

SUNDAY SERVICES MARCH 31, 2013

LEAD SINGING: William Western

A Common Love # 842

A Hill Called Mount Calvary # 5

There's Not a Friend # 680

Lead Opening Prayer: Dwayne Daniel

I Gave My Life for Thee # 268

PRESIDE COMMUNION: Jerry Butler

SERVE: Keith Harding, Adam Griffin, Garry Sensing, Dean McKaskle,

Eddie Clayborne, Claude Faught, Don Mosley, & Larry Lampley

I'll Live for Him # 293

I Love the Lord # 287

Do All in the Name of the Lord # 121

Sermon: "The Most Important Part of the Bible"

Do You Know My Jesus? # 125

The Greatest Commands (screen only)

ANNOUNCEMENTS/CLOSING PRAYER: Jay Wilkins

THOSE TO SERVE FOR MARCH 31, 2013

COMM TO HOSP. MARCH: Farris Tidwell & Jerry Butler

COMM N HOME: Jerry Western

USHERS: Andy Dawson, Butch Lee, Dalton Nash, & Jimmy St Clair

MARCH COMMUNION TO SHUTINS: Dennis Donaldson, Jeff Resha,

Hubert Forkum, & Pierre Griffin

GOOD MORNING GREETERS FOR MARCH:

Carl & Connie Wood – Kenny & Lori Goodman

DOOR GREETERS: #1.George & Ouida Polk #2.Mary Karnes & Joan

Jones #3.David & Shawn Barber #4.Karl & Janie Craun #5.Bernice

Stokes & Becky Clark #6.Dan & Kim Karnes

SUNDAY NIGHT: LEAD SINGING: William Western

OPENING PRAYER: Garry Sensing

CLOSING PRAYER: Melvin Lovell

SERVE TABLE: David Karnes & Terry Gross

COMMUNION MARCH: Debbie Couch & Tamara Cocke

MARCH FOOD CALL: Debbie Couch & Janet Osborne

WASH LINENS MARCH: Peggy Hollandsworth

NURSERY – Betty Nicks & Tammie Crick

LOCK & UNLOCK DOORS AT THE CHURCH BUILDING FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH SERVICES:

Jerry Western 615-336-2059 – Tom Todd 615-351-2446

March 24, 2013 Attendance 225 Contribution 4270

PUT ANY ANNOUNCEMENTS THAT YOU HAVE FOR SUNDAY MORNING ON THE CLIPBOARD HANGING NEAR THE SIGN UP SHEETS IN THE LOBBY.

Paperless Hymnal Revision Available

This upgrade contains new songs not in previous editions. Cost to the church for this version is \$300. Anyone interested in assisting the church with this purchase may give your contribution to William Western or one of the elders. Thank you for your generosity.



Our troops need our prayers for strength, endurance & safety

Tony A. Wall
94 FS (TDY)
PSC 80 Box 1000

Ryan Brymer
Sgt. Rist, Jonathan A.

SPC Lackey, Forrest C
APO AP 96367
C-C MR 411#189-APO
AE. 09112
ForrestLackey@yahoo.com

Kyle Coffey
(Son of Jamey & Sue)
Naval Academy
Annapolis, MD 21402

Matthew Coffey
(Son of Jamey & Sue)
TN. National Guard.

LCPL. Pickard, J.P.
3/9 H & S
Police Advisor
Team Detachment
NEB

PFC. Schmittou, Anderson H. Unit 73001
211 Farrar Rd. FPO/AE 09510-3001
MATSG-21/AMS-1
Pensacola, FL. 32508

PVT Kevin Wakeman
3rd Plt Delta Co 795th MP Battalion S-1
7721 Iowa Ave Bldg. 902
Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo 65473

Playhouse Preschool 2013-2014 Pre-Registration

Pre-registration for fall classes is now open to **members** of the White Bluff congregation. If you are interested in your child attending and **he/she will be 3 by September 30th**, please see Joanna Jackson for an application. Applications must be turned in by Sunday, April 7th. After this date, enrollment will be open to those other than members. Thanks, Joanna

Church of Christ Non Profit Org.
P.O. Box 155 US Postage Pd.
White Bluff TN 37187 Permit No. 1

Change Service Requested

Elders:

Buddy Driver 797-9508
Terry Gross 797-3878
Doug Couch 973-9652
Jay Wilkins 829-1175
Larry Osborne 797-3939

