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Bryan McAlister

"I Hope You Know"

*Oh Jesus if I die upon a foreign field some day,
'Twould be no more than love demands, no less could I
repay,
"No greater love hath mortal man than for a friend to
die"*

*These are the words He gently spoke to me,
"If just a cup of water I place within your hand,
Then just a cup of water, is all that I demand,
But if by death to living they can thy glory see,
I'll take my cross and follow close to thee.*

We have seen come and go, Memorial Day for this 2012. The "official" start of summer is here, according to the calendar of planning, travel, and leisure. It is fitting, for all the things families and individuals enjoy this time of year, that this time begins with a moment of remembrance for those whose sacrifices have made such liberties possible.

For Christians, the first day of the week, stands as a constant remembrance not just of death, but of life and hope after death. Of all that our Savior gave for us, His love, His humility, and ultimately His life and triumph over the grave, what is the least that we can return to Him? Can we, will we, make our lives a living sacrifice, seeking to bring others to Christ? As the above lyrics state, "this is no more than love demands."

When we pause to consider what Jesus has done for us, what does that sacrifice motivate us to do for Him? Jesus called it a "joy" (Hebrews 12:2) to come to the earth in the form of man, live among men a life of honor and humility and then give that life as a sacrifice in the place of yours and mine. Did you remember this plan was from the beginning (John 1:1) and that from before the foundation of the world, Jesus lived in eternal union with the Father (John 17:1-3)? It's worth remembering not just the sacrifice of our Lord,



but the eternal truth, we have always been loved by Him.

The number of people we will meet and know in our lifetime borders on immeasurable. If you were told that you are the only one "someone" will ever meet who knows the truth of Who Jesus is and what He has done for the souls of the world, what would you do? As far as we know, Philip was the only one that went to the Ethiopian Eunuch and preached Christ to him. Had Philip and the eunuch never met, the eunuch would not have ever learned the identity of "the lamb" in Isaiah 53. Nor would he have known to ask, "See, here is water, what hinders me from being baptized" (Acts 8:36)?

We remember so many moments of life, and we are thankful. Just as there were some who did not and do not "honor" the sacrifices of military and uniformed service men and women, there are countless more who never honor the life and legacy of Jesus Christ. Do you remember? Will you remember? When you remember, will you share with others what He has done for you? I hope you know how much He has given and how worthy He is of being remembered!

Roger Dotson, Superintendent		
Pre-School Ruth Reece, Supervisor		
Class	Room	Teachers
Nursery	109	Hattie Delk
Babyland	B6	Regina Elkins, Tracy Wright <u>Wed.</u> Tonya Oliphant, Jessica Dressler
Age 2	B8	Jera & Morgan Petroski <u>Wed.</u> Tabitha Beard, Hannah Goodpasture
Age 3	B14	Henrietta Rochelle, Helen Simmons
Age 4	B16	Andy & Jenny Weber <u>Wed.</u> Ages 3 & 4 Christine Hoover
Kindergarten	B18	Chris & Cecily Haithcoat <u>Wed.</u> Meredith Qualls

Primary Faye Dotson, Supervisor		
Grade 1	208	Shelby Prince
Grade 2	206	Janice Brown <u>Wed.</u> 1 & 2 Jean Qualls
Grade 3	200	Need Teacher
Grade 4	204	June Roder <u>Wed.</u> 3,4,5 Vicki Chessor

Jr./Sr. High George Dotson, Supervisor		
5th & 6th Grade Girls	215	Melody Skelton
5th & 6th Grade Boys	220	Eric Hughes
7th & 8th Grades	224	Pat Sullivan
9th-12th Grades	B7	Chris Webb <u>Wed.</u> Grades 6-12

Adult Don Qualls, Supervisor		
20/30 'S	222	Craig Shelton, Mike Elkins
Adults	225	Bill McDonald, Shane Willis
Adults	218	Wayne Qualls
Adults	214	Lonnie Gilliam <u>Wed.</u> Young Men Bill McDonald
Ladies	Chapel	Various Ladies
	<u>Wed.</u> Library/ Conference Rm.	Various Ladies Wanda Givens
Adult	Fellowship Hall	Ward Mayberry
Adults	Auditorium	Different Men <u>Wed.</u> Bryan McAlister & Others

