

# CENTERVILLE Church of Christ

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*Bryan McAlister*

"I Hope You Know"



**ibelieve - Jesus, the Christ, is the Son of God. He came to the earth as a man, yet set aside all the privilege of being God, and became everything every soul would ever need to find healing, hope, and the way to heaven. His words are full of truth, just as He is. The Scriptures which speak of Him are infallible. My interpretation, understanding, and perception must always be scrutinized; but His word, His teaching, everything He is, will endure forever. The best news is, if I believe in Him, if I believe Him, all that He has said to me is true, then I will live with Him, forever. Philippians 2:5-8, John 1:14; 14:1-4; 12:48, II Corinthians 13:5, II Timothy 3:16-17, and John 11:26 are His truths teaching us to believe.**

**ibelieve - Jesus controls, and thus can do all things, especially when it comes to knowing when to do them. His words at the wedding in Cana of Galilee were not mere words, they were the theme of His entire ministry, "My hour has not yet come" (John 2:4). He controls the timing of how lives can change. He controls the way lives are changed by turning them into a brand new life for the sake of the soul living an abundant life here and hereafter. When Jesus turned water to wine at Cana of Galilee, His first sign of being the Messiah was to reassure all, no matter what, He can make you new and fill up the empty, and make you extraordinary.**

**ibelieve - Jesus confronts what needs removing. He entered the temple (John 2:13-17), and knew there was so much wrong, so much defiled, so much being denied when it came to the pursuit of the holiness the temple represented. He confronted who needed confrontation. He cleansed what needed cleansing, and He completed what needed completing, namely the scriptures of prophecy (John 2:17).**

**ibelieve - Jesus consoles the hearts of those burdened by the cares of sorrow and sadness and wants me to know I am not alone. His tears at the grave of Lazarus give me the assurance He knows how I feel when I am grieved (John 11:35). When He wept, He answered the anger that comes in death and grief (John 11:21). When He wept He answered the assurance we seek when a death has touched our hearts (John 11:25). When He wept He answered the aloneness which so easily overwhelms the heart in the time of death (John 11:33). Jesus consoles us, when no one else can, He reaches us.**

**ibelieve - This is our theme for vacation bible school, but I pray you see the lessons we can all learn from the works of our Lord Jesus. Each year we invite and encourage our young people to attend VBS, and this year is no different. At the same time we want to call on our adults and friends of the community to share the days with us and take part in the learning and study of God's word. This Sunday morning we will highlight part two, Jesus Confronts, and His words will point us to the cleansing He promises. I hope you know we want to share this time with you and look forward to seeing you Sunday and for VBS, June 20-22.**

## Spotlight on Leaders...

For the next few weeks, we will be spotlighting our Deacons and their families to show our appreciation for the work. This week, we are featuring...

### The Lonnie Mayberry Family



Lonnie, Kay, and Will Mayberry live at 1049 Hwy. 50 Centerville, Tennessee. Lonnie serves on the Transportation Ministry and the Youth Ministry.



### Summer Camp at Meribah

#### Camp Scholarships

Goal : \$11,652

Golf Tournament: \$2,138

Alumni Scholarships: \$ 1,860

Memorials: \$ 985

May For Meribah Donations: \$ 2,284

Balance Needed: \$4,385

Thanks for Your Help With This!

## Youth in the News...

Congratulations to....Bailey Gilbert, member of the Millionaire Readers Club; Ethan Skelton, Soccer MVP and Coach's Choice MVP, Most Athletic Award, American Legion Citizenship Award; Kolton Miley, Perfect Attendance; Tori Hughes, Top Ten Sophomore Class; Hannah Pendergrass, Salutatorian of the Freshman Class; Cheyenne Atkinson, Health Occupations Award and Class Clown; Zach Ghant, Spanish Award, Most Likely to Change the World; Dillon Johnson, Dynamic Duo Award.

We are proud of all of you!



*His L.I.G.H.T.*  
LEAD, IMITATE, GLORIFY, HUMBLE, TOUCH  
Chris Webb

ALL I HAVE HEARD IS GREAT.... reports from Daughters of the King Camp Kerusso! The girls had an absolute blast and a very educational week. This was the first year of Camp Kerusso for the girls with hopefully many more to follow! I want to say a special thank you to Cyndi Hughes and Sheila Chessor who worked so hard organizing and planning this event. They also had several others helping out through the week and for that we are thankful. It's awesome to see so many in our church family involved with our youth. The impact of such weekends will be seen for years to come in the lives of these teenagers! What a blessing!



