

REGULAR MEETINGS OF THE CHURCH

Sunday 10:00 am.....Bible Classes
 11:00 am.....Worship
 5:00 pm.....Worship
 Wed. 7:00 pm.....Bible Classes

WELCOME, VISITORS!

We are so glad you are here. If this is your first time with us, here’s what to expect. We seek to worship according to the New Testament pattern. As a result, we **sing** without the accompaniment of mechanical musical instruments (Eph. 5:19; Col. 3:16). We have a weekly observe the **Lord’s Supper** (cf. Acts 20:7) which consists of unleavened bread and fruit of the vine (Matt. 26:26-29). This memorial is designed for those who have been baptized for the remission of sins to partake (Acts 2:38, 42). There will also be an **offering** collected from our members (1 Cor. 16:1-2). As our guest, you are not expected to make a donation. Feel perfectly comfortable passing the collection plate down the row. You will also hear the **preaching** of a Bible-centered message (Acts 20:7) and men leading the congregation in **prayer** (1 Tim. 2:8). We think you will find our worship meaningful and refreshing as we strive to do it in spirit and in truth (John 4:24). We encourage you to observe carefully and stay a while afterwards so that we can get to know you better and answer any questions you may have.

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ATTENDANCE & CONTRIBUTION RECORDS

	2018 Goals	Last Week	1 yr ago
Bible Study	60	42	43
Sun AM	80	56	72
Sun PM	40	38	37
Wed	45	??	37
Contribution	1950	1245	2020

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The Best Things To Give

- To a friend: loyalty
 - To an enemy: forgiveness
 - To a stranger: kindness
 - To your neighbor: peace
 - To your boss: service
 - To a child: good example
 - To your father: respect
 - To your mother: gratitude
 - To your spouse: devotion
 - To all men: charity
 - To God: your life
- Selected

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Prayer List * Paxton Bloyd * Debbie Bradshaw (lymphoma) * Sharon Cornett * Riley Decker (leukemia) * Matthew Edwards (cancer) * Dessie Frankum * Britany Harden * Willard Holliday * Amanda Jewell (mitral valve stenosis) * Wilma Landis (cancer) * Eli Marcom (brain tumor) * Kenny Perkins * Kara Reed (cystic fibrosis) * Ancil Reynolds * Teresa Yates (cancer)

Medical Updates

- * **Alice Ann Clark** was hospitalized last week for atrial fibrillation. Doctors in Louisville were able to get her heart back in rhythm. She is home now and doing well.
- * **Patty Reynolds** is scheduled for a knee replacement on June 20.

Congratulations to Our Graduates

- * **Sarah Bault** graduated from Murray State University yesterday with a BS in Animal Sciences. She has a job lined up London, Ohio.
- * **Alex Doss** graduates from Campbellsville High School on May 26.
- * **Kimberly Harden** graduates from Campbellsville High School on May 26.

Friends and Family Day

We will have our Friends and Family Day on **May 27**. Edd Sterchi will be the speaker. Remember that we will have morning services followed by a fellowship meal and then evening services immediately after. Please be inviting all your friends and family. **There are fliers and cards for you to post/hand out.**

VBS Matters

- * Our Vacation Bible School will be held on **Sat., June 30**.
- * We are still in need of volunteers for teachers and helpers. If you are willing to help out, please see Bret or April Sholty.
- * We will be having the following Sunday evening service (Jul. 1) at the tailwaters at Green River Lake Dam with food and games to follow.

Benevolence Opportunities

- * Backpack Buddies - See flyer for items to bring in.
- * Potter Change Cans - They are due in by Sept. 16

Birthdays This Week - Kent Noe (May 18)

Learning from a Mother's Love

The Bible gives many comparisons of God's constant care for His children. In the 103rd Psalm and in Proverbs 3, God is depicted as a concerned and disciplining father. Isaiah 27 mentions God as a gardener tending His garden. And in the 23rd Psalm, we read of God as a shepherd.

But when God through Isaiah illustrated how great His love was for Israel, He likened it to the love of a mother for her child: *"As one whom his mother comforts, so I will comfort you"* (Isaiah 66:13, see also Isaiah 49:15). Truly, there is nothing more natural than for a mother to cherish, care for, and comfort her child. Note, for example:

- * The unconditional love mothers demonstrate for their children is probably the closest thing on earth to His incredible love for us.
- * The gentle tenderness a mother expresses in handling her newborn child is so reminiscent of the tender loving care God promises to all the faithful.
- * The sincere sympathy mothers show for hurt elbows and hurt hearts is very much like the heart-felt compassion God feels and gives to each of us.
- * The sacrifice and unselfishness mothers exhibit time and time again toward their children reminds us of how benevolent and generous God has been to you and me.
- * The soft special kisses and the always sweet smiles that mothers so generously give can help us to understand and appreciate the joy God has for us now and forevermore.

Just watch a mother with her child sometime. Take note of the sacrifice, dedication, care, tenderness, love, comfort, and joy she exhibits. Then remember that this is the way God loves us.

So thank you, mothers, for giving us a glimpse of God's immense love!

- Edd Sterchi