June Birthdays/Anniversaries



Paul & Liz Bryant
Married 52 Years
June 4, 2012



Robert & Marge Gilmer
Married 53 Years
June 12, 2012



Lula Mae Gilliam
96 Years Old
June 12, 2012



Ward & Idell Mayberry
Married 60 Years
June 21, 2012



James & Louise Westmoreland
Married 67 Years
June 23, 2012

Area Events

...2012 *Summer Series* at the *Eastside Church of Christ*, 1024 East Valley Drive, Columbia, TN 38401 Tuesdays at 6:30 P.M., June 5th - August 7th. Theme: *Why Should We Believe ? Different Speakers & Topics each evening.*

...*Vacation Bible School* at the *Brushy Church of Christ*, 774 Hwy. 48 South, Centerville, TN 37033 *June 3-6* Sunday A.M. Bible Class 9:00 A.M.; Worship 10:00 A.M.; Sunday Evening 7:30 P.M. Monday—Wednesday Nights at 7:00 P.M. *Ice Cream and Cookies on Wednesday Night !*

...2012 *Summer Series* at the *Pasquo Church of Christ*, 8363 Hwy. 100, Nashville, TN 37221 7:00 P.M. each Thursday evening; June 14 - August 30. Theme: *The Holy Spirit* Different Speakers Each Evening.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

CONTRIBUTION

\$ 10,611.95

BUDGET -\$ 12,820.00

Sunday School - \$ 148.15

Many families have made the commitment to

"Be In For Ten"

Adding an additional \$10.00 to their current Contribution.

There are 250 Families within our Church Family.

IMAGINE THE POTENTIAL !!!



June Events...

...June 10-15 *Camp Meribah Week 1.*

...June 14 *Visitation Team 2* meets at the Outreach Center at 6:30.

...June 17 *Father's Day*

...June 17 *Men's Monthly Business Meeting* at 5:00 P.M. in the chapel.

...June 17 *Visitation Team 3* meets at the Outreach Center following evening worship service.

...June 18- 20 *VBS & Day Camp Week 2*

...June 24-29 *Camp Meribah Week 3*



...Mindy James is recovering from surgery.

...Terry Bradley, the son of Geneva Bradley, is recovering from surgery at home and is doing well.

...Liam King, infant son of Corey & Mandy, has been sick for several days. He is at home.

The following are recovering from surgery or dealing with an illness:
Doug Burchard, Bruce Bowen, Mollie Orton, Janie Billions, Andrea Spears, Doris King, Cynthia Mitchell, James Dwyer, Robert Pitts, Lisa Shepherd, Bill Merrick, Robert Bryant, Kathy Lawhon, Kolby Westmoreland, Janie Warren.

Home: Curtis & Margaret McCord, Dorothy Easley, Jean Plemmons, J.W. & Sue Roder, Troy Parks, Edward Loveless, Belva Goins, James & Louise Westmoreland.

Nursing Home Residents: Life Care Center: Francis Harris, H.D. Fann, Stephen Church, Stella Breece, Ruth Stephenson, Nicus Loveless, Elsie Mathis, Thelma Chessor, Thelma Deitmen, Lillian Bradford, Ida Mable Gerard, Lois Masters.

Hickman County Nursing Home: Jean Davidson, Brown Breece

Remeo

Owen Barber

Room 218B

1414 County Hospital Road

Nashville, TN 37218

*Remembering those
who paid for our
freedom.*



Memorials

...a Memorial has been given to the Camp Meribah Scholarship Fund in memory of Josh Bryant by Clay, Tara, and Braydon Chessor.

...a Memorial has been given to the Framing the Future Fund in memory of Alfred Williams by the Piedmont Church of Christ.

...a donation has been given to the Day School by the McNabb Family.

...a Memorial has been given to the Day School for rose plantings in memory of Inis Puckett by Margaret Lyons.

Sympathy

...We express our sympathy to the family of Ann Orton who passed away. She was the sister of Robert Orton and the aunt of Karen Phillips.

..We express our sympathy to the family of Elton Jackson who passed away. Mr. Jackson was the Minister of the Grinder's Creek Church of Christ in Lewis County.

Brandon, Amy, and Andrew Bryant

write: "Thank you for the calls, cards, food, and prayers as we mourned Josh's passing. The love of our church family is a blessing, and we greatly appreciate each of you. Many thanks..."

James & Glenda Coates write: "James and I want to thank everyone for the calls and cards sent during his recent accident & illness. Please keep us in your prayers."

Steven Church writes: "Thank you all for your prayers during my recent illness and recovery. I am over my pneumonia and my single kidney is once again working normally. Like I told Joyce, 'It is the miracle we prayed for!' Again, thank you for your prayers and concern for me. It is great to be a part of this loving Christian family."

Jack & Barbara Wood write: "We want to thank everyone for the prayers, food, calls, and visits. It meant a lot to us and helped us get through the last 2 months."

