

Sunday Morning Worship

Announcements (668-2180) Ken Martin
 Lead Singing Joe Collins
 First Prayer Bob Bonner
 Reading David King
 Scripture..... I Corinthians 14:23-24
 Lord's Table (N) *Ronnie Prince
 (S)..... *Kurt Maynard
 (N)..... John Nussbaum
 (N)..... Ryan McColloch
 (N)..... Kevin Flatt
 (S)..... Caleb Graves
 (S)..... Dickie Kesey
 (S)..... Kelly Hillis
 Sermon Tony Lawrence
 Dismiss Michael Andrews

Sunday Evening Worship

Announcements (668-2180) Ken Martin
 Lead Singing Joe Collins
 First Prayer Calvin Rogers
 Reading Jeff Rhea
 Scripture..... Acts 19:1-2
 Lord's Table..... *Jeff Flatt
 *Don Griffith
 Sermon Tony Lawrence
 Closing Prayer..... Phillip Brock

Wednesday Bible Study

Announcements Jeff Flatt
 Lead Singing Rickey Hurst
 First Prayer Paul Hurst
 Reading Kelly Thaxton
 Invitation Tony Lawrence
 Dismiss Ricky Prince

Welcome Committee

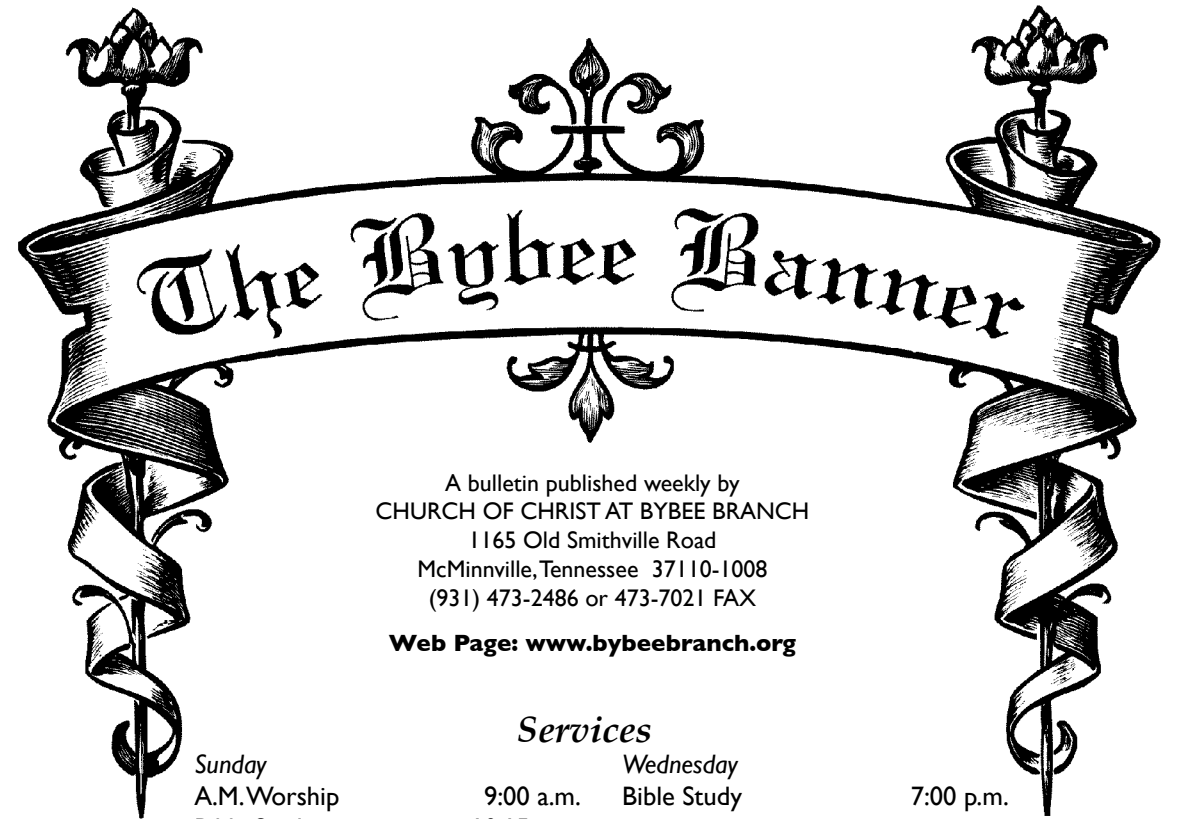
A.M..... Marty & Sharon Boles
 P.M..... Glenda Faye & Myra Bell

Bus Driver:..... Kelly Thaxton (607-9169)

Ushers: Jamie Brock & Paul Hurst
Attend Nursery:..... Elaine Goodman
Lock Building: Kurt Maynard
Prepare Communion: ...Jamie Brock Family
Assist with Baptisms:
 Avie Clemons & Marsha Collins
Pantry Item: Cream of Wheat
Elder Closing Remarks: Rodney Reynolds
Record For The Week...
 A.M. Worship..... 301
 Bible Study 226
 P.M. Worship 202
 Wednesday Bible Study..... 236
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Services

<i>Sunday</i>	A.M. Worship	9:00 a.m.	<i>Wednesday</i>	Bible Study	7:00 p.m.
	Bible Study	10:15 a.m.		<i>Monday (2nd & 4th of each month)</i>	
	P.M. Worship	6:00 p.m.		Monday Morning Bible Class	9:00 a.m.

