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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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"And when thou prayest, thou shalt not be as the hypocrites are: for they love to pray standing in the synagogues and in the corners of the streets, that they may be seen of men. Verily I say unto you, They have their reward (Matthew 6:5)."

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"THE CHURCH AND PRESENT TRENDS: PART 1" BY: BOB PATTERSON

As a rule, most parents want things to be better for their children than it was for them. As we think about it, each member must recognize that the church's strength today will help provide for the church's strength tomorrow. Thus, there is the need for every member to be what God would have him to be and to do what God would have him to do. Every area of obligation, responsibility, and privilege in serving God must be characterized by our giving all diligence and adding to our faith "virtue; and to virtue knowledge; And to knowledge temperance; and to temperance patience; and to patience godliness; And to godliness brotherly kindness; and to brotherly kindness charity. For if these things be in you, and abound, they make you that ye shall neither be barren nor unfruitful in the knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ" (2 Peter 1:5-8). In obeying God, performing well in the work, worship, and service that God demands, we have every reason to expect that the next generation will be benefitted by our efforts.

The basis of our concern is in knowing what can happen in one generation's time! Judges 2:10 says, "And also all that generation were gathered unto their fathers; and there arose another generation after them, which knew not the Lord, nor yet the works which he had done for Israel." Knowing what can take place in one generation, we had better do our very best! Let's consider some current trends we are facing. If these trends continue, WE ARE CONCERNED THAT THE CHURCH IN THE FUTURE...

1. Will be made up of primarily older members! Obviously, because to them, God is not a high priority, we are losing many of our young people (Eccl. 12:1). Older saints are truly a blessing, but let us remember that God has so designed His will for man that every accountable being can respond obediently, and begin to live by that inspired rule and grow up in faithful service! As parents, let us teach our children that 'youth' is the time to remember and begin to serve God (Eccl. 12:1; Eph. 6:1-4; Col. 3:20; 2 Tim. 1:5; 3:14-15).

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SICK LIST

Laura Bain Vennie Parsons Briggs Davis **Janet** Pitts Bert Denton Mae Prater Grace Denton Brenda Qualls Frances Driver Tom Ouick LeAnn Duke Alan Seibers Terri Glisson Kaitlyn Smith Hugh Hillis Greg Wanamaker Gary Ward Lynwood Langley Dorothy Mayfield **Evelyn** Youngman Peggy Nunley

Please remember to pray for the sick. If you know of anyone who needs to be added to the Sick List, please let the one, who will make the announcements, know.

BIBLE SCHOOL CORNER

Vacation Bible School 2018 Youth Perfect Attendance

> Ellie Dixon Shirley Gann Jase Gann Allie Gann Sesley Gann Jordyn Hillis

Congratulations to all of those with perfect attendance from our Vacation Bible School in June!

NEWS

- We welcome you!
- Thanks to James and Patsy Rowland, who hosted the congregation for a picnic and cook-out recently. Also, thanks to all who came and brought items of food for this great time of fellowship.
- Honor to Whom Honor Reception, today at 2:00 PM at Bybee Branch church of Christ building; Honoring: James W. Boyd, Dorris Hughes, George King, & Titus Ward
- Swallows Chapel church of Christ Ladies' Day (at 1954 Windle Community Road, Cookeville, TN), on Saturday, August 11 at 10:00 AM, Theme: "Christian Living;" Speakers: Brandi Gann & LeAnn Duke
- Chestnut Grove church of Christ Gospel Meeting, August 12-14 at 9:00 AM, 10:00 AM, and 6:00 PM on Sunday and at 7:00 nightly, Monday and Tuesday; Speaker: Jason Gann
- Help us to restock our pantry. This week's suggested pantry item is cream style corn. All pantry items are accepted.
- Please visit the church website at www.campaignchurchofchrist.org
- The monthly men's business meeting will be held today at 5:30. All faithful Christian men of the congregation are asked to attend.
- The men of the congregation who are willing are asked to plan to lead some songs tonight during the "Singing Night."