

FAMILY CONCERNS

IN THE HOSPITAL:

KIRBY PINES MANOR
Jerry Blair Schlosser, Rm 162A

LEBONHEUR CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL
Baby Mollie Pounders

CHURCH FAMILY:

Bobby Baber (Cornerstone)
Dale & Mary Beck (Joint Heirs)
Beth Cassell (Bereans)
Annabelle Chumney (Joint Heirs)
Boots Condrey (Joint Heirs)
Del Elkins (Joint Heirs)
Sharon Gardner (Charis)
Polly Gowan (Bereans)
Vivian Haneline (Joint Heirs)
Lyle Hendrix (Bereans)
Oconee Hendrix (Joint Heirs)
Dr. Jack Lewis (Bereans)
Stan Manning (FaithWalk)
Bill & Frances Miller (Charis)
Dave Robbins (Joint Heirs)
Michael Semore (Joint Heirs)
Laura Sneed (Charis)
Anita Thomsen (Joint Heirs)
Jennifer Cope Webber
Rhee Williams (Joint Heirs)
Sara (Ruth) Wood

IN THE MILITARY:

John Berger (Army National Guard)
Austin Brock (Marines)
Jeffrey Cigrang (Navy)
Major Jennifer Conk (Airforce)
Major Ryan Conk (Airforce)
James Cooper (Army)
Major Lauren Cotney (Air Nat. Guard)
Joshua Forsman (Army)
Lt. Colonel Whitney Gardner (Army)
Brooks Gatlin (National Guard)
Sgt. 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)
Col. Clarence David Turner (Army)

ON THE MISSION FIELD:

Bruce, Janet and Annie Bates
Cumberland, RI

Caleb, Fran, Abigail, Elizabeth and Ruth Borchers
Providence, RI

Colette Daugherty
Meudon, France

Arlin and Pamela Hendrix
Meyzieu, France

Jim and Kathryn Holway
Miami, FL

William and Helena Horace
Providence, RI

Frank and Gladys Hotorwoshie
Accra, Ghana

Ralph and Twyla Williams
Moduli, Tanzania

FAMILY & FRIENDS:

Betty Jo Barber
Larry Boone
Jim Cartwright
Alicia Clark
June Powell Emerson
JoAnne Eubanks
Shirley Sternberg-Geiger
Deane Harper
Debbie Hepler
Larry McCormack
Donna Rike
Jerry Trout
Grover Vaughn

Sympathy

We extend sympathy to the family of **Joyce Jaynes** on her passing on **July 13**. Funeral services were held at **Memphis Funeral Home and Memorial Garden** at 2:00 p.m. **Tues, July 18**.

We also extend our sympathy to **Juana and Calvin Ellis** and their children **Caleb and Carrington** on the death of Calvin's grandfather, **Aaron Ellis** on **July 14**. The funeral service was **July 20** in **Dallax, TX**.



Why We Pray

“But if any of you lack wisdom, you should pray to God, who will give it to you; because God gives generously and graciously to all.” ~James 1:5

A Way to Pray

*Be Thou our Wisdom, and Thou our true Word
May we be with Thee and Thou with us, Lord
Thou our great Father, Thine own may we be
Thou in us dwelling, make us one with Thee.*

A.W. Tozer has written, “If we truly want to follow God, we must seek to be other-worldly.” He didn’t mean that we live in some strange disconnected state, with our head in the clouds. Instead, we are to live fully engaged in this world with wisdom that comes from above. The world’s wisdom is about getting, winning, impressing, fitting in, and overpowering. But the wisdom that comes from heaven is first of all pure; then peace-loving, considerate, submissive, full of mercy and good fruit, impartial and sincere (James 3:17). We grow in wisdom by living our lives seeking God’s will in prayer, so that his dwelling in us is more than a nice idea, but becomes the ground of our thinking, our understanding the world around us, and our decision making. Let’s pray for wisdom!