Baby Boys !



...Congratulations to Jose and Beth Valdovinos on the birth of a baby boy, Houston Bennett. He was born May 23, 2012, and weighed 9lbs. 5 ozs. Proud grandparents are George & Cindy Garland.

...Congratulations to Coty Atkinson and Cain Shephard on the birth of a son, Caiden River Shephard. He was born May 26, 2012, and weighed 8 lbs. 10 ozs. And is 21 inches long. Grandparents are James & Dana Atkinson, and great-grandmother is Mozine Atkinson.

Requesting Prayers



Sarah Burlison requested your prayers Sunday night as she strives to live a Christian life. Sarah's address is : 400 Peters Branch Road, Centerville, TN 37033

Baptism...

Lewis Newcomb was baptized on May 24, 2012, by members of the Jail Ministry.





The *Scholarship Committee* is now accepting applications for awards from the fund for the 2012-2013 academic year. Applications are available in the church office and must be submitted no later than June 8th to be considered at the committee meeting on June 10th.

Regardless of previous scholarship awards a new application must be submitted for the upcoming semester.

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John Smith will be on a Mission Trip to *Colorado, Montana, Wyoming* for the next 2 months...



Monty, Amy, Brianna, Hayden Dunn, Vanessa McMullin and *Allison Gilbert*, will be going on a Mission Trip to the *Turks & Caicos Islands* June 8—12, 2012.

Remember Them In Your Prayers...

Worship Involvement : Please contact the following if you are unable to serve :

Dorris Claud 931-729-2933
Lonnie Mayberry 931-242-2644
Bryan Woods 931-994-7042
John Bradley 931-994-7358

Those to Serve in...June

Wait on Table

1st Sunday
Paul Bryant
2nd Sunday
Jim Hudgins
3rd Sunday
Mark Chessor
4th Sunday
Larry Lawhon
Left
Mike Elkins
Bill Cude
Don Roder
Terry Harrington
Right
Craig Shelton
Chris Teet
Pat Sullivan
Jeremy Qualls

Alternates

Mike Brown
David Brown

Lord's Supper P.M.

James Aydelott
Warren Potts
Served in the Chapel

PRAYER WEEK

OF June 3
S.M.W.
Marshall
Spencer
S.M.D.
Ethan Skelton
S.E.W.
Warren Potts
S.E.D.
Daniel Dressler
W.E.B.S.
W.E.D.
Elders

Meals On Wheels

6/6 Ann Spencer
6/13 Martha Loveless
6/20 Becky Gatewood
6/27 Marie Bates
PICK-UP MEALS AT 10:40

USHERS: Bobby Breece,
Frank Atkinson, Randy
Wright, Robert Bowman

To Drive Bus in June

6/3	Brandon McCauley	A.M.
	Lonnie Mayberry	P.M.
6/6	Mike Goodpasture	
6/10	John Bradley	A.M.
	Mark Chessor	P.M.
6/13	George Garland	
6/17	Patrick Allen	A.M.
	Phillip Allen	P.M.
6/20	David Hudgins	
6/24	Michael Bryant	A.M.
	Lonnie Mayberry	P.M.
6/27	George Garland	

BOYS TO PICK UP CARDS IN JUNE

1st SUNDAY - Thomas Alderson, Heath Buchanan, McKale Baltz, Trevor Buchanan
2nd SUNDAY - John Jacobs, Eli Jacobs, Gage Dotson, Grant Dotson
3rd SUNDAY - Riley Haithcoat, Bryce Hughes, Jared Brown, Jackson Thigpen
4th SUNDAY - Major Qualls, Aiden Wallace, Lincoln Smith, Lake Bates
Please be up front by 8:50

READ SCRIPTURE

June 3 Monty Dunn
June 10 Craig Shelton

NURSERY

Allison Gilbert
Christine Hoover
BAPTISMAL CLOTHING
Ruth Reece

GREETERS

Mike & Ridonna Goodpasture
Matthew & Cecily Dotson
Gaylon Cude
J.B. & Carolyn Brown

RADIO ROOM

Griffin Elkins
Riley Qualls
Mark Chessor

NURSING HOME SERVICES

<u>LIFE CARE CENTER</u>	<u>HICKMAN COUNTY NURSING HOME</u>
6/3 Shane Willis	6/3 Alan & Warren Potts
6/10 David Hudgins	6/10 Mike Brown
6/17 Daniel Dressler	6/17 Marshall Spencer
6/24 Larry Lawhon	6/24 Robert Bowman
<u>Tulipwood Service</u> - John Bradley	