

**FAMILY CONCERNS**

**IN THE HOSPITAL:**  
METHODIST UNIVERSITY  
 Charles Barnett  
 David Collins

**CHURCH FAMILY:**  
 Dale & Mary Beck (Joint Heirs)  
 Annabelle Chumney (Joint Heirs)  
 James Cooper  
 Hank Cutsinger (Joint Heirs)  
 Del Elkins (Joint Heirs)  
 Vivian Haneline (Joint Heirs)  
 Joyce Heffernan (Joint Heirs)  
 Oconee Hendrix (Joint Heirs)  
 Dr. Jack Lewis (Bereans)  
 Rick Oster (FaithWalk)  
 Dave Robbins (Joint Heirs)  
 Jerry Blair Schlosser  
 Michael Semore (Joint Heirs)  
 Laura Sneed (Charis)  
 Sherry Thaxton (Lifesavers)  
 Anita Thomsen (Joint Heirs)  
 Jennifer Cope Webber  
 Rhee Williams (Joint Heirs)

**FAMILY & FRIENDS:**  
 Ronald Bailey  
 Betty Jo Barber  
 Larry Boone  
 Austin Brock  
 Iola Brown  
 Wanieka Brown  
 Rodterius Burrow  
 Jim Cartwright  
 Alicia Clark  
 June Powell Emerson  
 JoAnne Eubanks  
 Shirley Sternberg Geiger  
 Debbie Hepler  
 Dave Huddle  
 Richard Jenkins  
 Janice Joyce  
 Rita Grandi Ksepka  
 Beth Lents  
 Mollie Pounders  
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 Donna Rike  
 Ruble Yopp  
 Grover Vaughn  
 Bob Watson  
 Harper Watt  
 Willie Williams

**LAST WEEK'S STATISTICS**

<b>ATTENDANCE:</b>	<b>CONTRIBUTION:</b>
Sunday, 10.1	Sunday, 10.1
AM Worship Services..... 441	Weekly Actual.....\$22,908
AM Classes ..... 323	Weekly Budget.....\$27,500
PM Worship Service ..... 77	
Wednesday 10.4 ..... 152	

**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)  
 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)  
 Paul T. 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, Ruth, and  
 Mariam 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*



**A Prayer For  
 VISION**

**Why We Pray**

Praying texts from scripture and other written prayers is a way of joining our prayer to that of other believers throughout time and around the world. Below is a prayer that comes from sometime in the late medieval period that was a part of celebrating Pentecost in the churches who prayed it.

**A Way to Pray**

Holy Spirit, Lord of light,  
 From Thy clear celestial height  
 Thy pure beaming radiance give.

Come, Thou Father of the poor,  
 Come with treasures which endure,  
 Come, Thou Light of all that live.

Thou, of all consolers best,  
 Thou, the soul's delightful Guest,  
 Dost refreshing peace bestow.

Thou in toil art comfort sweet,  
 Pleasant coolness in the heat,  
 Solace in the midst of woe.

\*This prayer is the first section of a longer poem. The second part will be printed next week.

**Sympathy**

We extend sympathy to Robert Gray on the passing of his grandmother, Mrs. Retta Jane Gray, on October 7 in Union City. Funeral services were held on October 12. The family requests memorials be sent to: Bishop Street Church of Christ, 908 Bishop Street, Union City, TN, 38261, or St. Jude Children's Hospital, Box 1000 Dept, 142 Memphis, Tn 38148-0142.

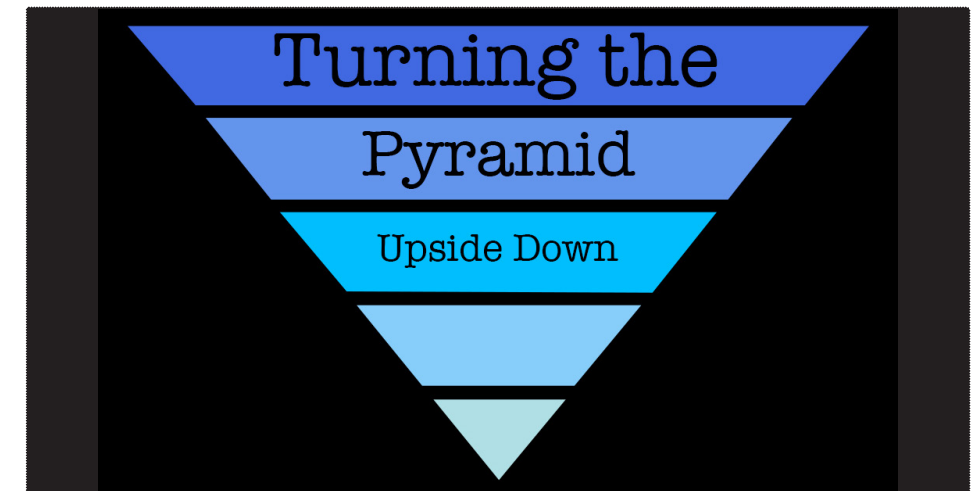


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**To our guests...**

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, join us at our next **Discovery Worship** scheduled for November 12.