Deacons:

Larry Cocke Tim Godwin
Brent Welch Butch Lee
David Karnes Gale Larkins
Shamron Jackson

Evangelist: Doug Couch

Youth: Tom Todd 446-1043

Minister: Every Member

Secretaries:

Adelaide Butler 797-3380
Lori Goodman 613-1990

Custodian: (Cleaning)

Dennis Donaldson 495-6382
Keri Donaldson 939-5725

Maintenance: (Small Repairs)

Melton Jack

Sunday:

Bible Classes 9:00 a.m.
A.M. Worship 10:00 a.m.
P.M. Worship 5:00 p.m.
Children's Bible Hour 5 p.m.
Class for grades 4th, 5th, & 6th
(Located in Room #4)
Wednesday 7 pm Classes for
everyone
Thursday Ladies Bible Class 10 am
"In Search of the Lord's Way"
Sun. Morning 7—7:30
WUXP 30

Screen announcements:

E-mail –wbann@bellsouth.net

Church office E-mail

whbl@bellsouth.net

Web Address

www.whitebluffchurch.org

PHONE: 797-9016

Fax# 797-3783

White Bluff Church of Christ



March 31, 2013

Calluses

Do you realize that calluses are important to our spiritual well-being? Especially where they form, is of great value to us.

A callus is an area of skin that is hard or thick, usually on the palm of the hand or sole of the foot. When we were young, oftentimes in the summer, we went barefooted. This practice made the soles of our feet callused. We could run on rocks and not feel the rocks. Then we discovered shoes.

The location of these calluses determines what we feel. If they are on our feet, we can go barefooted. If they are on our hands, we can use hand tools without getting blisters.

What if they are on our hearts? Pharaoh had them on his heart (Exodus 1:8-11; 7:14). It then took ten of the worst disasters in Egypt's history to soften his heart.

Saul's heart was so callused that it took a personal visit from Christ and blindness to change his mind (Acts 9:1- 20). Calluses on our hearts are not good for us. So, where should they be?

Calluses on our knees will prevent them from forming on our hearts. "Keep watching and praying that you may not enter into temptation ... " (Matthew 26:41). Pray that He will provide a way to escape (1 Corinthians 10:13). Pray for one another so that you may be healed (James 5:16).

Calluses do not form overnight. It is the repeated use of the bare skin that causes them to form. The same is true of the heart. It is the repeated refusal to accept God's word that leads to a callused heart (cf. Hebrews 3:7-19). We give in to temptations over and over until a callus has formed. Prayer, however, will soften the heart like clay to allow the Master Potter to form it into a Christian's heart (Isaiah 64:8).

Where are your calluses? Are they on your heart out of a refusal to hear God or your knees from continual prayer?

Larry Smith,
Waverly Church of Christ, Waverly, TN

Tennessee Children's Home Food Drive Spring 2013

Pick-up Date: April 30

(Row 1) (near back of building)
 Laundry Detergent
 Rice
 Soups

(Row 2)
 Bleach
 Automatic Dish Detergent
 Canned Beans
 (white, chili, & pinto)

(Row 3)
 Toothbrushes/Toothpaste
 Trash Bags

(Row 4) (near Hwy 70)
 Spaghetti Noodles & Sauce
 Fabric Softener

It is also necessary for us to purchase perishable foods such as milk, meat, fresh produce, etc. We ask that each family consider giving ten dollars (\$10.00) or more in cash or check that can be picked up along with the food and supplies. There is a designated box in the foyer for items. Give your check to Adelaide Butler.



CYC Challenge Youth Conference 2013

There were many responses at CYC this year. Attendance this year exceeded 10,000. There were 48 Baptisms and 146 Re-dedications.

The contribution Sunday morning collected nearly \$41,000. The money has been divided evenly between two works.

1. Baja Missions—Baja Missions began in 1996 to establish and support new

church congregations throughout Baja, Mexico with each congregation being planted, built and supported by U.S. congregations willing to not only financially support the plant, but to also come and participate in the mission of reaching untold thousands with the Good News, in communities in desperate need of a word from God.

2. Greek Missions—Dino Tzanetos is a church of Christ preacher in Greece. He and his wife Mata are great workers in the church. The country of Greece is in an economic depression. Half of the Greeks are starving and there is a 95% unemployment rate in the church there. The money collected at CYC will provide food for our church family in Greece.

