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**The Year of  
LOVE**

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## Bring Holiness to Completion

Since we have these promises, beloved, let us cleanse ourselves from every defilement of body and spirit, bringing holiness to completion in the fear of God. (2 Corinthians 7:1 ESV)

God's promises are a powerful incentive for purity. When you trust God at the core of your being, you hunger for holiness. You long to rid yourself of anything that defiles your body or debases your spirit. The objective is to bring holiness to completion. A little holiness simply will not do. Half-heartedness is not pleasing to God or satisfying to you. The secret to consummate holiness is wholeheartedness. Sin fragments the heart. It comes at the expense of your integrity and destiny. Holiness aligns your heart, mind, and will in pursuit of life's supreme goal: glorifying God (1 Corinthians 10.31b). The more you stand in awe of God, the holier you will be. The less you revere God, the worldlier you will be. Holiness is a measure of your faith in God and fear of God. When your actions match your intentions, you complete holiness. Nothing evidences sincere devotion to Christ like a faithful and fruitful life. – AJ



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*Well done good and faithful servant.*

**AM & Class- Holiness and the Home: Family Relationships**  
(Colossians 3:18-21) - Clint Oppermann

**PM - Holiness and the Home: Millennial's** (Ezekiel 33:30-32)  
Will Harrub

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## PRAYER LIST

**Jim Duty** will be having surgery on Friday at Vanderbilt Hospital. Please remember both Jim and Mona in your prayers.

**Janice Martin** has hurt her back.

**Judy Menet**, a member at Peachtree City Church of Christ and close friends of the Hoggs, had a 5 bypass surgery at the end of November and now has double pneumonia and is not doing well.

**Katie Sandberg**, the 13 year old daughter of friends of Sonia Rhodes has been diagnosed with liver cancer. They are members at Green Hills Church of Christ.

**Continue to Remember:** Gary & Erika Berglund, Tom Bolles, Joe Brooks, Paige Crumley, Barbara Dees, Beth Duryea, Erin Green, Heather Harris, Johnny Henson, Mickey Hinkle, Frieda Holloway, Marie Holman, Robert Holt Psyleeta Jackson, Sue King, Gail Krech, David Langhans, Mary Laytart, Jimmy and Minnie Lincoln, Kierra Lindsey, Kathy Malon, Ron Maynard, David McKnatt, William Morrison, Wilda Moss, Dean Nichols, Lois Pratt, Wendy Reid, Terri Riccio, Tammy Rice, Wayne Rodgers, Marcia Spillers, Marguerite Steele, Doug & Nellie Smithson, Jimmy Smithson, William Turner, Alice Vasy, Mike Vice, Harrison Warren, Stoney Warren, Bobbie Wilhoite, Ryan Williams, Mike Wilson, Shannon Woodroof.

**OurShut-ins:** Jane Davis, Wilma Gower, Anne Harris, Roberta Jones, Russell Miller, Lawrence Cash, Betty Pence.

## SMOKY MOUNTAIN MARRIAGE RETREAT

2019 Great Smoky Mountain Marriage Retreat will be February 7 - 10, 2019 in Pigeon Forge, TN. We will be renting a chalet again this year, but we need to know how many couples are interested in going. Go to [www.smokymountainmarriage.com](http://www.smokymountainmarriage.com) to check out the schedule for the weekend. We will have sign up sheets out in the foyer and back hallway until **TONIGHT**, if you are interested in going please sign your last name to the list. Once we have a number of how many are interested, we will be able to figure out a firm cost for the weekend, right now with registration fee included plan for between \$300 & \$400 for the weekend. If you have any questions, please see Lee or Dana Glasscock.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**All members and visitors, please fill out the attendance cards in the back of the pews in front of you so we may have a record of your attendance.**

Ladies Bible Class will meet on Wednesday at 10am in room 100.

If you would like to be added to or removed from either the Nursery Attendants or Food Group rotation, please call the church office.

The December Calendar is available in the foyer.

## SPECIAL PRAYER REQUEST

The Doughtie Family is going through the adoption process and there are still a lot of hurdles to jump. As they go through this stressful process, they ask the we remember the entire family in our prayers.

## SYMPATHY

Our sympathy is extend to Joe & Joni Howell on the passing of Joe's step-mother, Shirley Howell. Her funeral will be held in Maryland at a later date. Cards may be sent to: Henry Howell, PO Box 1233, King, NC 27021

## THANK YOU

Southern Hills Family,  
We cannot begin to thank you for all the food, visits, prayers and well wishes since the birth of Hadley. We appreciate it so much! We are forever thankful for our loving church family. We look forward to everyone getting to meet her soon.

In Christian Love,  
The Lovett Family

## LADIES ORNAMENT SWAP

LADIES! It's that time of year again! On Thursday Night at 6:30pm bring your favorite dish and a \$10 wrapped ornament and head out to Laura Meades! We'll start eating around 6:30pm and the fun will begin after that. If you've never been before, please come & join the fun! Carpooling is suggested as parking is limited. If anyone is interested in riding from the building please let Andy or Katie know by tonight. This is open to all Yo Pros and up! If you have any questions, see Laura or call the church office.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### UPCOMING EVENTS

