

THOSE TO SERVE February 9, 2020

Worship Leader: Tim Spain
 Lord's Supper: Chris Gooch, Kevin Dobbins, Wade Henson, Tony Henson, James Nicks, Jim Robertson, Randy Brann
 Scripture Reading: Landon McCage
 Closing Prayer: Jamie Clark
 Power Point: Tim Spain
 Greeters (side): Greg & Renee Ferguson
 (back): Tony & Brenda Henson

DAILY BIBLE READING SCHEDULE

February 2 Exodus 10-12
 February 3 Exodus 13-15
 February 4 Exodus 16-18
 February 5 Exodus 19-21
 February 6 Exodus 22-24
 February 7 Exodus 25-27
 February 8 Exodus 28-29

PLEASE PRAY

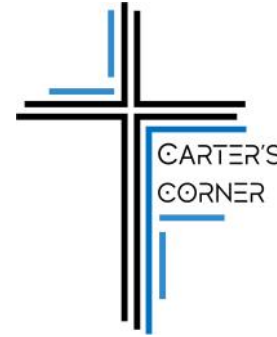
Shana Wilson requests prayers for Josh's girlfriend Kayla, whose mother died in her sleep last Tuesday. Also, please pray for Shana's best friend Janice Noblett, whose father has Alzheimer's and has been placed in hos-



WOMEN OF HOPE 2020

The early registration for this event is quickly approaching. Registration prior to February 3 is \$60 and after that date it is \$75. Breakfast is free if you are staying at the hotel. Lunch on Saturday is \$20 payable at registration. Jenny has reserved a room at the Embassy Suites in Murfreesboro (the location of the conference) and three people have committed to that room. There is room for two to three more if you want to reduce your overnight housing costs. The room cost will be shared by the number of people staying in the room (\$179/night plus taxes. Any questions, please Ask Jenny.

NOTE: If you have plans for church events and activities (senior outings, youth and family devos/ outings, etc.), please provide the details to Jean (jmcmillan159@gmail.com) so she can include them in the bulletin's weekly Activities at a Glance section. →



I encourage you to attend the super bowl party tonight! We will have pizza and wings, and will have a devotional right before the game.

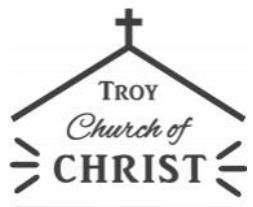
Hope to see you there!

- Carter



ACTIVITIES AT A GLANCE

February 2, 2020	5:00 pm	Super Bowl Party	
February 14-16		Winterfest	Gatlinburg, TN
March 6-7, 2020		Women of Hope Weekend	Murfreesboro, TN
April 7-7, 2020		Mexico Mission Trip	Mexico
June 20-26, 2020		Youth Mission Trip—City of Children	Mexico



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THOSE SERVING THIS WEEK

Sunday, February 2, 2020

Worship Leader: Tim Spain
Lord's Supper: Greg Ferguson
Scripture Reading: Kevin Dobbins
Sermon: Ron Newberry
Closing Prayer: Chris Gooch
Elder Available After Worship: Gene Clark
Children's Church: Nancy & Tim Spain
Attended Nursery: Dawn Guy
Nursery Next Week: Maggie McCage
Greeters (side): Jim & Susan Robertson
(back): Jerry & Betty Chandler



SUNDAY SERVICES

9:30 am — Bible Study
10:30 am — Worship
6:00 pm — Small Group Discussions

WEDNESDAY SERVICES

6:30 pm — Bible Study

Worship Service Feb.2, 2020

Welcome

718 "We Shall Assemble"
828 "Instruments of Your Peace"
797 "Lord We Come Before Thee Now"

Shepherd's Prayer

745 "Humble Yourself"
315 "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" (vs. 1-3)

Communion

Contribution

315 "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" (vs. 4)
76 "How Great Thou Art"

Scripture Reading

Sermon

552 "Have Thine Own Way"

Family News

745 "Humble Yourself" (vs. 1)

Closing Prayer

PRAYER LIST

OUR CHURCH FAMILY: Mary Johnson, Vernelle Sellers, Vallie Burden, Anita Nicks, Aaron Tittle.

