PRIVILEGED TO SERVE

SUNDAY MORNING

May 6, 2018

WELCOME: Brian Drewry
SONG LEADER: Don Barnett
OPENING PRAYER: Gene Blair
LORD'S TABLE: Rod Wilson

Gary Bradford

ASSIST: Marty Leonard

Shannon Whitley Merrell Story

Phillip Short

CLOSING PRAYER: Greg Bradford
GREETERS: Ratis & Dorothy Yeager

Rod & Cindy Wilson

CARDS: Ethan Gilmer

Miguel Montenegro, Jr

VISITOR GIFT/ Dana Short HOSTESSES: Nita Sadler SCRIPTURE READER: Eli Leonard

Proverb 14:12

SUNDAY EVENING

May 6, 2018

SONG LEADER: Brian Drewry
OPENING PRAYER: Jarrod DeValle
LORD'S TABLE: Rick Camp

Tom Barkley

CLOSING PRAYER: Bill Davidson

WEDNESDAY EVENING

May 9, 2018

SONG LEADER: Mike Wolff
OPENING PRAYER: Robert Hayes
DEVOTIONAL: Darren Dent
CLOSING PRAYER: Ron McInturff

*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.

LAST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH 1:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY:

BIBLE CLASS 7:00 p.m.

THURSDAY:

LADIES BIBLE CLASS 10:00 a.m.

Elders:

Gene Blair 501-499-5868 Gary Bradford 501-626-3232 Rod Wilson 501-328-7888

Deacons:

Mike Brewer 501-472-7692

(youth, devos for Wednesday & nursing home)

<u>Michael Cole</u> 815-622-1874 (benevolence/pantry, technology)

Jarrod DeValle 501-470-8710 (education & teachers) Mike Wolff 501-472-8912 (building & grounds)

Ministers:

Glen Elliott *501-314-9999*

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"WHAT CAN THE RIGHTEOUS DO?" (10)

In Psalm 11:3, David asks, "If the foundations are destroyed, what can the righteous do?" In answering that question, we have borrowed ten suggestions from Dan Flournoy as to what parents need to teach their children (FortifyYourFaith.org). Change seldom happens overnight. Change is slow. It often requires the passing of generations. This is how we got into our present moral quagmire. It only makes sense that this is how, with the help of God, we rebuild the moral foundations of our society.

Proper instruction of our children must include the fact that they are God's special creation and, as such, have value and purpose in life. Because such purpose is revealed in the word of God, our children must learn to love the Bible. Accompanying a love for the Bible is respect for authority--the authority of God as well as the authority of all those in whose keeping God has placed his designated authority, including the authority of parents to teach their children the value of discipline. Other things which must be taught by parents include the importance of avoiding bad people, remaining sexually pure, being honest in every relationship, and pursuing a peaceful and happy home-life. Of course, this is a curriculum which is best taught and then reinforced by example.

In addition to all this, parents must teach their children to be faithful in their service to the Lord. As a general rule, children tend to be as faithful to the Lord as their parents. This is why example is so important in raising children. "Do as I say not as I do" is not a good motto for the Christian home. Paul says that "it is required of stewards that one be found trustworthy" (1 Cor. 4:2). When parents neglect the disciplines of worship, Bible study, and prayer, we can expect that these things will have little importance in the lives of their children. Jesus tells us to "seek first His kingdom and His righteousness" (Mt. 6:33). But, when His kingdom, the church, is regularly given a second place to other things, the consequences are tragic in the future lives of our children.

There are plenty of dangers threatening the spiritual well-being of our children without adding to the list a bad parental example. Change begins with us. We must not become a stumbling block to our children, but a faithful model of practicing a vibrant faith. May God bless each of us to serve Him in a way that brings Him utmost glory.

--Glen Elliott--

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CARE GROUPS

Group 3 (Gary & Becky)

Saturday, May 19th at 5:30 in Gary & Becky's home

PANTRY ITEMS FOR APRIL

CANNED PASTA &
JIFFY MIX

UPDATE ADDRESS: Wade Mavity 10 Tupelo, Apt 7 Greenbrier, AR 72058

OUR RECORD APRIL 29, 2018

SUNDAY CLASS: 143
SUNDAY WORSHIP: 181
SUNDAY PM: 93

WEDNESDAY (2nd): 112

BUDGET: \$5,400

OFFERING: \$4,933

YTD average: \$5,650

YTD ahead/behind: \$4,257



PRAYER REQUESTS

*Ada Forder is in the Greenbrier Nursing and Rehab facility next door.

*Anne Janski's knee replacement surgery went well Thursday.

*Linda Black's wrist surgery went well Thursday.

*Melba Sharp's cataract surgery went well on Wednesday.

*Herb Tatum's sister and brother-in-law, Colleen & Bob Byrd, are under hospice care in a nursing home in NLR.

*Continue to keep the Hilburn's son Danny; Stephanie Phillips; Gina Ratliff; Barbara Knight; Vickie Hasty's sister, Linda Clark; Verple Baker; Jim Sutterfield; Laura Blake's mother, Barbara McManus; and Joe Dillard in your prayers.

BIRTHDAYS 5/8 Jan Biggs 5/8 Eli Leonard 5/9 John Bowie 5/9 Erin Thomason 5/10 Donna Allensworth 5/11 Richard Murray 5/12 Laura Blake 5/12 Colleen Elliott ANNIVERSARYS - none -



HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION BANQUET

May 13th

After evening services, we will be honoring this year's seniors:

Rachel Dixon Eli Leonard Anna Lewis

If you plan to attend, please see the signup sheet on the bulletin board in the hallway so we can get a head count for food - deadline to signup is May 9th



SIGN UP ONLINE NOW!

Men's Breakfast

May 19th 8am in the

fellowship room

* Please sign up on the

bulletin board, writing what you will

be bringing beside your name

AREOPAGUS SCHEDULE:

Day Camp (Ages K-3rd Grade)
June 4-7

Senior High (9-12th Grades)
June 10-16

Middle School (4-6th Grades)
June 17-22

Junior High (7-8th Grades)
June 24-30

CONGRATULATIONS!

Kenzie Steward graduated from Harding University on May 5th. Her parents are Brian and T Swindle. Grandmother is Helen Swindle.

FOOD COMMITTEE for May

Please contact:

Martha Bell Sandra Blair 472-9515 733-1824



VISITOR BAGS May 13th

Dorothy Yeager & Tiffany Hillman

Ladies Preparing Communion Trays

May 6th - Tina Leonard May 13th - Kristy Lewis May 20th - Shanna Lovell May 27th - Anna McNulty