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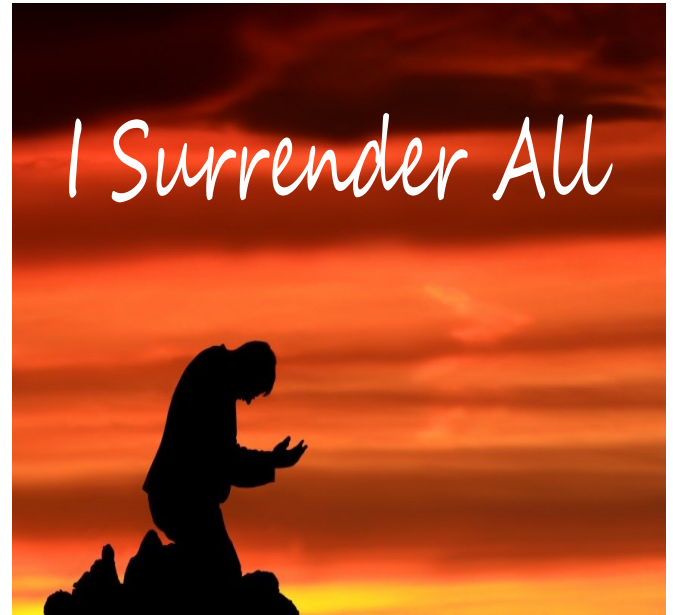
Bryan McAlister

"I Hope You Know"

Of all the things we want to do with our sins, our greatest desire is to cover up our sin. We'd just as soon spend as much energy, effort, resources, and time that we have available to keep our sin hidden, out of the public eye, and away from the knowledge of our loved ones, family and our friends. We'll go to any length, to keep our sin either hidden or excused away so that we can continue to have life our way. We'll surround ourselves with people who know our sin but we have convinced them we've done no wrong, and they support us in our sin. Never forget, agreed upon sin is still sin. We'll even go to great lengths to convince others our sin is permissible, right, or good. If they do not agree with us, they're no longer our friends and now they become the problem to be eliminated and not our sin. If you don't believe me, ask a man named Abel, whose blood still speaks, because of the evil of his brother Cain, who wanted nothing more than the reminder of his unfaithfulness to be removed from before him.

When Joshua lead Israel into the promised land, he saw them through victory after victory. But when they came to the land of Ai, Israel was defeated. Joshua was devastated, so much so that he tore his clothes, fell to the ground, and cried out before the Lord. But the Lord gave clear reason for why the defeat came, "Israel has sinned, and they have also transgressed My covenant which I commanded them. For they have even taken some of the accursed things, and have both stolen and deceived; and they have also put it among their own stuff" (Joshua 7:11). It was one man, Achan, who had stolen goods from the Babylonians, things which the Lord had forbidden them from taking, and he hid them among his own possessions, beneath his tent. He tried to cover it up, but the cover up never lasts forever.

"Now it came to pass in those days, when Moses was grown, that he went out to his brethren and looked at their burdens. And he saw an Egyptian beating a Hebrew, one of his brethren. So he looked this way and that way, and when he saw no one, he killed the Egyptian and hid him in the sand"



(Exodus 2:11-12). Moses would have been relieved had it not been for the one who saw his actions and reminded Moses of what he had done. You see, he tried to cover it up, but the cover up never lasts forever.

Abraham, by great faith, left all he knew in order to go to a land which God would show him. Along the journey, twice, Abraham would lie about his relationship with his wife, calling her his sister. He would cover up and deceive the occupants of the countries to which he would travel, for fear of his wife being captured and him being killed. Twice his fears were realized, and twice he lied, and twice his wife (whom he lied and called his sister), was still taken by the locals. You see, the cover up, no matter the reason, never lasts forever (Genesis 12:12-13; 20:2).

Adam and Eve clearly (and literally) proved, the cover up has been going on since the world began (Genesis 3:7) "For there is nothing covered that will not be revealed, nor hidden that will not be known" (Luke 12:2). Of all we must be and can be to the world, we need no more baskets or covers for the light of the world. I hope you know, we need men and women willing to no longer cover their sin, but be cleansed by the Savior (Revelation 1:5).

