

Sunday Morning Worship

AnnouncementsLarry Flatt
Lead SingingCaleb Graves
First PrayerTim Gann
ReadingCory Prince
ScriptureMatthew 28:6-10
Lord's TableWillie Newby
SermonDerrick Stiles
DismissBobby Ashford

Sunday Evening Worship

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Lead SingingCaleb Graves
First PrayerJacob Graves
ReadingMarty Boles
ScriptureJames 1:2-6
Lord's TableBrandon Fuston
.....Joseph Stiles
SermonDerrick Stiles
DismissKelly Thaxton

Wednesday Bible Study

AnnouncementsJoe Collins
Lead SingingLincoln Sain
First PrayerJarod Mullican
ReadingKurt Maynard
InvitationDerrick Stiles
DismissKane Maynard

Record for the Week...

A.M. Worship165
Bible Study132
P.M. Worship111
Wednesday Bible Study108
Contribution\$4658

Welcome Committee

Temporarily suspended

*If you can not serve, please contact
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Check Kitchen:.....Mary Flatt
Check Workroom:Rebecca Mullican
Video.....Jeff Flatt
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Sunday AM & PMPaul Hurst
Wednesday PMJeff Flatt

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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 nd & 4 th 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

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At Home:

Mary Ashford
Stanley Clendenon
Judy Cook
Joe Collins
Maggie Hurst

At Hospital:

Mike York - Vanderbilt Burn Center Nashville

Upcoming Area Events

Hiawasse church of Christ will host an area wide singing on August 30.

Leoni church of Christ will host a Ladies Day on September 6. Guest Speaker Debbie Kea.

Lumley Stand church of Christ in Manchester, Tn. will host a Gospel Meeting on September 7-10. Guest Speaker Ben Bailey.

Browntown church of Christ will host a Gospel Meeting on September 7-12. Guest Speaker Chris Whitaker.

Oakwood Street church of Christ will host a Ladies Day on September 13.

East End church of Christ will host a Ladies Day on September 20. Guest Speaker Miranda Strong.

Gnat Hill church of Christ in Manchester, Tn. will host a Gospel Meeting on September 21-24. Guest Speaker Ralph Gilmore.

Biblical Studies in the Fall

West Riverside church of Christ will host The Middle Tennessee School of Preaching and Biblical Studies on Thursday August 28 and continue each Thursday night through November 20. Lessons each Thursday at 6 & 7pm on the subject of 'Who was James?' Refreshments will be served. See bulletin board for more details.

Bible Bowl Meeting

Sunday August 10th the churches of Christ in Warren County met to discuss plans for the upcoming Bible Bowl season. It was decided, this year the kids will be studying and tested over 1 Corinthians. Parents please be encouraging your kids to participate in this great work.

H.E.Y. Helping Edify Youth

Beginning September 21, 2025 at Smartt church of Christ, and running through May 3, 2026. Each third Sunday night of the month the H.E.Y. program will be hosted by various congregations in the community. More information to come and will be posted on the bulletin board.

Welcome!

This past Sunday Morning, August 17th, Chris & Shelby Rambo asked that their membership be recognized with the church of Christ at Bybee Branch. We want to welcome this family to Bybee Branch and look forward to working together with them to further the work of the Kingdom.

DIRECTORY COMPLETE!

This past Sunday evening August 17th was our final night for directory photos and information changes. If you did not have the opportunity to sign up to have your photo update we encourage you, to reach out to Derrick Stiles about setting up a more convenient time and look over the information provided in the directory, and make the changes necessary.

Ladies Day!!!

Just over a month away! The ladies of Bybee Branch will be hosting the annual ladies day here at the building. Mark your calendars for September 27. Our guest speaker will be Melissa Brock with the theme "Keys To Our Heavenly Home." More information will be provided in the coming weeks.

John 1:1-2

"In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was in the beginning with God"

IT JUST WASN'T CONVENIENT, BUT WE WENT ANYWAY!

I remember as a young lad, attending church wasn't nearly as convenient as it is now. I remember most of the time we would hitch the mules to the farm wagon and make the 2 mile trip to the meeting house. It didn't matter how cold, hot, or wet it might be – we had an appointment to keep. There were no paved roads – just mud. There were no modern conveniences such as indoor plumbing, electric lights, air conditioning, or electric heat. There were two small buildings, one was marked "Women" the other "Men" and they were outside, one on either side of the church building. They really did stink too!

The windows would be up in the dog days of summer and the insects must have loved the preaching because the building would be full of them. There were no padded pews, no nursery for crying babies, and no water fountain to entice kids to run in and out. Children were not allowed to get up and down and disturb the worshipers. Revival meetings lasted for 2 weeks, sometimes 3, and the preacher dare not quit before 2 hours of "Explaining the way of the Lord more perfectly" to us!

That really kept us away, Right? Wrong, because the people came. We walked. We drove cars. We borrowed rides. We drove mules and wagons. It was not an inconvenience for us to make the effort to be there. Obviously, we did not come because of those inconveniences, but neither did they keep us away.

Today we have nice buildings, padded pews, electric lighting, central heat and air, carpeted floors, well furnished nurseries, cold water fountains, indoor plumbing, and sermons that dare not go beyond about 30 minutes. Even our transportation is heated and cooled. All of these things have increased interest and attendance, right? Wrong again!

I like conveniences as well as the next fellow but we do not go to worship because of them nor do we stay away because of a lack thereof! Instead, we assemble because of an intense love, devotion, and appreciation to the Lord who loved us and saved us by His blood. And when we are willfully absent it is because of a lack of these same attributes of love, devotion, and appreciation. The answer is not more gadgets and gimmicks but in lifting up the Lord. When men appreciate what Christ has done for them at Calvary, convenience is the last thing on their minds!

Robby Eversole

Do I Have a Passion for Christ?

They say for one to have passion,
They must have fervent desire for one thing.
As disciples of Jesus, we follow Him,
The servants of Christ we sing.

But do our actions deceive us?
Our passion is quickly drawn away.
To follow our own selfish desires,
And soon from the Savior we stray.

We claim to love the Redeemer,
And do His blessed command.
As long as it doesn't disrupt,
The things we want to do and have planned!

So let us renew our vigor,
Fall down and repent of our sins.
We must get fired up for Jesus,
As the song says, "Revive us again!"