

**Sunday Morning Worship**

Announcements (668-9581) Allen Hughes  
 Lead Singing Stanley Graves  
 First Prayer Steve Boyd  
 Reading Bob Bonner  
 Scripture TBA  
 Lord's Table (N) \*David Keele  
 (S) \*Bruce Pryor  
 (N) Ryan McColloch  
 (N) Garrett Walker  
 (N) Joe Maynard  
 (S) James Gillies  
 (S) Chris Burks  
 (S) Clent Kesey  
 Sermon Kevin Cleary  
 Dismiss Noel Pepper

**Sunday Evening Worship**

Announcements (668-8936) Allen Hughes  
 Lead Singing Stanley Graves  
 First Prayer Don Sullivan  
 Reading Ben Biles  
 Scripture Hebrews 11:24-26  
 Lord's Table \*Billy Gilbert  
 \*Ronnie Prince  
 Sermon Steve Hillis  
 Dismiss Charles Gillies

**Wednesday Bible Study**

Announcements (815-3033) Caleb Graves  
 Lead Singing Steve Hillis  
 First Prayer Steve Hilton  
 Reading Dustin Rhea  
 Invitation Tony Lawrence  
 Dismiss Michael Andrews

**Welcome Committee**

A.M. Doug & Wanda Hendrixson  
 P.M. Harry Felty Family

**Bus Driver:** Ronnie Prince (934-4088)

**Ushers:** Rickey Hurst & Steve Wilcher

**Attend Nursery:** Susie Griffith

**Lock Building:** Mark Lawrence

**Prepare Communion:**

Linda Fults & Penny Keele

**Assist with Baptisms:**

Stefanie McColloch & Sarah Beth King

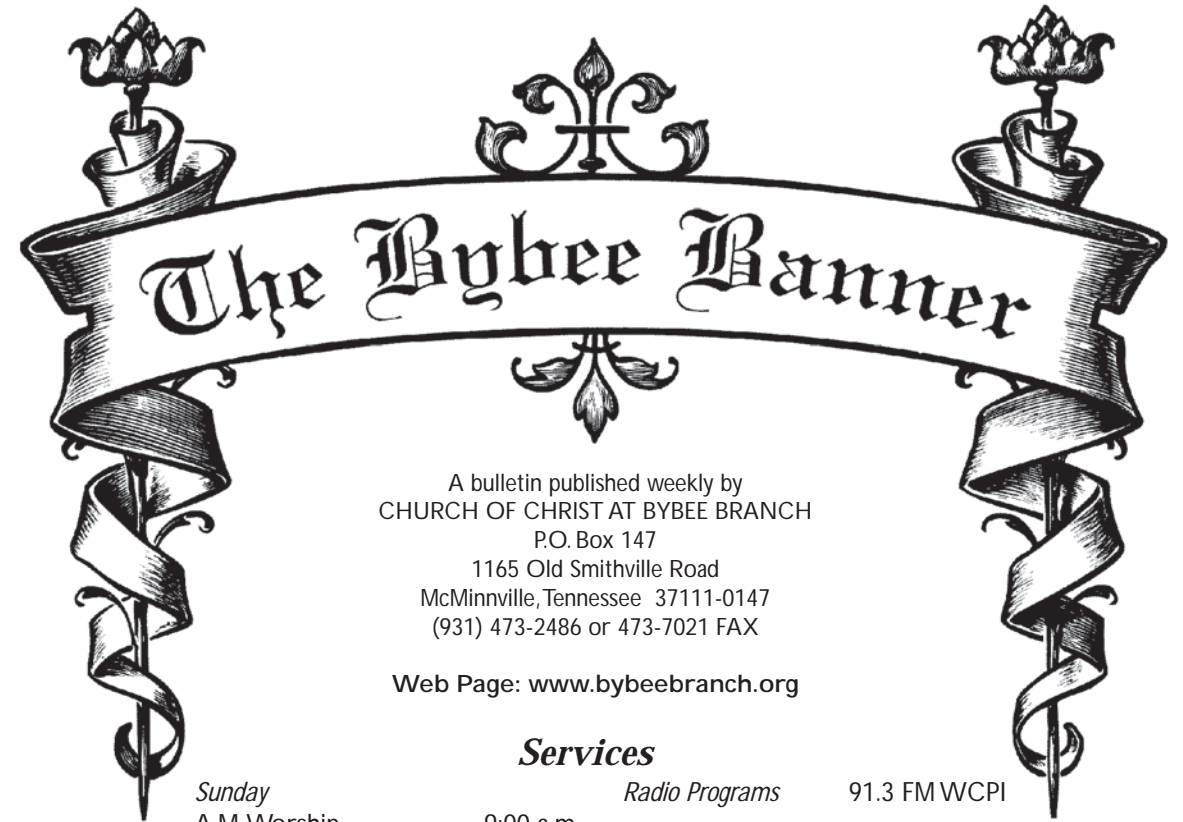
**Pantry Item:** Jelly

**Record For The Week...**

A.M. Worship..... 363  
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**Services**

|                  |            |                       |              |
|------------------|------------|-----------------------|--------------|
| <i>Sunday</i>    |            | <i>Radio Programs</i> | 91.3 FM WCPI |
| A.M. Worship     | 9:00 a.m.  |                       |              |
| Bible Study      | 10:15 a.m. | <i>Sunday</i>         |              |
| P.M. Worship     | 6:00 p.m.  | Tony Lawrence         | 8:00 a.m.    |
|                  |            | Winford Claiborne     | 8:30 a.m.    |
| <i>Wednesday</i> |            |                       |              |
| Bible Study      | 7:00 p.m.  |                       |              |

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## Sick