Promotion Day and Fall Quarter

Sunday, August 2, 2015

Wed. Night August 5, 2015



YOUTH ON HIS PATH
PRAISE, APPLY, TEACH, HEIGHTEN
 CRAIG SHELTON

New Nursery

Class:

3-18 mo. Nursery Tara Chessor, Vicki Chessor

Toddler Class

18-24 mo. Babyland Ashley Thomas, Lindsay Newsom (Combined) Wed. Regina Elkins, Adley Elkins

Age 2	200	Heather Martin, Alice Anne Jacobs <u>Wed.</u> Kristy Wallace, Rachel Newsom
Age 3	204	Eric & Amanda Mayberry
Age 4	206	Bryan & Lori Woods <u>Wed.</u> Ages 3 & 4 Vanessa McMullin, Allison Gilbert
Kindergarten	208	Tonya Oliphant, Jessica Dressler <u>Wed.</u> Becky Coleman
Grade 1& 2	220	Katie Woods <u>Wed.</u> 1st & 2nd Grade Cyndi Hughes
Grade 3	224	Barry & Melissa Shelton
Grade 4	226	June Roder <u>Wed.</u> 3rd & 4th Grade Emily Gatewood
Grade 5	221	Cody Woods <u>Wed.</u> Eric Coleman
Jr. High 6,7,8	B4	Philip Jacobs
Sr. High	222	Craig Shelton & Others <u>Wed.</u> Gr. 6-12 C. Shelton & Others
20/30 `s Sun. & Wed.	214	Craig Shelton, Matthew Dotson, Mike Elkins, Bryan McAlister
Adults	225	Bill McDonald, Shane Willis
Adults	218	Wayne Qualls
Men	218	<u>Wed.</u> B. McDonald
Adults	Aud.	M. Goodpasture, D. Dressler <u>Wed.</u> Bryan McAlister
Adults	Lib.	Ward Mayberry
Adults	1st Floor	Lonnie Gilliam
Ladies	Chapel	<u>Wed.</u> Joy McDonald
Ladies	Library	<u>Wed.</u> Henrietta Rochelle
Ladies	Conf. Rm.	<u>Wed.</u> Wanda Givens

July 31
 BACK TO
 SCHOOL
 CALENDAR
 AVAILABLE
 SUNDAY

A MARVELOUS MONTANA MISSION TRIP! Wow! What an unforgettable eleven days we experienced between July 8 and the 18th. We traveled 6000 miles, visited several historical sites and parks as we spent close to 100 hours in our vans. Most of all,

we were able to encourage and be encouraged by the West Yellowstone church and the Hamilton church. Our group did a fantastic job teaching classes, leading songs, and a whole lot more with the Vacation Bible School. Our thanks goes to each of these congregations for their hospitality and their kindness. Thank you to John & Vicky Smith for allowing us to tag along on their journeys. Thank you to Mike Elkins for helping to plan, book, and driving, to Mike & Ridonna Goodpasture, Brian Qualls, and Misty Shelton for driving and helping in so many more ways including VBS. Thanks to Regina Elkins, Chris & Jennifer Chilton, Ward Mayberry, Wayne & Jean Qualls, and Dr. John Harris for helping lead, teach and assist with VBS, to Tori Hughes, Brandy Hudgins, Adam Mayberry, Griffin Elkins, Barrett Davis, Riley Qualls, Colby Shelton, Grady Teet, Adley Elkins, Jared Brown, Will Chilton, Harper Shelton, Zoie Chilton and Weston Elkins for all their hard work on the trip and helping make it one we will remember a lifetime! One other thing, a big thank you to Riley Qualls for piecing all the trip together for a video. He did a great job of commemorating the whole event. I have a copy for everyone that went on the trip. If you would like a copy, just let me know.

THIS SUMMER OUR YOUTH GROUP WAS REPRESENTED in approximately 11 states, in over 10,000 miles, 4 weeks of Summer Camp with over 300 children, and on one island overseas. Whew! What a summer it has been. Our prayer is that lives were brought closer to God through it all. We pray that souls were touched and lives changed forever to be servants of God and to spread the Gospel. Now, with school beginning at the end of the week, it is time to continue that momentum and to share His word throughout this county. Calendars should be ready by this weekend and you will see the monthly routines back. Firesides, Prayer Breakfasts, Bible Studies, and many more things thrown in here and there. Be sure however not to make it routine. Keep encouraging and inviting others to join us. After they have joined us, let them know when they are missed and what is happening next. It is time to truly treat one another like family and be concerned for one another's soul. Nothing is more important than our home in heaven. Nothing on this earth outweighs our dedication to Christ and our love for one another to spend eternity together! Get ready, it is going to be an exciting school year and an exciting time to be a part of the Centerville Church of Christ Youth Ministry! Come join us as we strive daily to... follow His path, -Craig

Area Events

...Benefit for Dave Davidson Saturday, August 1, 2015 at the Fairfield Church of Christ Fellowship Hall. Dave has been diagnosed with stage 4 cancer. From 11:00 A.M.—6 P.M. there will be music, comedy, auction items and food. For more information contact Rusty Bates 931-982-1145 or Woody Woodruff 615-418-2164.

