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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

Over the weekend, I began building an entertainment center for my children's play room. After getting the thing almost completely assembled, I took it to the basement and began to paint it. While I was rolling out the paint, I noticed a fly buzzing around the paint tray. A few moments later, I saw it on its back stuck in the paint. I immediately thought to myself, this was the worst possible mistake that fly could have made.

Knowing as we all do, the fly had no way of knowing how dangerous the paint would be if it was caught in it. Also the fly never gave any thought to the consequences of its actions. Of course this is all because flies do not have the capacity to think like this. However, humans do and yet, too often we still think like flies. How many times do we fail to see the danger in something until it is too late or someone else tells us how lucky we were to not get injured? How often do we fail to think about the consequences of our actions before we do something? So many people, even members of the Lord's church, fall prey to sin in the same ways. We think nothing will happen to us, or we will be the exception. We think it will not hurt anything just this once, etc. . . We fail to see the consequences, a life separated from God (Isa. 59:1-2) and death (Rm. 6:23) spiritual definitely and sometimes even physical. Many fail to heed the warnings from those who love us and most of all from God. Sometimes we even think there will be plenty of time to escape or live right later, but cemeteries are full of people who thought the same things at one time and realized how wrong they were. Why not take God seriously and think more like Christians and less like flies. See and admit the danger of sin and avoid it. The writer of Hebrews asked a very pointed and relevant question, "How shall we escape if we neglect so great a salvation (Heb. 2:3)? The answer is we cannot and will not, if we neglect it. Instead we will one day find we have made the worst possible mistake.

Brian

June 3, 2012

A.M. "The Good Confession" (1 Timothy 6:12) Brian Gregory, Speaker

P.M. To Be Announced Brian Gregory, Speaker

KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Recovering from surgeries/procedures:

Austin Long (stent); **David Kodatt** (John's Dad) (hip) NHC Hillview; **Bill Smith** (hip) Life Care Ctr.; **Faye Thurman** (hip)(heart attack); **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; **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; **Dr. Craig Ferrell** (accident); **John Satterwhite** (crushed by a cow); **Austin Braswell** (4 wheeler accident); **Waylon Dean**; **Kay Gohler** (pancreatitis); **Retha Jett**; **Paul Kennedy, Jr.**; **Robena Gunter** (Barber's friend); **Jennifer Hudgins**; **Irene Long**; **Matt Boyd**; **Jack & Daisy White**; **James Ed Pollard**; Shut-ins & those in nursing homes.

Cancer: **Dorothy Parrish**, **Virginia Wisener**; **Frances Brown** (Barry's mother) lung; **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: **Linda Bell** (Clyde Farris' sister) Rm. 675; **Rachel Massey** (Sara Farris' friend) Rm 677; **Lisa Black Potter** (Edra Clymore's niece) ICU



Pray for our Servicemen & their families:

Brandon Hubbard

(Clayton & Myrna Jett's grandson)

Steven Kuykendall (Afghanistan)

(Ray's son)

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June Theme: Jesus Christ, the Son of God

Goal: To show others we are Christians by living the good confession each day of our lives.



Cards received from the following are posted on bulletin board for viewing:
Ruth Childress and Chrystan Lyle

MARK YOUR CALENDARS



June 3rd. - Wedding Tea for **Daniel & Aleia**

Scott in annex 3:30-5:00 p.m. Registered at Wal-Mart and Bed, Bath and Beyond.

June-5th - (TUESDAY) Summer

Series begins at 6:30 p.m. Children's class will be held. No Services on Wednesdays. Theme: "Why Should We Believe....?" Tom Holland



speaker. Topic "In Organization of The Church".

June 12th - (TUESDAY) Summer Series, speaker, Andrew Phillips, Topic: Why Should We Believe In the Bible As Our Only Guide In Faith and Practice?"

June 13th - Ladies' Bible Class Sewing Project 10 a.m.

June 19th - (TUESDAY) Summer Series, speaker, Kyle Butt, Topic: "Why Should We Believe In God's Existence?"

June 20th - Ladies' Bible Class meets at Cracker Barrel on Hwy 412 at 9:00 a.m. for breakfast.

June 24th - VBS Kickoff 5:30 p.m. Theme: Wanted By God (The Life of Christ) Supper after p.m. service.

June 25th -27th - 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. VBS Registration begins 6:00 p.m.

Be sure to check bulletin board in lobby to help.

THE RECORD SPEAKS

May 27, 2012

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| Morning Worship..... | 236 |
| Bible Study..... | 174 |
| Evening Worship..... | 178 |
| Wednesday Evening..... | 130 |
| Budget..... | \$7,000.00 |
| Contribution..... | \$6,101.96 |

Building Project Update

For the latest construction photos!

Visit our website: www.churchofchristateastside.com



Working For The Master

Our Church
Family at Work

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

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| Attendance..... | 70 |
| Cards Written..... | 127 |
| Calls Made..... | 4 |
| Visits Made..... | 28 |
| Bags of Cookies Delivered..... | 20 |

Meets again Sunday, June 10th

MENU: Chicken Strips, Potato Salad, Baked Beans
\$3.00 per person

Bring desserts to share if you'd like.



