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 LOVE HEAVEN  
 IMAGINE  
 BOLDLY JESUS

**GOSPEL MEETING**  
 September 10 to 13 at Special Time:  
 Sunday at 9:30 a.m. • 10:30 a.m. • 5:00 p.m.  
 Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday at 6:30 p.m.  
 Guest Speaker  
 Steve Higginbotham  
 JOHN 6:67-68

August Bible Classes		
	Sunday Morning	Wednesday Evening
Nursery		Karli Rager
2 & 3 Year Olds	Claire Young	Amy Raymer
4 & 5 Year Olds	Amanda Barrett & Hannah Miller	
1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade	Donna Wheeler	Summer Basham
3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Linda Raymer	
5 <sup>th</sup> - 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Perry Cole	
9 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Matt Williams <i>Your Choice</i>	
Twenty Somethings	Chris Robison	
Alternate Adults	Daniel McMillin <i>Churches in Shape of Scripture</i>	Chris Young <i>What heaven is like...Afterlife Study</i>
Auditorium Adults	W. Tom Hall <i>The Life of Christ</i>	Daniel McMillin <i>Archeology</i>

**CHRISTIAN MENTAL WELLNESS**

SEPTEMBER 22-24

REGISTER: FREE ADMISSION

SPEAKER: **LONNIE JONES**

COLUMBIA CHURCH OF CHRIST, COLUMBIA, KY  
 ADAIR COUNTY LITTLE LEAGUE PARK

**FRIDAY (9/22)**  
 \*COLUMBIA CHURCH OF CHRIST\*  
 6:00 PM:  
 WORSHIP ("POWER, LOVE, & SELF-CONTROL")

**SATURDAY (9/23)**  
 \*LITTLE LEAGUE PARK\*  
 3:00 PM-5:00 PM:  
 GAMES, GIVE-A-WAYS, CHALLENGES, ETC

5:00 PM:  
 DINNER

6:00 PM:  
 WORSHIP ("EMOTIONAL INTELLIGENCE")

**SUNDAY (9/24)**  
 \*COLUMBIA CHURCH OF CHRIST\*  
 9:00 AM:  
 WORSHIP ("DISTORTED THINKING & SPIRITUAL CRISIS")

10:00 AM:  
 CLASS ("EMOTION-BASED THINKING")

**REGISTER BY SEPTEMBER 6!**

# The Messenger

## What if Faith Changed Your Life?

Schedule of Services	
Sunday	
Bible Class	9:00 a.m.
Worship	10:00 a.m.
Worship	6:00 p.m.
Wednesday	
Bible Study	6:30 p.m.
Elders	
Richard Eubanks	270.792.3050
Brian Martin	270.576.2936
Chris Young	270.202.2252
Denver Young	270.799.8559
Matt Williams	270.779.7733
Deacons	
Perry Cole	270.202.6214
L.W. Jackson	270.996.1451
Michael Runner	270.535.5906
Adam Warren	270.980.2548
Mark Young	270.791.0140
Evangelist	
W. Tom Hall	O: 270.777.1828 M: 270.792.2132
Associate Minister	
Daniel McMillin	662.882.8756

We stand ready to assist you with any need you may have.

You may call the church office at 270.777.1828.

We would be honored to help if we can. May God bless you with a wonderful week.

"For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life a ransom for many."  
 Mark 10:45

Hebrews chapter 11 is often known as the "Hall of Fame" of Faith. The chapter starts with the Bible's definition of faith. The writer penned, "Now faith is the substance (realization) of things hoped for, the evidence (confidence) of things not seen (Heb. 11:1)."

Things not seen is one of the themes that runs through this chapter. God made the universe from things that were not visible (Heb.11:3). Noah was divinely warned of things not yet seen (11:7). Abraham left his home headed for a place that he did not know and had not seen (11:8). He waited for a city that was made by God (11:10). Many died in faith not having received the promises (11:13). They were waiting for a heavenly country (11:16). Moses looked to a reward (11:26). Moses endured seeing Him who is invisible (11:27). All of these things were connected to faith of the great patriarchs of old.

These people's lives were changed by their faith in things they could not see. I am not sure what Noah's life was like before God appeared to him, but whatever it was he gave it up. He took up preaching and probably spent 100 years building a giant ark (Gen. 6:3). Abraham came from a family that seems to have been well off, but at the age of 75 he left that behind to go to a place that he knew nothing about (Gen. 12:1-4). Moses had access to all the riches of Egypt, but he gave that up to suffer affliction with the people of God. He esteemed the reproach of Christ greater riches than the treasures in Egypt. He feared God more than the King of Egypt (Heb. 11:24-27).

