

FAMILY CONCERNS

IN THE HOSPITAL:

METHODIST - GERMANTOWN

Toby McClure

METHODIST HOSPICE RESIDENCE

Anita Thomsen

CHURCH FAMILY:

Jeanne Benson (Joint Heirs)

Dale & Mary Beck (Joint Heirs)

Gerald Bond (Bereans)

La Tonya Brown (HOPE)

Annabelle Chumney (Joint Heirs)

David Collins (FaithWalk)

David Edwards (FaithWalk)

Gennie Flake

Polly Gowan (Joint Heirs)

Shirley Graham (Joint Heirs)

Joyce Heffernan (Joint Heirs)

Brenda Henderson (Bereans)

Oconee Hendrix (Joint Heirs)

Billy Leavell (Deaf Minister)

Dr. Jack Lewis (Bereans)

Scotty Little

Broque Lingerfelt (Seekers)

Jerry Blair Schlosser

Michael Semore (Joint Heirs)

Nancy Shanklin (Joint Heirs)

Sheila Vamplin (FaithWalk)

Doris Watson (Singles Blended)

Rhee Williams (Joint Heirs)

FAMILY & FRIENDS:

Betty Jo Barber

June Powell Emerson

JoAnne Eubanks

Shirley Sternberg Geiger

Mike Goldberg

Tracy Goodwin

David Henderson

Natalie Henton

Lisa Hickman

Haley Sizemore

Grover Vaughn

Willie Williams

Julie Workman

LAST WEEK'S STATISTICS

ATTENDANCE:

Sunday, 4.22

AM Worship Services..... 475

AM Classes 350

PM Worship Service 105

Wednesday 4.25 191

CONTRIBUTION:

Sunday, 4.22

Weekly Actual.....\$23,169

Weekly Budget.....\$27,500

Good Samaritan\$3,780

REGIONAL ONE (THE MED)

Robert Murray

ST. FRANCIS - PARK

Calvin Hines

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)

Gerrit 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



Time Flies When With Colette!

There are still opportunities to spend time with Colette Daugherty, our Missionary from Paris. If you would like to provide a meal for Colette, either lunch or dinner, whether in your home or at a restaurant, please contact Terri Jones in the church office (761-2007) to reserve your time. Remaining days include April 30 (lunch or dinner) and May 2-4 (lunch only).

In addition, make your plans now to attend a special reception in Colette's honor, next Sunday, May 6, from 11:15 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in the Fireplace Room.

Save the Date: Ladies Retreat

We are planning a Ladies Retreat for August 3-4, 2018. More information coming soon!

Sympathy

Our sympathy extends to Coretta Vaughn (Seekers) on the death of her cousin, James Harper, on April 22 in Iowa. Arrangements are incomplete at this time.

Daily News Alert

Did you know that our Daily News Alert (DNA) is the primary form of communication from the church office? The DNA is the only mass communication that goes out everyday, making it the most current source of information. This daily email includes prayer requests, event reminders, and other announcements. If you would like to receive this helpful email, please call the church office at 901-761-2007 or email Terri Jones at tjones@cocws.org. Help us keep you informed!

“Speaking the truth in love, we will grow to become in every respect the mature body of him who is the head, that is, Christ. From him the whole body, joined and held together by every supporting ligament, grows and builds itself up in love, as each part does its work.

Ephesians 4:15-16



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APRIL 29, 2018



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.

For more information: donmkinder@gmail.com.

This Week at White Station

MONDAY (4.30)

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

TUESDAY (5.1)

- Playgroup (parents with young children) @ 10 a.m. in the CLC Gym
- Senior Birthday Lunch @ 11 a.m. in the CLC Gym

WEDNESDAY (5.2)

- Game Day from 8 a.m. to Noon in the Coffee House
- Devotional @ 3 p.m. in the Chapel
- Fellowship Meal @ 5:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall (Fried Baked Chicken, Mashed Potatoes with Gravy, Green Beans, Rolls, Dessert)

THURSDAY (5.3)

- 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 (5.4)

- 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

- Fellowship @ 8 a.m. to Noon in the Coffee House
- Walking track open from 8 a.m.-7 p.m. on Mon, 8 a.m.-9 p.m. on Thurs, and 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. on T/W/F

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A staffed nursery is provided for children 0 - 36 months. The nursery is located on the green hallway, room E112 in the Education Building. We also provide an age-appropriate Children's Worship for children ages 3 through Kindergarten located directly across from the Fellowship Hall in room E120.

