

...from Ken Reed



### Spotlight on ASHLEY WALKER

This week's spotlight is on Ashley Walker. Ashley is the daughter of Terry & Kim Walker. She is a freshman at Lipscomb Campus school. Ashley is a member of the freshman chorus. She runs Cross Country and is a member of the track team. Her track events are 40-yard dash & hurdles. Ashley loves the outdoors, riding four-wheelers and dirt bikes. She loves to shoot skeet & trap and is an avid deer hunter. Ashley loves animals, particularly horses. She barrel races quarter horses & has received sever ribbons & awards for her efforts. She is the proud owner of Midnight, who used to belong to Mr. Bob Bufford. She also loves swimming, diving & the beach. After high school Ashley is planning to attend Freed-Hardeman. She is considering a career in veterinary medicine.

### Camp Applications Are Available!

Get ready for camp! Applications are available on the table in the foyer or on the sign-up board. Williamson County Bible camp is June 15th-20th at Camp Hy-Lake near McMinnville, TN. Camp is open to young people who have completed the 2nd grade through 12th grade! Cost will be \$100 per child. **ALL applications, insurance cards and payments are due NO LATER than May 11th.** Invite a friend and make plans to be a part of this very special week!

**To the PARENTS OF OUR SCHOOL-AGE CHILDREN:** As the school year starts to wind down, if your child receives any special recognition or awards, let us know so we can share their accomplishments.

### 3rd-6th GRADE DEVO AND GAME NIGHT AT THE REEDS

Mark your calendars for the devo and game night at Kayla Reed's home on Friday, April 25th from 6pm-9pm. We will eat dinner, have a devotional and then play games. Sign up on the board in the hallway. Young people need to bring desserts.

3rd-6th grade Devo & Game Night at Reeds	April 25
Bible Camp Applications & Paymet Due	May 11
Graduates Reception	May 18
Camp Counselors Meeting	May 25
VBS	June 2-4
Williamson County Bible Camp	June 15-20
Senior Horizons at Freed-Hardeman	July 6-11
Junior Horizons at Freed-Hardeman	July 13-18

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### "SERVICES FOR HEARING IMPAIRED"



## THREE QUESTIONS

What are the three greatest questions you will ever ask? They have nothing to do with the economy or the war on terrorism or the upcoming presidential election or who will win the Stanley Cup or the World Series or the Super Bowl. The three greatest questions you will ever ask are these: (1) Is there a God? (2) Is Jesus His Son? (3) Is the Bible His word? The focus of our attention today (and in sermons to come) is the second question: Is Jesus the Christ, the Son of God?

The answer to that question is an emphatic yes. That is the theme we will begin to explore in today's sermon. First I will share something that is somewhat personal about my own work over forty-eight years of study and preaching. Then we will begin to look at what the Bible says in answer to this question about Jesus.

In the biblical basis for our study, which is always the heart of any sermon (or should be), we will look at such passages as John 12:21, Acts 16:31, Matthew 22:42, Matthew 16:13, Acts 2:36 and Romans 1:4. While many doubt and deny Jesus, the Bible makes the strongest of cases for who Jesus is. In a day when it is in style to say that there are many ways to God and heaven, the Bible teaches that there is only one (Jn. 14:6). These matters are "on the cutting edge" in our contemporary world.

~ Dan Cottrell

#### ELDERS:

- Dan Cottrell
- John Cottrell
- Jerald Hill
- Joe Russell
- Stoney Warren

#### DEACONS:

- Dale Alden - Education
- David Broome - Education (Director)
- John Bufford - Building & Grounds
- Ken Cooley - Senior Activities
- Lee Floyd - Institutional Benevolence
- Chris Graham - Office Administration
- Herb Jones - Building & Grounds
- Stephen Lampley - Youth
- Len McKnatt - Benevolence
- Michael Meade - Education
- Trey Pratt - Member Involvement
- Jerry Pritchett - Edification Groups
- Jeff Rhodes - Truth for the World
- Walter Rice - Foreign Missions
- Cullen Rodgers - Fellowship/Adv.
- Zane Smith - Day School
- Andy Stephen - Worship
- Mark Sullivan - Family Life
- Dave Sweeney - Worship

#### MINISTERS:

- Dan Cottrell
- Ken Reed

#### SECRETARY:

- Pam Cost

#### SUNDAY MORNING SERMON:

"Who is Jesus?"  
(Matthew 16: 13-16)

#### SUNDAY EVENING SERMON:

"Hear Him!"  
(Hebrews 12: 25-27)

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**SICK/PRAYER LIST**



**Don Gurchiek** underwent vascular surgery on Thursday morning.

**Adelaide Copeland** is in Room #1101 at NHC in Cool Springs:  
211 Cool Springs Blvd., Franklin, 37067  
Remember her birthday is coming up on April 20th!

**Continue to remember:** John and Elizabeth Haley, Bob Bufford, Cherry Bolles, Nathan McDowell, Jerry Richardson, Danene Jamison, Doris Rittenberry, Byno Batey, Winnie Breegle and John Hood.

We want to welcome **Cliff & Sharrin Baird** back from two weeks in China!

