

**FAMILY CONCERNS
IN THE HOSPITAL:**

SIGNATURE HEALTH CARE OF PRIMACY

Dione Crisman (Singles Blended), Rm 124

KIRBY PINES MANOR

Jerry Blair Schlosser, Rm 162A

CHURCH FAMILY: Bobby Baber (Cornerstone), Dale & Mary Beck (Joint Heirs), Brenda Berry (Seekers), Annabelle Chumney (Joint Heirs), Del Elkins (Joint Heirs), Vivian Haneline (Joint Heirs), Oconee Hendrix (Joint Heirs), Dr. Jack Lewis (Bereans), Bill & Frances Miller (Charis), Dave Robbins (Joint Heirs), Anita Thomsen (Joint Heirs), Jennifer Cope Webber, Rhee Williams (Joint Heirs)

FAMILY & FRIENDS: Tom Adams, Betty Jo Barber, Jim Cartwright, Roberta Criss Clements, June Powell Emerson, JoAnne Eubanks, Arlene Favazza, Shirley Stemberg-Geiger, Kathy Geisel, Jenni Glover, Debbie Hepler, Dr. Linn Magill, Phyllis Lower, Larry McCormack, Shirley Mock, Coralee Pulley, Stephanie Rich, Mitchell Robinson, Grover Vaughn, Shalika Watson, Bob Watson, Dr. Rodney Wolfe

IN THE MILITARY: John Berger (Army National Guard), Austin Brock (Marines), Jeffrey Cigrang (Navy), Major Jennifer Conk & Major Ryan Conk (Airforce), James Cooper (Army), Major Lauren Cotney (Air National Guard), Joshua Forsman (Army), Lieutenant Colonel Whitney Gardner (Army), Brooks Gatlin (National Guard), Sergeant Tommy Glasscock (National Guard), John Grady (Army National Guard), Major Aaron Hines (Air Force-abroad) Major Stefan Lockton (Army), Gerri Ripple (Navy-abroad) Jacob Robinson (Army), Shawn Royer (Army), Colonel Clarence David Turner (Army-abroad)

ON THE MISSION FIELD: Bruce, Janet and Annie Bates in Cumberland, RI; Caleb, Fran, Abigail, Elizabeth and Ruth Borchers in Providence, RI; Colette Daugherty in Meudon, France; Arlin and Pamela Hendrix in Meyzieu, France; Jim and Kathryn Holway in Miami, FL; William and Helena Horace in Providence, RI; Frank and Gladys Hotorwoshie in Accra Ghana, West Africa; Ralph and Twyla Williams in Moduli, Tanzania

Community Yoga Classes

White Station is offering a free yoga class that meets every Tuesday night from 6:30 p.m. - 7:15 p.m. The class is taught by Kayla Sentell. Many of you may know Kayla. She is the daughter of Steve and Jeanne Sentell and the granddaughter of Sara Brewer. Kayla is an RYT 200 Certified Yoga Instructor. She teaches classes for Summit Yoga. The class meets in the Children's Worship Room. Please plan to enter through the class doors in the breezeway.

You will need to bring a mat with you to class! Feel free to bring a water bottle as well. It's open to the community so bring a friend.

WHAT ABOUT WEDNESDAY?

- @ 3:00 p.m. — Jack Bond in the Chapel
- @ 5:30 p.m. — Family Meals postponed until September
- @ 6:30 p.m. —
 - Peak of the Week in the Fireplace Room
 - Adult Prep Class - "Listening to God" in G201: Dave Bland
 - Study of *The Praying Life* by Paul Miller (Ladies) in G215: Fran Craddock
 - Body, Mind & Spirit (Ladies) in the CLC Gym: Theresa Jordan & Margaret Plunket
 - A Study of the Heavenly Hosts in G206: The White Station Shepherds

A Prayer For



VISION

Why We Pray

Prayer helps remind us of the "big picture," it helps us grow in a perspective based on truth, not just on our own small perspective. It helps us develop more accurate vision.

