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Schedule of Services

Sunday

Morning Worship
9:00 a.m.

Bible Classes
10:15 a.m.

Evening Worship
5:30 p.m.

Monday Night For
The Master
(T.B.A.)

Wednesday

Ladies' Bible Class
10:00a.m.
(Sept. - May)

Step It Up 3:15

Devotional
6:30 p.m.

Bible Classes
6:45 p.m.

2011 Theme
"Do all in the name
of the Lord"

How I See It. By: Brian Gregory

I was at vocational school, standing in line waiting to get some breakfast from the cafeteria when I saw it. There was a skyscraper billowing smoke and rumors of a drunk pilot flying a 747 into it. Little did I know what would happen as the day went on. It was Tuesday September 11, 2001. I recall later watching as people jumped to the deaths in an effort to keep from burning to death. I recall the horror and disbelief when the towers fell. In a lot of ways the world changed that day. In just a few days we will mark the ten year anniversary of September 11th. Each year I am reminded of how easy it is to forget.

In the days and weeks following how many remember the surge of patriotism and unity in this nation? Everyone wanted to get even or see justice served. Soon it all began to taper off. The truth is important dates are often fogged over by time. We forget about important news stories and events. It is easy to forget things. But, sometimes it is dangerous to forget. There are something's we should never forget. Consider the following.

We should never forget what Christ did for us. The death of Christ is the most important moment in the history of the world. His death is important for those who have accepted it. It brought forgiveness and redemption (Col. 1:13-14), reconciliation with God (Col. 1:19-20), it freed us from our sins (Rev. 1:5). Every week there is an opportunity to remember it in a special way during the Lord's Supper (1 Cor. 11:23-32).

We should never forget where we were. Our past is important. Before Christ we were all dead in sin (Eph. 2:1-2). When you forget the past. You will lose sight of the importance of evangelism. Souls are lost, are you convinced they need to be saved like you? We forget the importance of the church (Mt. 16:18; Acts 20:28), the Lord's sacrifice (Col. 1:13-14).

We should never forget God's word. God has always intended His word to be taught and understood by His people (Dt. 31:10-13; Rom. 10:17). Our forgetting and departing from God's word can be caused by simple neglect. How much did you actually read your Bible last week, last month, last year? We also forget God's word by not teaching our children (Dt. 6:4-9; Eph. 6:4). When children depart and leave the church, how much time did you as a parent spend teaching them at home? How much did you emphasize Bible class and worship? We are always only one generation away from apostasy and closing the doors of this church.

God has truly done so much, let us resolve to never forget what He has done and fully appreciate it.

September 11, 2011

A.M. "What is God's plan for the man in the family?" (Ephesians 5:25) Brian Gregory, Speaker

P.M. "Make your call and election sure" (2 Peter 1:10-11) Brian Gregory, Speaker

KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Recovering from surgeries/procedures: J.D. Davis (knee); Sharon Davis (wrist); Charline Gossett (knee replacement) home; John Churchwell, Sr (hip) home

Various illnesses/health/personal problems:

Martha Wilson; Tom Johnson (multiple myeloma cancer); Randy Wood (jaw & neck cancer) Boyd's brother; Ila Goodman NHC-Columbia 156-A; Willie Matt Hinson (Judy Barber's aunt) 352 Lynnwood Dr., Hohenwald, TN 38462; Larry Anderson; Robert Norman at son's home; Bill & Mable Smith - home; Marsha Lunn; Barney Roland (NHC Hillview Rm. 101-B); Linda Hardy (pancreatic & liver cancer); Sandy Humphrey (terminal cancer); Frances Fitzgerald-home (No visitors please); Beverly Dawson; Darlene Church NHC-Hillview 112-A; Linda Bell treatments for bone cancer (Clyde Farris' sister); Coleen Pilkinton (undergoing cancer treatments); James Ed Pollard; Larry Derryberry (Libby Moss' brother & Lisa Kelley's uncle) not holding stable; Betty Allen (Mary Chumbley's daughter);

In The Hospital: Jamie Anthony "Tony" Harris (Jan Thomason's brother)-Select Speciality Hospital Rm. 4516, 2000 Hayes St. Nashville, TN 615-284-4599; Ainsley Hooper (Lisa Kelley's co-worker's 5 month old daughter), Vanderbilt step down unit.



Pray for our Servicemen & their families:

Kevin Mick (Afghanistan)
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CPT MICK, KEVIN
TNARNG JFHQ FWD 83
APO AE 09355

Brad A. Morgan, (3rd time to Iraq)
Nell Hood's grandson
Maj. Brad A. Morgan,
HHC, 326 ENG.BN.,
A.P.O. AE 09391

Clay Morgan, (2 trips to Iraq now in Afghanistan)
Nell Hood's grandson
Maj. Clay Morgan,
HHC, 25TB 2/4 ID., FOB SARAH,
A.P.O. AE 09382

Brandon Hubbard
(Clayton & Myrna Jett's grandson)

Steven Kuykendall (Afghanistan)
(Ray's son)
1-107th AOB, FOB
Tarin Kow T
APO AE 09380

MARK YOUR CALENDARS



Sept. 14th - Ladies' Bible Class 10:00 a.m. in annex.

Sept. 21st - Ladies' Bible Class 10:00 a.m. in annex. Potluck lunch to follow. Men are invited to lunch.

Sept. 25th - Teacher's Appreciation Luncheon in the annex following the morning Bible classes. Please sign sheet in foyer if you plan to attend so the proper amount of food can be provided.

Sept. 28th - 4th Wednesday Prayer Service 6:30 p.m. in small auditorium. Children's Bible Hour in annex



Our Church

Family at Work

Eastside has been blessed with caring individuals who sit with members when the need arises. If you'd like to be added to the list to called upon from time to time please sign the sheet in the foyer.