...Gospel Meeting at the New Antioch Church of Christ August 2-7, 2015. Bible Study: 9:15 A.M. Worship: 10 A.M. Followed by fellowship meal. Sunday—Friday 7:30 P.M. 7424 Primm Springs Road, Lyles, TN. 37098

...Gospel Meeting at the Upper Sinking Church of Christ August 2-5, 2015. Bible Study: 10 A.M. Worship: 11 A.M. followed by lunch. Sunday afternoon: 2 P.M. Monday—Wednesday 7 P.M.

...Gospel Meeting at the Columbia Avenue Church of Christ August 2-5, 2015. Bible Study: 10 A.M.; Worship: 11 A.M. Followed by fellowship meal. 2:30 P.M. Evening Worship Monday-Wednesday: 7 P.M.

...Homecoming at the Sylvia Church of Christ August 9, 2015. Speaker: Tom Holland 10 A.M. Bible Class 11 A.M. Worship Followed by covered dish lunch. 2 P.M. Afternoon worship 1002 Church Road, Dickson, TN.

...Friday Night Singing at the Bon Aqua Church of Christ August 7, 2015. 7 P.M. until.....9368 Big Springs Creek Rd. Bon Aqua, TN.

I Surrender All... Weekly Challenge:

Sunday	Psalm	50
Monday	Psalm	51
Tuesday	Psalm	52
Wednesday	Psalm	53
Thursday	Psalm	54
Friday	Psalm	55
Saturday	Psalm	56

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

CONTRIBUTION

7/19: \$ 11,362.12

7/26: \$ 11,945.45

BUDGET

\$ 12,651.00

Camp Meribah

7/19: \$ 132.50

7/26: \$281.00

Memorial

...a Memorial has been given to the Framing The Future Fund in memory of Jean Swaw by Bill & Gina Womack.

...a donation has been given to the Camp Meribah Scholarship Fund in honor of Bill McDonald by J.D. Witherspoon.

...a Memorial has been given to Camp Meribah in memory of Roger Dotson by Kenneth & Kelly Dotson.

Thank You

Wayne & Carolyn Chessor write:

"We would like to thank everyone for the cards and calls we received for our anniversary. You made our day a very special one.

The Family of Jean Swaw writes:

"We are forever grateful for the kindness shown to our family during Mom's illness and death. The kindness you showed mom while she was attending church there (I will never forget it) she felt very loved! Thanks for the prayers, calls, and visits. Thanks for the wonderful food and the beautiful wind chimes presented to me. I will forever cherish it and all the things you did for us. You went above and beyond. In Christian Love, Larry & Carolyn Buttrey

Sympathy

...We express our sympathy to the family of Charles Atkinson who passed away. He was the brother of Frank Atkinson.

...We express our sympathy to the family of Billy Hudgins who passed away.

Please Pray For:



...Joyce Mayberry is recovering from gall bladder surgery at home.

...Megan Taylor, daughter of Chuck & Kim Taylor, is recovering from surgery at home. She will have another surgery to remove her spleen in the coming days.

...Helen Hudgins is in the local hospital suffering with heart problems. She is improving and hopes to go back to the Life Care Center in the coming days.

...Alyssa Aydelott is scheduled to come home on July 29th with guarded medical care.

...Margie Claud had back surgery July 28th at Centennial Hospital.

...Martha Jo Wallace is the local hospital for therapy.

...Judy Connor Harvill, cousin of Margaret Yates, has been diagnosed with cancer.

...Russell Sullivan is recovering from a stroke.

...Heather Jackson is having chemotherapy treatments for stage 3 breast cancer.

...Charlene Hunt got a good report from her recent tests and surgery. She will undergo radiation treatments in the coming weeks.

...Ruth Staggs will have an epidural block done at St. Thomas Mid-town Tuesday, July 28 to help alleviate pain.

...Perry Hunt, father of Joey (Charlene) Hunt, is in Centennial Hospital with heart problems.



...July 31 First Day of School for children.

...Day School Orientation Friday, July 31 at 6p.

Coming In August.....

..Aug. 2 Sunday School Promotion Teacher of The Year

...Aug. 9 Care Group 1 Meets at the Outreach Center following worship.

...Aug. 15 Family Night at Camp Meribah 3-9p. Details to Come !!

