

BULLETIN

Our Purpose: “To glorify Christ in holiness, worship, evangelism and compassion.”

MCKENZIE CHURCH OF CHRIST

16 300 N. Highland Drive, McKenzie, TN. 38201

Office 731-352-2106 Care Line 731-352-9030 Contact Us At: mckenziechurchofchrist.com

Ministers: Jim Roberts, Jarrod Bailey & John Forgy

Vol. 41, No. 4

Lines of Encouragement...

Birth Announcement...Russell Turman was “born again” last Thursday night as he was baptized into Christ. We all rejoice with this spiritual birth! Proud parents are Chad & Brandy Turman. Proud grandparents are Bobby & Joyce Russell and Lewis & Patti Foster. A great decision and new beginning for a young man with a tender heart. Is there anyone reading these lines that needs to do the very same thing? Call us day or night to be baptized into a new life and allow us to rejoice with you too.

Frank Bradford will be our guest speaker Sunday morning. He will also speak to our youth (3rd Grade – High School) in a combined class in the new fellowship building at 9 a.m. Frank works for F-HU and is best known as the director of Mid-South Youth Camp that our children attend every year. **“Who Is The Holy Spirit?”** will be our evening lesson as I begin a series of lessons with you concerning the Holy Spirit. If someone challenged you to tell them all you know about the Holy Spirit, where would you begin? How long would it take you? Bring your Bibles, let us learn together.

Our Annual Fish & Wild Game Supper is this coming Saturday night (30th) at 6 p.m. in the new fellowship building. Bring who and what you can, all side dishes and desserts will be appreciated if you have no wild game. We will be setting up tables and chairs Wednesday night after service if you can help. Fish cooking will begin at 4 p.m. on Saturday afternoon if you would like to come early. Frank Bradford will share his humor for the evening’s entertainment. It is going to be a fun night, don’t miss it!

Difficult times test our faith. It doesn’t take much effort to trust God during the “good times”. In days of “prosperity”, everyone believes in God. But, what do we do when life becomes difficult with financial, family, or vocational woes? The words of the prophet Habakkuk stand out in the despair of Judah...”Though the fig tree may not blossom, nor fruit be on the vines; Though the labor of the olive may fail, and the fields yield no food, Though the flock may be cut off from the fold, and there be no herd in the stalls – yet I will rejoice in the Lord, I will joy in the God of my salvation. The Lord God is my strength; He will make my feet like the deer’s feet, and He will make me walk on my high hills” (Hab. 3:17-19). This is the kind of trust that I want to develop, don’t you? I want to learn to rely upon His strength, not my own, come what may! The world may beat me down, but it is trust in the Lord that will lift me up. Believe it with all your heart.

See You Sunday,
Jim

PRAYER LIST

Irene Daniels

Ralph Bucy

Darra Adkins is at the Huntingdon Health & Rehab Center, 635 High St., Huntingdon, Tn. 38344.

Mary Kee

Jerry Townsend, brother of Mary Kee

Nell Newsom, grandmother of Chad Pinson

Eddy Moore, son of Louise Scott

Shirley Taylor is in the McKenzie Regional Hospital, Rm. 107.

Dwight Rainey is in the McKenzie Health & Rehab Center, Rm. 42A.

ELDERS/DEACONS MEETING

All elders & deacons will meet this Sunday, Jan. 31st at 4 p.m. in the first classroom in the fellowship hall.

HAITI DISASTER RELIEFS

Anyone wanting to make a monetary donation toward the Haiti Disaster Relief may do so by writing a check to the "McKenzie Church of Christ" and memo the check "Haiti Disaster". The church will track these donations and then mail one check to Healing Hands International in Nashville. The website for Healing Hands is: www.hhi.org

PRIME-TIMERS

Every Wednesday Morning
10:30 a.m.
Winston Hall

...JARROD'S JARGON...

Well, the first month of 2010 has come and is almost over. How have the new year resolutions gone? For some our resolutions are really going well, for others; well, it was a good thought when we started. It is funny how things go in life. One minute we are on fire for something and totally committed and within a blink of an eye (or just a few days) we are as cold as ice to that commitment. Seems like our walk with God is like that. There are times when we are on the hot side of Revelations 3:15, and then there are times when we are in that lukewarm stage. It's funny that with our new year's resolutions we are either hot or cold, but we never settle for luke-warmness in those resolutions. Why do we settle for luke-warmness in our relationship with God? Let me challenge you to think about this idea this week. I hope and pray that everyone has a great week.

J-rod

SUPER BOWL SUNDAY

AFTER P.M. SERVICE

BRING FINGER FOODS

FAMILY NIGHTS

START 2ND SUNDAY IN FEBRUARY (14TH)

THANK YOU NOTE

Thank you again for all the wonderful support of the Angel Tree. It's truly a blessing to live in a community that is so willing to support this endeavor with economic times like now. This year we helped out 43 families and a total of 123 children. We could not have done it without you! Thanks again! Beta Sigma Phi, Ladies' Service Organization

STATISTICS 1/24/10

Bible Study.....235
A.M. Worship.....342
P.M. Worship.....192
Wednesday.....180
Contribution.....\$8,984.00

“FORWARD MARCH” BUILDING CAMPAIGN

UPDATE

3 –YEAR PLEDGES:

\$887,522.89

AMOUNT COLLECTED

\$553,685.49

MILITARY ADDRESSES

Charles Hudson
Headquarters 194th Engineer Brigade
Joint Base Balad Iraq
APO AE 09391

SPC Mathis, Dale
Hotel Company
244th QM Bn.
Fort Lee, VA 23801

**FISH/WILD GAME SUPPER
SATURDAY, JANUARY 30TH
6 P.M.**

INVITE YOUR FRIENDS & NEIGHBORS!

OUR SHUT-INS

Darra Adkins

Helen Batton

Iola Corbin

Doug Davis

Maurine Johnson

Elizabeth Kelley

Polly Lovett

Louise Mebane

*Kenneth Mebane
Faye Morris
Christine Pinson
Evelyn Trevathan
Connie Tucker
Mary Wilson*

Regular church attendance is important; remember the banana, every time it leaves the bunch it gets skinned!

Via Findlay church of Christ
Sparta, TN.

THOSE TO SERVE

Sunday, January 31, 2010

Morning Worship Service:

Greeters: Randy & Judy McCadams

David & Betty Miller

Announce:Bryan Sanders

Sing:David Johnson

Pray:David Miller

Scripture:.....Brady Wilkes (Eccl. 11:9)

Dismiss:Dan Simon

Nursery: .Judy Cunningham, Karen McCaleb & Sherri Priestley

Ushers:Doug Maddox & Danny Martin

9-9:45:Billy Brown

Control Board:.....Chad Turman

Attendance Cards:Joshua Parham, Dylan Hart, Brandon Boaz & Blake Barker

Correspondence: Randy & Judy McCadams

The Lord's Table:

Jack Holland*.....Tim Clark*

Charlie Culver.....Kyle Chapman

Dale Mathis.....Jackie Scott

Ronnie Broach.....J.D. Russell

Preparation:Joyce Russell & Brandy Turman

Evening Worship Service:

Announce:Josh Kee

Sing:David Johnson

Pray:Richard Hooton

Dismiss:Jackie Batton

Nursery:Joyce Russell & Linley McClain

Wednesday Evening, February 3, 2010

Sing.....Chad Pinson

Scripture:.....Tyler Sisson

Prayer:Buddy McClain

Dismiss:Chad Batton

Nursery:Joan Brown & Thelma Delaney

Christian Counseling Center
Appointments can be made by calling
1-888-328-8560 (toll free)