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HOLINESS



Holiness is the state or condition of being holy. To be holy is to be “set apart to the service of God.” Why is it important that we be holy? Because God is holy. “Holy is His name” (Lk. 1:49). “Holy, holy, holy is the Lord Almighty” (Rev. 4:8). He is our “Holy Father” (Jn. 17:11). He is “the Holy One” (Rev. 15:5) who alone is holy (Rev. 15:4). It is important to be holy because Christ is holy. He is “Your Holy One” (Acts 2:17) and “the Holy and Righteous One” (Acts 3:14). He is “holy, blameless, pure, set apart from sinners, exalted above the heavens” (Heb. 7:26). Also, the Spirit of God is holy. He is “the Holy Spirit sent from heaven” (1 Pt. 1:12) and “the Holy Spirit who dwells in us” (2 Tim. 1:14).

Therefore, we are to be holy. Peter wrote, “But as He who called you is holy, you also be holy in all your conduct, because it is written, Be holy, for I am holy” (1 Pt. 1:15-16). It is the will of God that we be sanctified or holy (1 Thess. 4:3). “For God did not call us to uncleanness, but in holiness” (1 Thess. 4:7). We are to live in “true holiness” (Eph. 4:22-24; Rom. 6:19; 2 Cor. 7:1; 2 Pet. 3:11).

We are to pursue peace and holiness, “without which no one will see the Lord” (Heb. 12:14). What makes us holy? The blood of Christ (Heb. 10:10). It allows us to approach God (Heb. 7:19; Js. 4:8); makes fellowship with God possible (1 Jn. 1:3, 7); allows us to worship God (Jn. 4:24); and makes holiness possible (Heb. 10:10).

~ Dan Cottrell

SUNDAY MORNING SERMON:

“The Crucifixion of Christ (1)”
(Matthew 27: 11-14)

SUNDAY EVENING SERMON:

“Holiness”
(1 Peter 1: 13-16)

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SICK/PRAYER LIST



Dorothy Eaves' brother, **Byno Batey** is in Room #141 at: **Horizon Medical Center, 111 Highway 70 E, Dickson, TN 37055.**

Kathrin Yap's mother, **Ann Schurmann**, has now been diagnosed with a leaky valve in her heart. She is on medication, but this will postpone her surgery for a while. Continued prayers are requested. Her address:

**2120 Smithline Rd., Abbotsford, B.C.
Canada V3G 1Y6.**

Continue to remember Wes Head's niece, **Amanda Gambill**. She has health issues and is unable to care for her two small children at this time. Cards of encouragement can be sent to her at:

**5135 Nolensville Rd, Apt. Z-1
Nashville 37211.**

Beth Lincoln is recovering at home after surgery on her shoulder.

Continue to remember: Cherry Bolles, Nathan McDowell, Jerry Richardson & Danene Jamison.

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)

Tennessee Children's Home Spring Food & Supply Drive is under way. Please see list of items needed in the foyer. Donations of money can be given to any of the elders.

CHILDREN'S BIBLE HOUR TEACHERS FOR MARCH

3-5 Years: Keith & Julie Hart
K-7 Years: Cullen & Kendra Rodgers

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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 Wednesday morning at 10am.

Parents' Night Out is planned for Friday, March 14th. In charge this month are the Tucker family and the Stephen family.

Next Sunday the youth of the congregation will be in charge of the evening service. This is in preparation for Lads convention.

Today is the last day to sign up if you would like to play men's softball. See David Broome for more information.

KITE DAY AND EGG HUNT

WHEN: Saturday, March 15th
WHERE: Here at the church building
TIME: 11 a.m. until 2 p.m.
BRING: Your basket, kite & a lawn chair or blanket.

Everyone is invited! There will be an egg hunt for 5th grade & below, a picnic, kite flying & games for the children. Lunch will be provided by our Southern Hills cooking crew! Please bring desserts & drinks. Sign up on board in the hall by Wednesday, March 12th! **An accurate count is needed for the egg hunt and food preparation.** Every family participating needs to provide 24 pre-filled eggs or hide-able individually wrapped treats. Please place these items in the boxes in the foyer or fellowship hall TODAY!




SYMPATHY

We extend our sympathy to the Bufford family on the passing of Rose's father, Crawford Jones. His funeral was Tuesday.

Betty Wright passed away on Tuesday evening. Her memorial service was yesterday in Franklin. We want to extend our sympathy to her family.

