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June 15, 2025

Sunday Morning Worship		
Announcements	Mike Mullins	
Lead Singing	Paul Hurst	
First Prayer	Allen Hughes	
Reading	Chris Snow	
Scripture	John 3:1-2	
Lord's Table	Barry Mayes	
Sermon	Derrick Stiles	
Dismiss	Bruce Pryor	

# Sunday Evening Worship

Announcements	Mike Mullins
Lead Singing	Paul Hurst
	Kurt Maynard
Reading	Kane Newby
	Lincoln Sain
	Norman Sain
Sermon	Cliff Goodwin
Dismiss	Paul Hurst

## Wednesday Bible Study

Announcements	Dale Bennett
Lead Singing	Jarrod Mullican
First Prayer	Joe Collins
Reading	Tucker Gann
Invitation	
Dismiss	Mike Mullins

#### Record for the Week...

A.M. Worship	185
Bible Study	133
P.M. Worship	
Wednesday Bible Study	80
Contribution	\$5389

#### **Welcome Committee**

Temporarily suspended

If you can not serve, please contact Mike Mullins (931) 743-8093

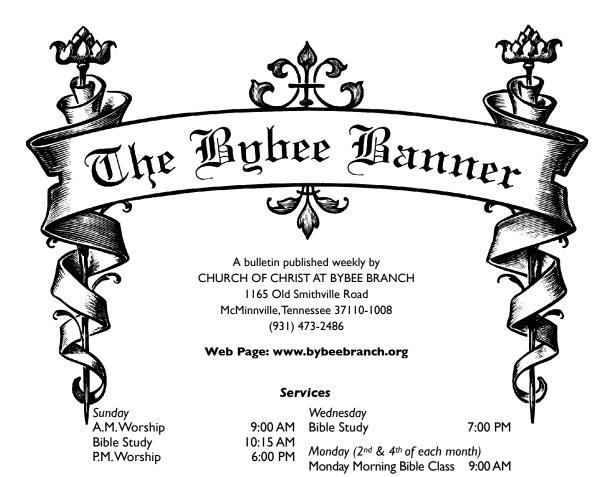
Ushers:Joe Maynard, Kur	t Maynard, Rodney Maynard
Un/Lock Building:Leonar	d Clemons/Kurt Maynard
Assist Baptisms:	Kara Hurst
Pantry Item:	Vienna Sausage
Check Pantry:	Denice Rhea
Check Kitchen:	Cynthia Duncan
Check Workroom:	Marsha Collins
Video	Tommy Turner
Elder Closing Remarks	Stanley Graves

#### **Van Driver**

Sunday AM & PM	Caleb Graves
Wednesday PM	Allen Hughes

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### Radio Program

Each Sunday at 1:00 PM on WBMC 960 AM and 97.7 FM.

#### TV Program

Each Sunday at 11:00 AM on BLTV Channel 6

Shepherds		Deacons	
Leonard Clemons	473-4186	Joe Collins	Jeff Flatt
Stanley Graves	205-8139	Brandon Fuston	Tim Gann
Allen Hughes	668-8936	Caleb Graves	Paul Hurst
email	elders@bybeebranch.org	Rickey Hurst	Clent Kesey
		Barry Mayes	Kurt Maynard
		David McColloch	Jared Mullican
		Mike Mullins	Cory Prince
Preachers		Bruce Pryor	Herb Rowland
Derrick Stiles (Pread	thing) 743-295 I	Josue Castorena (Hispanic)	580-2477
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#### Sick

#### At Home:

Mannie Newby (Willie's brother)

#### Hospital:

Glenda Ferrell - St Thomas West Nashville Goodie Webb (Susan Pryor's aunt) - NHC Daniel Schilinger - St.Thomas Rutherford Rm 73 I

#### **Surgeries:**

Thelma Roland surgery on Thursday June 12

# **Upcoming Area Events**

Arlington church of Christ will host their Thursday Night Summer Series. Tony Lawrence will be speaking on June 12. Series to continue each Thursday night in June.

Spencer church of Christ will host a Gospel Meeting on June 15-19 with Joe Rhodes speaking.

Morrison church of Christ will host their VBS on June 15-18.

