## Volume 60, Number 29

# August 6, 2017

## Sunday Morning Worship

Announcements	(668-9186) Aaron Ownbey
Lead Singing	Stanley Graves
First Prayer	Ricky Prince
Reading	Leonard Clemons
Scripture	Acts 13:14-15
Lord's Table (N)	*Michael Andrews
(S)	*Dale Bennett
	Dwight Barrett
(N)	Marty Boles
	Junah Bouldin
(S)	David Chilton
	Kenny Dillard
	Danny Duncan
SermonGood News G	oes to Galatia Tony Lawrence
	Willard Dunlap

## Sunday Evening Worship

Announcements	(668-9186) Aaron Ownbey
Lead Singing	Stanley Graves
First Prayer	Josh Templeton
Reading	Brandon Fuston
Scripture	Mark 9:10
Lord's Table	*Ryan McColloch
	*Jeff McVey
	uestions & Answers Tony Lawrence
Dismiss	Ken Martin

## **Wednesday Bible Study**

Announcements	David Keele
Lead Singing	Jared Mullican
First Prayer	Bobby Ashford
Reading	Tim Gann
Invitation	Tony Lawrence
Dismiss	Mike Mullins

## **Welcome Committee**

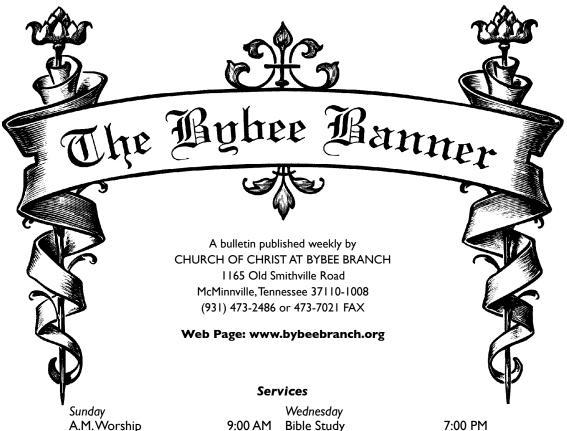
A.M	Herb & Thelma Rowland
P.M	Jean Ware & Pat Gauger

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

Ushers:Tommy Crouch, Darron Dixon, Herb Rowland Attend Nursery:		
Elder Closing Remarks:Stanley Graves		
Record For The Week		
A.M. Worship301		
Bible Study231		
P.M. Worship278		
Wednesday Bible Study204		
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**BYBEE BRANCH** 



### P.M. Worship

9:00 AM 10:15 AM 6:00 PM

Bible Study

7:00 PM

Monday (2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> of each month)
Monday Morning Bible Class 9:00 AM

#### **Elders**

Leonard Clemons	473-4186
Stanley Graves	473-6418
Don Griffith	668-9006
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Bible Study

## Deacons

Jamie Brock Joe Collins Shannon Griffin Jeff Flatt Rickey Hurst Allen Hughes David Keele Ken Martin Gordon Mayfield Kurt Maynard leff McVey Bruce Pryor lim Slatton

#### Ministers

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## Sick

#### At Home:

Sarah Kell Frankie Hobbs (no visitors please) Kirstie Dixon following outpatient surgery Doris Settles (Zollie's sister-in-law) Judy Nussbaum - following surgery Robert Elam Nell Kiefer (Jean Ware's sister)

### In The Hospital:

Paul Davis - Parthenon Pavilion Wanda Carter - NHC #125

# Sympathy

We extend our deepest sympathy to the family of brother David Bouldin, long time member at Bybee Branch. His funeral was this past Saturday.

We also extend our sympathy to the family of Reese Tate, uncle of our Harry Felty. Services are Wednesday in Lenoir City, TN.

# **Gospel Meetings**

**Bonner church of Christ**, August 6-9 services at 7 pm with Stan Stevenson.

**Unity church of Christ**, August 6-9 services at 7 pm with Johnny Fox.

**New Hope church of Christ**, August 6-9 services at 7 pm with loe Wells.

## Elder, Deacon, Preacher Seminar

**East Main church of Christ**, August 5, 8 AM – I PM. Speakers; Glenn Colley, Alan Highers, and Tom Holland.

# **Ladies Day**

**Gassaway church of Christ**, August 5, 9-11AM Theme: One Word. Speaker: Amanda Key.

"This is the day the LORD has made; We will rejoice and be glad in it."

