

...from Andy Miller

**February 28 - Service Sunday** - 6th grade and up will have lunch and head to NHC for the monthly singing and service activity. Please bring \$10 for lunch. We will return in time for Lads to Leaders practice.

**Lads to Leaders**—We will practice today at 2pm. Please plan to be there and bring any materials such as scripts, speeches, song choices or Bible reading choice.

### Youth

TODAY - Service Sunday  
March 4 - 6, 2016 - Spring Retreat  
March 12, 2016 - Faulkner University Chorus  
March 13, 2016 -Kite Day  
March 24-26, 2016-Lads to Leaders  
June 2, 2016 - SYS at Southern Hills  
June 5-10, 2016—WCBC Bible Camp  
July 10 - 13, 2016 - Vacation Bible School

**March 21-Young Professionals Devo**-we will meet at the building at 6pm for dinner and devo.

**March 4 - 6** - Our annual **Spring Retreat** is finally here! We will plan to leave the building at 4:30pm on Friday. If you have a conflict with this please let Andy or Jennifer know as soon as possible. Lodging, activities, t-shirt and 3 meals are included in the \$100. All money is due before leaving on Spring Retreat. Please send money with your child for 3 additional meals and shopping or spending money that they will need. Please pack your Bible, comfortable clothes and shoes, toiletries and personal items. All bedding and linens are provided by the chalet, however, towels can get scarce, so it never hurts to pack a towel. If there are any activities in the Gatlinburg area or items that you do not wish for your child to purchase, please let us know in advance. We are looking forward to a great weekend of study and fellowship. We ask for prayers for a safe journey and an enhanced spiritual weekend for our youth.

Congratulations to **Kendell Hardison** on her selection to attend the 2016 TN Governor's School for the Humanities & for placing as the district's top attorneys in Mock Trial Competition. Also congratulations to **Claire Graham** & Columbia Academy Lady Bulldog basketball team for capturing the district championship title.

**KFC**  
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Sunday, February 28, 2016

#### ELDERS:

David Broome  
John Bufford  
Dan Cottrell  
John Cottrell  
Ken Hardison  
Jeff Rhodes  
Stoney Warren

#### DEACONS:

Dale Alden - Education  
Jimmy Campbell- Youth, Security, Day School  
David Cost - Benevolence  
Jimmy Davis-Youth  
John Dees - Health & Wellness  
Chris Doughtie - Youth  
Matt Ensor— Benevolence, New Member  
Chris Graham - Finance, Day School, Office Admin.  
Ryan Haedge— New Member, Advertising  
Dewayne Johnston-Building, Youth  
Herb Jones - Building, Worship, Senior Ministry  
Mike Kinnard— Edu. & Edification  
Phillip Mccullough—Education  
Len McKnatt - Day School  
Michael Meade - Tech., Youth  
Alex Melton-Worship  
Mike Mizer - Education  
Clint Oppermann—Finance, Office Admin.  
Matt Potts- Building  
John Pratt- Missions  
Cullen Rodgers— Advertising, Tech., Website  
Dave Sweeney-Worship, Day School, Senior Ministry  
Thomas Waggoner-Missions  
Daniel Winkler— Education

#### MINISTER:

Dan Cottrell

#### FAMILY LIFE MINISTER:

Andy Miller

#### YOUTH MINISTER:

Cody Lovett

#### SECRETARIES:

Pam Cost  
Katie Vanderpool

## Teaching & Teachers

James 3 discusses two things that can hurt the church. The first thing is misuse of the tongue (3: 1-12), while the second is jealousy and faction (3: 13-18). But the chapter begins with a reference to teachers (3: 1). James is not warning against teaching as such, but he is “warning those whose sole motive is the desire for notoriety.” There seems to have been a widespread problem in the early church in that many wanted to be teachers because teachers were held in high regard. As Woods stated, “What is condemned here is self-appointed teachers motivated by desires not worthy of those who teach and preach the word of God.”

Paul described those who “having swerved have turned aside unto vain talking; desiring to be teachers of the law, though they understand neither what they say, nor whereof they confidently affirm” (1 Tim. 1: 6-7 ASV). Later in the same letter Paul warned Timothy to “command and teach” the truth (4: 11), and to “give heed to...teaching” (4: 13). Then he wrote, “Take heed to thyself, and to thy teaching” (4: 16). Timothy was to teach others who in turn “shall be able to teach others also” (2 Tim. 2: 2).

The writer of Hebrews warned, “For when by reason of the time you ought to be teachers, ye have need again that someone teach you the rudiments of the first principles of the oracles of God; And are such as have need of milk, and not of solid food” (Heb. 5: 12). Teaching must be taken seriously!

~Dan Cottrell

#### SUNDAY MORNING SERMON

“The Final Week (2)”  
(John 12: 20-26)

#### SUNDAY EVENING SERMON:

“What is Your Life?”  
(James 4: 13-17)

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**SICK/PRAYER LIST**

**Joe Brooks** had a pacemaker put in on Tuesday. It went well and he is recovering at home.

**Marie Holman** has been moved. Her new address is: The Hearth at Franklin, 1035 Fulton Greer Lane, Room 438, Franklin, TN 37064. Marie is Dave Sweeney's mother.

Please remember Melissa Crumley's father, **William Dill**, in your prayers. He was sent home from the hospital with hospice.