Family

August Celebrations

Place
Stamp
Here



Carl Burton
85 Years Old
August 10, 2015



Doyle Rushton
83 Years Old
August 20, 2015



Jack & Barbara Wood
Married 57 Years
August 21, 2015



Katie Bates
95 Years Old
August 23, 2015



Maxine Shepherd
88 Years Old
August 23, 2015



Lonnie & Marilyn Gilliam
Married 56 Years
August 28, 2015

Those to Serve in August

<p>Wait on Table <u>1st Sunday</u> Don Luther</p> <p><u>2nd Sunday</u> Randy James</p> <p><u>3rd Sunday</u> James Aydelott</p> <p><u>4th Sunday</u> Bill McDonald</p> <p><u>5th Sunday</u> Wayne Chessor</p> <p>Right Side Jonathon Longworth Eric Coleman Mike Brown Michael Horner</p> <p>Left Side Chris Haithcoat Michael Harrison Thomas Chessor Sam Chessor</p> <p>Alternate Chris Teet</p>	<p>Prayer Week of <u>August 2</u> S.M.W. Philip Jacobs</p> <p>S.M.D. Calvin Hoover</p> <p>S.E.W. Jim Hudgins</p> <p>S.E.D. David Brown</p> <p>W.E.B.S. Ward Mayberry</p> <p>W.E.D. Riley Qualls</p>	<p>BOYS TO PICK UP CARDS IN AUGUST 8/2: Andrew Bryant, Gage Buchanan, Heath Buchanan, Trevor Buchanan 8/9: Braydon Chessor, Dane Gilbert, Riley Haithcoat, Bryce Hughes 8/16: John Jacobs, Eli Jacobs, Jagger Lawson, Case Martin 8/23: Elijah Mayberry, Connor McAlister, Joseph McCauley, Jackson McDonald 8/30: Will McDonald, Zane Nash, Major Qualls, Lincoln Smith <u>Please be up front by 8:50</u></p>	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th colspan="3">August Bus Drivers</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>8/2</td> <td>Andy Weber Brandon McCauley</td> <td>A.M. P.M.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>8/5</td> <td>Mike Goodpasture</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>8/9</td> <td>John Bradley Patrick Allen</td> <td>A.M. P.M.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>8/12</td> <td>George Garland</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>8/16</td> <td>Michael Bryant Mark Chessor</td> <td>A.M. P.M.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>8/19</td> <td>Patrick Allen</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>8/23</td> <td>John Bradley Phillip Allen</td> <td>A.M. P.M.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>8/26</td> <td>Lonnie Mayberry</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>8/30</td> <td>George Garland Lonnie Mayberry</td> <td>A.M. P.M.</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	August Bus Drivers			8/2	Andy Weber Brandon McCauley	A.M. P.M.	8/5	Mike Goodpasture		8/9	John Bradley Patrick Allen	A.M. P.M.	8/12	George Garland		8/16	Michael Bryant Mark Chessor	A.M. P.M.	8/19	Patrick Allen		8/23	John Bradley Phillip Allen	A.M. P.M.	8/26	Lonnie Mayberry		8/30	George Garland Lonnie Mayberry	A.M. P.M.
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<p>Lord's Supper P.M. Marty Smith Lincoln Smith</p>	<p>Meals On Wheels 8/5 : Nancy Leathers 8/12: Corene Allen 8/19: Martha Leathers 8/26: Leslie Hudgins PICK-UP MEALS AT 10:40</p>	<p>Elders' Prayer August 2 Wayne Qualls</p>	<p>Greeters Matthew & Cecily Dotson Susan Dotson Monty & Amy Dunn George & Cindy Garland</p>	<p>RADIO ROOM Gaylon Cude Marty Smith Cody Woods Daniel Poff</p>	<p>USHERS: Bobby Breece Ronald Coates Monty Dunn Calvin Hoover</p>																												
<p>NURSERY Claudette Atkinson BAPT. CLOTHING Carolyn Chessor</p>	<p>Read Scripture 8/2 Brian Qualls 8/9 Michael Bryant</p>	<p>NURSING HOME SERVICES LIFE CARE CENTER 8/2 Daniel Dressler 8/9 Shane Willis 8/16 Bryan & Connor Mc 8/23 Fairfield 8/30 Daniel Dressler Tulipwood Service - John Bradley</p> <p>HICKMAN CO. NURSING 8/2 James Aydelott 8/9 Alan Potts 8/16 Mike Brown 8/23 Marshall Spencer 8/30 Robert Bowman</p>																															