

THOSE TO SERVE November 3, 2019

Worship Leader: Tim Spain
 Lord's Supper:
 Scripture Reading:
 Closing Prayer:
 Power Point: Tim Spain
 Greeters (side): James & Anita Nicks
 (back): Tony & Brenda Henson

DAILY BIBLE READING SCHEDULE

October 27 Luke 16; Luke 17:1-10
 October 28 John 11
 October 29 Luke 17:11-37; Luke 18:1-14
 October 30 Matthew 19; Mark 10
 October 31 Matthew 20-21
 November 1 Luke 18:15-43; Luke 19:1-48
 November 2 Mark 11; John 12

ADULT EDUCATION

Having recognized the need for someone to accept the role of leader of our adult education program, the elders asked Paul Hill to take the responsibility for the development of our adult curriculum, expansion of classes as needed and securing qualified teachers for Sunday morning and Wednesday evening adult classes. We are delighted to announce that Paul accepted the challenge as our newest Ministry Leader. The following statement expresses his thoughts concerning this important role in the leadership of our adult education program.

The church elders have asked me to accept a leadership role with our adult Bible class program. I have had extra interest in Bible teaching for many years, and I ask that you share your thoughts, desires, and expectations with me. I look forward to working with you to organize classes that meet your needs and help you continue to increase your Bible knowledge.
 - Paul Hill

To underscore Paul's thoughts, if you have questions or suggestions about our adult classes, wish to recommend a particular series of studies or have a proposal for a new class contact Paul. The elders are confident that he and his team will take our adult program to the next level.

SUPER SENIORS

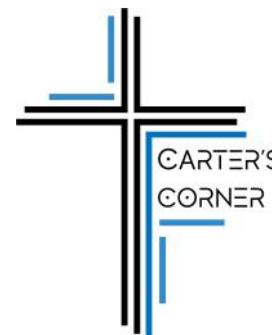
Due to the upcoming holidays in November and December, we have decided to suspend our Super Senior outings until January. In the meantime, you Super Seniors give some thought to and make recommendations for where you would like to go next year. Share your thoughts with Ron or Jenny.

THANK YOU

Betty Whitesides writes, "I want to thank you for the cards, calls, food and prayers after my surgery. It's great to be a part of this church family!"

FREE FLU SHOTS -

The Tennessee Department of Health is offering free flu shots at the Obion County Pubic Library from 2:30 pm to 5:30 pm on Tuesday, November 19, 2019.



Celebration is this coming weekend! We're going to be leaving at 5:30 this Friday night from the church building! Eat before you come!

Fall retreat is the following weekend, November 8-10. You still can let me know if you're coming, you just might not get a shirt.

We also have a devotional immediately following the shower today! This will start at 4:30 pm. It's at the home of Mitzi Gilliam. There will be a big football game, food and a devotional. I would love for you to be there!

I would keep encouraging you to attend OnTrack! We've been having a great time so far. It'd be great to build some momentum going into the winter break! Hope you can be there!

- Carter

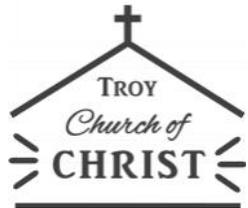
BRIDAL SHOWER

Reminder to all the ladies...the bridal shower for Emma Ward will be held in the activities building from 2-4 pm this afternoon.