OUR COMMUNITY: Yates Graham, Scott Albright, Hudson Hayes, Debbie Jordan, Mary Hepler, Debbie Bowling, Evelyn Williams, Carl Ivey, Michelle Cook (Brian Clark's boss), Shawn Weaks, Jean McCullough

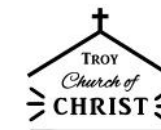
OUR RELATIVES & FRIENDS: Erica Albritton, Alan Jones, William Gardner, Hazel Williams, Terry Grady, Louis Woods (cousin of Aaron Tittle), Adam & Jennifer Cooley, Katie Harris, Clinton Battles, Jason Elliott; Kimberly & Giovanni Rodriguez, Tresa Mudd (Autumn Garrigus's mom), Dwight Baggett, Philis Wilkinson (Amy Hawkins' mom), Bob Yates, Thomas Aker, Brenda Green

THOSE SERVING OUR COUNTRY: Jay Thomas, Thomas Booker, Chris Mays, Rebecca Gooch, Claire Lloyd, Brady Moore, Dakota McCord, Matt Hester, Clayton Fowler, Brady Moore, Chris Floyd, Eb McCage

MISSIONS WE SUPPORT: Baja California, City of Children, China, Guyana, Zambia.

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FAMILY NEWS



February 9, 2020

FAIR PLAY

Imagine viewers from another world looking down at 65,000 people who paid incredible sums of money for a seat (average \$7,671, cheapest \$4,550) to sit in a stadium called Hard Rock Stadium (naming rights purchased in 2016 for \$250 million) that cost \$115 million in 1987 (\$275 million in today's dollars) to watch 22 men being paid on average \$2 million a year dispute the possession of an oblong ball that costs \$80. That will be Super Bowl LIV in Miami, FL tonight in a nutshell.

The winner of the Super Bowl will receive the Lombardi Trophy named after the legendary Vince Lombardi who coached the Green Bay Packers from 1959 to 1968 and led the team to six divisional championships, five NFL championships, and victories in Super Bowls I and II. Handcrafted by Tiffany & Co. and valued at \$50,000, the Lombardi Trophy depicts a football in kicking position that is made entirely of sterling silver. It stands 22 inches tall, weighs seven pounds and takes 72 man-hours to craft.

One would think that in football and in life winning is everything. Lombardi is credited with having said, "Winning isn't everything; it's the only thing." Actually that was first uttered in the mid-1930's by the colorful UCLA football coach Henry "Red" Sanders and Lombardi popularized a variation of it: "Winning isn't everything but trying to win is."

However, winning isn't the only thing in life some folks are concerned with. Have you ever heard of the *Pierre de Coubertin International Fair Play Trophy* (Usually just known as the *International Fair Play Trophy*)? Well, there is such a trophy and many people around the world consider it to be the highest honor in sports. It has been awarded since 1963 to people in sports who have demonstrated nobility of spirit and exemplary sportsmanship.

The first trophy went to an Italian bobsledder named Eugenio Monti for an act that exhibited a touch of class. In the two-man bobsled event at the 1964 Innsbruck Olympics, Monti was the leader after his final run. The only one given a chance to beat him was Tony Nash of Great Britain. As Nash and his teammate got ready for their final run, they discovered that a critical bolt on their sled had snapped at the last moment. Monti was informed of the problem and he immediately took the corresponding bolt from his own sled and sent it up to Nash. Nash fixed his sled, hurtled down the course to set a record and won the gold medal.

In the past, the trophy has gone to a Hungarian tennis player who pleaded with officials to give his opponent more time to recover from a cramp, and to a high school basketball coach who forfeited the Georgia State Championship after he found out that one of his players was scholastically ineligible.

In the 1990 world championship of tandem kayak racing, the Danish team was leading the race when their rudder was damaged when it struck something beneath the surface of the water. The British team, in second place, stopped to help them fix it. The Danes then went on to beat the British — by one second in a contest of nearly three hours. And while they lost the race, the British kayakers ended up being awarded the *Pierre de Coubertin International Fair Play Trophy*.

In this world where so much emphasis is placed on winning and victors will do whatever it takes to win, it's nice to be reminded that there are the few who live by higher standards. There are some people who actually practice the "golden rule" even if they don't call it that. I wonder if anyone in this year's Super Bowl will be awarded the *International Fair Play Trophy*. Somehow I doubt it.

- Ron