

PRIVILEGED TO SERVE

SUNDAY MORNING

October 7, 2018

WELCOME: Mike Brewer
SONG LEADER: Don Barnett
OPENING PRAYER: Kevin Blair
LORD'S TABLE: Darren Dent
Matthew Dent
ASSIST: Eric McNulty
Austin Ford
Jackie Horton
Jerry Garrett
CLOSING PRAYER: Gene Blair
GREETERS: Tim & Laura Blake
Mike & Kristie Brewer
CARDS: Brayden Gilmer
Jag McNulty
VISITOR GIFT/ Cindy Wilson
HOSTESSES: Kathey Peterson
SCRIPTURE READER: Brandon Beck
Psalm 31:23-24

SUNDAY EVENING

October 7, 2018

SONG LEADER: Don Barnett
OPENING PRAYER: Greg Bradford
LORD'S TABLE: Tim Blake
Ratis Yeager
CLOSING PRAYER: Pete Hines

WEDNESDAY EVENING

October 10, 2018

SONG LEADER: Rod Wilson
OPENING PRAYER: Derek Gilmer
DEVOTIONAL: Valdy Eichmann
CLOSING PRAYER: Teddy Lewis

****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)
Michael Cole 815-622-1874
(benevolence/pantry, technology)
Jarrod DeValle 501-470-8710
(education & teachers)
Mike Wolff 501-472-8912
(building & grounds)

Ministers:

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HIGHEST LOYALTY IN MARRIAGE

"If one can overpower him who is alone, two can resist him. A cord of three strands is not quickly torn apart" (Eccl. 4:12). Most are familiar with these words of Solomon. When applied to marriage, great strength is the result. Greater strength is the result of two standing together. But, the greatest strength is found in a cord of three strands. Such a cord is not quickly torn apart.

Any meaningful discussion about strengthening marriage must begin with consideration of how to make God the center of that relationship. For God to be a partner in our marriage and a blessing to our home, we must be guided by His wisdom. Jesus says, "seek first His kingdom and His righteousness..." (Mt. 6:33). What we seek first in marriage will determine both its reference point and direction. We become better marriage partners and family members when we build our marriages around God.

Building a marriage with God as our partner greatly enhances its chances of success. Statistics have revealed a strong correlation between marital happiness and strong religious beliefs. The chances for marital success are four times greater when both partners are committed to following God in their marriage. Furthermore, children of such unions are much more likely to enjoy success in their own marriages. Scripture reminds us that "Unless the Lord builds the house, they labor in vain who build it" (Ps. 127:1). God must be the partner around whom we build our marriage. The vows made in a wedding ceremony are not only promises to one another--they are promises to God.

God is our source of guidance and strength. It is foolish to trust in human wisdom. Jeremiah reminds us that "It is not within man who walks to direct his own steps" (10:23). For us to build marriage on a solid foundation, we need to build it on the Lord. Such is the fundamental first step to building a strong marriage. We must make careful and prayerful preparation. We must practice genuine love. We must work hard at communication and understanding. However, it all begins with our decision to give to God our highest loyalty.

--Glen Elliott--

CARE GROUPS

Care Group 1 (Teddy & Kristy)
Saturday, October 20th, 5:00pm
at Vickie Hasty's home

Care Group 3 (Gary & Becky)
Saturday, October 20th
at Woolly Hollow

Care Group 4 (Ratis & Dorothy)
Thursday, October 25th, 5:30pm
at the Yeager's - see *signup sheet*

Bible Questions:

1. On what day did God create plants?
2. How many Israelites left the land of Egypt with Moses?
3. The book of Hezekiah falls into what category of Old Testament books?

OUR RECORD **September 30, 2018**

SUNDAY CLASS:	167
SUNDAY WORSHIP:	197
SUNDAY PM:	84
WEDNESDAY (3rd):	118
BUDGET:	\$5,400
OFFERING:	\$7,256
YTD average:	\$5,692
YTD ahead/behind:	\$11,382

Prayer Requests

*Don Barnett had an angiogram Wednesday - it went well. He will not need a stint.

*Laura Blake's mother was able to go home on Tuesday. Please keep her in your prayers.

*Annie Blair was in the ER Wednesday with blood pressure issues but was able to go home later that day. Please remember her in prayer during the rest of her pregnancy.

*Beverly Woody had an MRI and will be seeing a neurologist Tuesday. Pray that she will get some relief from the headaches she is having.

*Brittany (Irby) Hamlin is missing. Please pray for her. She is believed to be in trouble.

THANK YOU CARD

Please go by the bulletin board to read the thank you card from the Davidson's

Area Wide Youth Fellowship

at Windsong

October 14th beginning at 5:30

Area Wide Singing/Fellowship

at Harding Street

Tuesday, October 16th at 5:30

BIRTHDAYS

Ila Lovell 10/7

Rance Rainey 10/9

ANNIVERSARYS

- none -

CALENDAR:

October 12-14th:

LADIES RETREAT at Solgohachia.

Cost is \$60 - see the ladies table for more details & Jan Biggs with any questions.

Money is due Sunday, October 7th

**There will be a short meeting in the front of the auditorium after services Sunday morning*

October 13th:

MEN'S BREAKFAST at 8am in the fellowship room - see *signup sheet*

October 13th:

AMMO'n'EATIN Funfest at

Rod Wilson's beginning at 2pm

This is for men only—no children.
A meal is provided - signup on the bulletin board

Last Sunday of the Month Services

for the rest of 2018. Remember we have regular morning services with a 1pm service - NO 5pm service:

October 28th (no congregation potluck)

November 25th (no congregation potluck)

December 30th (5th Sunday potluck)

Bible Drill

at 4:50 Sunday evenings
for youth of all ages
(Not on the last Sunday of the month)

The answers to last week's Bible Questions:

1. Damascus (Acts 26:12-13)
2. Priest (Lk. 10:31)

Ladies Preparing Communion Trays

October 7th - Donna Allensworth

October 14th - Jennifer Whitley

October 21st - Janet & Alisa Banks

October 28th - Stephanie Barkley

**if you have any questions, please contact Cindy Wilson*



VISITOR BAGS

October 14th

Annie Blair & Kathy Camp

FOOD COMMITTEE for OCTOBER

Please contact:

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Donna Allensworth
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