Prayer Requests

Martha Floyd – to begin treatments for cancer soon James Green – recovering from recent surgery Waylon Rider – recovering from an eye procedure Iyla Howell – recovering from a dental procedure Andy Walker – recovering from a heart transplant Byron Jamerson – recovering from double knee surgery Nolan Potter – to undergo a procedure on 12/7 David Pharr – recovering from brain surgery Sandra McGee – undergoing heart testing Stormy Durkin – recovering from recent surgery Charlotte Wilson – recovering from recent surgery Frank Caruthers – hospitalized with Pneumonia Joey Warren – Danny & Adam's brother, seriously ill Cheryl Judd – with health issues Marva Forsythe – recovering from a recent fall Dennis Howell – continues to recover Ann Benefield – recovering from illness Don Mathis – Judi Cagle's brother, knee replacement

Upcoming Events

Middlers Holiday Party

12/9 at 5:30 pm at the Arthur's home Please bring a dessert and/or appetizer "Dirty Santa" gift game (\$15 limit)

Congregational Holiday Party

December 16th at 6:00 p.m.

Young Adults Holiday Party

December 9th at 6:00 p.m. at the home of Laura Cupp \$12 - \$15 gift exchange (optional) See Laura for additional details

Baby Shower for the Kails

December 10th at 4:00 p.m. Registered at <u>babylist.com</u> Search under Baby Girl Kail

Fellowship Meal

December 31st Between the 10:30 and 1:30 services

Upcoming Youth Events

Progressive Dinner - Saturday, December 9th

Teen Singing, December 10th at 2:30 pm Subligna Church of Christ CYC in Pigeon Forge, February 23rd – 25th Let Denny know if you plan to attend no later than <u>December 15th</u> Lad to Leaders Convention, March 29th – 31st Deposit for convention due by <u>December 17th</u>

*****CHANGE IN SERVICE TIMES*****

December 24th – Bible Study at 9:30 a.m. / Morning Service 10:30 a.m. / Afternoon Service 1:30 p.m. December 31st – Bible Study at 9:30 a.m. / Morning Service 10:30 a.m. / Lunch / Afternoon Service at 1:30 p.m.

Attendance 11/26 and 11/29

Sunday Bible School - 129 Sunday AM Worship - 215 Sunday PM Worship - 105 Wednesday - 121

"Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth" (2 Tim 2:15).

I have been called "Reverend" several times in my entire tenure as a gospel preacher. I am amazed that even those who consider themselves to be "religious" do not know that no man in the Bible was ever called "Reverend". In Psalm 111, the Psalmist highlights the nature and workings of God and in verse 9, he defined all he had just addressed with the word "reverend".

Unfortunately, this phenomenon is also prevalent in the Lord's church. In our text, Paul told a gospel preacher, who could perform miracles, to study to handle God's Word rightly.

Here is an example of the importance of studying to rightly divide: Judas hanged himself (Mt 27:5) and Jesus said, "Go and do thou likewise" (Lk 10:37). Without "rightly dividing", this misapplication will not bode well.

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Ooltewah Church of Christ



December 3, 2023

MEETING TIMES

Bible Study	9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship	10:30 A.M.
Evening Worship	6:00 P.M.
Wednesday	7:00 P.M.

God's Plan for Man's Salvation

- The Gospel Must Be Heard Romans 10:17 John 8:32
- The Gospel Must Be Believed John 8:24 Mark 16:16
- Sins Must Be Repented Of Luke 13:3,5 Acts 2:38
- Christ Must Be Confessed Matt. 10:32-33 Romans 10:10
- Baptism For Remission Of Sins Acts 2:38 | Peter 3:21
- Live Faithful Until Death Revelation 2:10

Elders

Steve Edwards J.J. Winston Larry Judd Dan Garey Jason Parscale Winston Stringfield

Deacons

Steve Jackson / MissionsJosh Rider / EducationDavid Wheeler / TechnologyMatthew Rider / YouthJames McGhee / BenevolenceKen Parker / WorshipDavid Sessions / FellowshipChris Martin / Security

Preachers / Denny Howell and Eric D. Garner

Treasurer / Ty McGee

Supported Mission Work

*World Bible School	*Cusco / Peru	ı – Ryan Davis
*Good News Today	*Philippines /	Casa Esperanza
*Louis Rushmore	*Gospel Broadc	asting Network
*In Search of the Lord's	s Way	*Ethical Media
*Ronald McDonald Hou	use *Internation	al Gospel Hour
*Greater Chattanooga Christian Services		
*Southeast Institute of H	Biblical Studies	*Dennis Bello

Service Opportunities

A.M.

Announcements	Larry Judd	
Opening Prayer	James Green	
Lead SingingRoger Gilbert		
Lord's SupperSteve Edwards		
Serving		
David Crownover	Ray Smith	
Daniel Ramsey	Rick May	
Scott Davis	Lynn Petty	
Read Scripture	Steve Jackson	
Sermon	Denny Howell	
Closing Prayer	David Sessions	

Usher / Security – all month Lynn Carson Jim Sauls

6:00 P.M.

AnnouncementsLarry Judd
Opening PrayerGarret Wyman
Lead SingingRoger Gilbert
Read ScriptureSeth Coley
SermonTim Arthur
Lord's SupperDan Garey
Closing PrayerJosh Rider

WEDNESDAY

AnnouncementsLarry Judd
Opening PrayerJohn Fletcher
Lead SingingRoger Gilbert
InvitationJason Parscale
Closing PrayerDavid Crownover

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