hebrews 12:12 KJV).

Remember, **cheerfulness is contagious!**

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...The happiest of people don't necessarily have the best of everything, they just make the best of everything.

*"For I have learned, in whatsoever state I am, there to be content. I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me" Phil. 4: 11, 13.*

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## **APRIL**

**BIRTHDAYS** 4- April Williams , 5-Piper De Priest, 11-Ben Parker, 19-Mandy Bryant, 22- Shirley Jennings, 24-Kay Greenway, 25- Judy Keen, 30-Jennifer Hall Wroten

**ANNIVERSARIES:** 12-David & Pam Bryant

## **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; I Peter 3:21**

**We must live faithfully until death. Revelation 2:10; Romans 12:1-2**

## **•THOSE TO SERVE – April LIST IN FOYER**

*(Please check for your assignment and PLEASE contact one of the Deacons if you know you are going to be absent on that date).*

## **DATES TO REMEMBER:**

•April 29<sup>th</sup>: Bridal Tea for Alison Farley and Jacob Keen, Fellowship Room , 1-3 p.m. Registered at Bed, Bath & Beyond and Walmart

June 2<sup>nd</sup>: Jacob & Allison's Wedding Ceremony will be here at the church building at 3 p.m.



**SHUT-INS /NURSING HOME:** Margaret Barlowe, Van Ayer Manor, 640 Hannings Lane, Martin 38327;  
Martha Nell Reed, Lakeside Retirement Community, 390 Dr. Smith Lane, McKenzie 38201;  
Elvy Sauls Jr., Life Care of Bruceton, 105 Rowland Ave., Bruceton 38317

**PRAYER LIST** Charlie Wachsmuth had surgery Thursday and was released yesterday. He is now home recovering and doing well. Charles Foste ; Jeanie Brasher; Kaitlyn Dunavan, Christopher Dunavan, Leann Tidwell **Coleman**; Wanda Smith; Nikki Bell, (friend of Daniel's); Kaffie Green; Sybil Hamilton, Jimmy McClain; Tom Aden; Christina Cannon; Margaret Barlowe; Doris Haskell; Mary Bryant; Harold Hutcherson; Penny Warren; Vicki Murphy (Lexington); Mike Lane; Ruth Bennett, Heather Harris, Chris Bowers

**CANCER:** Denise Hodges; Wade Cupples; Roger McCaig; Denise Clemmer; Kenneth Foster; Joe Gordon; Linda Cherry ; Jackie Smith; Keith Inman; Lynn Harrison; Barry Barber; Sue Price; Deborah Browning; Rhyann Loos; Hattie Brinkley Berry; Christine Johnson; Jimmy Greene; Lalanie Murphy