**Continue to remember our shut-ins:**

- Evelyn Billings
- Adelaide Copeland (Legacy Crossing, #208)
- Marie Oakley (Wellington Place, Brentwood, #209)
- Cornelia Lowe (NHC)
- Ruth Simpson (NHC of Franklin)

**NOTES OF THANKS**

To my family at Southern Hills: Thank you for the cards and prayers over the last several weeks. Words cannot express my deep appreciation for all the love and support you have given. Please continue to pray for me as I regain my health.

In Christian Love, **Danene Jamison**

What a wonderful congregation, made up of warm and generous people. Every Sunday I read notes from people thanking Southern Hills for prayers, cards, food and beautiful flowers. I've tried to express my own sentiments, but there aren't words to adequately express our gratitude. Thanks to each of you for all your kindnesses.  
**Wanda Luna and Family**

**SUNSHINE DAY SCHOOL**

The Sunshine DaySchool will have their Spring Program on Monday and Tuesday beginning at 1pm. See Kim Smith if you have any questions.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The beautiful flowers on the stage are in memory of **Herman Langhans**.

Edification Team A, the **Herb Jones** team, will meet tonight after the evening service.

The **Ladies Bible Class** and **Men's Prayer Group** will meet on Wednesday morning at 10am.

**SENIOR ACTIVITY GROUP LUNCH**

Those of you who signed up for the **Senior Activity Group** luncheon, please make your way back to the fellowship hall after Bible Class. Enjoy a delicious meal while learning more about what this group will be doing!

**CHANGE OF ADDRESS**

**Richard and B.J. Marlin** have moved. Their new address is: **258 Wrennewood Lane Franklin, TN 37064**  
Phone Number not changed: **794-5268**

**LADIES' RETREAT**

The Ladies' Retreat is scheduled for Friday and Saturday, May 2nd & 3rd, at Hillmont Christian Camp in White Bluff, TN. The cost is \$50 per person, which includes lodging and three meals. Make checks payable to Southern Hills Church of Christ and give to Wilma Cooley or Rachel Potts. **Deadline to sign up and pay is next Sunday, April 20th!**

**BILLY SMITH on APRIL 27TH**

On Sunday, April 27, Dr. William (Billy) R. Smith, Dean of the School of Biblical Studies at Freed-Hardeman University, will be our speaker at all services. He will preach at 9:00am and 6:00pm and speak to a combined group of classes at 10am. **There will be a covered dish lunch after the morning services.** Please plan to be here.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Wednesday Night Fellowship Meal**

**THIS Wednesday, April 16 ~ 6PM**

**On The Menu: Spaghetti Dinner**

**Sign Up By Tonight**



**\*Cookbook\***

Southern Hills is going to produce a cookbook so we all can enjoy those wonderful dishes we share at Fellowship events. If you are willing to share your recipes, now is your chance. You may e-mail Julie Stephen at:

**julie.stephen@comcast.net**

or put your recipes in the basket in the foyer. Each Southern Hills family will receive a copy of the cookbook beginning on October 4th at Ladies Day. More information is provided in the foyer.



**The Wild Game/Tame Game** get-together is scheduled for Saturday, April 19th beginning at 5:30pm. There are sign up sheets available. Please indicate what **dish you can bring. Deadline to sign up is Wednesday, April 16th.** Talk to Trey or Ashley Pratt if you have any questions!

**CHILDREN'S BIBLE HOUR TEACHERS FOR APRIL**

- 3-5 Years: Andy & Julie Stephen
- K-7 Years: Brian & Kelli Ferguson

**THOSE TO SERVE**

**TODAY ~ SUNDAY, April 13th**

**Ushers:** Phillip McCullough, Dean Smith, Bob Terry

**Preside at Lord's Table:** Chris Graham

**Serve the Lord's Supper:** John Cottrell, Stephen Lampley, Michael Meade, David Sweeney

**Reader:** Trey Pratt

**Opening Prayer:** Jim Campbell

**Closing Prayer:** Len McKnatt

**TONIGHT'S SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE:**

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

**P.M. Reader:** Trey Pratt

**P.M. Opening Prayer:** David Broome

**Closing Prayer:** Ken Reed

**THIS WEDNESDAY, April 16th**

**Opening Prayer:** Donald Smith

**Closing Prayer:** John Cottrell

**THE RECORD**

<b>Last Sunday (4/6)</b>	Morning Worship	<b>329</b>
	Sun. School	<b>266</b>
	PM Worship	<b>189</b>
<b>Wed. Night (4/9)</b>	Bible Study	<b>200</b>

<b>Contribution Last Sunday</b>	<b>\$ 11,672.00</b>
<b>Contribution YTD</b>	<b>149,487.00</b>
<b>Contribution Goal YTD</b>	<b>163,380.00</b>

**NURSERY- TODAY: April 13th**

**AM:** Norma & Chelsea Head

**PM:** Clea Alexander & Kelli Messmer



**NURSERY - NEXT Sunday, April 20th**

**AM:** Iexsheev Hickman & Laura Meade

**PM:** Paula Derryberry & Kayla Reed

**FOOD GROUP LEADERS- April**

Peggy Hill - 776-5352

Wanda Ezell - 599-6779

**BUILDING LOCK-UP - April**

Trey Pratt and Michael Meade

**COLLECT COMMUNION CUPS - April**

The Messmer Family & the Cost Family

**KITCHEN CLEAN-UP - April**

Norma & Clarence Cost and Wanda Ezell

**QUARTERLY ELDER CHAIRMAN (April-June)**

John Cottrell