

Rejoice

"...There is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner that repenteth" (Luke 15:10). This past Sunday saw one precious soul restored to faithful Christian service. Lisa Gilbert came forward stating that she had been negligent in her attendance and wished to make things right with God. On Wednesday, another precious soul made the decision to make things right with God. Lionel Panter expressed a desire to make things right and do better as a Christian. Let's keep Lisa and Lionel in our prayers as they strive to be in a right relationship with God.

SICK:

Ginger Irby 1212 Gale Lane, Athens, AL 35611
 Teresa Watts 1006 John Lawson Rd.
 Johnny Stubblefield 404 Orchard Lane
 Rickey Hitchcock 1051 Randall Hitchcock Rd., Rock Island, TN 38581
 Baylen Brewer 231 Hollis Rd., Morrison, TN 37357

B.C.C. News

This past week we had 12 new students to enroll in our Bible Correspondence Course for a total of 330,553. We had 1 student to graduate this past week, giving us a total of 31,285.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

January 25: Singing; Bethlehem C/C in Spencer, TN; 6:30 p.m.
 January 27: School of Bible Emphasis; Ed. Bldg.; 7 p.m.

??? Quick Quiz ???

O, Prophet, Who Art Thou? Which Prophet saw a flying roll twenty cubits long and 10 cubits wide?

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Last Week's Question: O, Prophet, Who Art Thou? Who is the last Prophet mentioned by name in the Old Testament? Elijah (Malachi 4:5).



Potter Children's Home & Family Ministries is having their annual commodities outreach. They are requesting our help with the following items: Powdered Sugar, Bottled Water, Kitchen Size Trash Bags, Cocoa Puffs Cereal & Grape Juice. They will be in our area the week of January 26, so all items need to be left in the foyer by Sunday,

January 26.



Everyone is invited to come and join in a celebration for Velma Hobb's 90th Birthday on Saturday, February 22 at 2 p.m. in the Ed. Bldg. Please, RSVP by February 8, if planning to attend. A message can be left for Debi Hobbs at 931-273-2807.

Serving The Saints

Sunday Services

January 26, 2020

First Worship Service

9:00 a.m.

Announcements

Wayne Shields

Songleader

Johnny Stubblefield

Opening Prayer

Ricky Bryant

Closing Prayer

Wendell Webb

Lord's Table

David Stinson
 Abram Stinson
 Nate Williamson
 Klint Curtis

Chuck Medley
 Tim Bryant
 Tucker Higgins
 Chase Judkins

Communion To Shut-Ins

(Group 1 to assist at Boarding Home)

Second Worship Service

11:00 a.m.

Songleader

Tim Bryant

Opening Prayer

Raney Webb

Closing Prayer

Jared Sain

Lord's Table

Gene Barnes & Kent Killian

Wednesday Service

January 29, 2020

Evening Bible Study

7:00 p.m.

Young Men

Ushers/Doorgreeters

David & Kristi Judkins
 Donald & Martha Jones

(If ushers/doorgreeters cannot serve, contact Terry Mullican)

Prepare Communion

Bruce Atnip, Rose & Josh Caten

IF YOU CANNOT SERVE, SEE LIONEL PANTER OR CALL HIM AT 473-9841

For The Week of January 12, 2020

First Worship Service 137
 Bible Study 117
 Second Worship Service 110
 Wednesday Bible Study 88
 Contribution \$2,892.00

Responses for the Year 2020

Baptized: 00 Restored: 02 Placed Membership: 00

Mount Leo Edifier

"...and edify one another..." (1 Thessalonians 5:11)



**Mt. Leo
 Church of Christ**
 206 Mt. Leo Street
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January 19, 2020

"The churches of Christ salute you." (Romans 16:16)

Schedule of Services

SUNDAY

First Worship 9:00 a.m.
 Bible Classes 10:00 a.m.
 Second Worship 11:00 a.m.

WEDNESDAY

Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

ELDERS

Avery Curtis Donald Jones
 Lee Hennessee Terry Mullican

PREACHER

Trent Key

DEACONS

David Judkins David Stinson
 Kent Killian John Stubblefield
 Wendell Webb

OFFICE
 473-5812

PLAN OF SALVATION

- **HEAR:** (Romans 10:17) "So then faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the word of God."
- **BELIEVE:** (Mark 16:16) "He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved; but he that believeth not shall be condemned."
- **REPENT:** (Acts 2:38) "Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins."
- **CONFESS:** (Acts 8:37) "If thou believeth with all thine heart, thou mayest. And he said, I believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God."
- **BE BAPTIZED:** (Acts 22:16) "Arise, and be baptized, and wash away thy sins, calling on the name of the Lord."
- **REMAIN FAITHFUL:** (Revelation 2:10) "Be thou faithful unto death, and I will give thee a crown of life."

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FOCUS on the Godhead

Jesus Christ, the Son of God

John 20:30-31

Introduction:

- 1) How many have never heard the gospel of Jesus?
- 2) Jesus in the Gospel of John.

