

Sunday Morning Worship

Announcements(668-8242) Michael Andrews
 Lead Singing.....Leonard Clemons
 First PrayerRodney Reynolds
 Reading.....Farris Young
 Scripture.....TBA
 Lord's Table (N).....*Randall Gann
 (S).....*Allen Hughes
 (N).....Mitchell Ferrell
 (N).....Caleb Graves
 (N).....Stanley Graves
 (S).....Jacob Griffin
 (S).....Ryan McColloch
 (S).....Rickey Hurst
 Sermon.....John Deberry
 Dismiss.....Larry Cook

Sunday Evening Worship

Announcements(668-8242) Michael Andrews
 Lead Singing.....Leonard Clemons
 First PrayerRandy Griffith
 Reading.....Chris Neale
 Scripture.....TBA
 Lord's Table*Ronnie Prince
*Bruce Pryor
 Sermon.....John Deberry
 DismissEthan Duncan

Wednesday Bible Study

AnnouncementsRandy Griffith
 Lead Singing.....David Keele
 First PrayerJoe Collins
 Reading.....Robert Elam
 InvitationDon Sullivan
 Dismiss.....Micah Lawrence

Welcome Committee

A.M.....Chris Snow Family
 P.M.Don & Judy Sullivan

Transportation:.....Paul Hurst (668-7088)

If you cannot serve, please contact David Keele (273-5566)

Ushers:Clent Kesey, Tommy Crouch, Stan Hillis
 Attend Nursery:.....TBA
 Un/Lock Building:.....Brandon Fuston/Clent Kesey
 Prepare Communion:McColloch's
 Assist Baptisms: Judy Sullivan & Monica Rowland

Pantry Item:Vegetable Soup

Elder Closing Remarks:Leonard Clemons

Record For The Week...

A.M. Worship286
 Bible Study.....226
 P.M. Worship.....223
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 Contribution\$6,454

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Services

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

Shepherds

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Jamie Brock	Joe Collins
Jeff Flatt	Randall Gann
Shannon Griffin	Rickey Hurst
David Keele	Ken Martin
Kurt Maynard	Gordon Mayfield
David McColloch	Jeff McVey
Bruce Pryor	Herb Rowland

Preacher

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Hispanic Preacher

Robert Garibaldi	409-7328
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Sick

At Home:

Zollie Settles
Marsha Dunlap

In The Hospital:

Shirley Brock (Jamie's mother) - St. Thomas West
Ronnie Reynolds (Rodney's brother) - St. Thomas
Rutherford
Don Blackwell (Director of GBN) - Shepherd
Center - Atlanta
Jaxson Chalfont (cousin to Barbara Lorange)

Shut-in:

Raintree Manor

(415 Pace St., McMinnville, TN 37110)
Clayton Cook (Larry's brother) #200

NHC

(P.O. Box 528, McMinnville, TN 37111)
Willene Kell #311
Wilma Chisam #309

Quality Center for Rehabilitation and Healing

(932 E. Baddour Pky, Lebanon, TN 37087)
Dennis Eller

McMinnville Boarding Home

Joan Hillis

Home:

Dennis Gann
Greg Grizzell
Daisy Maxwell
Kathy Neale (Chris's mother)
Maxine Pittman (Mary Ashford's sister)
Barbara Pryor (Bruce's mother)
Willus & Edith Roberts

Sunday Morning Classes

All classes 5th grade and up are asked to meet in the auditorium this Sunday for Bible Class.

Monday Morning Bible Class

This coming Monday - June 10, at 9 am

Youth News

- Birthday Wednesday—June 26
- Game Night—June 29
- Youth Led P.M. Services—June 30
- Home Devo @ Kesey's—June 30

Sympathy

We extend our deepest sympathy to the family of Ollis Ray Martin (father of our Stephanie Maynard). Visitation will be Wednesday from 3-8 pm and Thursday from 10-2 pm with the funeral at 2 pm at McMinnville Funeral Home.

