

...From Andy Miller

STAND UP FOR JESUS!

The story is an old one but it teaches a truth that never grows old. The famous athiest concluded his speech before a packed audience by challenging them to stand up if they still believed in God. For a few seconds no one moved. Then a young lady - a teenager--in the balcony stood and, with trembling voice, began to sing "Stand up! Stand up for Jesus!" Gradually others began to stand and sing until almost the entire audience was standing and singing that great song. They were standing up for Jesus.

That is what God wants us to do. It is what the world challenges us to do: Stand up for Jesus! If you stand up for Jesus, some people will admire you and follow your example. However, others will do everything they can to destroy your faith. They will challenge what you believe, what you stand for, and the way you live. But keep on keeping on. Stand up for Jesus (1 Pet. 3:15).

April 19-Our youth group will participate in a special service project at the building. We will be hosting Parents Night Out.

April 28-Our 6th grade and up group will eat lunch and participate in the singing at NHC. We will help with a few projects at the building and the youth group will be open to hang out and fellowship for the remainder of the afternoon.

May 30-Our young ladies are invited to a special event-LIGHTS at Cheekwood. We will have dinner and tour the exhibit. Mark your calendars for a special meeting.

Youth

- April 19-Service Project-Parents Night Out
- April 28-Service Sunday-Sing at NHC
- May 30-Girls Night at Cheekwood
- June 9-14 - WCBC Bible Camp
- Sept. 7 - Bible Bowl
- Oct. 25-26 - Fall Retreat

KFC

- May 3-KFC Activity
- May 26-KFC to sing at NHC

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ELDERS:

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

DEACONS:

- Dale Alden-*Education*
- David Broome-*Technology*
- Ken Cooley-*Senior Activities*
- David Cost-*Benevolence*
- Jimmy Davis-*Fellowship, Youth*
- Chris Doughtie-*Education*
- Chris Graham-*Office Admin.*
- Ryan Haedge-*Church Growth, Education, Advertising*
- DeWayne Johnston-*Building & Grounds, Youth*
- Herb Jones-*Building & Grounds*
- Phillip McCullough-*Education*
- Len McKnatt-*Family Assistance*
- Michael Meade-*Youth*
- Alex Melton-*Worship, Edu., VBS*
- Jerry Pritchett-*Edification Groups*
- Jeff Rhodes-*Missions*
- Desmond Sumerel-*Worship*
- Dave Sweeney-*Worship*
- Thomas Waggoner-*Education*

MINISTER:

Dan Cottrell

YOUTH MINISTER:

Andy Miller

SECRETARY:

Pam Cost

THE BEAUTIFUL BEATTITUDES

Today my Bible class will study Matthew 4:12-25. Next Sunday we are scheduled to begin a study of the Sermon On the Mount (Matthew 5-7). Today's two sermons will look at "The Beautiful Beatitudes" (Mt. 5:1-12). We will study the first four Beatitudes this morning (vs. 1-6) and the other four Beatitudes this evening (vs. 7-12). These verses are not only the introduction to the Sermon On the Mount, they are also the basis for what Jesus taught, not only in this great sermon, but throughout the New Testament.

Our congratulations to all of those who participated in Lads to Leaders. It is a great program. Speaking of programs, the Lads to Leaders program last Sunday night was excellent. We thank all of the young people who took part in it and the adults who helped them with it. Now it is time to start preparing for Bible Bowl. In the meantime we have VBS and Bible Camp. There is plenty to participate in this summer at Southern Hills. And don't forget our annual Summer Series on Wednesday nights and the Youth Summer Series on Thursday nights. (More about those later.)

We have "a great thing going" at Southern Hills. We need to get the word out to more and more people in our community and the surrounding area. There are many people out there who are seeking and searching for something (or Someone) as a solid foundation on which to build their lives. That Someone is Jesus Christ!

Dan Cottrell

SUNDAY MORNING SERMON:

"The Beautiful Beatitudes (1)"
(Matthew 5:1-6)

SUNDAY EVENING SERMON:

"The Beautiful Beatitudes (2)"
(Matthew 5:7-12)

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SICK/PRAYER LIST

Prayers are requested for Meg Floyd, the sister-in-law of Lee and Jaymie Floyd. She was recently diagnosed with cancer and is now undergoing treatments.

Karen Okerson (Al Okerson's sister-in-law) has been having deep brain tremors. Following tests she will be undergoing surgery.

Linda Ford's husband, Dan, is now home from the hospital and doing well after open heart surgery.

Norma Cost is having blood pressure problems. Please remember her.

Continue to Remember: Doug Smithson, Nellie Smithson, Janella Gaston, Loretta Rodgers, Jean Henderson, Kristie Smith, Mildred Nelms, Jane Woodroof, Ruth Miller, Taylor Compton, Bobbie Wilhoite, Richard Marlin, Bob Bufford, Madelyn Gregg, Joe Russell, Stoney Warren, Sierra Turner, Lawrence & Janet Cash.