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Shannon Griffin	Allen Hughes
David Keele	Ken Martin
Kurt Maynard	Willie Newby
Ricky Prince	Jim Slatton
Jeff Templeton	

Missionary

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Sick

At Home:

Michael Andrews
Stephen Felty
Stefanie, Ryan & Haley McColloch
Fuston & Freda Womack
Asa Kell
Debbie Fittro (Rickey Hurst's sister)
Florence Julian (Becky Maynard's mother)
Elaine Hoover
Wayne Jordan (Nancy Roger's brother)
Shirley Nunley
Earline McColloch (David's mother)

In The Hospital:

Vera Settles - San Antonio Hospital

Sympathy

We extend our deepest sympathy to the family of Ken Lee, a long time member at Bybee Branch. He passed away on Monday morning. His funeral will be Thursday at 1 pm at McMinnville Funeral Home.

Sunday's Sermons

A.M..... What Visitors Have A Right To Expect
P.M..... Questions About God: The Holy Spirit



"HURRY UP, WOMAN! WE GOT TO GET TO CHURCH EARLY OR WE WON'T GET A BACK SEAT."

Shut-ins

NHC (P.O Box 528, McMinnville, TN 37111)

Florene Nokes (#106)
Carol Sue Taylor (#212)
Dora Mae Wilcher (#313)

Raintree Manor

Clercie Delon

Life Care Center of Sparta

(508 Mose Dr; Sparta, TN 38583)
Shirlee Young (Helen Morgan's sister)

Windsor Place Nursing & Rehab Center

(81 Windsor Blvd; Columbus, MS 39702)
Helen Lawrence (Tony's mother)

Broadmore Assisted Living at Murfreesboro

(3211 Memorial Blvd; Murfreesboro, TN 37129)
Vivian Ferrell (Room 127)

Home:

Greg Grizzell
Georgia Jones
Willene Kell
Bobbie Mitchell
Debbie Fittro (Rickey Hurst's sister)
Clyde Paris (Nona Martin & Nelma Chilton's brother-in-law)
Perry Woodlee (Nona Martin & Nelma Chilton's brother)
Freda Womack
Bobby Prater (Flossie Warren's brother-in-law)
Joleta Reynolds (Rodney's sister-in-law)
Annie Louise Campbell (mother of Charlene Palmer)
Nonie Grizzell
Elsie Felty (Harry's mother)
Asa Kell
Essie Hillis
Lucille Newby - at her son's, Carl Douglas

Upcoming Youth Events:

Sunday September 6th

- Parent Meeting
- Labor Day Youth Madness (Sign up on youth board)

Friday September 11th

- Pioneer football @ Franklin County (We will take the bus – leaving at 5:30pm)

Tuesday September 15th

- Youth Singing at the Fair (6-7pm)

Wednesday September 16th

- Birthday Wednesday

Sunday September 20th

- Youth Devo

From Tyler's Desk:

Confidence

Earlier this week I heard a song lyric that got me thinking. The lyric was this: "Too young to make a good decision, so frozen in my tracks I stayed."

We're often faced with tough choices. Life throws us opportunities and situations, and we must make decisions. Sometimes our decisions can have huge impacts on our future. As the above song lyric points out, it can sometimes feel like we are "too young" or "too inexperienced" to make the right decision. How can we know what choices to make? How can we keep opportunities from passing us up because of our fear? How can we make good decisions with confidence?

In Isaiah 31, we are given three descriptions of God, each of which can give us confidence in our decisions.

In Isaiah 31:1-3, we are reminded that "He is wise." The politicians at that time *thought* they were wise. Having secured an alliance with the Egyptians, they thought they could trust in the power of their chariots and horsemen. But as verse 1 mentions, they "did not look to the Holy One of Israel or consult the LORD." As a result, their "helper would stumble" and they would fall.

If we are to be confident in our decisions, we

must first seek God's counsel. Is our decision in accordance with God's commands? Are we acting out of selflessness and love? As we consider how our decision should be impacted by God's revealed guidance, we should also stop and pray for wisdom. "If any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask of God, who gives generously to all without reproach, and it will be given him" – James 1:5.

In Isaiah 31:4, God is compared to a lion roaring over his prey. In describing God, the text reads "and when a band of shepherds is called out against him, he is not terrified by their shouting or daunted at their noise." In this description, we are reminded that God is not afraid. Therefore if we live on God's side, we don't have to be afraid either. When we are faced with fear, we can remember, "God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble" – Psalm 46:1.

Finally, in Isaiah 31:5 we read, "Like birds hovering, so the LORD of hosts will protect Jerusalem; he will protect and deliver it; he will spare and rescue it." Picture in your mind a mother bird flying circles around its nest, protecting its young. This is what God has promised to do for His people! He keeps a close eye on us, and has promised to protect, deliver, spare and rescue his people.

God is wise, God is powerful like a lion, and God cares for us. When we consider God's way in making our decisions, we can have nothing to fear.

Sentence Sermons:

The Bible survives the ignorance of its friends and the hatred of its enemies.

Always put yourself in others' shoes. If you feel that it hurts you, it probably hurts the person, too.

A giving church is a living church.

All mothers are working mothers.

Anger opens the mouth and shuts the mind.