We also extend our deepest sympathy to the family of Donald Hitchcock (uncle of our Judy Sullivan). His funeral is this morning (Tuesday) at Layne Funeral Home in Spencer.

Diana Singing

The Diana Singing will be celebrating its 50th year this June 14 & 15, 7:30pm.

Vacation Bible Schools

Morrison church of Christ, June 9-12, Services at 7 pm.

Hebron church of Christ, June 9-12, Services at 7 pm. Theme: Marooned.

Gospel Meetings

Rockliff church of Christ, June 9-12, Services each night at 7 pm with Jim Dearman preaching.

Grange Hall church of Christ, June 9-12, Services each night at 7 pm with Bill Cantrell preaching.

West Sparta church of Christ, June 16-19, Services each night at 7 pm with Chad Ramsey preaching.

Ladies Day

Corinth church of Christ, June 8, Registration begins at 9 am. Speaker will be Sue Darby. Topic: My Sister's Keeper. Lunch will be provided.

Beware of "Cotton Candy"

I remember the very first time I ever saw cotton candy. When I was very young the highlight of every year was the county fair in Huntsville, Alabama. Today, when there is Disney World, Universal Studios and "Six Flags Over Everywhere," it is hard for anyone to imagine just how special those "scary" rides were at the fair and how much I loved cotton candy!

I do not remember how old I was, but I vividly remember that stand which sold this new, amazingly sweet treat. I did not know that cotton candy had been introduced to the world at the 1904 World Fair in St. Louis and was called Fairy Floss. (No, I was not at that fair—not that old). At that fair, more than 68,000 boxes were sold for the equivalent of six dollars in today's money. I do know how much I loved it.

My impressions of it? (1) It was so fascinating and attractive. (2) Everyone was talking about how good it was. (3) At first taste, it was so sweet, but then it disappeared in my mouth. (I did not know it was mostly air mixed with two tablespoons of sugar). (4) It promised so much and gave such instant gratification that I wanted more and more.

Now think of the many parallels between my impression of cotton candy and the nature of sin. Sometimes great lessons come from the simplest sources.

SIN AND COTTON CANDY ARE SO FASCINATING AND ATTRACTIVE. Think about the fruit in the first garden. Think of David's view of Bathsheba from his rooftop. We so often sin when our hearts lust for what we see (Jas. 1:14). However, there is far more to sin when we look at the larger picture.

SIN AND COTTON CANDY ARE ENJOYED BY SO MANY. That expensive cost of the floss in St. Louis did not keep individuals from buying it. So many thought that, if others found it so "rewarding," they just had to try it, regardless of the cost. There are many on that broad way toward destruction (Matt. 7:13-14). There is that Divine instruction about following the multitude (Ex. 23:2).

SIN AND COTTON CANDY BOTH PROMISE SO MUCH AND DELIVER SO LITTLE. There is almost no nutritional value to cotton candy—it is nothing but air. Sin properly understood is in reality nothing but "fluff" that brings eternal destruction. When sin is finished it brings death and bondage (Jas. 1:15; 2 Pet. 2:20).

SIN AND COTTON CANDY BOTH CREATE A LONGING TO HAVE MORE AND MORE. Every sin can become an addiction which brings us into bondage and is so addictive. Sin seems to satisfy but only for such a short time. The real choices are instant gratification or eternal reward.

Isn't it strange how often great spiritual or eternal truths come from such simple sources!

~ Dan Jenkins ~

Summer Series

Our Summer Series continues this coming Sunday evening with brother John Deberry. Brother Deberry is a gospel preacher with the Coleman Ave. church of Christ. He graduated from Freed-Hardeman University and the University of Memphis. He serves in the Tennessee House of Representatives for the 90 district in Shelby County. He is a powerful gospel preacher. Be sure to invite your friends to hear him preach on "Violence in America" on Sunday morning.