We also have members in need of transportation to and from our services. Sign the sheet in the foyer if you'd like to be on a rotation to help with this good work.

REJOICE! Cladie Pollard was baptized into Christ Sunday morning. Rejoice with her and her family. We commend Cladie on her decision and encourage her as she begins her Christian walk.

Congratulations to Benjamin Loyd and Kelli June (Marshall) Bolton who were married September 2nd. Benjamin is the son of Benny and Alice Bolton. Benjamin and Kelli's address is 3067 Burnt Pine Drive Smyrna, TN 37167



Weddings

September Theme: Family Relationships
Goal: Show your love for your family by doing a selfless act daily.



Non-perishable items are being collected through September to send to Steven Kuykendall who is in Afghanistan. Place items in mission barrel in foyer.

Special thanks to Kent O'Donnell who presented an update of his mission work in New Zealand Sunday.

“.....he who is wise wins souls.” Proverbs 11:30



Summits of the Psalms

By: Joe Macer

Psalm 87

87:6 The Lord will write in the register of the peoples:
"This one was born in Zion."

Zion was the city of God. He loved the city and set his foundation on the holy mountain. This place was more special than all the other locations in Israel. The city was also known as the royal city since the kings from David on down resided there. The history of Jerusalem is the history of Israel. Throughout the Old Testament we read of many occasions in which God protected this city and the temple within it. During the time of the Babylonians, God allowed it to be destroyed but after seventy years it was rebuilt.

God knew the inhabitants of Jerusalem. This Psalm gives us the image of God listing the names of the individuals who were born in Jerusalem. This very much reminds us of the Book of Life discussed in Revelation. God knows those who are his and their names are recorded in his book. Is your name found in the Book of Life? The importance of this cannot be stressed enough.

Another interesting fact about this Psalm is the inclusion of Gentiles within this city. People of Rahab (Egypt), Babylon, Philistia, Tyre and Cush would be treated as one born in Zion if they would acknowledge him. This was certainly contrary to Jewish thinking and yet they had no idea of the wonderful things God would bring about. Through Jesus anyone in this world can be at peace with God and treated as a citizen of his kingdom. The gospel is for all.



Sept. 11th - Paula Gilliam &

Nathan Thomas

Sept. 17th - Laura Spires &

Brenda Warf

Building Fund Contribution

In Honor

of

Lorene Hickman &

Mike & Wanda Andrews

Given by:

Corene Allen

Youth News

by Jody Pritchett



Sept. 11th - Youth Area Wide at Culleoka church of Christ. Leave Eastside at 5:30 Return 8:30

Sept. 14th - Step It Up 3:00 in annex.

Sept. 17th - R.U.S.H. at FHU

Sept. 24th - Teens Back to School Cookout/ Game Night at the Shelter. Please sign the food sign-up sheet in foyer.



Please see Jody if you'd like to contribute to the Youth Scholarship Program

BIBLE BOWL 2011

September 10 - Bible Bowl 2011 in Cookeville!!!! Good Luck Bible Students we commend you for all your studying and hard work! Special thanks to John Thomas and all the team leaders and all your efforts.

TWEENS

There is a sign-up sheet in the foyer for devotional hosts for 2011-2012 school year. If you can host a devotional in your home, please sign the sheet.

Any questions see Mike Lyle



Our deepest sympathy is extended to Bobby Hunt and his family in the death of his aunt, Ivelean Milliken, whose funeral was last Monday in Lawrenceburg.

THE RECORD SPEAKS

September 4, 2011

Morning Worship.....	259
Bible Study.....	166
Evening Worship.....	146
Wednesday Evening.....	116
Budget.....	\$7,000.00
Contribution.....	\$6,606.35

Building Fund Campaign

GOAL= \$600,000 August 31, 2011 - March 31, 2012

Kid's Count Campaign: Jug in lobby thru end of yr

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WORSHIP LEADER September 11, 2011

SUNDAY 9:00 A.M.

Welcome & Song Leader.....Jerry Wilson
 Prayer.....John Thomas
 Lord's Supper: Presiding.....Benny Bolton
 Serving:
 David Upchurch, Jr. Sam Quirk
 Joel Skelley Jerry Williams
 Jason Snyder Jason Kelley
 Offering
 Read (Ephesians 5:25).....Jim Pollard
 Sermon: "What Is God's Plan For The Man In The Family?"
 Speaker..... Brian Gregory
 Invitation
 Announcements/Closing Prayer.....Randy Jones

SUNDAY 5:30 p.m.

Welcome/Song Leader.....Greg Lusk
 Prayer.....John Kodatt
 Read (2 Peter 1:10-11).....John Allen Thomas
 Sermon "Make Your Call And Election Sure".....Brian Gregory
 Invitation
 Lord's Supper Presiding (In Deacon Room).....Johnnie Johnson
 Announcements/Closing Prayer.....Richard Farris

5th Sunday Building Fund Contribution
 October 30th

Ushers: Danny Lasater, Joe Williams, Ryan Massey
 Greeters: Gary & Tonya Boyd, Johnnie & JoAnn Johnson
 Audio/Visual Room: Jonathan Macer

If you are unable to keep your appointment to serve, please call Ray Rummage (379-5560) or Joe Williams (388-9183).

NURSERY CARE

A.M.....Rita Gray
 Rita Skelley
 P.M.....Kay Johnson
 Linda Kuykendall

WEDNESDAY 09/14/2011

Song LeaderDennis Thomason
 Prayer.....DeWayne Hickman
 Announcements/Speaker.....Greg Lusk