A Way to Pray

Dear Father in heaven, we thank you that the Savior has been with us on the earth and that in our day we can still follow him and wait for your will and your rulership. For you are Almighty God, and your kingdom must come, your will must be done, and all promises be fulfilled. Carry out your will, we ask and beseech you. Establish your kingdom among all nations, even if today this is possible with only a few. For through your working, hearts can change so that your name may be praised and all promises may be fulfilled. Thanks be to you for allowing us to live in such great hope. Stay by us in our work on earth so that it may be done in your service. In every situation deepen our longing for the Savior to come. Be with us during the night and bless us in your great goodness and faithfulness.

In Jesus' name.

Amen!

~from Plough.com

Sympathy

Our sympathy is expressed to John & Dottie Wilson (Bereans) on the death of nephew, Gary Beck. Services were held May 6 at Memorial Park in Memphis.

Summer Boys' Clothes Needed

From Threads of Hope

Threads of Hope is in need of gently used summer boys' clothing in sizes 3T through 8. Please ONLY donate boys summer clothes in these sizes as we have no room for storage. You may drop your donations by the church office Monday through Friday between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Please label them for Threads of Hope. The clothes your children have outgrown will be a huge blessing to the families we serve!

LAST WEEK'S STATISTICS

ATTENDANCE:

Sunday, 4.30
AM Worship Services..... 564
AM Classes..... 361
PM Worship Service..... 197
Wednesday 4.26..... 199

CONTRIBUTION:

Sunday, 4.30
Weekly Actual.....\$19,827
Weekly Budget.....\$32,500



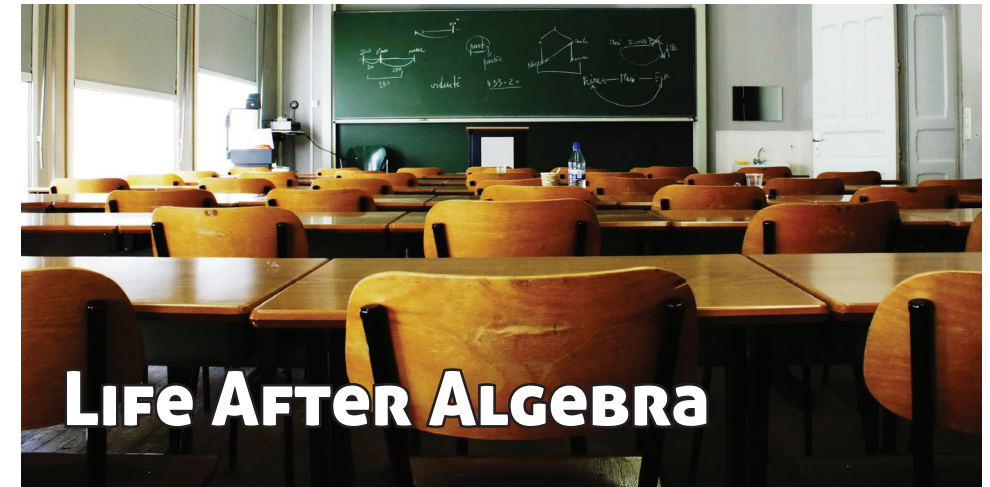
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MAY 7, 2017



To our guests...

Welcome to White Station. Thank you for choosing to worship with us today. We pray you will be uplifted by the worship assembly, challenged by today's lesson, and find connection in one of our Bible classes.

If you want to learn more about White Station and how you can join us as we serve God & our city, come to the next **Discovery Worship**. Date to be announced soon. For more information: donmkinder@gmail.com.

