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Schedule of Services

Sunday

Worship
9:00 a.m.

Bible Classes
10:15 a.m.

Evening Worship
5:30 p.m.

Wednesday

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

Bible Study
6:30 p.m.

Teens Youth Center
6:30 p.m.

Working for the Master
(Sunday nights as announced)

2013 Theme
"But be doers of the word and not hearers only"
James 1:22

How I See It. By Brian Gregory

It was a Sunday morning B.C. (before children). Amanda and I were getting ready for worship like usual. Soon I noticed the normal Sunday morning programs were not on during their normal times. In fact, they were earlier than normal. As we arrived at church, we immediately noticed the larger than normal Bible Class attendance. We were excited to see such interest in Bible study and hoped for an even bigger crowd during worship. About the time we stepped out of the car, one of the deacons came running up to me asking if we are okay and what had happened to us. I looked at him puzzled for a few seconds knowing everything was okay with us. Then it hit me, the time had changed. We were in fact an hour late. As the old reminder about day light savings time goes, we spring forward in the spring and fall back in the fall. In that particular case we had sprung forward without my participation and so we were running behind everyone else. This Sunday we fall back and set our clocks back one hour. This is great on the first day (and longest day) you can take and extra hours nap that Sunday or get a little more time to complete that project. But when it starts getting dark before 5:00 P.M. that's the part I always hate. So, as a reminder. . .

Set Your Clocks BACK 1 Hour This Sunday.

Brian

November 3, 2013

A.M. Brian Gregory, Speaker
P.M. Brian Gregory, Speaker

MARK YOUR CALENDARS SOUTH GATE EVENTS



KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS: SOUTH GATE MEMBERS

- Mike Andrews
- Charlotte Attkisson-NHC Hillview Rm. 203
- Joy Brown & Fred Brown
- Rebecca Brown
- Bill Carroll - 2502 Shangrila Trail
- Mary Chumbley
- Darlene Church - NHC Hillview 202-B
- John & Sarah Churchwell
- Athaleen Cox
- Vera Daniels - home
- Ila Goodman - NHC Columbia, Rm. 136A
- Doris Inman - NHC Hillview 217-B
- Maetta King - Poplar Estates 215
- Nell Legg - Poplar Estates, Rm. 107
- Frances Petty
- Jimmy Quirk - recovering f/surgery
- Emma Jean Ragsdale
- Barney Roland - NHC Hillview 101-B
- Christie Skelley - recovering from surgery
- Albert & Ethel Spears
- Virginia Staggs - Poplar Estates 101
- Brenda Warf - therapy
- Elaine Whitehead
- Jim & Martha Wilson
- Ned Pollard-back problems

FRIENDS AND FAMILY

Dora Bolton, mother of James, recovering f/shoulder surgery, 201 3rd Ave., Mt. Pleasant, TN 38474, Jimmy Hickman, 1694 Blue Moon Ln., Zeb & Dara Macer & unborn child, Richard Bell - Hillview, Rm. 118, Bobby Ayers, father/Linda Lasater - NHC Scott, Lawrenceburg, Lorene Doggett, Karen Lockridge - cancer, Patricia Luther - cancer, Jennifer Fetters - cancer (friend of the Lasater's), Sharon Riley-eye cancer, Jeff Denton-cancer, Frances Brown-lung cancer, Doris McKennon - sister of Edna Hardison, Melissa Peterka, JoAnn Anderson, Heidi Mabry - Linda Mabry's daughter-in-law, Paula Baker - sister of Kaye Beard, Travis Jett, William Parsley-brother of Nell Hood, Delinda Anthony - sister of Abigail, Sherry Nicholson - sister-in-law of Larry Nicholson, Tony Harris-brother/Jan Thomason - Home, Alice Lovett - Aunt of Cheyenne McNeese, Kathy Kelley, aunt of Cheyenne McNeese, Ann Graham - Morning Point, Rm. 113, Jenny Miller - breast cancer, Beverly Dawson, Susan Horton - cancer, Jack & Daisy White, David Hefington - esophageal cancer, Andrea Spears - bone cancer, Carol Archer - Diane Upchurch's cousin, Susan Horton - cancer, Karina Pierce, - mother of Robin Weaver, Katherine Jones, mother of Alice Bolton, Wayne Lankford - friend of Brian Gregory, Brent Hendrickson, Paul Jackson-father of Rhonda Farris, Stormy Lyle -mother of Mike Lyle

Nov. 9: South Gate Ladies Day

Theme : "Finding Contentment"

Speaker: April Estes

Sign-Up Sheet in foyer for workers and recipes

Nov. 10: Veterans Recognized

Please add your name to the sign-up sheet on the table in the foyer if you served in the military.

Dec. 4-7: Bible Read Thru

Objective: Fix our mind on the importance of reading and following God's word in prayer.