ACTIVITIES AT A GLANCE

| Date | Time | Event | Location |
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| October 27, 2019 | 2-4 pm | Wedding Shower for Emma Ward | Activities Building |
| October 27, 2019 | 4:30 pm | Youth & Family Devotional | Mitzi Gilliam's home |
| November 1-3 | | Celebration | |
| November 8-10 | | Youth Fall Retreat | |
| November 19, 2019 | 2:30—5:30 pm | Free Flu Shots | OC Public Library |
| December 7, 2019 | 5-7:00 pm | Christmas Ornament Exchange | Activities Building |
| March 6-7, 2020 | | Women of Hope Weekend | Murfreesboro |



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THOSE SERVING THIS WEEK

Sunday, October 27, 2019



Worship Leader: Tim Spain
Lord's Supper: Brian Clark
Scripture Reading: Jim Robertson
Sermon: Ron Newberry
Closing Prayer: Jimmy Smith
Elder Available After Worship:
Children's Church: Heather & Aspen
Attended Nursery: Lori Griffin
Nursery Next Week: Traci Taylor
Greeters (side): Jeff & Sissy Nicks
(back): Royce & Brenda Aker

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 Hessler, 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.

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 October 27, 2019
Welcome**

749 "The Battle Belongs to the Lord"
539 "Higher Ground"
976 "I Shall Not Be Moved"

Shepherd's Prayer

612 "His Yoke Is Easy"
354 "I Gave My Life for Thee"

Communion

Contribution

583 "Had It Not Been the Lord"
5107 "In Christ Alone"

Scripture Reading

Sermon

903 "There Is Power in the Blood"

Family News

749 "The Battle Belongs to the Lord" (vs. 3)

Closing Prayer

In a follow-up book to his number one best seller, *All I Really Need to Know I Learned in Kindergarten*, Robert Fulghum wrote *Uh-Oh*. Yes, that's the title, *Uh-Oh*.

One story Fulghum tells is about a man in the neighborhood who was stretched to the max with work and other concerns of life. He was always pressed for time and felt crushed under many burdens.

One morning as Fulghum backed out of his driveway so did his neighbor. Another neighbor lady hit the street at the same time. The neighbor lady and Fulghum noticed at the same time that the man had left his coffee cup and briefcase on the top of his Range Rover. And no wonder since he had in addition to the cup and briefcase a golf bag, gym bag, lunch bag, raincoat, umbrella and a sack of garbage for the dumpster at the end of the street.

The nice neighbor lady came to the rescue. She gave chase, urgently honking her horn. The man ignored her since he was already on his cell phone talking to London. She continued behind him honking her horn. Finally in total exasperation he threw his phone to the floor of the car, leaned out the window and made an obscene gesture. Focused on her mission, she ignored his rude behavior and continued to HONK, HONK.

In the meantime, Fulghum was driving behind observing all that was taking place in the quiet neighborhood that morning. He started blowing his horn as well. His 1952 GMC two-ton Go-Ahead-and-Hit-Me panel truck added AAAOOOOGAAH, AAAOOOOGAAH to her HONK, HONK. It ultimately proved to be too much.

The man slammed on his breaks. Before the car came to a complete stop he flung open the door ready to tear someone's head off restrained only by the seat belt he had failed to unfasten. At that very moment the coffee cup slid across the roof, bounced across the hood and smashed into the street followed quickly by his leather briefcase which followed the same trek, skidding across the pavement and coming to rest on the broken cup.

Mission accomplished, the lady smiled, waved and sang out, "Have a nice day!" to her neighbor dangling from the car in the clutches of his seat belt. (You're probably wondering about the briefcase. No, she didn't run over it. Fulghum did.)

The moral to the story is there are some people who resist being helped. In spite of your best efforts you cannot get their attention and when you finally do, they just want to do you harm.

So what are we to do? We are to do the best we can to help those we see who are in trouble, who are about to make a mistake, who are not using sound judgment. (cf. Gal. 6:1) If they insist on driving on, then *they* are responsible for the consequences of broken coffee cups and scuffed briefcases and, ultimately, broken lives.

In Ezekiel 3:19, the Bible says that if you warn a man and he continues to sin, he will die in his sin but you will not be responsible. Verse 20 says that if you do not warn him and he sins, then God will hold you accountable. In other words, our responsibility is to warn, to get their attention. What they do afterward is their responsibility. We are not held accountable for their behavior. We are responsible for warning them. Some folks unfortunately don't want to listen.