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# MEETING TIMES SUNDAY

Bible Study - 9:30 AM Worship - 10:30 AM Worship - 6:00 PM

WEDNESDAY Bible Study - 7:00

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**January 20, 2019** 

# **Strengthening the Weakest Link**

Have you heard the expression that "a chain is only as strong as it's weakest link"? Have you also noticed the tactics of those outside the church, as they look at members of the church? How do they "paint a picture" of the church? Do they look at the strongest members, the most faithful members, those that put the scriptures into practice in all aspects of their lives? OR, do those outside the church "paint a picture" of the entire church by looking at the weakest link? Seeing the sins, shortcomings, inconsistency in "weak link" lives and "paint the entire church" with a swoosh of that brush – looking at the weakest link?

There is a time for the milk of the word with a new Christian; however there needs to be growth to maturity. There needs to be a knowledge of the A, B, C's, but growth to using those A, B, C's in reading and writing.

Our goal should NOT be to be the weakest link, but rather to develop into a strong link!

Ephesians 6: 13, "Therefore, take up the full armor of God, so that you will be able to resist in the evil day, and having done everything, to stand firm." (NASB)

Let's be a going, growing congregation for the coming Savior!

Larry



Elizabeth Reed - undergoing tests
Linda Flemming - pancreatic cancer,
will undergo 6 months of chemotherapy
Catherine Caylor - dealing with
several different health issues
Kevin McKinney - not feeling well
Debbie Lewis - not been feeling well
Brad Kilgore - will be preaching at
Lake Hills on the 27th
Sue Ondercin - Bob Quick's sister,
undergoing more chemo treatments
Larry Judd - will be in the Philippines
on a mission trip 1/20 - 1/29

double pneumonia <u>Lucille Davis</u> - Judi Cagle's aunt, under Hospice care

**Glennon Caruthers** - suffering from

Jim Disbro - friend of Janie Bargatze, dealing with serious health issues
Ann Benefield - continues to recover

from recent surgery and is showing signs of improvement

Rita McDonald - daughter of Dorothy Brown, continued health issues, let's also be sure to remember to pray for Dorothy as she travels back and forth Joyce Parscale - mother of Jason Parscale, with health issues Frank Caruthers, Sr. - long term

<u>Sue Yerbey</u> - long term health issues <u>Kim McArthur and Shelley Pickel</u> daughters of Ann Benefield, both dealing with health issues <u>Leon Smartt</u> - health issues

health issues



# **Security Meeting**

January 20th at 4:00 p.m. For those that are interested in assisting with security on the premises

#### **Teen Devotion**

January 21st at 7:00 p.m. at the Dedmon's home

#### Adult's Night Out

January 25th at 7:00 p.m. at Cheddars, see Denny Howell if you need more information

### Fellowship Meal

January 27th - Pot Luck meal "Sheep and Their Shepherd's" meeting after the meal

#### Youth Group Meal

January 30th after the services contact Allen Tackett for more info

### Young Men's Seminar

February 2nd at the East Main Church of Christ



sign the cards.

### Attendance Last Week

Bible School	58
Sunday AM	94
Sunday PM	54
Wednesday	39

Hebrews 10:24, 25



Please be mindful of others and set your cell phones to silent. Thanks!

# **GET CONNECTED**

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#### **SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES**

## Lord's Supper

Winston Stringfield Steve Jackson
David Wheeler Ty McGee

#### A.M.

Announcements	Jason Parscale
OpeningPrayer	Melvin Wilson
Lead Singing	J.J. Winston
Read Scripture	Rhyan Dishroom
Sermon	Denny Howell
Closing Prayer	Allen Tackett

#### P.M.

Jason Parscale
Steve Jackson
J.J. Winston
Rob Miller
Allen Tackett
Winston Stringfield
Trent Jackson

#### WED.

Announcements	Jason Parscale
OpeningPrayer	
Lead Singing	J.J. Winston
Invitation	Denny Howell
Closing Prayer	Manny Crochett



If you've not already had your picture taken for the new directory, you can still do so. Pictures will be taken on **Sunday mornings** all this month. Please see David Wheeler or Cindy Dedmon if you've not already had your picture made. Thanks!

# **CYC**

- -\$40 per person for registration
- -January 31 is the deadline to register
- -Allan Tackett will collect the money, please see him if you need more information
- -Stay tuned for more information about upcoming CYC meetings