This Week at White Station

MONDAY (5.8)

- Devotional @ 9:30 a.m. in the Coffee House
- Community Exercise @ 10 a.m. in the CLC Gym

TUESDAY (5.9)

- Playgroup (parents with young children) @ 10 a.m. in the CLC Gym

WEDNESDAY (5.10)

- Game Day from 8 a.m. to Noon in the Coffee House

THURSDAY (5.11)

- Devotional @ 9:30 a.m. in the Coffee House
- Community Exercise @ 10 a.m. in the CLC Gym
- Volleyball Free Play from 7 to 9 p.m. for ages 18 and above

FRIDAY (5.12)

- Men's Prayer Group at 6:30 a.m. in the Education Building Conf Room
- Pickleball from 9 a.m. to Noon in the CLC Gym

EVERY DAY: MONDAY - FRIDAY

- Enjoy coffee, snacks & fellowship from 8 a.m. to Noon in the Coffee House
- Walking track open from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Mon/Thurs, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on Tues/Wed/Fri and 9 a.m. to Noon on Saturday

DOWNLOAD THE SERVER ONLINE AT WWW.COCWS.ORG

Sunday Morning Worship

8:15 A.M. FELLOWSHIP HALLWorship Leader: Calvin Ellis
Meet and Greet

WelcomeJoe Galloway

Songs: A New Anointing
 For All You've Done
 Salvation Belongs to Our God

Life After Algebra: The Importance of Our Teachers (Psalm 78)Bob Turner

Response Song: Just As I Am/I Come Broken

Songs: Start a Fire
 We Fall Down/Holy, Holy, Holy

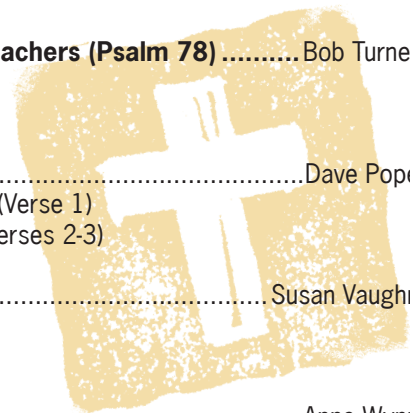
Lord's Supper/OfferingDave Pope

Bread: Before the Throne of God Above (Verse 1)
 Cup: Before the Throne of God Above (Verses 2-3)
 Offering: Now To Him

COCWS Vision StorySusan Vaughn

Songs: Beautiful One
 We Are the Body of Christ
 Faithful Love

Blessing Anne Wynn



8:30 A.M. AUDITORIUMWorship Leader: Leon Sanderson

Welcome/Scripture Reading (Acts 4:8-12)/Prayer.....Jack Bond

Songs: 432 - How Shall the Young Secure Their Hearts?
 828 - Instruments of Your Peace
 762 - Teach Me Thy Way, O Lord
 764 - Teach Me Lord to Wait
 429 - Oh, to Be Like Thee

Lord's Supper & Offering Stan Manning

Song: 722 - Let the Beauty of Jesus Be Seen

Life After Algebra: The Importance of Our Teachers (Psalm 78)Bob Turner

Song: 790 - Lord, Take Control

PrayerMatt Simmons

Blessing

11 A.M. CHAPELWorship Leader: Leon Sanderson

Welcome/Prayer Bob Turner

Song: 722 - Let the Beauty of Jesus Be Seen

Life After Algebra: The Importance of Our Teachers (Psalm 78)Bob Turner

Song: 790 - Lord, Take Control

Offering Don Meredith

Songs: 432 - How Shall the Young Secure Their Hearts?
 762 - Teach Me Thy Way, O Lord
 429 - Oh, to Be Like Thee

Lord's SupperHarry Seratt

Song: 764 - Teach Me Lord to Wait

PrayerFrank Freese

Blessing

Sunday AM Schedule Beginning June 4th

9:00 AM Bible Classes

10:15 AM Worship Assemblies:
 Auditorium, Fellowship Hall,
 Iglesia de Cristo (Chapel)

Deaf services remain 10 AM Class, 11 AM Worship in G211

11 A.M. FELLOWSHIP HALLWorship Leader: Calvin Ellis

Meet and Greet

Welcome Calvin Ellis

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 Start a Fire
 For All You've Done
 We Fall Down/Holy, Holy, Holy