Save The Date

As part of the ongoing Visioning process that we began in February, we want to invite everyone to join together in an all-church prayer vigil on **Wednesday, August 9**. Please mark it on your calendar now and be watching for more information coming the next two Sundays. In the meantime, we encourage you to be thinking of your schedule on that day and what time of day you will be free to devote some time to God in a special way. We especially encourage you to think how you could get together with a friend or group of friends to pray together for our church as we seek God’s will for the future.

LAST WEEK'S STATISTICS

ATTENDANCE: Sunday, 7.16

AM Worship Services..... 530
AM Classes 387
PM Worship Service..... 63
Wednesday 7.19 225

CONTRIBUTION: Sunday, 7.16

Weekly Actual.....\$21,284
Weekly Budget.....\$27,500



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JULY 23, 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** on Sunday, August 20th. For more information: donmkinder@gmail.com.

This Week at White Station

MONDAY (7.24)

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

TUESDAY (7.25)

- Playgroup (parents with young children) @ 10 a.m. in the CLC Gym
- Community Yoga Class @ 6:30 p.m. in the Children's Worship Room

WEDNESDAY (7.26)

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

THURSDAY (7.27)

- 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 (7.28)

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

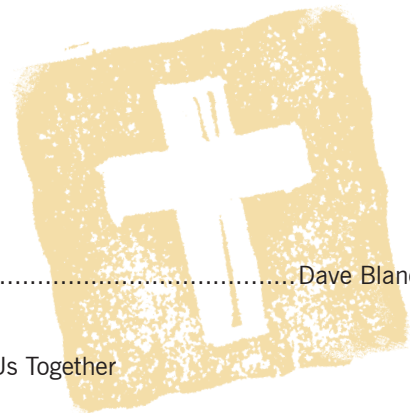
EVERY DAY: MONDAY - FRIDAY

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

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Sunday Morning Worship

AUDITORIUM..... Worship Leader: Leon Sanderson
Welcome/Scripture Reading(1 Cor. 10:14-17)/Prayer Ellis Haguewood
Songs: 704 - Bind Us Together
364 - Come, Share the Lord
Wait (1 Cor. 11:17-34) Bob Turner
Response Song: 246 - Let Me Be a Sacrifice
325 - Boundless Love
OS - The Solemn Feast
366 - By Christ Redeemed
317 - Here, O My Lord, I See Thee
335 - In Memory of the Savior's Love
OS - How Deep the Father's Love
361 - Nailed to the Cross
261 - Lord of Our Highest Love
Lord's Supper/Offering Dave Bland
Bread: 261 - Lord of Our Highest Love
Cup & Offering: 704 - Bind Us Together
Good Samaritans Offering: 704 - Bind Us Together
Blessing/Prayer



FELLOWSHIP HALL..... Worship Leader: Calvin Ellis
Meet & Greet
Welcome/Announcements/Opening Prayer..... Eddy Efaw
Songs: Hosanna, You're My King
A New Anointing
This is Amazing Grace
Lord, I Lift Your Name on High
Let Your Spirit Come
Lord's Supper & OfferingRichie Lynn
Bread & Cup: How Deep the Father's Love
Offering: Fairest Lord Jesus
Good Samaritans Offering: Magnificat
Song: Everlasting God
Wait (1 Cor. 11:17-34)Bob Turner
Response Song: Lord, Have Mercy
Song: New Doxology
Closing Prayer/Blessing

Sunday Evening

CHAPEL.....Worship Leader: Leon Sanderson
Welcome & Scripture Reading (1 Pet. 5:6-7)/Prayer Don Meredith
Songs: 742 - When Upon Life's Billows
118 - God Has Smiled On Me
507 - Does Jesus Care?
147 - I Stand Amazed
Sermon Glen Henton
Song: 586 - My Faith Looks Up to Thee
Lord's Supper & Offering Earl Manning
Song: 493 - It Is No Secret
Closing Prayer

WHAT ABOUT WEDNESDAY?