East End church of Christ will host their VBS on June 21. Time 9am - Ipm with snack and lunch provided.

Oak Grove church of Christ, Walling, will host a Gospel Meeting June 22-25 with Alan Northcutt speaking.

Leoni church of Christ will host their VBS on June 22-25.

West Sparta church of Christ will host their VBS on July 7-10.

# **Stiles Family Welcome**

The work of the Stiles family began at Bybee Branch on June I. Welcome Derrick, Heather and Joseph!

There will be a fellowship to welcome Derrick, Heather and Joseph on Sunday, June 22, following the morning services. Fried chicken will be provided. A sign-up sheet will be on the bulletin board to bring vegetables and desserts.

#### Vacation Bible School

Vacation Bible School is rapidly coming on July 14-16 with the theme Great Characters of the Old Testament. A planning meeting has taken place and preparation is in motion. Anyone who is willing to teach or assist can still volunteer. See Brandon Fuston or Derrick Stiles.

### **Summer Series: Cliff Goodwin**

This Sunday evening is the Third night of our Summer Series with the theme: "Rightly Dividing The Word of Truth." The third lesson will be by brother Cliff Goodwin on "Interpreting Parables." Brother Goodwin is currently preaching for the Ironaton church of Christ in Talladega, Al.

#### **Shut-In At Home**

Irma Castorena (Josue's mother)
Maxine Pittman (Mary Ashford's sister)
Lottie Ward (Judy Sullivan's mother)
W.C. & Nelma Chilton
Corretta Lawrence
Janice Foster
Daisy Maxwell
Greg Grizzell
Howard Witty
Ronnie Hamilton
Sarah Kell

### **NHC**

Glenda Ferrell

(928 Old Smithville Rd McMinnville, TN 37110)
Serese Brock #307
Morris Griffith #301
Jean Henderson (Cindy Fisher's mother) #412
Cathy Hennessee #408
Helen Morgan #200

### **Brookdale Retirement Center**

(910 Murfreesboro Rd, Franklin, TN 37064)

Phyllis Brasher (Mary Flatt's mother)

### **Riverview Terrace**

(114 Highland Drive McMinnville,TN 37110)

Anna Jean Bond #B4

#### A New Beginning

Grace and peace to you from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. I write to you today with a heart full of gratitude, humility, and hope. As I begin this new chapter as your minister, I am both honored and humbled by the opportunity to serve alongside you in this congregation.

Transitions often come with a mix of emotions—excitement for what's ahead, sorrow for what's been left behind, and anticipation of all that God has in store. My family and I have felt your warm welcome already, and we are thankful for the love and kindness you have shown us. We are eager to build relationships, hear your stories, and walk with you as fellow disciples of Jesus Christ.

The Scriptures remind us in Philippians 1:6 that "He who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus." I believe that the Lord is already at work here in mighty ways, and I am excited to join you in that work. Together, we will seek to be faithful to the Gospel, to love one another deeply, and to serve our community.

As we move forward together, I want you to know that I come not as one with all the answers, but as a fellow learner, listener, and servant. My desire is to lead by example, with humility and compassion, grounded in the truth of God's Word. I believe in the power of prayer and the importance of walking in unity, Ephesians 4. In all things, I want us to be a church that reflects the character of Christ to a watching world.

Over the coming weeks and months, I hope to hear your thoughts for this congregation moving forward. What burdens are on your heart for this community, for the next generation, for the hurting and the lost? Your voices matter. Your experiences matter. Together, we are the body of Christ, each part uniquely made for His purpose, Ephesians 2:10.

Let us be a praying people, a worshiping people, and a people who love well. Let us open the Word of God with reverence, and our hearts with expectation. I believe God is preparing us for something beautiful—not because of who we are, but because of who He is.

Thank you for the privilege of serving as your minister. I look forward to what God will do through us. May this be a season of deep spiritual growth, renewed vision, and overflowing joy.

In Christ's love.

**Derrick Stiles** 

"You therefore, my son, be strong in the grace that is in Christ Jesus. And the things that you have heard from me among many witnesses, commit these to faithful men who will be able to teach others also."

2 Timothy 2:1-2