

**Sunday Morning Worship**

Announcements .....Willie Newby  
Lead Singing .....Paul Hurst  
First Prayer .....Kurt Maynard  
Reading .....Kane Newby  
Scripture .....John 5:12-17  
Lord's Table .....Ray Weddington  
Sermon .....Derrick Stiles  
Dismiss .....Joe Collins

**Sunday Evening Worship**

Announcements .....Willie Newby  
Lead Singing .....Paul Hurst  
First Prayer .....Joe Collins  
Reading .....Tucker Gann  
Scripture .....Hebrews 4:11-13  
Lord's Table .....Tommy Turner  
.....Nate Turner  
Sermon .....Jonathan Hagar  
Dismiss .....Cory Prince

**Wednesday Bible Study**

Announcements .....Jeff Flatt  
Lead Singing .....Jared Mullican  
First Prayer .....Rickey Hurst  
Reading .....David McColloch  
Invitation .....Derrick Stiles  
Dismiss .....Jacob Graves

**Record for the Week...**

A.M. Worship .....165  
Bible Study .....131  
P.M. Worship .....130  
Wednesday Bible Study .....82  
Contribution .....\$5216

**Welcome Committee**

Temporarily suspended

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

Ushers: .....Dale Bennett, Herb Rowland  
Un/Lock Building: .....Stanley Graves, Chris Snow  
Assist Baptisms: .....Jane Flatt  
Pantry Item: .....Chicken Noodle Soup  
Check Pantry: .....Stephanie McColloch  
Check Kitchen: .....Marsha Collins  
Check Workroom: .....Kara Fuston  
Video .....Caleb Graves  
Elder Closing Remarks .....Stanley Graves

**Van Driver**

Sunday AM & PM .....Jared Mullican  
Wednesday PM .....Stan Hillis

**CHURCH OF CHRIST AT BYBEE BRANCH**  
1165 Old Smithville Road  
McMinnville, Tennessee 37110-1008  
[RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED]

**PLACE  
STAMP  
HERE**



A bulletin published weekly by  
CHURCH OF CHRIST AT BYBEE BRANCH  
1165 Old Smithville Road  
McMinnville, Tennessee 37110-1008  
(931) 473-2486

**Web Page:** [www.bybeebranch.org](http://www.bybeebranch.org)

**Services**

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

**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**

Leonard Clemons 473-4186  
Stanley Graves 205-8139  
Allen Hughes 668-8936  
email [elders@bybeebranch.org](mailto:elders@bybeebranch.org)

**Preachers**

Derrick Stiles (Preaching) 743-2951  
email [derrick@bybeebranch.org](mailto:derrick@bybeebranch.org)

**Deacons**

Joe Collins	Jeff Flatt
Brandon Fuston	Tim Gann
Caleb Graves	Paul Hurst
Rickey Hurst	Clent Kesey
Barry Mayes	Kurt Maynard
David McColloch	Jared Mullican
Mike Mullins	Cory Prince
Bruce Pryor	Herb Rowland

Josue Castorena (Hispanic) 580-2477

Sick

At Home:

Maggie Hurst  
Lottie Ward  
Glenda Ferrell  
Daniel Schilinger  
Susan Pryor  
Corretta Lawrence

Elders-Deacons Meeting

The quarterly Elders-Deacons Meeting will be this coming Sunday evening, July 27, at 5 PM.

General Business Meeting

The quarterly men's General Business Meeting will be this Sunday, July 27, following services.

Upcoming Area Events

Rock Island church of Christ will host a Gospel Meeting on July 20-23. Guest Speaker Carey Terry.

Arlington church of Christ will host their VBS on July 20-23.

Ivy Bluff church of Christ will host a Gospel Meeting on July 20-24. Guest Speaker Ben Bailey.

Jericho church of Christ will host a Gospel Meeting on July 27-30. Different guest Speaker each night.

Bethlehem church of Christ will host a VBS on July 27-31.