For more information: donmkinder@gmail.com.

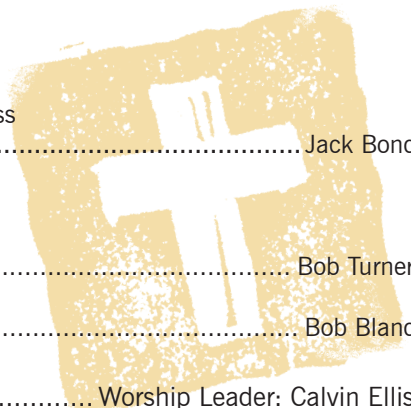
**This Week at White Station**

- MONDAY (10.16)
  - ♦ **Devotional @ 9:30 a.m.** in the **Coffee House**
  - ♦ **Community Exercise @ 10 a.m.** in the **CLC Gym**
- TUESDAY (10.17)
  - ♦ **Playgroup (parents with young children) @ 10 a.m.** in the **CLC Gym**
  - ♦ **Community Yoga @ 6:30 p.m.** in the **Children's Worship Room**
- WEDNESDAY (10.18)
  - ♦ **Game Day from 8 a.m. to Noon** in the **Coffee House**
  - ♦ **Fellowship Meal @ 5:30 p.m.** in the **Fellowship Hall** (chicken breast, rice, roasted veggies, dessert)
- THURSDAY (10.19)
  - ♦ **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+
- FRIDAY (10.20)
  - ♦ **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
  - ♦ **Coffee, snacks & fellowship @ 8 a.m. to Noon** in the **Coffee House**
  - ♦ **Walking track open from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m.** on **Mon, 8 a.m. to 9 p.m.** on **Thurs,** and **8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.** on **Tues/Wed/Fri**

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## Sunday Morning Worship

**AUDITORIUM** ..... Worship Leader: Leon Sanderson  
 Welcome/Scripture Reading (Rom.12:2)/Prayer.....Matt Simmons  
 Songs: 669 - Take My Life, and Let It Be  
 560 - Living by Faith  
 605 - I Will Serve You  
**Congregational Reading: Rom. 12:1**  
 Songs: 570 - A Beautiful Life  
 590 - Jesus Is All the World to Me  
 315 - When I Survey the Wondrous Cross  
**Lord's Supper & Offering**..... Jack Bond  
**Offering Song: 246 - Let Me Be a Sacrifice**  
 Songs: 540 - O For a Faith  
 828 - Instruments of Your Peace  
**Flipping the Pyramid (Romans 12:1-2)** ..... Bob Turner  
**Response Song: 680 - Yes, Lord, Yes**  
**Blessing & Prayer**..... Bob Bland



**FELLOWSHIP HALL**..... Worship Leader: Calvin Ellis  
 Welcome/Announcements/Opening Prayer ..... Terrie Elkins  
 Songs: Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee  
 A New Anointing  
**Flipping the Pyramid (Romans 12:1-2)** ..... Bob Turner  
**Response Song: He Knows My Name**  
**Song: Forever, We Sing Hallelujah**  
**Lord's Supper & Offering**..... Enoch Thweatt  
 Bread & Cup: Agnus Dei  
 Offering: Good to Me  
**Songs: I Am Resolved**  
 This is Amazing Grace  
 New Doxology  
**Closing Prayer/Blessing**..... Julie Henry

## Sunday Evening

**CHAPEL** ..... Worship Leader: Leon Sanderson  
 Welcome/Scripture Reading (Ps. 68:1-4)/Prayer ..... Harry Seratt  
 Songs: 75 - I Sing the Mighty Power of God  
 35 - It Is Good to Sing Your Praises  
 70 - Ah, Lord God  
 OS - How Can I Keep From Singing  
 97 - I Sing Praises  
**Ignoring the Darkness** ..... Rodney Plunket  
**Song: 58 - A Charge to Keep I Have**  
**Lord's Supper & Offering**..... Larry Green  
**Song: 39 - Awesome Power**  
**Closing Prayer** ..... Greg Muse

## WHAT ABOUT WEDNESDAY?

- @ 3:00 p.m. — **Jim Howard** in the Chapel
- @ 5:30 p.m. — **Fellowship Meal** in the Fellowship Hall
- @ 6:30 p.m. —
  - **Gospel of John** in G215
  - **Iglesia de Cristo Bible Class** in the Chapel
  - **One Another (Men's Class)** in G206
  - **Peak of the Week** in the Fireplace Room
  - **Study of I, II, III John (Women's Class)** in G201
  - **Voice of God (Women's Class)** in G209
  - **Youth Group** in the Station
  - **Children (age 3 - 6th grade)** in the Educational Building



## SOCKTOBER

Every night in the United States an estimated 600,000 people live on the streets and need simple things, like socks, to help them get through the night. The #1 needed clothing items for those in need are socks and underwear. In 2011, Socktober began in Tennessee by Brad Montague, creator of Kid President. He discovered that socks were the least donated items to homeless shelters.