Sunday Morning Worship

AUDITORIUM Worship Leader: Leon Sanderson
 Welcome/Scripture Reading (Eph. 4:15-16)/Prayer Bubba Nelms
 Songs: 171 - We Will Stand
 732 - The Family of God
 1015 - Jesus Loves the Little Children
 Say Hello to Another Generation!
 Songs: 725 - Let Us Break Bread Together
 365 - How Beautiful
 Lord's Supper & Offering..... Ellis Haguewood
 Song: 432 - How Shall the Young Secure Their Hearts
 Generational Exchange in the Body..... Rodney Plunket
 Response Song: 1014 - Jesus Loves Me
 Announcements..... Bubba Nelms
 Benediction - Psalm 71:18
 Prayer Michael Semore

FELLOWSHIP HALL.....Worship Leader: Ron Norman
 Song: I Will Call Upon the Lord
 Welcome/Announcements/Opening PrayerJoe Galloway
 Scripture Reading (1 John 2:12-14)
 Video: Jonah & Bob
 Songs: Find Us Faithful
 Generational Exchange in the Body.....Rodney Plunket
 Response Song: O Come to the Altar
 Song: Be Unto Your Name
 Lord's Supper & Offering.....Rusty Woods
 Bread: When I Survey the Wondrous Cross (v. 1, 2)
 Cup: When I Survey the Wondrous Cross (v. 3, 4)
 Offering: Pass It On
 Songs: Ancient Words
 You are Good
 Prayer/Blessing..... Frank Freese

Senior Service in the Auditorium at 5 p.m.

Join us as we honor our graduating seniors tonight at 5 p.m. in the Auditorium. The devotional period will be led by Allie Chester, our interim youth minister, Bob Turner, and Ethan Griffin. A presentation following the devotional will honor our seniors along with their mentors. All are invited to the reception in the Children's Worship Room honoring our seniors immediately following the service.

WHAT ABOUT WEDNESDAY?

- @ 3:00 p.m. —**Jack Bond** in the **Chapel**
- @ 5:30 p.m. — **Fellowship Meal** in the **Fellowship Hall**
- @ 6:30 p.m. —
 - **Iglesia de Cristo** in the **Chapel**
 - **One Another (Men's Class)** in **G206**
 - **Peak of the Week** in the **Fireplace Room**
 - **Study of Joseph (Women's Class)** in **G201**
 - **Voice of God (Women's Class)** in **G209**
 - **Sanctuary (Youth Group)** in the **Station**
 - **Children (age 3 - 6th grade)** in the **Educational Building**

OUR SIX LENSES OF VISION

The vision of the White Station Church emerged from a time of listening to God, each other, and the community. Our vision is to be the church God desires as described in Ephesians 4:15-16. Our vision will be realized by focusing on the following areas that were revealed as we listened to what God is currently doing in our church and our hopes for the future.

SPIRITUAL GROWTH

In all areas, we will grow to maturity in Christ, the Head of the Church, through meaningful worship, Bible study, and discipleship.

PERSONAL CONNECTION

We will be a body that builds itself up in love and grows closer to each other by the power of the Spirit through service, fellowship, and living out the story of Jesus.

UNITY IN DIVERSITY

As a body, we have all been reconciled to God through the cross, regardless of racial, economic, or ideological differences. Through the unity of the Spirit, we will respect the uniqueness of each member's gifts and experiences as we work together in the Kingdom.

GENERATIONAL EXCHANGE

We will value every member of the body in all seasons of life and learn from each other's experiences as we become mature, attaining the fullness of Christ.