**Blake Sweeney**, Dave & Jean's 4-year old grandson, had outpatient surgery at Vanderbilt on Tuesday. It went well.

**Dolores McMurry's** cancer is causing concern again. The family asks for our prayers. She is Mary Baucom's sister.

**Continue to Remember:** Mona Duty, Bruce Doughtie, Elizabeth Haley, Sammy Pratt, Nellie Smithson, Jimmy Smithson, Dean Billops, Rachel Haffner, Gail Krech, Jody Krech, Marguerite Steele, Stoney Warren, Bobbie Wilhoite, Ken Cooley, Doug and Marcia Spillers, Gary Gill, Brittany Sullivan

Our Shut-ins: Jane Davis, Nancilynn Dunn, Wilma Gower, Jean Henderson, Ruth and Russell Miller, Lawrence & Janet Cash

**GREETERS For March**

**The Kinnard Family**

**Pick Up Member/Visitors Cards**

**TODAY:** Quent Mizer & Luke Harrub

**March 6:** Joshua Oppermann & Cy Warren

**Columbia Academy's** Open House will be held on February 29th at the Spring Hill Campus and on March 6th at the Columbia Campus.

**March Items for Magi Boxes:** mild bar soap, wash cloths, gum, hard wrapped candy

Don't forget the Chorus from Faulkner University will be here on March 12 at 6:30. Dinner will follow. Sunday we will have a pot luck lunch followed by Kite Day activities.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Today is our monthly singing at NHC on Fairground St. in Franklin. Everyone be there at 1:30.

Team 2 will meet tonight after our evening service.

**Ladies Bible Class** will meet on Wednesday at 10am.

The March issue of Gospel Advocate is available in the foyer.

After the responses the Elders received it has been decided that Sunday evening services will remain at 5pm permanently.

There will be a SHARE Group organizational meeting Sunday morning, March 6th, immediately following Bible School in Room 100, next to Dan's office. We will discuss our plans for 2016. Please attend.

The elders have decided to do a new pocket directory. As we have done in the past, there will be a book in the foyer on the round table with what current information we have. Please check your name and make any corrections. If it needs no corrections, please put your initials beside it so we will know you have looked it over.

Nashville Inner City Ministry Catfish Dinner will be on April 1st. If you are interested in going there is a sign up sheet in the foyer. Tables must be reserved so please sign up by March 6th. See Vi Waldrep if you have any questions.

**Eastern European Missions** will be having their annual meal and fundraiser at The Factory in Franklin on March 10th at 7pm. If you are interested in attending sign up in the foyer or back board by Sunday, March 6. If you have questions, see John Pratt or Thomas Waggoner.

Our sympathy is extended to Donnaveene Holt on the passing of her uncle, Dr. Carl Watts, Sr. His service was on Friday.

Our sympathy goes out to the Campbell family on the passing of Jim Campbell's brother. His funeral was in Florida.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Fellowship Meal**

On Wednesday

**March 2nd ~ 5:30- 6:15pm**

**On The Menu:**

Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes,

Green Bean Casserole, Roll, Chess Pie

Beverages

**Pay TODAY - \$10/\$5**

**TENNESSEE CHILDRENS HOME**

**Food and Supply Drive Spring 2016**

**Items Needed**

- 100% Bottled Apple & Grape Juice
- Bisquick
- Baked Beans
- Honey Mustard Dressing (non Refrigerated)
- Pop Tarts
- Kool-Aid (cannisters)
- Canned Tuna
- Mayonnaise
- Velveeta Cheese
- Beef Stew



- Twin Bed Sheet Sets
- Liquid Pump Hand Soap
- Kitchen/Bathroom Spray Cleaner
- Paper Towels
- Men's Deodorant
- Bleach

**Last chance! No teacher has signed up for either class for Sunday night Bible Hour. We will have to cancel if no one volunteers.**

**CHILDRENS' BIBLE HOUR TEACHERS FOR**

**February:**

**3 years-Pre-K: John Pratt Family**

**K-2nd Grade: Susan McMillan**

**THOSE TO SERVE**

**TODAY- SUNDAY, Feb. 28, 2016**

**USHERS:** John Cottrell, Will Harrub, Dave Sweeney, Daniel Winkler

**Preside at Lord's Table:** Bob Terry

**Serve the Lord's Supper:** Bayley Dees, Michael Meade, Trey Pratt, John Wood

**Reader:** Brian Wahl

**Opening Prayer:** Tony Tucker

**Closing Prayer:** Stoney Warren

**TONIGHT'S EVENING SERVICE**

**P.M. Preside/Lord's Supper:** Randy Holt

**P.M. Reader:** Brian Wahl

**Opening Prayer:** Mike Kinnard

**Closing Prayer:** Len McKnatt

**THIS WEDNESDAY, March 2, 2016**

**Opening Prayer:** Buddy Krech

**Closing Prayer:** Mike Kinndard

**Song Leader:** John Rhodes

**THE RECORD**

|                        |                 |     |
|------------------------|-----------------|-----|
| Last Sunday (2/21/16)  | Morning Worship | 275 |
|                        | Sunday School   | 245 |
|                        | PM Worship      | 193 |
| Wednesday Night (2/24) |                 | 144 |

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| Contribution Last Sunday: | \$ | 8,807.00   |
| Contribution YTD          |    | 112,634.00 |
| Contribution Goal YTD     |    | 116,648.00 |

**NURSERY TODAY—Feb. 28, 2016**

AM: Kendra, Berkley & Perry Rodgers

PM: Tracey McKnight & Alaina McCullough



**NURSERY-NEXT SUNDAY—March 6, 2016**

AM: Peggy Hill & Patti Elliott

PM: Cherie & Mary Grace Warren

**COLLECT COMMUNION CUPS— March**

Melton Family & Doughtie Family

**BUILDING LOCK-UP-March**

Matthew Ensor & Jimmy Campbell

**FOOD GROUP LEADERS—March**

Carol Terry—615-595-0184

Beverly Smithson—615-790-0773

**Monthly Elder Chairman-March**

Dan Cottrell