### **PRIVILEGED TO SERVE**

### **SUNDAY MORNING**

October 18, 2015

WELCOME: Brian Drewry
SONG LEADER: Jim Sutterfield
OPENING PRAYER: Don Barnett
LORD'S TABLE: Mike Brewer

Jarrod DeValle

ASSIST: Wyatt Brewer Cody Barley

Rick Camp

Nathan Woody

CLOSING PRAYER: Valdy Eichmann GREETERS: Rod & Cindy Wilson

Rod & Cindy Wilson Ratis/Dorothy Yeager

CARDS: Jonathan Rawls

Austin Gilbow

VISITOR GIFT/ Donna Allensworth

HOSTESSES: Anna Wolff SCRIPTURE READER: Hunter Smart

Isaiah 64:8

### **SUNDAY EVENING**

October 18, 2015

SONG LEADER: Kevin Lovell
OPENING PRAYER: Michael Cole
LORD'S TABLE: Albert Hall

Eli Leonard

CLOSING PRAYER: Bill Davidson

### **WEDNESDAY EVENING**

October 21, 2015

SONG LEADER: Rod Wilson
OPENING PRAYER: Michael Cole
DEVOTIONAL: Kevin Blair
CLOSING PRAYER: Cayden Leonard

\*Please contact Mike Wolff if you are unable to serve.

# **SCHEDULE OF SERVICES**

**SUNDAY**:

BIBLE CLASS 9:30 a.m. WORSHIP 10:30 a.m. EVENING 5:00 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY**:

BIBLE CLASS 7:00 p.m.

THURSDAY:

LADIES BIBLE CLASS 10:00 a.m.

**Elders:** 

Gene Blair 501-499-5868 Darren Dent 501-581-3052

Deacons:

Michael Cole815-622-1874Del Hines501-733-4645(benevolence, pantry, greeters)(finance & technology)Jarrod DeValle501-450-8719Mike Wolff501-472-8912(education & teachers)(building & grounds)

Michael Gilbow 501-208-2909

(nursing home, fellowship room set up)

Minister:

Glen Elliott *501-314-9999 Church Office: 501-679-3647* 

#### **GREENBRIER CHURCH OF CHRIST**

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### **FEELING GOOD**

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The attitude we have toward those around us is often affected by the attitude we have about ourselves. Swedish philosopher and poet, Henri Frederic Amiel, wrote, "We are never more discontented with others than when we are discontented with ourselves." We know from personal experience that we feel better about others when we feel good about ourselves.

There is nothing sinful about feeling good about ourselves, especially in the light of our relationship with Jesus (Ph. 4:13). While self-centeredness must be avoided, there is a great difference between selfishness and self-esteem. In Christ, God expresses His desire that we feel good about ourselves. Keep in mind that Jesus came to provide "the full and abundant life" (Jn. 10:10). God does not rejoice every time we get our feet knocked out from under us. He does not find joy in our sorrow. Quite the opposite is true. God hurts when we hurt. Jesus is a high priest who sympathizes with our weaknesses and has been "tempted in all things as we are, yet without sin" (Hb. 4:15).

The surpassing love of God, as revealed in Scripture, shows us that He has nothing but our best interests in mind. His word is a blueprint for living a joyous life and entertaining a strong hope for the hereafter. The "do's and don'ts" of the Bible are intended to bring happiness, not pain. For the people of old, God clarified His purpose for giving them His law, asking them "to fear the Lord your God, to walk in all His ways and love Him, and to serve the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul, and to keep the Lord's commandments and His statutes which I am commanding you today for your good?" (Dt. 10:12). Every parent knows the meaning behind the words: "for your good." Be assured that every command of the Lord has been given for our happiness both now and forever.

The instructions of God also provide a sense of security and well-being. Our Father cares enough to set boundaries. When we follow His teaching, good feelings are produced. He created us this way. Many make the mistake of believing that one has to feel good before he can do right. However, joy is often produced in reverse order to human reasoning. When we do right, good feelings follow.

We are created in the image of God. He loves us so much that He gave His only Son that we might live forever in His presence. These are thoughts that stir the spirit and influence the way we feel about others. A sense of God's love produces a reflection in our lives in the way we treat others. This is our calling—our life's vocation as followers of Christ (Jn. 13:34-35).

--Glen Elliott--

## **CARE GROUP MEETINGS:**

# Care group 1 (Elliott) October 24th at 5pm -

in the home of

Gary & Becky Bradford - menu is fall food; bring a lawn chair & blanket -

# Care group 2 (Dent)

October 18th -

after evening services in the fellowship room-please see signup sheet

# Looking for faults? USE A MIRROR NOT A TELESCOPE!

# **OUR RECORD** OCTOBER 11, 2015

SUNDAY CLASS: 163 208 SUNDAY WORSHIP: SUNDAY PM: 110

WEDNESDAY (14th): 118

\$5,400 BUDGET: \$4,930 **OFFERING:** 

\$5,393 YTD average:

YTD ahead/behind: -\$283



#### PRAYER REQUESTS

\*Our sympathy goes out to Verple Baker in the loss of her sister-in-law, Barbara Hooten. Her funeral was Thursday at Guy church of Christ.

\*Janet Banks had surgery on her hand Wednesday \*Dorothy Yeager will have surgery on her hip Tuesday to put 3 pins in where she has a stress fracture.

\*Glen Elliott's sister. Marlene, had a mass removed and they are deciding about treatment options.

\*Ted Knight, Jim Bell, and Curtis Sawrie will be leaving October 22nd for Cluj, Romania. Keep them in your prayers during this mission trip.

\*Please keep Jason Elliott: Ronald Beene's brother, Mike: Ann Bowie, and Vic Byrd's daughter. Loren, in your prayers.

\*Pick up an extended list of those in need of our prayers on the table in the fover.

\*Some names from this list have been moved to the extended prayer list.

### **BIRTHDAYS** 10/18 Dorothy Tatum 10/19 Ethan Edwards Nathan Lovell 10/22 10/23 Kathy Camp Preston Riela 10/24 Tiffany Hillman 10/24 **ANNIVERSARYS** I missed this in last weeks bulletin sorry.... Junior & Margaret Adams 10/16 💐



# **Wedding Shower**

for Audreya Cole October 25th 3:30 - 5:00 in the fellowship room

> *She is registered at* Target and Bed, Bath & Beyond

# **PANTRY ITEMS FOR OCTOBER:**

Canned corn & green beans

# **October Events:**

October 19th - Areawide fellowship dinner at Downtown in Morrilton - 5:30 pm \$6 per person

October 25th - Monthly youth devo in the home of the Elliott's after evening services

> **BOYS BRING DRINKS** GIRLS BRING DESSERTS

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# WE ARE INVITED TO TH WEDDING OF:

Audreya Cole & Zac Brown Saturday, October 31st 3:00 PM Robinson & Center

church of Christ

### VISITOR BAGS

for October 25th Becky Gossett & Cassi Gilbow



### **FOOD COMMITTEE for OCTOBER**

Please contact Anne Steele or Beverly Woody 581-6311 730-2997