VALUING FAMILIES

As we submit to each other, out of reverence for Christ, we will honor and strengthen families, following the example of Christ who loved the church and gave himself up for it.

MISSIONAL APPROACH

Growing into Christ, we will speak and serve to give glory to God and to love others in our local community and throughout the world.

White Station Food Drive

Our Food Drive continues today through Sunday, May 13th. Empty boxes with food lists are located in all worship venues and the CLC lobby. Please consider participating and providing food for a family in need by filling a box with items on the food list taped to each box. You can return your filled box to the lobby of any worship venue or the CLC lobby by Sunday, May 13th. A prayer card is also attached. Your written prayer of hope and encouragement will be a meaningful way to bless those who receive your box of food. Thank you for the blessing you are to so many in our community.

Baby Shower Today!

There will be a baby shower honoring Amanda Whithaus today from 3:00-4:30 p.m. in the Fireplace Room. The Whithaus's baby girl is registered at babylist.com, Target, & Amazon.

Senior Birthday Lunch

Did you know the first Tuesday of every month we celebrate the birthdays of our Seniors for that month? Come join us for lunch at 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday with a potluck in the CLC Gym to celebrate our May birthdays.

FROM CALEB TAYLOR

Generations Through History

I often hear those around me say that history is impractical. It's in the past. We have progressed so far since then. We are more advanced now and better for it. I disagree. Knowing even the most ancient history enlightens who humanity is today. Many people think our current social issues are unique or even new, but, they're not.

At least as far back as the Roman Empire people have been arguing for women's equality (or arguing for male dominance), practicing homosexual marriage, blurring the lines between gender identities, and developing life-altering technologies (like plumbing and food preservation systems).

Sure, we have electricity and WiFi now, but we also have color-based racism and internet pornography. We have air conditioning, but we also have artificial intelligence learning all kinds of things that will put many people out of a livelihood.

When we believe that we are better than the ancient or primitive people who came before us, we are being arrogant. And this arrogance even gets carried over into the most recent past. When young people today devalue the work and experiences of the older generations who came before them, it is arrogance. Equally as true, when older people today devalue the potential of the younger generations coming up, it is a lack of humility.

People are not more intelligent now than before. But experience should show us that as future becomes history, people remain valuable and have something to contribute to the broad story of God's creation. Will we build up those who come after us? Will we value and learn from those who came before us? The answers to those two questions show our humility or arrogance and will determine the fruitfulness of our generational exchange throughout time.

The church must show its humility in owning its mistakes from the past and pulling the truth recognized in the past through to the future. Our history has much to offer. Also, the church must show its humility in affirming the gifts of future generations and strengthening them in the Spirit for God's work which continues to the consummation of creation.

Thank You from the Berä Ministry

On behalf of all of the members at White Station, the Berä Ministry would like to thank the participants in this year's Member Art Show. The event provided food for the soul and glory to God for His amazing creativity. The painters, portraitists, sketchers, jewelry makers, digital artists, and potters of all ages that exhibited were so generous in sharing their talents and artworks with us.

We would also like to thank Audrey Lynn, Marian Barber and Anna Fowler for sharing their musical abilities, which gave the show an added dimension. Behind the scenes work was done by Dot Douglas, Clay Fowler, Theresa Jordan, Beth and Charlie Michael, Neesha Nickleson, and Susan Rogers in setting up the gallery.

Start your creative juices flowing - the next Member Art show is less than a year away!

SOMA Fundraiser

SOMA, the Christian Student Center at the University of Memphis, will be hosting a Yard Sale Fundraiser! It will be Saturday, May 19, from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. at the Park Avenue Church of Christ Fellowship Hall. You can support SOMA by donating items to be sold, volunteering with set-up and/or the yard sale, or buy items at the sale. From April 22-May 13, small donations (clothing, books, cookware, non fragile decorative items, toys, etc.) can be delivered to White Station's CLC lobby. Large items (furniture) and any other items can be dropped at Park Ave. on May 18 from 2 p.m.-7 p.m. Any questions should be directed to Osheana Jenkins at osheanajenkins@gmail.com.