



CENTERVILLE

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"From Where I Sit"

Gospel Meeting August 11th -14th Come Hear Bryan McAlister



"Won With Christ In A Romans One World"

Sunday AM – The Message of a Transformed Man (Part 1)
Bible Class – The Message of a Transformed Man (Part 2)
Sunday PM – God's Calling to a Lost Heart
Monday – How to Walk Away From God
Tuesday – How to Walk Back to God
Wednesday – How to Walk Along With God

Sunday AM – 9:00 am
Bible Class – 10:20 am
Each Evening Service – 7:00 pm

Come Join us For Worship!



It is hard to believe that we have come to the end of another month and that school starts in just a few days. Let us all be in prayer for our children, teachers, administrators, support staff, bus drivers and all involved for a safe school year here in Hickman County.

Our theme for the month of August shifts from "Good Works - Discipleship" to "Good Works - Wisdom". Wisdom is very important in the Christian's walk, but where does wisdom come from? James 1:5 tells us where to find the answer: "If any of you lacks wisdom, he should ask God, who gives generously to all without finding fault, and it will be given to him." The Lord gives wisdom to those who heed the words that come from God (Prov. 2:6). When Moses was giving God's commands to Israel, he encouraged them to keep and do the commandments, "for this is your wisdom and your understanding in the sight of the nations, which shall hear all these statutes, and say, Surely this great nation is a wise and understanding people" (Deut. 4:6). One does not need to be a thoroughly trained scholar to receive wisdom from God's word. Everyone can receive wisdom from the Bible. "The law of the LORD is perfect, converting the soul: the testimony of the LORD is sure, making wise the simple" (Psa. 19:7). We will see in our study of wisdom that God and His word is where true wisdom comes from. As Paul wrote in Colossians 3:16; "Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly in all wisdom...". He is saying that true wisdom is submitting to the authority of Christ, we know His authority because of the scriptures, in all that we say and do in our lives.

So, as we begin another month of "Good Works" and add yet another component of what the bible defines for us as a good work, we will hope to become a little more aware of wisdom and where it comes from and how we become more wise in our lives. Let us all be aware of what kind of wisdom is seen within our life. Let us all work and pray that it will be the kind of wisdom that comes from above.

God Bless -Todd



Fall Quarter

August, September,
October 2024

Sunday, August 4, 2024
Wednesday, August 7, 2024

Words With Weston



I am wrapping up my internship here at Centerville, and what a blessing it has been. It has been a fun and eventful summer with Camp Meribah, our back-to-school retreat, and all the other youth events we did.

It was an incredible experience to work alongside Carter and Harper to help plan youth events and help bring students closer to God. I have enjoyed the opportunity given to me to teach the guy's youth class on Wednesday nights to help them dive deeper into their faith.

The ministries and other Godly work done here at Centerville touch and impact many lives by spreading the gospel and caring for those in need. I am thankful that I got to see a little behind the scenes of what goes on during office hours and the amount of work that is put in.

Thank you all so much for the support and the encouragement given to me this summer. I am blessed to have worked and grown up in such a loving congregation. Centerville Church of Christ is truly special, and I am so thankful for my time interning here.

In His service, Weston

BABYLAND	109	Megan Lampley, Laura Harris WED. Cecily Dotson Laura Harris
AGE 2	200	Heather Martin, Alice Anne Jacobs WED. Kristy & Kaitlyn Wallace
AGE 3	204	Hannah Longworth
PreK Age 4	206	Cindy Garland, Kristen Garland WED. Ages 3, 4 Vanessa McMullin & Allison Gilbert
Sensory Class	225	Michelle Jenkins
In KG	208	Lindsay Francis WED. Lori Woods
GRADES 1 & 2	220	Leah Isenberg WED. Mary Sue Bragg, Debbie Bradley
Grades 3, 4, 5 Girls	224	Haley Richardson
Grade 3,4,5 Boys	226	Garth Richardson Wed. Boys & Girls Shela Chessor, Jean Qualls
Jr. High 6,7,8	B18	Jonathan Aydelott
Sr. High 9,10,11,12	B8	Carter Hoover & Others Wed. Gr. 6-12 Carter Hoover & Others
YOUNG ADULT	222	YAMS Deacons
ADULTS	214	Craig Shelton & Others WED. Mike Elkins & Others
ADULTS	CHAPEL	Bill McDonald Shane Willis
ADULTS	218	Wayne Qualls
ADULTS	110	Eric Coleman
ADULTS	AUD.	Daniel Dressler Mike Goodpasture WED. Todd Parsley & Others



Baptism



We rejoice with Eryn Wilson who was baptized July 14, 2024 by her grandfather Bill McDonald. Eryn is the daughter of Heidi McDonald and Graig Wilson.

UPCOMING EVENTS

...August 3 Gospel Singing at Northview Church of Christ 7 P.M. Meal to follow

...Gospel Meeting at the Upper Sinking Church of Christ August 4-7, 2024. Speaker: Jeremy Butt Sunday A.M. Bible Study 10 A.M. Worship: 11 A.M. Followed by lunch Sunday Evening: 7:30 P.M. Monday-Wednesday 7 P.M.

...Gospel Meeting at the New Antioch Church of Christ August 4-7, 2024. Speakers: Bernard Turner Sunday A.M. & P.M.; Randy Kersey Mon. & Tues.; Bill McDonald Wed. Sunday A.M. Bible Study 9:15 ; Worship 10 A.M. Followed by lunch Sunday P.M.: 7:30 Monday-Wednesday : 7 P.M.