### COMING SOON...

-June 12-17  
Camp Meribah  
Week 1

CAMP MERIBAH IS LESS THAN A WEEK AWAY AND I.... know that the excitement is at an all time high! Applications are still available and need to be turned in ASAP! You can pick them up in the church office or print them off of the summer camp website. I also want to commend our congregation on how generous the giving has been for Camp Meribah this year. The youth deacons crunched the numbers and set a goal for us to raise \$11,652 for camp scholarships this year. The goal is for no child to be turned down for camp. Since that number was set, through many efforts, that balance now sits at \$4,385. That is amazing! It's so encouraging to see such a great ministry continue to flourish and be supported! Thank you, thank you, for all that you do to see that our young people have the opportunity to know God, study His word and build a relationship with Him! This is truly a special place and I thank God for your hearts! What a blessing!

I JUST WANT YOU TO KNOW WHAT A BLESSING IT IS.... to live in Centerville, Tennessee and worship alongside of you. My family and I feel blessed beyond what we could ever express to be at such a place. My kids come home on a regular basis and tell about how someone at worship talked to them, gave them a high five, or slipped them a sucker when we weren't watching! They aren't old enough to realize yet how special this place truly is. I want to say thank you for allowing us to work by your side. There have been good days and bad, but feeling the love and support of such a church family is enough to help any Christian persevere! From your example, I have learned how to be a better Christian, a better father, and a better husband. I don't know of a better way for a church family to help one another! What a blessing!

Light the Way-Chris



Wednesday June 8

TBA 5-9p

Wednesday June 15

Need Host 5-9p

## STEWARDSHIP REPORT

### SUNDAY'S CONTRIBUTION

**\$ 13,180.81**

**BUDGET -\$ 12,724.00**

**Sunday School - \$ 181.01**

**Mable Dunn Fund - \$ 600.00**

Many families have made the commitment to  
"Be In For Ten"

Adding an additional \$10.00 to their current Contribution.  
There are 236 families within our Church Family.  
IMAGINE THE POTENTIAL !!!



## Area Events

...Gospel Meeting at the Little Rock Church of Christ, June 12-15.

Speaker: Bobby Kelley Sunday A.M. Bible Study - 10:00 A.M.; Worship Service - 11:00 A.M. Fellowship meal to follow. 7:30 P.M. each evening, with singing at 7:00 P.M.

...Gospel Meeting at the Fairview Church of Christ June 12-15, 2011.

Sunday A.M. classes at 9:30 A.M.; Sunday morning worship at 10:15 A.M.; Sunday-Wednesday evening worship at 7:00 P.M. Speaker: Bill McDonald. Please join us for a potluck lunch following Sunday A.M. services!

...Benefit for Steve Bowen at the River Park June 18, 2011. Fishing tournament, live music, food, and games. Need desserts for the sale and to give away. Live auction and door prizes. Contact Chris at 931-729-0600 or First Farmers Bank for information.

## Donations



Members of the McNabb Family have given a donation to the Day School. We appreciate this donation!

The Centerville Church of Christ has received 3 donations for Framing the Future!



Correction....Paul & Liz Bryant's 51st Anniversary is June 4th, 2011.

## Baptism



We rejoice with Luke Worsham, son of Laura and Tony Powers, who was baptized by Mike Brown Sunday, June 5th, 2011. We are proud of you!

### NEWS & EVENTS:

...June 9 Visitation Team 2 meets at the Outreach Center.

...June 12 Week 1 Camp Meribah

...June 19 Father's Day

...June 19 Men's Monthly Business Meeting at 5:00 p.m. in the chapel.

...June 20-22 Day Camp & VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL Theme: iBelieve

## Sympathy

...We express our sympathy to the family of Ruth Davis who passed away recently. She was a member of our congregation but had lived in Columbia for the last few years.

...We express our sympathy to Gena Ghant at the loss of her grandmother last week.

...We express our sympathy to the family of Eric Hulsey of Cross Plains, Tn. He was the cousin of Chris Webb. His service was held in Kentucky last week.

...We express our sympathy to the family of Howard Rogers of Rogersville, Tennessee, who passed away last week. He was the father of Rob Rogers of the Beaverdam Community.

## Thanks !

The Family of Adell Griggs writes :

" We want to thank each of you for all that was done at the death of our mother. The food, cards, flowers, words of condolences, and encouragement have meant so much. In Christian Love, Phil, Joanie, Tim & Families"

Janet Barber writes: " I want to thank everyone for all of the concern, phone calls, cards, and all acts of kindness shown to me at the loss of my brother. I am very thankful for my Christian friends at the Centerville Church of Christ."