### At Home:

Nonie Grizzell  
Lawrence Lane  
Sarah Pennington  
Eugene Jones  
Bud Jordan (at sister's home Nancy Rogers)  
Bobbie Mitchell (at daughter's Judy Nussbaum)  
Ronnie Hoover (following surgery)  
Asa Kell  
Pauline Watson  
Sherry Graves (following surgery)  
Nellie Thomison - with pneumonia  
Christine Cantrell (following accident)  
Ken Lee  
Bobby Lance

### In The Hospital:

Sue Carter (Susan Pryor's aunt) - Riverpark Rehab  
Cody Smith (Rickey Burks's nephew) - Erlanger ICU following accident.

## Singing

**Morrison church of Christ** will host a Gospel Singing on April 27, at 7 pm.

## Gospel Meetings

**West Sparta church of Christ** will host Tony Lawrence, April 22-26, at 7 pm

**Dibrell church of Christ** will host James Meadows, April 27-29, at 7 pm

**West Riverside church of Christ** will host Garland Robinson, May 6-9, at 7 pm

## Ladies Days

**Central church of Christ** will host Carol Ann Chadwell, April 21, at 9:30 am

**East End church of Christ** will host Cynthia Northcutt, April 28, at 9 am

## Lessons from Steve

### PERSONAL NOTE

*I am in my office on April 6<sup>th</sup>, when a co-worker approaches me with an envelope someone had dropped off at the drive through window. I was quite surprised as I was not expecting such. The envelope turned out to be a card from a secret pal by the name of "the" Mystery Bunny." However, tucked inside that card was \$250.00! Once I gained consciousness I tried to think of who may have done this. I honestly do not know who the Mystery Bunny is, but I strongly suspect it was someone from Bybee Branch. IF that is the case, whoever you are, thank you very much (and I vote you the greatest secret pal of all time!)*

### TEENAGE BIBLE STUDY

TABS will be hosted by Central this Sunday, April 22<sup>nd</sup>. Services begin at 6:00 pm.

### BIRTHDAY WEDNESDAY!

Join us next Wednesday, April 25<sup>th</sup>, to help celebrate BBYG and PEW PACKER students who have April birthdays. A sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board for volunteers to bring food.