Teacher-training Workshop for Women

On May 4, the White Bluff church of Christ will host a teacher-training workshop for women. We are encouraging area congregations to participate and any who might be interested in teaching in the future. The sessions will be taught by Teah McWhorter of Pell City, Ala., and April Meacham of Courtland, Miss. You can learn more about Teah and April by going to their website at www.bibleclassworkshop.com. **Registration begins at 8:30** with coffee and doughnuts. First session at 9 am. The two morning sessions will end before lunch, which will be provided. The afternoon program starts promptly at 1 pm and will end by 3 pm.

Sympathy

Is extended to the family of **Jeannie Odom** (Joan Jones sister) who passed away March 22.

Fred Black and **Ronda Moore** invite you to attend their wedding on April 13 at 2 p.m. here at the church. Dress Hawaiian if you wish and join us for the reception immediately following the ceremony.

Jail Ministry

Anyone who is interested in teaching inmates so they can obtain a **GED** can contact **Tom Todd or Doug Couch** for more information.

Attention Seniors:

Please turn in your graduation picture to Tom, Carol, Adelaide or Lori.



PRAYER LIST

Those who have cancer.

Anthony Bennett (Jerry & Adelaide Butler's son-in-law). **Joanne Reed**. **Edie Connell** has been diagnosed with stage 2 invasive carcinoma. **Don England** (Connie Woods' brother) will start radiation in 2 weeks. **Manning Glaus**, (Jerry & Adelaide's grandson) 551 Poplar Ridge, Chapmansboro, TN. 37035, is taking treatments twice a month for Hodgkin's lymphoma. Terry Gross' bother (Dale) is being treated for reoccurrence of cancer. **Danny Hiter**, a friend of Mark Ryal, **Sonny Hooper** (brother of Wayne Hooper & Marvene Johnson), **Mary Karnes**, **Jack** and **Kathy Overbay**, who are both very ill with cancer. Their daughter, La Hooper is caring for them. **Tammy Taylor** (Thomas Taylor's wife) has pancreatic cancer. **Melba Lollis** (James Fortner's sister) chemo treatments. She lives in Washington State. **Dale Sullivan** started taking more treatments March 18, **Kenneth Tucker**, **Patricia Martin** (Teresa Wills' mother), **Amanzo Jones**, **Danny Hale** friend of Lisa Stanfield, **Ed Patillo** (friend of Tom Jackson) 2375 Watson Rd. Normange, Texas 77871. **Bill Ramsey**, 113 Reep Road, Dickson. **Ava Hinton** the granddaughter of Freida Jones, **Arlene Wood**, **Kim McDonough** (Guy & Johnnie Spann's daughter) 700 Hall Cemetery Rd. Burns, 37029, **Davis Harwell**, **Tony Brawner**. **Kim Petty** is taking chemo for a recurrence of cancer. She is the niece of Marlene Jackson. Kristen Nicholsons' father diagnosed with prostate cancer.

In Hospitals

Bill Allen (Bernice Stokes brother) is in ICU at St. Thomas. **Violet Dawson** had her left leg amputated at the knee at Baptist, March 21. **Madgie Beal** (Jerry Western's mother) suffered a broken hip, Bailey Park Community Living Center 2400 Mitchell Street Humbolt, TN. 38343 and will be there a month or two. **Willie Hamilton** (Ann Hamiltons' son) in Centennial ICU, 3 bypasses Fri. Mar. 22 and is improving. **Chris Reno**, preacher for the Paulding Church of Christ, Paulding, Ohio, is in very serious condition in the hospital. He is only 26 years old and is suffering from some kind of infection of the lungs. He is on a ventilator at this time and may have to be on it for several weeks. **Herbert Williams** fell and broke his hip and is in Horizon.

Sick at Home

Charles Carver will have surgery April 10th. **James Cauthen**, within the next two weeks will have many tests ran at Sarah Cannon to determine what type of chemo he needs, 156 Faulkner Lane, Mt Juliet, TN 37122. **Edna Kirby**, Janet Osborne's mother, is now home. **Faye Stiddum**, Greta Smith's daughter, is undergoing some tests. **Marie Olds** (Jackie Finch's mother) is feeling better. 360 Oak St. Kingston Springs, 37082.