Summits of the Psalms

By: Joe Macer

Psalm 125

125:2 As the mountains surround Jerusalem, so the Lord surrounds his people both now and forevermore.

A beautiful picture is painted for us by the second verse. Mountains are enjoyable to gaze upon. Their size is beyond comprehension. Their height and their firmness are amazing. The Psalmist can look out and see the mountains that are close to Jerusalem. They remind him of his trust and faith in God. He declared that his trust in God cannot be shaken and that it will endure forever. Stop for a moment and consider your own faith. Is there anything that could shake your faith? Could something happen that would stop your faith from enduring?

Consider some comparisons between mountains and our faith. Mountains are rock. We should have our lives built upon the rock of Jesus Christ. Mountains are built upon a solid foundation. Our faith should also be built upon the solid foundation of God's word. Mountains present security and our faith in God should bring the same security into our lives. Mountains are stable and our faith should keep us stable no matter the circumstances we face. Mountains do not move and people of faith should never move from their faith or from the presence of God. Is it not a wonderful thought to know that God surrounds us – his people? Not only will he protect us now but the writer adds the phrase forevermore. Faithful children of God have nothing to worry about. God, who created the mountains, cares deeply for his righteous ones. He will do good to those who are upright in heart but he will banish the evildoers. Will your faith stand the test of time?



Happy Birthday

June 3rd - Shelby Anderson

June 4th - Trevor Gilmer & Reba Jones

June 8th - Dana White

June 9th - Darrell Brown & David Upchurch, Sr.

Our deepest sympathy is extended to the family and friends of Dr. Craig Ferrell who died Monday from injuries from a polo accident. He was a well known orthopedic surgeon with the Vanderbilt Bone and Joint Clinic in Franklin.

Youth News

by Jody Pritchett



Theme: "Teens Stepping Forward in 2012"

June 3-8 and 10-15 -Church Camp

June 17th

CITY OF CHILDREN MISSION TRIP



Items are needed for Care Packages. Shopping List located on the table in foyer. See Jody if you have any questions. www.teenescape.org

July 1-6 - Horizons at FHU

Teen News and Events Newsletter emailed weekly: Send an email to jodypritchett2002@yahoo.com if you'd like to receive it via e-mail. In the subject line type "ADD NEWS and EVENTS"

EDUCATION NEWS



READING ROUND-UP
Parents,
We hope you will encourage your children to participate in our Summer Reading Program for children 3rd grade and under. The program will run June 2nd - July 15th. Books will be available for check-out in the library before and after services. Please see bulletin board in old auditorium for details.

PROMOTION SUNDAY

June 3rd will be promotion Sunday. Children will go to their current class first. Then Kevin will come by to promote them to their new class.

TUESDAY NIGHT CLASSES

During Summer Series, all children two years old thru 6th grade will go to the annex for Children's Bible Hour. Parents please drop off your children before p.m. service.

The Toddler class will meet at it's normal time and classroom.

NEEDED: Teacher for 2 & 3 yr. old class June - August 10:15 - 11:00. See Kevin Mick.



Building Fund Contribution
in Loving Memory of

Katie Winchester

Given by: Robert and Evelyn Clark

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WORSHIP LEADER June 3, 2012

SUNDAY 9:00 A.M

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| Welcome & Song Leader..... | Donnie Davis |
| Prayer..... | Boyd Wood |
| Lord's Supper: Presiding..... | Charlie Willis |
| Serving: | |
| Terry Burgess | John Allen Thomas |
| Cody Spires | William Warf |
| John Thomas | David White |
| Offering | |
| Read (I Timothy 6:12)..... | Danny Lasater |
| Sermon: "The Good Confession" | |
| Speaker: | Brian Gregory |
| Invitation | |
| Announcements/Closing Prayer..... | Kevin Mick |

Ushers: J.W. Gilliam, Tommy Hight, Johnnie Johnson
 Greeters: Blake & Jessica & Dana Daniels; Jimmy Dawson
 Audio/Visual Room: Trent Thomason

SUNDAY 5:30 p.m.

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| Welcome/Song Leader..... | Jerry Wilson |
| Prayer..... | Greg Lusk |
| Read (TBA)..... | Dennis Thomason |
| Sermon "TBA" | |
| Speaker..... | Brian Gregory |
| Invitation | |
| Lord's Supper Presiding..... | Jim Pollard |
| Announcements/Closing Prayer..... | Tom Miller |



June 24th - 27th

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

NURSERY CARE

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| A.M..... | Paula Gilliam |
| | Rachel Farris |
| P.M..... | Jackie Hargrove |
| | Cindy Hickman |

TUESDAY 6/5/2012 Summer Series Begins!

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| Song Leader | Dennis Thomason |
| Prayer..... | Boyd Wood |
| Announcements..... | Jerry Wilson |
| Speaker..... | Tom Holland |