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| DATES                         | WEEK OF 04/01                                                         | WEEK OF 04/8                                                          | WEEK OF 04/15                                                         | WEEK OF 04/22                                                         | WEEK OF 04/29                                                         |
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| PREPARE LORD'S SUPPER         | GREG AND LORI                                                         | GREG AND LORI                                                         | GREG AND LORI                                                         | GREG AND APRIL                                                        | GREG AND APRIL                                                        |
| GREET                         | TIM AND WENDY                                                         | TIM AND WENDY                                                         | TIM AND WENDY                                                         | TIM AND WENDY                                                         | TIM AND WENDY                                                         |
| POWERPOINT                    | KEITH PEEVYHOUSE                                                      | KEITH PEEVYHOUSE                                                      | KEITH PEEVYHOUSE                                                      | KEITH PEEVYHOUSE                                                      | KEITH PEEVYHOUSE                                                      |
| ANNOUNCEMENTS                 | DAVID BRYANT                                                          | DAVID BRYANT                                                          | DAVID BRYANT                                                          | DAVID BRYANT                                                          | DAVID BRYANT                                                          |
| OPENING PRAYER SUNDAY A.M.    | JOHN HENRY LONG                                                       | DALE ADEN                                                             | SHERRILL SMITH                                                        | DALE BALLENTINE                                                       | WILLIAM MOORE                                                         |
| LEAD SINGING SUNDAY A.M.      | NICK BRYANT                                                           | NICK BRYANT                                                           | NICK BRYANT                                                           | NICK BRYANT                                                           | NICK BRYANT                                                           |
| PRESIDE LORD'S SUPPER         | DAVID BRASHER                                                         | DAVID BRASHER                                                         | DAVID BRASHER                                                         | DAVID BRASHER                                                         | DAVID BRASHER                                                         |
| PRESIDE LORD'S SUPPER         | MARK WRIGHT                                                           | MARK WRIGHT                                                           | MARK WRIGHT                                                           | MARK WRIGHT                                                           | MARK BRASHER                                                          |
| SERVE LORD'S SUPPER           | EDWARD RAY FORD<br>JOSHUA BRASHER<br>NOAH BRASHER<br>JACOB PEEVYHOUSE | EDWARD RAY FORD<br>JOSHUA BRASHER<br>NOAH BRASHER<br>JACOB PEEVYHOUSE | EDWARD RAY FORD<br>JOSHUA BRASHER<br>NOAH BRASHER<br>JACOB PEEVYHOUSE | EDWARD RAY FORD<br>JOSHUA BRASHER<br>NOAH BRASHER<br>JACOB PEEVYHOUSE | EDWARD RAY FORD<br>JOSHUA BRASHER<br>NOAH BRASHER<br>JACOB PEEVYHOUSE |
| SCRIPTURE READING SUNDAY A.M. | JACOB KEEN                                                            | DYLAN HOLT                                                            | DANIEL ROGERS                                                         | JACK LAWRENCE                                                         | CHARLES WACHSMUTH                                                     |
| CLOSING PRAYER SUNDAY A.M.    | MARK WRIGHT                                                           | JACOB KEEN                                                            | STEVE FOSTER                                                          | JACOB PEEVYHOUSE                                                      | DALE ADEN                                                             |
| OPENING PRAYER SUNDAY P.M.    | DAVID BRASHER                                                         | MARK WRIGHT                                                           | KEITH PEEVYHOUSE                                                      | DALE ADEN                                                             | DALE BALLENTINE                                                       |
| LEAD SINGING SUNDAY P.M.      | DAVID BRYANT                                                          | DAVID BRYANT                                                          | DAVID BRYANT                                                          | DAVID BRYANT                                                          | DAVID BRYANT                                                          |
| SCRIPTURE READING SUNDAY P.M. | DANIEL ROGERS                                                         | CHARLES WACHSMUTH                                                     | JACK LAWRENCE                                                         | MARK WRIGHT                                                           | JACOB KEEN                                                            |
| CLOSING PRAYER SUNDAY P.M.    | NOAH BRASHER                                                          | PEYTON LINDSEY                                                        | JACOB KEEN                                                            | KEITH PEEVYHOUSE                                                      | STEVE FOSTER                                                          |
| OPENING PRAYER WEDNESDAY      | APRIL 01 NICK BRYANT                                                  | APRIL 8 TIM ROGERS                                                    | APRIL 15 STEVE FOSTER                                                 | APRIL 22 SHERRILL SMITH                                               | APRIL 29 DAVID BRYANT                                                 |
| LEAD SINGING WEDNESDAY        | JACOB PEEVYHOUSE                                                      | JACOB PEEVYHOUSE                                                      | JACOB PEEVYHOUSE                                                      | JACOB PEEVYHOUSE                                                      | JACOB PEEVYHOUSE                                                      |
| DEVOTIONAL WEDNESDAY          | DANIEL ROGERS                                                         | DALE ADEN                                                             | DALE BALLENTINE                                                       | TIM ROGERS                                                            | DAVID BRYANT                                                          |
| CLOSING PRAYER WEDNESDAY      | JACOB KEEN                                                            | JOSHUA BRASHER                                                        | NOAH BRASHER                                                          | DYLAN HOLT                                                            | JACOB PEEVYHOUSE                                                      |