

Those to Serve

Wednesday Evening, September 7, 2022

Announcements Craig Harris
Lead Singing Rusty Hicks
First Prayer Danny Lucas
Read Scripture..... Connor Harris
Dismissal Prayer Anthony Lucas

Sunday Morning, September 11, 2022

Announcements Craig Harris
Lead Singing Rusty Hicks
First Prayer..... Jon Kennedy
Read Scripture Gary Gill
Preside at Table..... Dick Shelton
Serve Congregation.....
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Dismissal Prayer Rick Kielb
Nursery Attendant..... Carol Gill

Sunday Evening, September 11, 2022

Announcements Craig Harris
Lead Singing Area Wide Youth
First Prayer..... Area Wide Youth
Read Scripture Area Wide Youth
Preside at Table Dick Shelton
Dismissal Prayer Area Wide Youth

“Key Men” for September

Sunday AM (Open) Mike Yopp
Sunday AM (Close)..... Brad Leslie
Sunday PM (Open) Bryan Porterfield
Sunday PM (Close)..... Ronny Cornelius
Wednesday PM (Open) Don McAlpin
Wednesday PM (Close)..... Danny Lucas

Coming Events

We will be hosting an **Area-Wide Youth Devotional** this Sunday evening, September 11 beginning at 5pm! Please bring a 2liter drink &/or cookies. See Janet Durham or Stacie Grantham for more information.

Our 2022 Fall Lectureship Series begins September 7!

Family Matters

Linda McAlpin is now home and slowly improving. Keep her and Don in your prayers.

Jim Maxwell is improving and **Pat** is still dealing with Covid, keep them in your prayers.

Clint Scott had cataract surgery earlier this week.

Bud Stewart is slowly improving from pneumonia.

Community Matters

Keep David Craft, Ali Rae Barkley, Dwayne Hannis, Lou Antwine, Joann James, Tish Clarke, Brent Prather, Randy Antwine, Jerry Paris, Elizabeth Kirk in your prayers.

Prayer List

Bill & Joyce Craft, Benny Thornton, April McKelvey, Lynn Donaldson, Stephanie McDonald, Sandy Rodgers, Gerald & Gail Mills, Gail Vaughn and Royce Jones.

Remember our service men & women in your prayers.

Remember all our missionaries in your prayers.

Daily Bible Reading Schedule

Sunday, Sep. 11..... Lev. 17-20
Monday, Sep. 12 1 Chron. 13-16
Tuesday, Sep. 13 2 Kings 9-10
Wednesday Sep. 14 Eccl. 7-12
Thursday, Sep. 15 Daniel 10-12
Friday, Sep. 16 Luke 17-18
Saturday, Sep. 17 2 Tim. 1-4

Shut-ins

Mary Davis, Rm. C-16, Pine Meadows Healthcare, 700 Nuckolls Rd., Bolivar, TN. 38008.

Lillian Eason, Providence Assisted Living, 700 Moore's Crossing, Apt. 204, Senatobia, MS. 38668.

What Must I Do To Be Saved?

1. Hear the Word of God- Romans 10:17.
2. Believe the Word of God- Mark 16:16.
3. Repent of sins- Acts 17:30-31.
4. Confess Christ- Romans 10:9-10.
5. Be Baptized to wash away sins - Acts 22:16; 1 Peter 3:20-21; Mark 16:16.
6. Be Faithful unto death- Rev. 2:10.

JEFF'S JOTTINGS

Our *Question & Answer Box* is in the foyer and you can put your Bible questions in any time! They will be answered on the fourth Sunday evening each month.

Pine Vale Children's Home Fall Pantry Drive is here again! Our items are: Laundry Detergent (liquid or pods please), Macaroni & Cheese and Minute Rice or Flavored Rice. If you had rather contribute money, please give it to Jim or Pat Maxwell.

Mondays For The Master will meet again on September 19 at 6:45 pm in our annex. We will have donuts, coffee and a short devotional before making our visits. We would love to have more attend and help in this good work!

***“The grass withers, the flower fades, but the word of our God stands forever,”
Isaiah 40:8***

Fall Lectureship Series 2022

Challenges Facing the Church:

September 7- Overcoming Lukewarmness, Shobek Dethrow, Selmer, TN

September 14- Giving Sacrificially, Josh McCrary, Ripley, MS

September 21- Developing Godly Leadership, Randy Collum, Corinth, MS

September 28- Overcoming Worldliness, Scott Baggett, Fayette, AL

October 5- Having More Urgency In Evangelism, Bobby Liddell, Memphis, TN

(All services begin at 7pm and the teen class and up will meet in the auditorium)

My Daily Attitude/Action Plan is...

Making today my best day -Psa. 118:24
Taking pride in a job well done -Phil. 1:27

Treating others with respect -Eph. 4:32
Implementing positive thoughts -Phil. 4:8

Turning tasks into opportunities -Eph 5:15
Utilizing my talents always -Matt. 25:29

Doing something to benefit others-Gal. 6:10
Expecting good things to happen-Mk. 11:24

Time Enough?

Romans 13:12 (ESV): The night is far gone; the day is at hand. So then let us cast off the works of darkness and put on the armor of light.

The time to act is now! Sometimes we preachers are afraid to sound like alarmists. The time to correct wrong doing in ourselves and others is right now because we don't know how much time we have to do so.

We know that putting off what we know needs to be done only leads to regret. Paul taught us that with every temptation we receive there is a way of escape. (1 Corinthians 10:13). However, that opportunity to escape come early in the process. Wait too long and your heart can harden. James reminds us that knowing to do good and not doing it is sin (James 4:17). When we see a habit developing in ourselves or our children, we must correct it early before it is engrained.

The master song writer Tillet Teddlie captures the right sentiment in his song "Time enough yet."

"Time, time, time enough yet,
O soul be not alarmed,
The heavenly way I'll choose some day,
But there's time enough yet.

"Lost, lost O what a cry
From souls along the shore,
In darkness to go,
In sorrow and woe and be Lost!
Lost evermore."

Our God Is An Awesome God!

No scientist can making a living cell (ever heard how complex DNA is?), but the human body makes 300,000,000,000 cells per day (300 billion). Even if a scientist could make one cell every second in a laboratory, working constantly night and day, it would take 9,500 years to do what the human body does in a single day!

Scientists could not begin to "make a brain," which has about 100,000,000,000 neurons (100 billion) and about 100,000,000,000,000 connections (100 trillion). Even if a scientist were somehow given the "building blocks" for the brain and the knowledge to assemble it, it would take an incredibly long time to do it. If he could quickly make one connection per second, it would take over 31,000 years to make 100 trillion connections! Yet the human brain forms "by itself" in a mother's womb in just a few months!

The conclusion from this and so much more evidence from creation is that we are wonderfully made by a Wonderful Designer. "I will praise thee; for I am fearfully and wonderfully made: marvelous are thy works; and that my soul knoweth right well" (Psa. 139:14).
-Jason Hilburn