Browntown church of Christ will host a ladies day on August 9th. Guest Speaker Gina Alexander Greenlee.

Findlay church of Christ will host a Christian Conference on August 8-10. Derrick Stiles to speak at the 10am session on Saturday morning.

Unity church of Christ will host a Gospel Meeting on August 10-13. Guest Speaker Robby Eversole, Sr.

East End church of Christ will host a Summer Series each Sunday night from July 6th through August 17. Theme: 'Armor of God.'

Youth Home Devo.

There will be a Youth home devotion night on August 3rd. Location and needs for this event will be announced in the next bulletin. Mark your calendars in preparation for this good work!

Success at VBS!

Thank you to everyone who made VBS a huge success. Work behind the scenes included: decoration of fellowship hall, decorating rooms for skits and volunteers putting these skits together, last, all those who attended for spiritual growth and edification. We want to say thank you to everyone who helped in any capacity!

Summer Series: Jonathan Hagar

This Sunday evening is the eighth night of our Summer Series with the theme: "Rightly Dividing The Word of Truth." The eighth lesson will be presented by brother Jonathan Hagar on 'The Value of Word Study.' Brother Hagar comes to us from Aberdeen church of Christ in Aberdeen, Ms.

"Do you see that faith was working together with his works, and by works faith was made perfect And the Scripture was fulfilled which says, "Abraham believed God, and it was accounted to him for righteousness." And he was called the friend of God. You see then that a man is justified by works, and not by faith only"

James 2:22-24

What Makes a Successful Church?

The answer to that question depends on whom you ask. Most people think a successful church is measured in large numbers, big budgets, programs that meet their needs, and state-of-the-art facilities.

However, none of those "standards" are proof of success. In fact, each one of those standards could just as well be present in a dead church. Do you remember the church at Sardis (Revelation 3:1-6)? This was a church that had a good reputation and was alive and well in the eyes of the community, but in the eyes of God, they were dead (Revelation 3:1).

Apparently, God doesn't see as we see (Isaiah 55:8-9), and he doesn't measure success in the same way that we measure success. While there is nothing wrong with numbers, programs, big budgets, and large facilities, a church can be successful in the eyes of God without possessing a single one of these qualities.

What, then, is the measure of a successful church?

- Christians who humbly try to live out the Lordship of Jesus in their lives daily.
- Christians who love the truth supremely, who will not allow their own personal desires or situations to skew their perception of God's revelation.
- Christians who are committed to moral living and are more concerned with godliness than fitting in with society.
- Christians who love peace more than they do a fight and who love the calmness of unity more than the rhetoric of a fuss.
- Christians who support the weak, restore the fallen, and reaffirm their love and commitment to those who have stumbled.

Now, these characteristics would make a successful church! And note: It's not about size, big budgets, programs, or facilities. Rather, it's about inward transformation and spirituality. And here's the best news of all: we don't have to have large numbers, multimillion-dollar budgets, or state-of-the-art facilities. The qualities that bring success and constitute greatness in God's eyes are qualities that are within our reach.

Steve Higginbotham



The Plan of Salvation = God's Plan of Salvation

GOD'S PART

The great love of God for man (John 3:16)  
He gave His Son, Jesus Christ, as the Savior (Luke 19:10)  
Sent the Holy Spirit as a guide (John 16:13)  
Gave the Gospel as "the power" unto salvation (Romans 1:16)  
Provided atonement by the blood of Christ (Romans 5:9)

MAN'S PART

Hear the Gospel. (Romans 10:17, John 8:32)  
Believe the Gospel (Hebrews 11:6, John 20:31)  
Repent of past sins (Luke 13:3, Acts 17:30)  
Confess faith in Jesus Christ (Romans 10:10, Matthew 10:32)  
Be Baptized (Galatians 3:27, Mark 16:16, Acts 2:38)  
Live faithful unto death (Revelation 2:10)

God has done His part; will you do yours?