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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.

Wednesday

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

Mid-Week
Bible Study
6:30 p.m.

Bible Classes
6:45 p.m.

Working for
the Master
(Sunday nights
as announced)

2012 Theme
"Building on the
Rock"
Psalm 127:1

How I See It. By: Brian Gregory

We've all said it, right? Perhaps someone has offended us. We say, "It's okay, don't worry about it." Maybe someone opened his car door and bumped ours--"Don't worry about it," we say. Yet the fact of the matter is, sometimes we do worry about things. However, Jesus tells us not to worry (Mt 6:25-34)--easier said than done, I know. Here are three ideas that will strengthen our hearts when we're challenged by worry.

Realize that Some Things are Beyond Your Control. Name one thing good that worrying has accomplished. I heard it described this way, "Worry is like a rocking chair, it gives you something to do, but it never gets you anywhere". (Mt. 6:27). There are at least three general categories of life that people worry about, but have absolutely no control: 1) things that have already happened, 2) things that must happen and 3) things that will never happen. With respect to category number one, you cannot undo the past—do not worry about it (Phil. 3:13-14). If sin is involved, obtain God's forgiveness then forgive yourself and move on. If category number two is the problem, prepare for things that must happen, then let them come. If it is category three, remember that life is too precious to waste time being anxious. One researcher observed that "85% of what we worry over never happens."

Learn to "Let Go and Let God" It is likely that most who read this believe in God. They believe He is creator. They believe that He loves them and expressed that love through Christ. No doubt, most of the readers believe that man's response to that love is obedience. The problem that some may have is trust in God. It is not a matter of believing in God, it is a matter of believing God. Learn to "let go and let God" work in your life (Mt. 6:28-30).

See God, not Just as God, but as Your Father. We must be impressed with the fact that the text does not say, "God knows your needs" or "the heavenly Father knows. . ." but it says "your heavenly Father knows your needs." How many times have you heard it prayed, "Lord, you know our needs better than we do?" There is a reason for that—He is our Father, and as our Father, He knows the needs of His children. Paul wrote, "But my God shall supply all your needs according to the riches in glory by Christ Jesus" (Phil. 4:19). Could one ask for anything else? Knowing this, how could one be full of worry?

Brian

Adapted from an article by Neal Richey

May 20, 2012

A.M. "You Are Witnesses of These Things" (Luke 24:45-49) - Joe Macer Speaker

P.M. "TBA" (TBA) - Brian Gregory, Speaker

KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Recovering from surgeries/procedures:

Retha Jett (foot); **Roberta Bolton** (stent); **Dora Bolton** (Roberta's mother-in-law) NHC Columbia Rm. 157 -C; **Doris Inman** (hip) NHC Hillview Rm. 109-A; **Marie Fogerty** Joyce Johnson's mother (hip); **Charlotte Attkisson** (stroke) NHC Hillview Rm. 113-A; **Irene Huckaby** (Reba Jones' sister-in-law); **Adele Gray** (David's mother); **Gladys West**; **Marie Filson** (shoulder)-home; **Horace Dawson** (Edith Burgess' uncle); **Linda Luna** (hip Replacement/blood clot)-home; **Stormy Lyle** (Mike's mother).

Various illnesses/health/personal problems:

Jim & Martha Wilson; **Frances Brown** (Barry's mother); **Bill Smith** (hip) Life Care Ctr. Rm. 126 ; **Austin & Irene Long**; **Kim Sutton** (friend of Hannah & Samantha Jones); **JoAnn Anderson** (Katherine Nicholson's mother); **Charlie Willis** (healthy heart); **Nell Legg**-back at Morning Pointe; **Matt Boyd** (back problems) Vandy tests 5/17; **Becky Brown** (fall-broken rib); **Sarah Churchwell**; **Margaret Johnson**; **Jack & Daisy White**; **James Ed Pollard**; **Joe & Linda Bell** (Clyde Farris' sister and brother-in-law) Shut-ins & those in nursing homes.

Cancer: **Paula Baker** (Kaye Beard's sister); **William Vandiver**; **Tammy McCoy**; **Andrea Spears**; **Julie Ridings**; **Beth Foster**; **Susan Horton**; **Sue Ayers** (Linda Lasater's mother (bone cancer); **Randy Wood** (jaw & neck cancer) (Boyd's brother); **Betty Allen** (Mary Chumbley's daughter); **Tom Johnson** (multiple myeloma cancer); **Emily Marshall** (lymphoma treatments); **James Mullins** (in remission)

In the Hospital:

MRMC: **Katie Winchester** Rm. 253; **Waylon Dean** (heart) CVICU

Summit: **Paul Kennedy, Jr.**



Pray for our Servicemen & their families:

Brandon Hubbard

(Clayton & Myrna Jett's grandson)

Steven Kuykendall (Afghanistan)

(Ray's son)

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May Theme: Outreach and working together to make the move.

Goal: Going into all the world, making new contacts and revisiting those we have invited in the past.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS



May 20th - Graduates Recognized after a.m.

Worship service. Finger-food fellowship to follow p.m. service at 6:30 P.M.

May 23rd - 4th Wednesday Prayer Service 6:30 p.m. in small auditorium. Children's Bible Hour in annex.

May 25th - Ladies Bible Class outing to Miss Mary Bo Bo's in Lynchburg TN for lunch.

May 27th - Working for the Master 6:30 p.m. in the annex. Menu: Pizza & Salad \$3 per person.

May 28th - Memorial Day Observed. Office Closed!

May 30th - 5th Wednesday Song Service.

June-5th - (TUESDAY) Summer Series begins at 6:30 p.m. No Service on Wednesdays.