### PARENT'S NIGHT OUT

The Parent's Night Out scheduled for this Friday (4/13) has been moved to the following Friday, April 20<sup>th</sup>, from 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm. The event is for those in 6<sup>th</sup> grade and down. Food will be provided and the BBYG will conduct activities for the kids.

### PARENT'S MEETING

A planning meeting for parents with kids in the 12<sup>TH</sup> GRADE AND DOWN will be Sunday, May 6<sup>th</sup>, immediately following our evening worship service. We are going to discuss the summer activities for 2007. Again, this will be a joint meeting for parents with B.B.Y.G and PEW PACKER age children.

## Sermons Topics

Sunday AM ..... Guest Speaker: Kevin Cleary  
Sunday PM ..... Understanding The Difference

## Bridal Shower

There will be a bridal shower in honor of Kara Beth Nunley, bride-elect of Paul Hurst, on Sunday, April 22, from 1-3 pm at the home of Don & Susie Griffith.

## Mothers' Day Dinner

There will be having a Mothers' Day Dinner here at the church building on Saturday, May 12, at 6:00 pm. All women and young ladies of the congregation are invited to attend. Please sign the sheet on the bulletin board in the foyer that will give more information about the cost and other details.

## Blood Drive

There will be a blood drive for Evelyn Northcutt on April 25<sup>th</sup>, from 1:00 to 6:00 pm at the Caney Fork Building to help raise money for her medical expenses.

## Are You Content to Be A Christian?

Many people are not content. That is why advertisements for get-rich-quick schemes are so attractive to people. Who could really pay someone thousands of dollars a week to just mail envelopes or read books?

Christians must be content. Paul said: "Let your conversation be without covetousness; and be content with such things as ye have: for he hath said, I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee" (Hebrews 13:5). Christians are not to covet material possessions and worldly relationships. We should be content with God's blessings knowing that He will never forsake us.

Jesus said, "No man can serve two masters: (or either he will hate the one, and love the other; or else he will hold to the one, and despise the other. Ye cannot serve God and mammon. Therefore I say unto you, Take no thought for your life, what ye shall eat, or what ye shall drink; nor yet for your body, what ye shall put on. Is not the life more than meat, and the body than raiment? .... But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these

things shall be added unto you. Take therefore no thought for the morrow: for the morrow shall take thought for the things of itself. Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof" (Matthew 6:23-24, 33-34).

If I have faith in God, I'll be content with the things that I have and will not worry about the things that I do not have.

Secondly, I would like to point out that contentment is something that is learned. To the Philippians Paul wrote "Not that I speak in respect of want: for I have learned in whatsoever state I am, therewith to be content" (Philippians 4:11). The apostle Paul had to learn contentment. You and I are no greater than the apostle and we must also learn to be content. Paul also said "I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me" (Philippians 4:13). Paul was content because of His confidence in Jesus Christ to strengthen him to endure every situation he encountered in life. The Lord also strengthens us. And if we place our confidence in the Lord, we will be content knowing that the Lord provides for every necessity.

Let me suggest that Paul's instruction to the Thessalonians reveals the basic secret to happiness and contentment. To Christians Paul wrote "See that none render evil for evil unto any man; but ever follow that which is good, both among yourselves, and to all men. Rejoice evermore. Pray without ceasing. In every thing give thanks: for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus concerning you. Quench not the Spirit. Despise no prophesyings. Prove all things; hold fast that which is good. Abstain from all appearance of evil" (1 Thessalonians 5:15-22).

Think about the type of person that always does what is good. Think about the person who is always seeing the good in every situation and rejoicing. Think about the type of person who is always praying to give thanks to God. Think about the person who always tests things to see if they are good or bad and thus abstains from every form of evil. This person is a Christian who is content because of his faith in the Lord.

Take a minute and think about yourself. Are you content because of total and complete faith in the Lord? Or, are you dissatisfied with your life? Are you content being a Christian?

-Dan Goddard, Garden City church of Christ-