- @ 3:00 p.m. —Mike Mays in the Chapel
- @ 6:30 p.m. —
 - **Peak of the Week** in the **Fireplace Room**
 - **Women's Summer Series** in the **Auditorium Lobby**
 - **Children (age 3 - 6th grade)** in the **Educational Building**

ONE SUMMER ONE CHURCH

Our church family is trying out a new schedule for Sundays this Summer. What better opportunity to plan some great times of fellowship and togetherness! We hope you will plan to partake in the exciting times ahead and enjoy the renewed sense of community and love that comes from all of us getting together. These are our upcoming events:

Chuck Wagon Chow

Wednesday, July 26, in the Children's Worship Room
Immediately After Wednesday Bible Classes

Good Old-Fashioned Ice Cream Social

Wednesday, August 2, in the Children's Worship Room
Immediately After Wednesday Bible Classes

Camp Celebration Sunday

Sunday, August 6, 10:15 a.m.
During both Auditorium and Fellowship Hall Services

Celebration!

Jerry Schlosser will be celebrating her 100th birthday on **July 29th**. All are invited to a birthday party at Kirby Pines on **Saturday, July 29 from 2:00-4:00pm**. No gifts please.



White Station sends a **Daily News Alert** email to keep you informed of news and notifications relevant to our life as a body.

If you are not currently receiving this email and would like to, please send an email to tjones@cocws.org with **DNA Subscription** in the subject line.

Ladies' Day Event

Ladies, please go by our announcement board in the CLC and read about Ladies' Day events planned by Southside, Quince, and Oliver Creek during August and September.

Congratulations!

We rejoice with **Philip Pounds**, who was baptized June 24 in New Mexico!

FROM LEON SANDERSON

Can You Stop a Rolling Snowball?

Age is a relative number and it usually depends on how old you are. For some age is like a telephone number and remains unlisted. Perhaps the subject of age is similar to the treatment of Mark Twain's passing. The obituary of Mark Twain appeared in a newspaper. When Twain heard about this news item he reportedly said, "The reports of my death are greatly exaggerated."

Consider this overview. The US head count is about 325 million making it the third most populous country in the world. By age cohorts in this population, those 0-25 are 35%, 26-54 are 38% and 55 and over are 28%. According to one table, life expectancy for women is 82 and for men is 77. It goes without saying that these numbers are changing day by day and year by year.

Is there any good news? Absolutely! The last time I checked, there is no way to stop a rolling snowball or the aging process. However, here are some randomly selected benefits as we move through the numbers. It is a time of vitality as we are aging much better than our forefathers. Mature citizens are a target demographic with special attention given to our needs. We are wiser and able to be more confident. A grandparent is a conduit to the past and one who passes on the faith to grandchildren.

SO WHAT? We cannot disconnect from the process, yet we can engage our energy and enthusiasm in positive ways. There are many opportunities for doing good and enjoying life. With that said, I want to ask a few questions of our senior members and expect each reader to reflect and provide answers.

SERVICE:

In what way would you like to serve?
What skill do you have that can be useful to others?

FELLOWSHIP:

Where would you like to go?
What would you like to see and do?

WOULD YOU BE INTERESTED IN SERVING ON THE SAM TEAM?

Now it is your turn. Let a SAM [Senior Adult Ministry] Team member know. Intercept any one of them [Dot Douglas, Marilyn/Leon Sanderson, Pat/Ves Tinsley, Pansy/Tommy Tomlinson and Dottie/John Wilson]. Let's hear it, Seniors!

Children's Ministry Listening Session

All parents and interested others are invited to attend a listening session on **Sunday, July 30** during the **Bible class hour**. The session is designed to receive feedback on our Wednesday evening program this fall. We will meet in the **Fireplace Room**. Hope to see you there!

Thank You Note

A Thank You Note has been received from **Jerry and Jean Trout**. It is posted on the bulletin board in the CLC.

SOMA Monday Night Meals

White Station is sponsoring **4 Monday Night Meals** for the **University of Memphis Christian Student Center**. Three of these meals have already been sponsored, and we thank those who stepped up! We are seeking one more team who will take the last remaining slot, **December 4th**. You will need to prepare to feed about 100 college students. While this sounds like a scary number, if 3-5 folks pitch in for each meal, it will be no problem! Please contact **Terrie Elkins** at danandterrie@bellsouth.net or 901-409-1663 if you are willing to help.