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Rock or Sand?

Life always has and always will present challenges. How can we become strong enough to stand through the challenges of life? Jesus said: **“Therefore whoever hears these sayings of Mine, and does them, I will liken him to a wise man who built his house on the rock: and the rain descended, the floods came, and the winds blew and beat on that house; and it did not fall, for it was founded on the rock. But everyone who hears these sayings of Mine, and does not do them, will be like a foolish man who built his house on the sand: and the rain descended, the floods came, and the winds blew and beat on that house; and it fell. And great was its fall”** (Matthew 7:24-27). Jesus did not promise to take away all storms. What He promised was to give you the foundation to stand strong in them. That foundation is His word.

- Garrett Bookout

AM – “The Christ, the Son of the Living God” (Matthew 16:13-19)

Kids Corner 4:45pm Room 105

PM - SINGING

Read the Bible in 1 Year in Chronological Order:

Sunday - 1 Corinthian 15-16; **Monday** - 2 Corinthians 1-4;

Tuesday - 2 Corinthians 5-9; **Wednesday** - 2 Corinthians 10-13;

Thursday - Acts 20:1-3; Romans 1-3; **Friday** - Romans 4-7;

Saturday - Romans 8-10

PRAYER LIST and ANNOUNCEMENTS

Steve Ellis had surgery Wednesday afternoon to repair a torn rotator cuff. Everything went well and he was able to go home that afternoon.

Tony Orellana's mother Elvira is seriously ill. Please pray for her health and for her to listen to the Gospel. Tony is a student at Bear Valley.

Jeff and Adina Brown and Family who have been visiting with us for the past year are from the area in Michigan where the school shooting happened yesterday. The girls have friends that were hurt and friends of Jeff and Adina's children were hurt. If you would like to, you can send cards to the Browns for these families at 2145 Cole Road, Lake Orion, MI 48362

Please remember Beth & Jimmy Lincoln as they continue to recover.

Continue to Remember: Sue Beck, Gary & Erika Berglund, Jane Brown, David Carothers, Thomas Cochran, Craig & Beth Cottrell, Barbara Dees, Mona Duty, Wayne Elkins, Lynley Eller, Paige Henson, Steve Higginbotham, Frieda Holloway, Sandra Hudiburg, Beverly Jenkins, Ellen Jones, Richard King, Gail Krech, Beth & Jimmy Lincoln, Kierra Lindsey, Janice Martin, Ron & Janice Maynard, Paul Mabry, Bracey Mayo, William Morrison, Tom Puckett, Wendy Reid, Terri Riccio, Bryant Rimmer, Wayne Rodgers, John & Melba Sims, Marcia Spillers, Doug Smithson, Jimmy Smithson, William Turner, Mike Vice, Bobbie Wilhoite, Mike Wilson, Mike Wright, Holly Winkler, Shannon Woodroof.

OurShut-ins: Winnie Breegle, Robert Holt, Betty Pence, Lois Pratt.

NEW ADDRESSES

Jane Brown has been moved to:
Trevecca Center for Rehabilitation and Healing
Attn: Jane Brown
329 Murfreesboro Pike
Nashville, TN 37210

Vail Neal's mother, Elizabeth Geer, was recently moved to Spring Hill. Please send her cards of encouragement to:
Elizabeth Geer
The Lantern
1003 McHutcheon Lane
Spring Hill, TN 37174

NURSERY TODAY SUNDAY - December 5, 2021

AM: Anna Warnes & Mandy Chitwood
PM: Mckenna Atkins & Erin Davenport

NURSERY NEXT SUNDAY - December 12, 2021

AM: Barbara Jones & Julie McDaniel
PM: Linda Cottrell & Riley Pratt

THOSE TO SERVE

TODAY — SUNDAY, December 5, 2021

USHERS: Brandon Brooks,
Jayden Brooks, Cody Lovett, Randy Holt
Song Leader: Matt Lyndoe
Reader: Mickey Petty
Opening Prayer: Len McKnatt
Preside at Lord's Table: Tyler Atkins
Serve the Lord's Supper: Gary Berglund,
Tyler Chitwood, Garrett Comer, Zeb Macer
Closing Prayer: Raymond Spears

TODAY'S 5PM SERVICE

Song Leader: SINGING
Reader: SINGING
Opening Prayer: Luke Harrub
P.M. Preside/Lord's Supper: Nathan McRady
Closing Prayer: Josh Oppermann
THIS WEDNESDAY December 8, 2021
Song Leader: Cy Warren
Opening Prayer: Thomas Waggoner
Closing Prayer: Jaksen Brooks
Sound for 12/5 Week: Connor Pratt

THE RECORD

Last Sunday - (11/28/2021)
Morning Worship 224
Sunday School 205
Evening Worship 173
Wednesday Night (12/1/2021) 141
Contribution Last Sunday: \$ 12,859.53
Contribution YTD: \$652,732.10
Contribution Goal YTD: \$576,000.00