Continue to Remember

Myrtle Aldridge, 120 Old Hwy 70-1 White Bluff, Daisy Arnold, Kenny Bass, *Ridgewood Nursing Home, 201 Oak Hill Rd, Jasper, Ala. 35501, Phone 205-221-4862*, Samuel Elliot Beck, Mildred Bradford, Henrietta's mom, 509 Elaine Dry, Nashville 37211, Sonny Brown, Birdie Brumfield, Glenda Bull's mother, 81 Township Rd 1354, Crown City, OH 45623-8702, Randall Buttrey, Roberta Candler (Joann Rist's mother), Lisa Butler, Billy Cathey, Clara Mae Cathey, Lorene Cathey, Jack Duke, Gilp T Daugherty, Violet Dawson, James Dunn, Sue Duke, Justin Fisher, Ernest Forrest, Evelyn Godwin, Duke Gregory, Manchester Health Center, 395 Interstate Dry, Manchester, TN 37355 room 408. Naomi Gunn, % Johnathan Johnson, 37683 Jermane St, Westland MI 48185, Sharon Hailey, 6420 Palmetto Point, Jefferson City, MO 65109, Margie Hatched, 94 Twin Hill Dr. Rm. 132 B, Madison TN 37155, Dwayne Hidkman, Pat Howse, 1369 Old Charlotte Rd, White Bluff, Emily Joslin (Paula Waller's aunt), Mary Karnes L.D. & Jean Larkins, Carole Leblanc, Melvin Lovell, Harry McFarlin (Hilda Hankins brother), Clayton Mendel (Phyllis Napper's brother), Henry Morris, John Moore, Novella Nash, Andrew Pack, 4106 Hwy 70, White Bluff, Frank Puckett, Andrew Rist, Andy Schmittou, Kaitlayn Silinski, 203 Abbot Glenn Ct. Nashville 37215, Margaret Stitt, 679 Williamson Co. Rd, Fairview 37062, Greta Smith, Drew Smithson, Joyce Spicer, Louise Stuart, 3800 Sam Boney Dr. apt. 1016, Nashville 37211, Michael Sullivan, Joseph Webster, Gayle Westcott, Barbara Williams, Elizabeth Willis, Arlene Whitlock, Vivian Witherow.

PLEASE LET THE OFFICE KNOW OF ANY NEW SICK OR ANY CHANGE OF OUR CURRENT SICK.

Upcoming Events in March & April

Mar.29 – Friday Night Singing 7 p.m. at McEwen At McEwen church of Christ.

Mar. 31 – **Easter Sunday** Young Men to Preach p.m. Service

Apr. 6 – **Ladies Day at Poplar Grove Church of Christ** in Humphreys County Topic: Looking Up, Stepping Out **Speaker: Rachel Pate** of Mt. Juliet, TN. Registration begins 9 a.m. Program: 9:30 a.m. Luncheon following the program. We will be taking the church van. We will leave the church building around 8 a.m. There is a signup sheet in the foyer if you plan to attend.

Apr. 7—Elders'-Deacons' Meeting 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Happy Birthday

Apr. 1—Buford Warf

Apr. 3—Andy Dawson

Apr. 4—Melissa Schmittou

Apr. 6—Brenda Driver



Happy Anniversary

Apr. 6—George & Ouida Polk (61 yrs)

PANTRY ITEMS NEEDED

SPAGHETTI SAUCE

CANNED HAM

TUNA

SHAMPOO & BAR SOAP



Kids for Christ Easter Egg Hunt

Saturday, March 30, at 10 a.m.

In the upstairs fellowship area. Please bring 10 eggs filled with wrapped candy and your Easter basket.

IN NURSING HOMES

NHC, Box 585 Dickson 37056: Pam Jones, Lovell Story, Martha Coleman, Milbrey Harvey, Edith Hamilton rm. 201 B, Mildred Karnes rm. 212, LD Larkins rm. 210 B. & Reba Spann **Olive Branch, 110 Luther Rd, Dickson TN 37055:** Mary Sue Larkins.

Silverplume, 1104 Old Charlotte Rd, White Bluff, TN 37187: Gladys Rinaldo

Hillcrest Health Care Center, 111 Pemberton Dr, Ashland City, TN 37015: Shirley Hamilton & Bill Boone.

NHC Place in Franklin, 211 Cool Springs Blvd, Franklin, 37067, room 2211: Betty Cathey.

Spring Sing
 At White Bluff
 Church of Christ
 April 28, 7:00 p.m.