We hope to stock White Station's Clothes Closet with **socks** and **underwear** during the month of October. **We need small and large sizes of underwear for men and women.** Donation tubs will be located in the Auditorium lobby, Chapel lobby, front and back entrances of the CLC and each information rack in the Fellowship Hall.

This will be a great way to welcome our new guests at Room In the Inn in November!  
 Thanks!

## Showers

We have two showers coming up this month!

There will be a wedding shower honoring Macy Marlin, bride-elect of Louis Nelms on October 29 in the Auditorium lobby from 3-4:30 p.m. Louis and Macy are registered at Target, Pottery Barn, Anthropologie & Home Depot (gift cards only please).

There will be a baby shower honoring Heather & Brandon Harris on October 29 in the Fireplace Room from 3-4:30 p.m. Heather and Brandon's baby boy is registered at Babies-R-Us & Target.

Join us as we celebrate these milestones for members of our church family!



## Mark Your Calendar!

Save the date for Trick-or-Treat-a-Trunk on Wednesday, October 25. We will begin the night in the Fellowship Hall for hotdogs. Then we will move outside for trick-or-treating. This is our biggest community event of the year, so please invite your friends and neighbors and make plans to come celebrate our community with costumes and candy!



## Ladies Holiday Brunch

All Ladies of White Station are invited to attend the annual holiday brunch on November 11th, 2017 from 9:30 to 11:00am in the Children's Worship Center. We are excited to have Bonnie Jamerson as our speaker this year, so be prepared to laugh and have a lot of fun as we get to know each other better and share delicious food on beautifully decorated tables. Sign-up sheets are available in Sunday morning classes, or contact the church office. Please let us know if you would like to bring a sweet or savory treat to share or decorate a table (either as a group or individual). Email Annette Wheless at awheless@gmail.com. Hope to see you there!



FROM BILLY LEAVELL

## Family Is Important

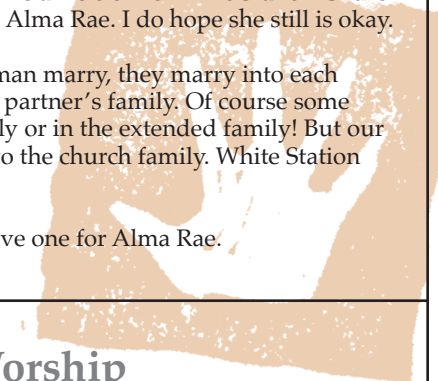
As I write this, Marilyn and I are in Louisville, KY. But by the time you read this, we should be back home.

We went up to Louisville because Marilyn was concerned about her younger sister, Alma Rae, who is suffering from Alzheimer's Disease. And it was fall break for Shelby County Schools. So, with free time on her hands, Marilyn wanted to go to Louisville to see Alma Rae. When we arrived in Louisville, we learned that Alma Rae was taken to the hospital because of an epileptic seizure. Alma Rae has suffered these seizures much of her time. And her dementia has made things worse.

Last year, when we visited Alma Rae, she still remembered us and gave each of us a warm hug. "Hello Marilyn! Hello Billy!" It was gratifying that she still knew who we were. On this visit, I don't know if Alma Rae still remembers us, because the deadline for this article was last Wednesday, and I had to send this article on to White Station Church for the Server before we went to the hospital to see Alma Rae. I do hope she still is okay.

To God, family is important. When a man and woman marry, they marry into each other's family. So they should develop love for the partner's family. Of course some family members stink, whether in the natural family or in the extended family! But our God tells us to love one another. And that applies to the church family. White Station Church is a place to love, not to fuss!

When you give your prayers to our Lord, please give one for Alma Rae.



## Area-Wide Worship

There will be an area-wide worship service next week that will take the place of our 5 p.m. Sunday evening service in the Chapel.

"Our Journey of Faith"  
 Sunday evening on Oct 22nd from 5:00 to 6:15 pm  
 Germantown Church of Christ Auditorium

Speakers: Michael Jackson of Boulevard and David South of Woodland Hills

## Medicare Update Seminar

Are you confused about Medicare, Medicaid, and Medigap? Is Medicare affected by the Affordable Care Act? What are the differences between original Medicare and Medicare advantage? Do you really need a prescription drug plan? Are you approaching 65 and confused? Are you a care giver for elderly parents? If you are asking any of these questions, please join us for a *comprehensive seminar on medicare issues*. The seminar will be presented by Pat Tinsley, who is a retired benefits counselor. It will be held at White Station on Thursday, October 26 from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. A light lunch will be served at 11:15. If you would like to attend, please RSVP to the church office (761-2007) by October 23.

## Thank You

Many thanks to all, men and women alike, who gave so selflessly to promote the agenda of the My Heart, Your Heart: United in Christ conference: to draw sisters closer to each other and to bring glory to God. Sixty-seven women gathered for the day, mostly from White Station and Iglesia. Our deepest thanks to our Father who leads us forward as we serve him with joy. May our love for each other grow ever deeper because of Him!