Lord's Supper/Offering Susan Rubio

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Life After Algebra: The Importance of Our Teachers (Psalm 78)Bob Turner

Response Song: Just As I Am/I Come Broken

Song: Faithful Love

Blessing

Sunday Evening - In the Chapel

5 P.M.Worship Leader: Leon Sanderson

Welcome/Scripture Reading (Psalm 119:1-8)/Prayer.....Larry Green

Songs: 432 - How Shall the Young Secure Their Hearts?
 446 - Hear, O Israel
 OS - Thy Will Be Done
 457 - How Firm a Foundation

Bear One Another's Burden (Gal 6:1-5)Rodney Plunket

Song: 431 - Break Thou the Bread of Life

Lord's Supper/OfferingHarry Seratt

Song: 449 - Thy Word

Prayer Frank Freese

Thank You

A thank you card has been received from Barbara Taylor expressing her gratitude for your care after her recent surgery. It is on the community bulletin board in the CLC.

Calling All Superheroes

It's Blood Drive time! **Wednesday, May 11, from 4:30 to 8:30 p.m.** will be the time for our next effort. *We are giving away door prizes!* Earn chances to win Malco movie tickets! You'll get one entry for EACH of the following items: Schedule your appointment online, Attempt to donate, Successfully donate, and Be a first-time donor. Ages 16+ eligible to donate. Pizza will be served in the Fellowship Hall and the Blood Drive will be in the Children's Worship Room. If you have any questions, you can call or text Ken Kyle at 901-491-8278 or email him at kennisonk@yahoo.com.

Lifeblood
Blood Drive

Wednesday, May 17. 4:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Go to <http://bit.do/May17cocws> to register.

FROM LAREN MCCORMACK

Gratitude

White Station Family and volunteers - Thank you for loving me as one of your own for the past 23 months. I have learned from you how to embrace the other, welcome the outsider, and serve with love.

Parents, Thank you for welcoming me into your families and allowing me to see your children as my own. I have learned from you how to expand the boundaries society has on family and how to be a spiritual giant and an advocate for those who do not otherwise have a voice to be heard.

Kids, Thank you for being my brothers and sisters in Christ and teaching me once again what it means to have a childlike faith. Walking the journey of faith with you has been the greatest blessing I have been given these past 23 months. You have taught me more than I can ever express about being a child of God and a servant in His kingdom. You challenge me daily to be a better daughter of the King.

FROM GORDON LAWRENCE

On Behalf of the Shepherds and Ministers

It is with a heavy heart that I share with you that Laren McCormack, our Children's Minister for almost 2 years, has submitted her resignation. Her last day as our Children's Minister was April 28th.

Speaking on behalf of her fellow ministers and my fellow shepherds as the shepherd who oversees the Children's Ministry, Laren's deep commitment to helping each child create his or her own faith will be greatly missed. Her profound desire for each child to develop an intentional personal relationship with our Heavenly Father, or "Daddy" as Laren is apt to say, not only serves as the foundation for her ministry, but also serves as the basis for the advanced degree she is continuing to seek at David Lipscomb University.

As Laren moves into the next phase of her work life, I would encourage each of you to keep her in your thoughts and prayers. We are grateful for the many blessings God has showered upon our children and their families through Laren's time at White Station, and hopeful for the guidance and direction He has planned for the Children's Ministry moving forward.

While Carol Michael and Laine Gray will continue in their respective roles as Children's Worship Coordinator and Nursery Coordinator, Theresa Jordan has graciously accepted the request from the Leadership Team to serve in the role of Interim Children's Minister. All of us, whether or not currently active in or even touched by the Children's Ministry in any way, need to be open to the Spirit's nudging us toward greater involvement.

Reception For Laren

Please join us at a reception honoring Laren McCormack in the Children's Worship Room immediately following the service. The reception will be held during Bible Class, 9:45 am - 10:45 am.