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THOSE TO SERVE



Wednesday night will be the last day to bring your items for the gift card shower for Mary Margrette (Woodroof) and husband Ryan Parsille. They are registered at: **TARGET, MACYS, POTTERY BARN, AND BED, BATH & BEYOND.** There is a basket in the foyer to place your items. Talk to Wilma Cooley if you have any questions.

Wednesday Night Fellowship Meal

THIS Wednesday, March 12 ~ 6PM

On The Menu:
Ham Dinner



Sign Up By Tonight

SPECIAL SERIES
Dr. Dale Manor, a professor at Harding University, will present a special series of lessons on archeology and the Bible at the Fairview Church of Christ March 9-12. Services March 10-12 begin at 7pm.

Brian Ferguson's brother, Travis, has returned safely from Iraq!

ADULT RETREAT
It's not too early to be thinking about the Adult Retreat. The date is scheduled for November 14th and 15th at Paris Landing State Park. Prices and additional information coming later. Shad and Laura Herbert are in charge this year. They can answer any questions you may have.

TODAY ~ SUNDAY, March 9th

Ushers: DeWayne Johnston, Trey Pratt, Andy Stephen

Preside at Lord's Table: Ken Hardison

Serve the Lord's Supper: Elvis Caldwell, Lee Floyd, Len McKnatt, Jeff Rhodes

Reader: Michael Meade

Opening Prayer: Wes Head

Closing Prayer: Ryan Haedg

TONIGHT'S SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE:

P.M. Preside/Lord's Supper: David Broome

P.M. Reader: Michael Meade

P.M. Opening Prayer: Stoney Warren

Closing Prayer: Len McKnatt

THIS WEDNESDAY, March 12th

Opening Prayer: Stephen Lampley

Closing Prayer: Dale Alden

THE RECORD


Last Sunday (3/2)	Morning Worship	310
	Sun. School	252
	PM Worship	160
Wed. Night (3/5)	Bible Study	188

Contribution Last Sunday	\$ 12,762.00
Contribution YTD	98,189.00
Contribution Goal YTD	105,030.00

NURSERY- TODAY: March 9th

AM: Wilma Cooley & Wanda Ezell

PM: Julie Stephen & Maridith Smith



NURSERY - NEXT Sunday, March 16th

AM: Carrie & Maddie Alden

PM: Barbara Jones & Kaitlyn Lunn

COLLECT COMMUNION CUPS - March
The Floyd Family & the McCullough Family

FOOD GROUP LEADERS- March

Carol Terry - 595-0184
Gail Krech - 595-0412

BUILDING LOCK-UP - March
Dale Alden, Cullen Rodgers & Jeff Rhodes

QUARTERLY ELDER CHAIRMAN (Jan.-Mar.)
Dan Cottrell



...from Ken Reed

LADS NEWS & NOTES

** Today we will be having our parents' meeting about convention after Sunday school in the fellowship hall.

** All artwork entries for Lads need to be turned in by next Sunday, March 16th. Entries must have an entry form attached to the back of the artwork. See Lori Reed for a form.

** Our special ladies' classes will be this Wednesday (12th) and next Wednesday (19th). Our young ladies 3rd grade and up will be conducting the class in preparation for the Lads convention.

** Puppet practices continue **TODAY** at 3:30pm for all teams.

** Please let your puppet coach know if you will be missing practice due to Spring Break on March 16th.

** Next Sunday, March 16th the puppet teams will be presenting their skits after the evening service.



HORIZONS LEADERSHIP CAMP AT FREED HARDEMAN UNIV.

Start turning in your applications for Horizons at FHU! Horizons leadership camp will take place July 6-11 for Senior week (grades 10-12, ages 15-18) and July 13-18 for Junior week (grades 6-9, ages 11-14). The fee for Horizons is \$200. A \$100 deposit must be sent with the application form. Applications and deposit are due Wednesday, April 2nd. See Ken Reed for your application if you do not receive one in the mail.

KITE DAY NEXT WEEKEND!

Teens, next Saturday, March 15th is our annual Kite day & Easter egg hunt. We need your help filling & hiding eggs, playing games with the children & much more! Please be at the building around 10:30am on Saturday.

UPCOMING YOUTH EVENTS

■ Puppet Practice	TODAY
■ Parents Mtg. for Lads Convention	TODAY
■ Leaderettes conduct Ladies' Class	March 12
■ Kite Day	March 15
■ Art Work for Lads is Due	March 16
■ Youth Night & Puppets	March 16
■ Leaderettes Conduct Ladies' Class	March 19
■ Lads to Leaders Convention	March 21-23
■ Graduates Reception	May 18
■ VBS	June 2-4
■ Williamson County Bible Camp	June 15-20