...August 10 Gospel Singing at Aetna Church of Christ 7 P.M. Meal to Follow

...August 10 Clearview Men's Fellowship 9-2 P.M. "Balancing Your Life" Coffee & doughnuts at 8:30 Lunch provided

...August 11 Clearview Church of Christ Friends and Family Day Speaker: Phil Sanders Bible Study 9:30; Worship 10:30 followed by lunch Congregational singing 2 P.M. Afternoon worship: 3 P.M.

...August 18-21 Gospel Meeting at Five Points Church of Christ 7 P.M.

Drop-Off Shower



There will be a Drop-Off Shower for Jacksyn Dunn on Sunday, August 4th. You may leave your gift on the table in the lobby. They are registered at Amazon.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

CONTRIBUTION

July 28, 2024

\$ 12,008.56

Camp: \$ 283.00

Budget: \$14,186.00

Baptisms



We rejoice with Rocky Anderson II and Nathan Anglin who were baptized by members of the Jail Ministry. The Jail Ministry now has 400 baptisms since September, 2007.



The Shepherd's Pen

The weather has returned to hot and humid. The kids are anticipating the return to school next week. It seems their summer break has gone by quickly. As the new school year begins, keep in your prayers the students, teachers, and administrators. Let us pray it will be a good year for all. The gospel meeting with Bryan McAlister is only a couple of weeks away. The theme for the meeting is "Won With Christ In A Romans One World." Plan on being apart of this gospel meeting with your attendance and inviting someone. The theme is very appropriate for the time we live in. Have you ever noticed the repeating emphasis in the scriptures on the fact that sin made the cross a necessity. Sin truly nailed Jesus to the cross. Isaiah the prophet refers to this fact several times in Isaiah 53. "He was wounded for our transgressions." "Bruised for our iniquities." "Laid on Him the iniquity of us all." "Transgressions of My people He was stricken." "His soul an offering for sin." "He shall bear their iniquities." "He bore the sin of many." "Made intercession for the transgressors." Christ bore the sins of all. His stripes were the healing of all. His chastisement (punishment) was the peace of all. His suffering was the salvation of all. Let worship this Sunday be a top priority for you and your family. Your Elders

Memorials

...a Memorial has been given to the Becky Gatewood Camp Meribah Scholarship Fund by Nancy & Bubba West. "In memory of our precious Becky and in honor of wonderful Gary."

PLEASE
PRAY
FOR ME

...Don Chessor is recovering from reverse shoulder replacement surgery. ...Carolyn King, mother of Valerie McCoy and Troy King, is at Select Specialty Hospital 2000 Hayes Street Nashville, TN. 37203. Room 2518

...Ramsey Mobley, son of Thomas & Ann and nephew of Sandy McFarlin, Kay Shaw and Reba Horner, is recovering from a double lung transplant.

...Diana Goad, niece of Bobbie Lowery, is undergoing tests.

...Jamie Bandido, friend of the Allen's, had a bad fall and will be having surgery as soon as she is stable.

August Theme

THE
WAY
OF
WISDOM

Sympathy

...We express our sympathy to the family of Tamela Rochelle Underhill who passed away.



CSI: CENTERVILLE
(College Secret Involvement)
Our college students will be returning to their schools again soon, so we are gearing up for our CSI. We hope many will want to support this ministry.

There are information sheets and a sign-up form on the table in the foyer for all who are interested in joining this effort again this year. See Ken or Tina Dickerson if you have any questions.

August Celebrations

PLACE
STAMP
HERE



David Talley
86 Years Old



Betty Litton
89 Years Old
August 18, 2024



Dick & Linda Smith
Married 59 Years
August 21, 2024



A.J. Coates
96 Years Old
August 28, 2024



Lonnie & Marilyn Gilliam
Married 65 Years
August 28, 2024

Those To Serve In August

Preside

August 4
Clay Chessor

August 11
Randy Wright

August 18
Jonathan Longworth

August 25
Daniel Dressler

**(PLEASE BE ASSEMBLED
UP FRONT BY 8:55)**

Left Side
Ray Qualls
Marvin Dorton
Danny Hudgins
Sam Gilbert

Right Side
David Brown
Will McDonald
Sam Brown
Jackson McDonald

P.M. Chapel

Justin Beard

Communion Prep.

August 4
Randy & Kim James

August 11
John & Debbie Bradley

August 18
Sam & Cindy Chessor

August 25
Crystal & Kailey Cannon

USHERS:

Ronald Coates,
Monty Dunn,
Don Chessor



Life Care Center

8/4: Jeremy Qualls
8/11: Robert Bowman
8/18: Matthew Dotson
8/25: Daniel Dressler

Tulipwood Service: John Bradley

RADIO ROOM AUGUST

Media Director: Andy Weber
Video: Derek Newsom
Sound: Michael Jenkins
Mac/Keynote: Jackson McDonald

Read Scripture:

August 4: Aden Weber

Elder's Prayer:

Ken Dickerson

Meals On Wheels

Aug. 7: Diane Garrett
Aug. 14: Charlie & Linda Shelton
Aug. 21: Shirley Bryant
Aug. 28: Wayne & Carolyn Chessor

PICK-UP MEALS AT 10:40

*Please Contact George Bragg If You
Are Unable To Deliver Meals*

Prayer Week of August 4

S.M.W.
Garth Richardson

S.M.D.
Michael Bryant

S.E.W.
Randy Wright

S.E.D.
Clay Chessor

W.E.B.S
Bill McDonald

W.E.D.
Jeremy Qualls

NURSERY:
Christine Hoover

BAPT. CLOTHING:
Mary Katherine Bates

Greeters

Sam & Cindy Chessor
George & Cindy Garland
Keithen & Laura Harris
Calvin & Dedra Hoover