Bobby Bates writes: " My deepest thanks for all the care given, prayers, and concern for me Sunday. It is a blessing that we have so many people trained to give first aid."

Bob & Kathy McDonald write:

" Thank you for your prayers for Melody Dwyer. She has been moved to rehabilitation and may go home within a week."

Mozine Atkinson writes: " I would like to thank you for the calls, cards, prayers, visits, and every expression of concern during my recent hospital stay and ongoing recovery.



## Please Pray for...

...Eric Hughes had ankle surgery June 6th at Baptist Hospital due to infection. He is recovering at home.

...Charlie Shelton had hip replacement surgery on June 7th at Baptist Hospital.

...Don Luther has recently been diagnosed with prostate cancer. He is undergoing tests to see what treatment is necessary.

...Wilson Lockett, the father of Judy Gordon, is presently a resident of the Life Care Center.

...Doug True has been in the hospital the last few days. He is at home recovering.

...Henry Bradford, the brother-in-law of Margaret McCord, was in a serious car accident and suffered a broken neck. He is in Vanderbilt Hospital. His wife, Lillian, is a resident of the Life Care Center.

...Linda Woods, sister of Wayne Chessor, is very sick in Baptist Hospital suffering with cancer.

...Joyce Primm, sister-in-law of Wayne & Carolyn Chessor, is at home suffering with cancer.

...Pauline Tilley is presently a resident of the Life Care Center.

...Curtis McCord is recovering from surgery at the Life Care Center.

...Thelma Chessor, mother of Wayne Chessor, is now a resident of the Life Care Center.

...Chris Love, the brother of Letitia Allen, had a heart defibrillator implanted on Friday at Vanderbilt Hospital. He is doing well and recovering at home.

...Ray Stewart has returned home from Williamson Medical Center.

...Martha Jo Wallace is recovering at home from back surgery.

...Craig Sanders (brother of Clay Sanders) & his wife Lindsey are expecting twin boys. She has been confined to bed rest and requests our prayers that she will carry the twins for a few more weeks before delivering.

...Marie Lawhon has been moved back to the Life Care Center.

...Allison Hubbard, the great niece of Karen Bridges, is recovering from eye surgery at Vanderbilt Hospital.

Home: Danny Galey, Edward Loveless, Francis Coble Harris, Dorothy Easley, Troy Parks, Sue Roder, Belva Goins, James & Louise Westmoreland, Jean Plemmons.

## Our Elders



Bobby Bates



Bill Davis



Lonnie Gilliam



Mike Goodpasture



Bill McDonald



Wayne Qualls



Alfred Williams

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**Team Harvest** "Lessons from the Field" a new weekly web-cast by **Harvest Time Outreach** will start airing each week on June 5th. This web-cast can be seen on the church web site at [Centervillechurchofchrist.org](http://Centervillechurchofchrist.org) or on the **Harvest Time Outreach Facebook page**.  
*(Schedule Listed Below)*



Don't forget...

We just love your homemade cookies at ybs.....can you make some for us ???.....

June 6	Emotions
June 13	Emotions
June 20	For the Dads
June 27	Pursuit
July 4	Soft Talk
July 11	Train'em Right (intro)
July 18	Train'em Right
July 25	Shellcracker
August 1	Never Give Up Part 1
August 8	Never Give Up Part 2
August 15	Instinct
August 22	Field to Kitchen (Highlights)
August 29	Wheelin' in the Country
September 5	Friends and Family
September 12	Veterans
September 19	Connor's Spring Turkey (for the Kids)

**Deadline** for submission of applications for a **Nick's Scholarship Award** is **July 1, 2011**. Applications are in the vestibule. Applicants need to accomplish two things: 1. Pick up and read the **CENTERVILLE CHURCH OF CHRIST SCHOLARSHIP FUND INFORMATION SHEETS**. Complete the applications and turn in to the church office. Those who received scholarships last year **MUST APPLY FOR THE UPCOMING SCHOOL YEAR.**

**READ SCRIPTURE**

June 12 - Carter Hoover  
 June 19 - Brandon McCauley

**Prayer Week of June 12**

S.M.W. Chris Webb S.E.W. Chris Teet W.E.B.S. Mike Brown	S.M.D. John Bradley S.E.D. Jeremy Qualls W.E.D. Cody Woods
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