All events must be scheduled through church office

**December 12, 2018** - Last Day for Holiday Cards  
See Katie for questions

**December 13, 2018** - Ladies Ornament Swap  
6:30pm, Laura Meade's Home

**December 15, 2018** - Youth Group Holiday Party  
6pm at Ellie & Slade Pratt's

**December 16, 2018** - SHARE Holiday Outing  
To The Governor's Mansion, After Bible Class

**December 17, 2018** - Young Professional Devotional

**December 18, 2018** - Dig Deep Devo, 6:15pm  
KFC Stocking Delivery, 6pm

**December 30, 2018** - Special Year End Contribution

### Lads to Leaders 2019

Lads to Leaders is a leadership training program for Pre-k to 12th grade. We spend time working on ways to utilize our talents for the Lord through speech, teaching, art, web design, writing, song leading, puppets, debate, and many other events. It culminates in a weekend long convention at Opryland Hotel, April 18-21, 2019. The theme for this year is "I Am." We will practice on Sunday afternoons late January - early April. Registration is open online at [www.southernhills.net](http://www.southernhills.net) under youth and forms. **You should have received an email with all of the registration information and pricing.** If you did not receive that email, please let us know and we will provide you with the information. We also have information booklets available if you need information on each individual event or more info on the program. **Hotel rooms are available on a first come first serve basis. Please see or text Jennifer Miller 615-390-6674 to reserve your hotel room. The final deadline for registration will be January 13, 2018.** Please see Andy or Jennifer Miller for more information.

## THOSE TO SERVE

### TODAY — SUNDAY, December 9, 2018

**USHERS:** Bailey Davenport, Caleb McRady,  
Nathan McRady, James Vanderpool

**Preside at Lord's Table:** Cody Lovett

**Serve the Lord's Supper:** Brandon Brooks,  
Trey Pratt, Noah & Gabriel Oppermann

**Reader:** Jeff Rhodes

**Opening Prayer:** Chris Graham

**Closing Prayer:** Calvin Davis

**Song Leader:** Matt Lyndoe

### TONIGHT'S EVENING SERVICE

**P.M. Preside/Lord's Supper:** Lee Glasscock

**P.M. Reader:** Jeff Rhodes

**Opening Prayer:** Reese Harrub

**Closing Prayer:** Scott Goldman

**Song Leader:** Matt Lyndoe

### THIS WEDNESDAY December 12, 2018

**Opening Prayer:**

**Closing Prayer:** Caleb McRady

**Song Leader:** Garrett Moore

### THE RECORD

Last Sunday - (12/2/2018)	
Morning Worship	262
Sunday School	216
Evening Worship	159
Wednesday Night (12/5/2018)	159
Contribution Last Sunday:	\$ 14,445.00
Contribution YTD:	\$543,991.00
Contribution Goal YTD:	\$576,000.00

### NURSERY TODAY - December 9, 2018

AM: Wilma Johnson & Mandy Chitwood

PM: Sharon Broome & Joy Marrison



### NURSERY-NEXT SUNDAY - December 16, 2018

AM: Beverly Smithson & Jean Sweeney

PM: Jennifer & Peyton Waggoner

### COLLECT COMMUNION CUPS - December

Phoebe Davis & Vi Waldrep

### BUILDING LOCK-UP - December

Jimmy Campbell & Jimmy Davis

### GREETERS - December

Dan & Linda Cottrell

### FOOD GROUP LEADERS - December

Linda Cottrell - 615-377-6160

Vi Waldrep - 615-472-1333

### Monthly Elder Chairman - December

David Broome

### Youth Holiday Party

6th grade and up are invited to the annual youth group holiday party which will be at the home of Ellie and Slade Pratt. We are asking that you bring drinks, desserts, or sides. Get your creative vibes in gear because we will have our annual gift swap. Bring an original gift of your own making or creativity to exchange. We will provide transportation and the van will leave the building at 5:30pm. If you are dropping off at the Pratts - we will plan to start around 6:00pm. We should return back to the building at 9:00pm.

### Equip

6th grade and up are invited to our annual Equip program. Our theme this year is "Equipped to be Self Less." We will meet at the building on Tuesday evening at 8:00pm and wrap up in time for church on Wednesday evening. Please bring items that you will need to stay overnight at the building. If you have any questions please see Andy or Jennifer Miller



**December 15, 2018** - Holiday Party 6th and up  
**January 5, 2019** - Special Girls Service Project  
**January 1-2, 2019** - Equip  
**January 18-21, 2019** - Family Ski Retreat  
**January 26, 2019** - Soul Sisters Day  
**February 1-3, 2019** - Spring Retreat  
**February 9, 2019** - Valentine Banquet

### KFC Outing

The KFC group will be stuffing and delivering stockings along with caroling at the Tennessee Children's Home on Tuesday, December 18th. Please plan to arrive at the building at 6pm and eat dinner before you come. Popcorn and Hot Chocolate will be provided when we arrive back at the building around 8:30/9pm. We hope you plan to attend. This event is always so much fun and means a lot of the boys at TCH. If you have any questions please see Cody Lovett.

### January 4-5, 2019

Girls 6th grade and up are invited to participate in a very special service project. We will meet at the building on Friday, the 4th at 8:00pm to begin setup and cooking for Saturday. Please bring items that you will need for the Saturday morning program, anything needed for an overnight stay at the building, and Sunday best clothing for Saturday morning. If you have not given your list of names to Jennifer Miller - please do so as soon as possible. If you have any questions please see Jennifer Miller

## TIMES SERVICES

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP	9:00 AM
SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY	10:00 AM
SUNDAY EVENING WORSHIP	5:00 PM
WEDNESDAY LADIES BIBLE CLASS (During the School Year)	10:00 AM
WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY	7:00 PM

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