Different classes and groups will be assigned times to read the Bible. More information will follow later.

Happy Birthday

November 3 –Blair Keeling

November 4—Cindy Hargrove

November 5 –Massey Jo Mick

November 7 - Rhonda Farris, Corey Massey

November 8 - Myrna Jett , JoAnn Johnson

Welcome to New Members

John E. and Eldridge Mayberry have placed membership with the South Gate Congregation. John's address is 1513 Hatcher Lane, Apt. 30, Columbia, TN 38401 and Eldridge's address is 4009 Glen Rose Drive, Columbia, TN.

THE RECORD SPEAKS

October 27, 2013

Morning Worship.....	222
Bible Study.....	164
Evening Worship.....	126
Wednesday Evening	149
Budget.....	\$8,000.00
Contribution.....	\$7,421.25

Theme: What a Christian Does

October Goal:

A Christian is Steadfast in Trials and Tribulations.

(James 1:2-3)



One Verse At A Time

By: Joe Macer

Denial

Luke 22:57 But he denied it. "Woman, I don't know him," he said.

Last week we began a look at responses to Jesus during his arrest and trial. Judas began the process by betraying Jesus with a kiss. Now we have another close companion of the Lord stating that he does not know him. This was no surprise to the Lord since he had already told Peter that he would deny him three times before the rooster crowed. Peter had pledged his allegiance to Jesus but he was unable to keep his word. Why would a man who had lived side by side for years with the Son of God deny him? Why would he say that he did not know him?

Peter loved the Lord; he was dedicated to him and he was convinced that he would always remain faithful to him. At the arrest by the Roman soldiers, he was ready to fight to the death. Jesus instructed him to put away his sword and at that moment everything began to fall apart. The plan in his mind fell apart. The Lord was carried off by soldiers. The reason for the arrest was for treason against the Roman government. Peter believed he would be considered an accomplice and would meet the same fate - death. Peter also wanted to stay close to the Lord to see what was happening. Love motivated him to stay close to his Lord. Three reasons then led him to the point of denial - confusion, fear and love. When the Lord looked him in the eye, he left and wept bitterly. He was extremely upset by his actions.

Do we deny the Lord? Do our words show our dedication to him? Do our actions proclaim we are a follower of his? When faced with a difficult situation, will we strongly stand for him? Remember Jesus said to "be faithful to the point of death". He also said, "If we confess him before men, he will confess us before his Father in heaven." Good times or tough times will we confess him or deny him? Let's pray for the strength to do the right things no matter the situation.

PANTRY ITEMS NEEDED

Pasta. Instant Potatoes, Rice, Spaghetti Sauce

Youth News

by Jody Pritchett



Nov. 3: Youth Area Wide at Main Street Church of Christ at 5:00 p.m. Van will leave at 4:30 p.m. and return at 8:30 p.m.

AREA EVENTS

Nov. 3 - Nov. 6 - Gospel Meeting
Pulaski St. Church of Christ, Lawrenceburg, TN
7 p.m. nightly. Speaker: Jerrie Barber

Working for the Master

November 3, 2013
Meets after evening worship.
Menu: Pizza & Salad, Cost \$3.00
Bring desserts if you wish.
(This will be our final meeting for the year)



Sympathy is extended to Danny Lasater on the death of his aunt, Sara Gaines, who passed away last week.

LADIES
MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

MARCH 7, 2014
Annual Ladies Retreat
Marriott in Cool Springs

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WORSHIP LEADERS NOVEMBER 3, 2013

SUNDAY 9:00 A.M.

Welcome.....Randy Jones
 Song Leader.....Jerry Wilson
 Prayer.....Gary Boyd
 Lord's Supper: Presiding.....Charlie Willis
 Serving:
 David Gray Johnny Smith
 Larry Nicholson Jim Anderson
 Tim Raines Jerry Barber
 Danny Lasater Jonathan Macer

Offering
 ReadBlake Daniels
 Sermon:Brian Gregory
 Announcements/Closing Prayer.....Randy Jones

SUNDAY 5:30 P.M.

Welcome/Song Leader.....Greg Lusk
 Prayer.....John Allen Thomas
 ReadBobby Daniels
 Sermon:Brian Gregory
 Lord's Supper Presiding.....Johnnie Johnson
 Announcements/Closing Prayer.....Ryan Massey

Ushers: Byran Farris, Jason Kelley, J.W. Gilliam
 Greeters: Greg & Kelley Lusk, Linda Mabry, Robin Weaver
 Audio/Visual: Jason Snyder
 Security Team: A.M. Greg Lusk, Corey Massey P.M. Jason Kelley, Benny Bolton

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.....Anna Quirk, Edith Burgess
 P.M.....Jackie Hargrove, Christie Skelley

WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 6, 2013

Song LeaderGreg Lusk
 Prayer.....Charlie Willis
 Announcements/Speaker.....Alex Jones