(Psalms 118:24)

## **Shut-ins**

#### Raintree Manor

(415 Pace St., McMinnville, TN 37110)
Clayton Cook (Larry & Roger's brother) #200
Gordon Fults #101
Shirley Keith #308
Clara Roller #104
Gary Ward #118

#### NHC

(P.O Box 528, McMinnville, TN 37111)
Winfrey Hennessee #412
Willene Kell #311
Wanda Carter #125

### **Prestige Assisted Living**

(110 River Rd W, Loudon, TN 37774) Dennis Eller

#### Home:

Bill Ashford (Bobby's brother)
Bill Brown
Wilma Chisam (at her sons's home)
Dennis Gann
Greg Grizzell
Joan Hillis
Daisy Maxwell
Kathy Neale (Chris's mother)
Morris Newby (Willie's father)
Willus & Edith Roberts
Doris Settles (Zollie's sister-in-law)

## **Sermons online**

to be shared!

Every sermon preached at Bybee Branch is recorded and then posted at the church website: <a href="http://bybeebranch.org/sermons/sermons.html">http://bybeebranch.org/sermons/sermons.html</a>. If you wish you can listen to them there, download them to your computer, mp3 player or other device. Why not let your friends know? The recent Summer Series was so good it needs

## **Youth News**

Do you remember the first time that you attended services here? Were you nervous? Were your palms sweaty? Did you know what to say when someone approached you? Were you panicking, thinking is my tie straight or is my makeup just right? As people begin to approach you, could you feel your heart start beating out of your chest with fear and anxiety? Start wondering, do they shake hands or are they a person that likes to hug. All of these things went through our head's the first time we came here. It was my first time speaking in front of such a large crowd. My first time "trying out" if you will. My first time meeting many of you. What a huge relief it was when it was over. But then there is always the should've/shouldn't have scenarios playing out in your head. I should have said this in my sermon. I should not have said that in the meeting, now they will think I am an uneducated fool. Our first few times here, we were nervous and did not know what to expect. But everyone made us feel welcome and made us feel at home very quickly. When we left with the ten pound goody basket full of fruit, candy, snack cakes, and whatever else Jacob ate before we realized it, definitely made us feel welcomed. Thank you so much for treating us like family since day one. I know many have went out of their way to help us and my limited vocabulary can not express our gratitude enough. The outpouring love that each of you have shown us, reminds us about the love of Christ. John 3:16 and Jude 21 and I John 4:21. Each one of you are exemplifying this by your actions and your words. Each one of you are encouraging us daily and we thank you for that. We are blessed to be here and are grateful for this opportunity. We look forward to getting to know you all better and working together to serve God.

## **Upcoming Events:**

August 13 - Pew Packers at 5pm.

August 16 - HEY

August 27 - Home Devotional at??? TBD

September 3 - Labor Day Youth Madness.

September 16 - TBH (To Be Honest) youth day is at the New Hope church of Christ in Readyville, Tennessee. It is from 8am to 4pm.

There is a sign up sheet on the bulletin board. Please sign up if you plan on attending.

September 17-21 - Youth Gospel meeting at Mt.Leo. Justin Griffin is our speaker this year and I am sure some of our young men will be leading singing and offering prayers during the Gospel meeting.

September 22-24 - Erupt Youth Rally is almost here. It is \$35.00 and There is a sign up sheet on the bulletin board. Please sign up if you plan on attending..http://eruptyouthrally.com

# The Rock Higher Than I

David said, "From the end of the earth I will cry to You, When my heart is overwhelmed; Lead me to the rock that is higher than I." (Ps. 61:2).

David was often in situations that overwhelmed him. He was hotly pursued by Saul seeking his life. He faced rebellion in his son Absalom and fled for his life. David also suffered greatly from the guilt of his sin with Bathsheba. One need only to read the Psalms to see the heart of this king who was a "man after God's own heart."

Yet, David knew there was One to whom he could go for solace in times of life's storms. He spoke of a "rock that is higher than I." But who or what is the Rock of which speaks? Frequently a person who has experienced a number of physical challenges in life will say of their husband, wife, son, daughter or some other close person, "they have been my rock." In describing such a person they are saying that they have always been there for them. They are one upon whom they have depended. For David (and us) this Rock is the Lord. Later in this chapter David will say, "In God is my salvation and my glory; The rock of my strength, And my refuge, is in God." (Ps. 62:7). And in another Psalm, "Oh come, let us sing to the LORD! Let us shout joyfully to the Rock of our salvation." (Ps. 95:1). Paul identified the Rock that traveled with the Israelites as Christ (ICor. 10:4).

Jesus is the Rock higher than I. In times when you are overwhelmed, go to Him!

~ Tony Lawrence ~