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## **NEWS**

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- Sympathy is extended to the family of James McGill, a member and preacher of the New Hope church of Christ in Nashville. He served as a teacher and Graduate School Dean of Tennessee Bible College, among other places, along with most recently teaching for the Middle Tennessee School of Preaching and Biblical Studies. He passed away this past Monday, March 16. His funeral is scheduled for today. He is a great man of God, a great preacher, and a great Teacher. We will miss him, and are grateful to have heard him preach our Bible Lectureship in 2018. Please pray for comfort for his family.
- Recently, a Work Day was held at the building. Additional LED lights were added to the church building above the pulpit, in the office, and in three of the classrooms. We hope to add more in the future, Lord willing. Much cleaning was done on the building, also. Thanks to all who helped with this endeavor.
- This week's pantry items requested for Tennessee Children's Home Spring Food Drive are: Italian Dressing and Honey Mustard Dressing.

# PLAN OF SALVATION

Hear (Romans 10:17)
Believe (Mark 16:16)
Repent (Acts 17:30)
Confess (Matthew 10:32)
Be Baptized (Acts 2:38)
Remain faithful (Revelation 2:10)

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# ORDER OF SERVICES

Sunday Morning Bible Study
Three Songs, Devotion, Prayer, [Class]
Sunday Morning Worship Service
Announcements, Two Songs, Prayer, Song,
Sermon, Invitation Song, Song,
Lord's Supper, Giving, Song, Prayer
Sunday Evening Worship Service
Three Songs, Prayer, Song, Sermon, Invitation
Song, Giving, Lord's Supper, Song, Prayer
Wednesday Night Bible Study
Three Songs, Prayer, Song, [Class,] Invitation,
Invitation Song, Song, Prayer

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### **PREACHER**

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#### **SERVICES**

Sunday Morning Bible Study: 10:00 AM

Sunday Morning Worship Service: 11:00 AM

Sunday Evening Worship Service: 6:00 PM

Wednesday Evening Bible Study: 7:00 PM



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Postponed to an as Yet to be Determined Date Due to the COVID-19 Pandemic; Let Us Pray that This Can be Re-scheduled Before Long. PAGE 2 CAMPAIGN COURIER

# "JAMES MCGILL (1931-2020)" BY: JASON GANN

Yesterday, I received sad news about the loss of a great man of God. A great Soldier of the Cross has left this world. He is a great and wonderful friend, named James "Jim" McGill.

Brother McGill graduated from Freed-Hardeman College (now Freed-Hardeman University) in 1950. He attended and graduated from David Lipscomb College (now Lipscomb University) with a Bachelor of Arts degree in 1952. He continued his higher education at Peabody College of Vanderbilt University, where he earned the Master of Arts degree in 1954, the Specialist in Education degree in 1966, and the Doctor of Philosophy degree in 1970.

Brother McGill served as a teacher at Freed-Hardeman University from 1962 to 1977. He also taught at Tennessee Bible College for 20 years from 1980 to 2000. He served as Dean of Graduate Studies for the college. He was one of my teachers when I was a student there. Also, he served as Director of the Nashville School of Preaching for eight years. In 2002, he joined the faculty of the Middle



James McGill 1931-2020

Tennessee School of Preaching and Biblical Studies. He preached for churches of Christ in Jackson, Louisiana; Clinton, Tennessee; Corinth, Tennessee; Nuremberg, Germany; and Munich, Germany, most recently serving as preacher for the New Hope church of Christ in Nashville, since 2002.

Brother McGill was married to Nedra for 33 years until she passed away in 1988. They have two children and two granddaughters. He married Mora in 1997, and she has passed away, also.

I will always remember being in Brother McGill's classes. It was a delight to sit before him and hear Bible lessons as he utilized his vast knowledge and vast memory. His memory always amazed me. He could tell you so many different accounts from church history and his life. He was truly a scholar in every sense of the word, who preached and taught the Truth. He was a meek and loving man, who fulfilled the words of I John 4:21, which says, "And this commandment have we from him, That he who loveth God love his brother also." I cannot say enough good things about this great preacher of the Word. If you were not able to meet him in this life, then hopefully you will be able to meet him in a heavenly home. I know that brother McGill's legacy will live on through the many preachers he helped to train, through the many that he influenced through his preaching and teaching, through his precious family, through the congregations and schools with which he labored.

He was almost 90, having preached for at or around 75 years. It was our great privilege to have him speak at the inaugural Bible Lectureship of the Campaign church of Christ in 2018. On that day, he preached that in order to seek God first in the church, the church must be a truly converted church, a reverent church, a united church, a sacrificing church that sacrifices financial means and time, a studying church, a working church, a praying church, and a worshiping church. (*Note: Article Continued on Page 3*)

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Please remember to pray for the sick. Jude 20 says, "But ye, beloved, building up yourselves on your most holy faith, praying in the Holy Ghost, . . ."

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Let us remember these words that he spoke about that day and the wonderful life he lived.
Please pray for comfort for his family. My family and I miss brother McGill greatly, but we will never forget him.

# BIBLE SCHOOL CORNER Activity

This rich widow befriended David,
He took her for his wife;
With beauty as great as her
kindness,

She blessed David's life.

Answer:			
[Riddle	by John	K.	Wills]

## **News**

- May we study God's Word in a pleasing way unto Him today. May we worship Him in a pleasing way!
- The Campaign church of Christ Homecoming, scheduled for today, has been postponed to an as yet to be determined date due to the COVID-19 pandemic; Let us pray that we can re-schedule this before long. We will also plan to have a door knocking prior to our re-scheduled Homecoming.
- The leadership of the congregation met on Wednesday to discuss precautions that the congregation is beginning to take in order to keep all of those who attend the services safe during this pandemic. Procedures have been formulated, and these are being followed during this time. All procedures were announced on Wednesday. If you have any questions, please ask one of the men. Please continue to wash your hands frequently, and if you feel sick, please do not come to the services. Please be fever-free at least 24 hours before returning to the services. Let us pray for the safety of each other and work to make sure we are all safe as much as we can.
- Pray for country as people battle the COVID-19 sickness and for comfort for the families of those who have lost their lives.
   Also, remember to pray for strength for the medical workers who are working so much to help people.

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