Theme "Why Should We Believe....?"

Tom Holland speaker.

Topic "Why Should We Believe In Organization of The Church?"



Building Fund Contribution

In Honor of

John Massey

Given By: His mother,
Charline Gossett

THE RECORD SPEAKS

May 13, 2012

Morning Worship.....	253
Bible Study.....	160
Evening Worship.....	119
Wednesday Evening.....	123
Budget.....	\$7,000.00
Contribution.....	\$6,717.17

Building Project Update

For the latest construction photos!

Visit our website: www.churchofchristateastside.com



Working For The Master

Please report to Gary Boyd all outreach you do during the week (phone calls, visits, cards sent, etc)

Meets again Sunday, May 27th

MENU: Pizza & Salad

\$3.00 per person

Bring desserts to share if you'd like.



Summits of the Psalms

By: Joe Macer

Psalm 123

123:3 Have mercy on us, O Lord, have mercy on us, for we have endured much contempt.

When you find that persecution, contempt or ridicule is thrown your way, where do you go for help? The Psalmist made the decision to go to God. His eyes would look towards the throne of God in heaven itself. God is the one that can help. He has the power and the strength. He has the ability to destroy the works of man and bring about great results for his children. No matter what the trouble or the concerns may be, take your desires to God. Let him know your inner thoughts and desires.

The writer asked for mercy. His humility was showing through as he pleaded with God. He did not ask for vengeance. He did not seek retaliation. He was not moaning the fact that life is not fair. He simply wanted God's mercy and grace. He wanted God's guidance and protection. When trouble of any kind comes our way, it is fitting to ask God for his mercy. When Christians are criticized, they should call upon God's throne for mercy. He will supply what is lacking and provide what is needed



Thank you so much for all the cards, food, and visits we received during the loss of my brother. We greatly appreciate all of you. It means so much to have friends at a time like this.

In Christian Love, Cindy Hargrove & Family



Happy Birthday

May 20th - Baylee Thornton

May 22nd - Jadonna Hight

May 24th - Dylan Hubbell & Chloe Patterson

May 25th - Tonya Boyd

May 26th - Kenzie Boyd & Nancy Fronczek

Newlyweds Address:

Daniel and Aleia (Seiber) Scott-
2241 Mooresville Pk. Culleoka, TN 38451

Youth News

by Jody Pritchett



Theme: "Teens Stepping Forward in 2012"

www.teenescape.org

May 20th - City of Children Mission meeting in Chapel Hill at 4 p.m. Van will leave Eastside at 3:30 p.m.



May 20th: Graduates Recognized after a.m. worship service. Finger-food fellowship in annex after p.m. service. Congratulations High School Graduates, Lauren Belew, Clara Hargrove and Chrystan Lyle! (fliers available Sunday) College Graduates, Matthew Hargrove and Alex Jones!

June 3-8 and 10-15 -Church Camp Jody has the registration forms.

July 1-6 - Horizons at FHU

July 31st - 2013 Scholarship Application deadline.



CITY OF CHILDREN MISSION TRIP is coming up June 17th.

Items are needed for Care Packages. Shopping List located on the able in foyer. See Jody if you have any questions.
www.cityofchildren.com

Want to make a teddy bear for a child in Mexico?
See Jody for information!

Congratulations to the following families and welcome newborns:

Ella Layne, born to **Dustin & Nikki Hargrove**, Wednesday, May 9th. She weighed 6 lbs. 14 ozs. And was 20" long. Edward & Jackie are proud grandparents, Elizabeth is a proud great-grandparent.



Barrett William, born to **Jesse & Hayley Gilliam**, Wednesday, May 9th. He weighed 8 lbs. 12.5 ozs. And was 20" long. J.W. & Paula are proud grandparents.

Liam Michael, born to Aaron & Ashley (White) Schmitt-Matzen, Saturday, May 12th. He weighed 8 lbs. 2 ozs. And was 20" long. **Boyd & June Wood** are proud great grandparents. Their address is 3261 Hilham Hwy. Apt. F-6, Cookeville, TN 38506

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WORSHIP LEADER May 20, 2012

SUNDAY 9:00 A.M

Welcome & Song Leader.....Jerry Wilson
 Prayer.....Jody Pritchett
 Lord's Supper: Presiding.....Mike Lyle
 Serving:
 J.D. Davis Barrow Brown
 Jonathan Macer Darrell Brown
 Ronnie Skelley O.G. Church
 Offering
 Read (Luke 24:45-49).....Charlie Willis
 Sermon: "You Are Witnesses of These Things"
 Speaker:Joe Macer
 Invitation
 Announcements/Closing Prayer.....Dennis Thomason

SUNDAY 5:30 p.m.

Welcome/Song Leader.....Kevin Mick
 Prayer.....Jim Pollard
 Read (TBA).....Tom Miller
 Sermon: "TBA"
 Speaker.....Brian Gregory
 Invitation
 Lord's Supper Presiding.....Greg Lusk
 Announcements/Closing Prayer.....John Thomas

Ushers: Benny Bolton, Chase Thomason, Jason Kelley
 Greeters: Benny & Alice Bolton, Roberta Bolton & Bernice Bratton
 Audio/Visual Room: Jason Snyder

If you are unable to keep your appointment to serve, please call Ray Rummage (446-0668) or Joe Williams (388-9183).

NURSERY CARE

A.M.....Iris, Samie & Shelby Anderson
 P.M.....Kasey Cross
 Sharon Davis

WEDNESDAY 5/23/2012 (Prayer Service)

Song LeaderJerry Wilson
 Prayer.....Tommy Hight
 Announcements/Speaker.....John Thomas