Our shut-ins: Evelyn Billings, Mary Allen, Nell Buttrey, Jane Davis, Ramelle Patterson & Odessa Barnhill.

To everyone at Southern Hills Church of Christ, Thank you for your prayers, so many beautiful cards and all the ways you have shown God's love. I look forward to seeing each of you soon.

God's blessings always, Barbara Fly

GREETERS for April:
Thomas & Jennifer Waggoner
Pick up Member/Visitor Cards:
TODAY : Slade Pratt & Justus Doughtie
April 21: Cy Warren & Reese Harrub

Children's Bible Hour needs a teacher for the 3-5 age group for the month of May.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

The Ladies Bible Class and Mens Prayer Group will meet Wednesday morning at 10am.

The people who wrote the current curriculum for grades Pre K through 5th grade need to meet in Room 109 on Sunday, April 21st at 4:30. All people who have taught the curriculum in the past 2 years are encouraged to be at the meeting.

ATTENDANCE

Christians should want to attend all of the services of the church. Why? First, Hebrews 10:25 is a commandment. We are commanded to meet with our Christian family at every opportunity. Not only that, we should want to meet with other Christians whenever we have the opportunity. "Not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near" (ESV).

Note the need to encourage each other. We all need encouragement. Being together as God's family is a great way to both encourage and be encouraged. We need you with us when we meet together to worship God. While living a Christian life is a source of great joy, we all recognize that Satan will do all he can to defeat us. Don't let that happen. Be here with your Christian family whenever it assembles to worship God and His Son.

~Brad Harrub's Schedule~

DATE	EVENT	LOCATION
April 12-14	Origins Seminar	Tyler, TX
April 21-24	Origins Seminar	Benton, KY
April 26-28	Origins Seminar	Hopkinsville, KY

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FELLOWSHIP MEAL

**On Wednesday
April 17th ~ 5:45 pm**

On The Menu:

Country Fried Steak, Layered Salad, Sweet Potato Casserole, Rolls, Cobbler, Ice Cream, Tea, Lemonade, Coffee

Sign Up By Tonight

Spring Clothing Giveaway

We are in need of summer clothing for our spring clothes giveaway. It's set for Saturday, April 27th. The clothes should be clean and in good condition. We only need the clothes and sizes listed below at this time. We appreciate any help you can give us.

- Men's Shirts: Small, Medium and Large
- Men's Pants: Sizes 28-32 and 40-44
- Ladies Blouses: Sizes 8-10
- Baby and Kids Clothes: Any Size.

Please place your items in the bin in the foyer or hang them on the coat racks. See David Cost if you have any questions.

The fresh flowers in the pulpit today have been provided in memory of Mr. Herman Langhans.

CHILDREN'S BIBLE HOUR TEACHERS FOR

- April:**
- 3-5 Years:** Franks Family
- K-7 Years:** McCullough Family

THOSE TO SERVE

TODAY ~ SUNDAY, April 14, 2013

Ushers: Bob Alexander, DeWayne Johnston, Tony Tucker
Preside at Lord's Table: Jerald Hill, Calvin Davis, Will Harrub, Andy Miller, James Vanderpool

Reader: Randy Holt
Opening Prayer: Jerry Pritchett
Closing Prayer: Phillip McCullough

TONIGHT'S SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE:

P.M. Preside/Lord's Supper: Michael Meade
P.M. Reader: Randy Holt
Opening Prayer: Ken Hardison
Closing Prayer: Dale Alden

THIS WEDNESDAY, April 17, 2013

Opening Prayer: Desmond Sumerel
Closing Prayer: Jeff Rhodes
Song Leader: John Rhodes

THE RECORD

Last Sunday (04/07) Morning Worship 267
Sun. School 220
PM Worship 206
Wed. Night (4/3) Bible Study 164

Contribution Last Sunday \$ 14,955.00
Contribution YTD 130,051.00
Contribution Goal YTD 126,098.00

NURSERY - TODAY: April 14, 2013

AM: Lindsey Eaton & Beth Lincoln
PM: Nikki Lovett & Jennifer Waggoner



NURSERY - NEXT Sunday, April 21, 2013

AM: Vi Waldrep and Heather Baker
PM: Mindy Doughtie and Jennifer Ensor

COLLECT COMMUNION CUPS - April

Jean Sweeney & Pence Family

BUILDING LOCK-UP - April

Desmond Sumerel & Dave Sweeney

FOOD GROUP LEADERS - April

Shana Graham-931/489-1055
Melinda Harrub-794-9595

QUARTERLY ELDER CHAIRMAN (April-June)

Dan Cottrell