COLLECT COMMUNION CUPS - December

Burns Family

BUILDING LOCK-UP - December

Len McKnatt & Matt Potts

FOOD GROUP LEADERS - December

Linda Cottrell 615-767-2153

Vi Waldrep - 615-472-1333

MONTHLY ELDER CHAIRMAN - December

Dan Cottrell

Online Giving Instructions

Give online:

<https://www.southernhills.net/OnlineGiving>

By App:

Search for "Church by MinistryOne" on the app
store

By Text: Text "Give" to (615) 265-6550



UPCOMING EVENTS

Please contact the Church office to schedule an event

THIS WEEK

Today - 1st Sunday Night Singing
Back Pack's for the homeless after Evening Service

Tuesday - Ladies Gala, 6:30pm

Wednesday - Ladies Bible Class, 10am

Friday - Breakfast with Dan, 8am
Sign up sheet in foyer
Youth Group Holiday Party

Ladies Holiday Gala

Our annual Ladies' Holiday Gift Gala will be here at the building on December 7, 2021. We will begin at 6:30pm. Dinner will be provided as well as lots of fun, fellowship, and laughter. Wear your most festive attire and bring 3 gifts \$15 or less for the gift tables. Please remember to bring your gifts in clear bags or unwrapped so that we can see them. We will have childcare available if needed. We will spend the evening shopping the tables and enjoying entertainment and lots of holiday fun!

Bridal SHOWER

All the Ladies of the Congregation are invited to a Bridal Shower honoring Abigail Warnes bride-elect of Corey Hughey on Sunday December 12th from 3pm until 4:30pm in the Fellowship Hall. Abigail & Corey are registered at amazon.com and Target

SHARE GROUP HOLIDAY BRUNCH

The Annual Share Group Holiday Brunch will be on Saturday December 11th at 10:30am here at the building. The Southern Hills Cooking Crew will be providing Brunch and we will have a White Elephant Gift Exchange. You can make something, food or craft, or buy something but please don't go over \$20. **Please sign up in the foyer if you plan on attending!** If you have any questions, please see Andy Miller.

Our adult holiday party will be Friday, December 17, 2021 in the Fellowship Hall. Please bring a white elephant gift for the gift swap game and plan for a fun evening! Dinner will be provided and we will begin at 6:30pm.

BACKPACKS FOR HOMELESS

TONIGHT after evening services we will be preparing back packs for the homeless. If you would like to help out, please go to the fellowship hall, and if you have any questions, please see Andy Miller.

HOLIDAY CARDS

As we do every year to save us all some stamps, our Holiday Card Boxes are out in the fellowship hall! The boxes are labeled alphabetically by LAST Name, so if you are a Holiday Card sender get your cards ready and find the tables by the elevator. The boxes will be available until Wednesday night December 15th and then all the cards will be sorted and ready for you to pick yours up on Sunday December 19th. If you have any questions, please see Katie.

FRANKTOWN LIGHTS VOLUNTEERS

On Monday December 20th and Tuesday December 21st Southern Hills will be volunteering at the Franktown Lights at the AG Center. We need 8 volunteers on Monday and 9 on Tuesday from 4:30pm until 9pm. If you are interested in helping out please sign up on the sheets in the foyer. If you have any questions, please see Andy Miller.

VOLUNTEERS FOR 2022

On the round table in the foyer are sign up sheet for Works for the Church needed in 2022. We need monthly volunteers to prepare communion & pick up the communion cups. If you are willing to help please sign up for a month. If you have any questions, please see Katie Vanderpool.



Youth Group Holiday Party

The youth group Holiday party will be at the home of Isabelle Dees for 6th grade and up on Friday December 10th. Transportation will be provided and we will leave the building at 6:00pm and return at 9:30pm. If you are dropping off at the Dees home – please arrive at 6:30pm and pickup at 9:00pm. Please bring a gift that you have made or created for our gift swap game, and please send either a drink or a dessert. Dinner will be provided.

YOUTH 2021 Calendar

December 10th – Youth Holiday Party
at the Dees

April 14-17, 2022 – Lads to Leaders

May 30- June 3, 2022 – WCBC Bible Camp



KFC STOCKING DELIVERY AND CAROLING

On Tuesday, December 14th we be stuffing stockings for The Tennessee Children's Home here at the building. We will load up and deliver them to the TCH and carol to the different houses. We will meet at the building at 5:30pm to start stuffing. Please eat dinner prior to coming to church. We will get a snack at then end of the night. Plan to pick up at the building at 8:30pm. If you would like to help or have any questions please see Cody Lovett.

TIMES SERVICES

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP - 9 AM

BIBLE CLASS - 10 AM

SUNDAY EVENING WORSHIP - 5 PM

WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY - 7 PM

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Address Correction Requested