Discussion:

I. The Eternal Word

- A. "In the beginning was the Word" (John 1:1-3).
 - 1) Eternity (Jn. 17:5; Phil. 2:6; Jn. 8:57-58; Ex. 3:17).
 - 2) Creation (Gen. 1:1, 26, 27; Col. 1:15-17; Heb. 1:2f).
- B. "The Word became flesh" (John 1:14).
 - 1) John was an _____ (I John 1:1).
 - 2) Jesus came in the likeness of men (Phil. 2:7; Gal. 4:4; Isa. 7:14; Mt. 1:23; Heb. 2:14).
- C. "No one has seen God at any time" (Jn. 1:18; 6:46; 14:7).

II. The Fourfold Witness

- A. John the Baptist was a witness of the Christ (Jn. 5:33-35).
 - 1) "You have sent to John, and he has borne witness to the truth" (Jn. 1:6-8,15, 19-24, 26-27, 29, 35; Jn. 10:41).
 - 2) "He was the burning and shining _____, and you were willing for a time to rejoice in his light" (Jn. 5:35; Jn. 3:23; Mt.3:5-7; Lk. 3:2-3; Jn. 5:34).
- B. Greater witness than John: The works of Christ (Jn. 5:36).
 - 1) "For the works that the Father has given Me..." (Jn. 9:3-4; Jn. 10:25, 37-38; Jn. 14:10-11; Jn. 3:2).
 - 2) "...given Me to finish." (Jn. 4:34; Jn. 17:4).
- C. The Father Himself testified of Me (Jn. 5:37-38).
 - 1) "Then a voice came from heaven, 'You are My beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased'" (Mk. 1:11).
 - 2) He gave confirmation by sending His Spirit upon Him (Jn. 1:32-33).
- D. The Scriptures testify of Jesus (John 5:39, 46-47; Lk. 16:29, 31; II Tim. 3:15).

III. The Way, Truth, and Life

- A. No one comes to the Father, but through Jesus (Jn. 14:1-6; 10:9; 11:25; 3:16).
- B. Those who receive Him, become children of God who have been born of God (Jn. 1:12f; 3:3, 5; I Cor. 15:50).
- C. Jesus didn't die for a physical kingdom, but for a heavenly, spiritual kingdom (Jn. 3:16; Jn. 18:36; Jn. 10:27-29).

9:00 AM Service

New Works for Our Congregation

Last week at our Sunday for the Savior meeting, we discussed the new works that the elders implemented for the 2020 calendar year. So as not to leave anyone out, we've decided to explain these works and encourage your participation in them.

The objective behind each work we have in the church is threefold: 1) Save the lost, 2) Edify the saved, and 3) Restore the erring. These were all things that Jesus and the Apostles purposed to do in their earthly ministries.

To reach out to our visitors, we've put together the **Bake 'Em and Take 'Em** ministry. Each week, those interested in baking will bring the baked goods to the building on a disposable plate. Those interested in taking the baked goods to our visitors will do so some time throughout that specific week. Those who sign up for this work will be rotated on a schedule depending on the number of participants. We will also be reaching out to the newcomers of our community with this ministry.

Beginning Sunday, March 1st, we will offer **pew packers** for the children of our congregation. This ministry will be held on the front pews in the auditorium from 10:45-11:00 every Sunday morning. Each teacher will escort their class to the auditorium for this period of learning. Those with younger children may assist their teacher during this transition. For an idea of the material that will be taught during this time, please visit www.pewpackers.com (ran by a preacher in the Lord's church).

To promote fellowship among the congregation, we are starting the **F.I.S.H** ministry. This acronym stands for **Fellowship In Shared Homes**. Each person (family) will be placed in a group with about 4-6 other families. The number of participants will determine the number of groups. Once assigned to a group, the participants will take turns organizing one fellowship opportunity a month for everyone in the group to participate in. After a period of 3-4 months, the groups will be rearranged and

new fellowship opportunities will ensue. Each group will have a FISH leader who will oversee that the fellowship opportunities continue each month. Not to discourage more fellowship, but the elders request no more than one activity per month, so that this work will prosper. The fellowships don't have to revolve around food (but they can). Nor do they have to be done in one's home (some ideas are not limited to, but can include picnics at a park, an activity in the community, game nights at the Educational Building, etc.) Please be mindful of everyone in your group, so as to include them in your activities.

We also want to increase our time and study in God's Word this year. Our hope is to accomplish this on a congregational level. To assist in this area of growth, a plan has been developed to help us stay on track and fulfill short term goals.

You are encouraged to do this individually or collectively as a family. If you have a family, we highly suggest you include them in your daily readings and use this time as opportunities for short Biblical discussions to follow. Each person that completes the challenge (yes, even the little ones in your family) will be recognized and rewarded at the next Sunday for the Savior/Potluck fellowships.

Those who complete each challenge throughout the entire year will be given a certificate of completion and honored at the last fellowship meal of the year.

As you read through each text, be sure to write down any questions you or your family may have, and place in the box in the foyer. Trent will collect these questions until the end of each month and will answer them in a lesson the following month. The plan can be found on the table in the foyer and Sunday PowerPoint announcements. When you've completed the monthly challenge, write your name down on the sheet in the foyer so that we have record of who to honor at the next SFS.

We hope you're excited for the new opportunities. All sign-up sheets can be found on the table in the foyer.