Can you imagine allowing God's word to change your life the way these people did? Most of us understand that when we become Christians, we are supposed to do our best to give up the life of sin. But what if our belief called for us to completely change our life? What if we had a job that we realized we should not be doing because it violated our Christian beliefs? What if we realized we had the talent to do another job? What if God's word moved us to preach to Gospel? What if it called us to leave our home to take that Gospel to a foreign land?

God's word is a beautiful thing. It is definitely going to step on our toes at times. When that happens, we need to be willing to change. If it is a life of sin, we should be willing to leave it behind. If it is the call of a new work, we should be ready to answer. As Isaiah boldly proclaimed, "Here I am! Send me (Isa. 6:8)"

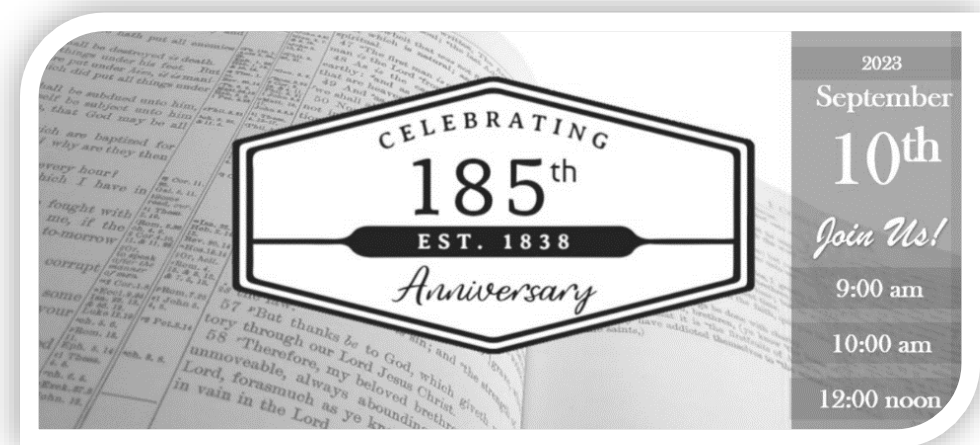
Doug Tooley

# Announcements

- August 19<sup>th</sup>** SHINE at Three Forks Church of Christ at 9 AM  
Registration is Available on their Facebook
  - August 20<sup>th</sup>** Josh Clemmons & Janette Guzman Wedding Shower at 2:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall  
(Registered at Target & Amazon)
  - September 10<sup>th</sup>** Save the Date - Homecoming - 185<sup>th</sup> Anniversary
  - September 10-13<sup>th</sup>** Gospel Meeting at South Green Street (More Details on Back)
  - September 22-24<sup>th</sup>** Christian Mental Wellness with Speaker Lonnie Jones in Columbia, KY (More Details on Back)
- A list is being compiled to mail invitations for the 185<sup>th</sup> Celebration being held on September 10th. If you have names or addresses that you would like them sent to, please give the mailing information to Perry Cole, Tammy Miller, or Gina Lindsey.



**Pulpit Preview**  
**Sunday 10 AM**  
**Intentional Living**  
**Sunday 6 PM**  
 Speaking The Truth In Love



### Prayer Requests

• Darrell Kessinger	• Lisa Moon
• Victoria Jackson	• Gerry Utley
• Tommy Willis	• Sam Haynes
• Daryl Lowe	• Mike Collier (Donna Parker's Brother)
• Norman Logsdon	• Wilma Blankenship
• J.L. Young - Massey Springs - Memory Care 2945 Small House Rd. Bowling Green, KY 42104 Phone 270.904.1999	• Betty Bradshaw - Hip Replacement
	• Jimmy Wilmoth

*Remembering Our Homebound Wilma Blankenship*

God's Plan of Salvation	
God's Part	Man's Part
Great love of God for man <b>John 3:16</b>	Hear the Gospel <b>Romans 10:17, John 8:32</b>
Gave His Son, Jesus Christ, as the Savior <b>Luke 19:10</b>	Believe the Gospel <b>Hebrews 11:6, John 20:31</b>
Sent the Holy Spirit as a guide <b>John 16:13</b>	Repent of past sins <b>Luke 13:3, Acts 17:30</b>
The Gospel as "the power" unto salvation <b>Romans 1:16</b>	Confess faith in Jesus Christ <b>Rom. 10:10, Matthew 10:32</b>
Provided atonement by the blood of Christ <b>Romans 5:9</b>	Be Baptized <b>Galatians 3:27, Mark 16:16, Acts 2:38</b>
	Be faithful unto death <b>Revelations 2:10</b>



**This Week's Question**

Who said, "I will call upon the Lord, who is worthy to be praised; so shall I be saved from my enemies.?"

Please give your answer with scripture to Adam or Lil Warren by Wednesday Evening.

August 6<sup>th</sup> Who said, "Unto thee, O Lord, do I lift up my soul. O my God, I trust in thee"?

(Answer: David Psalm 25:1-2)

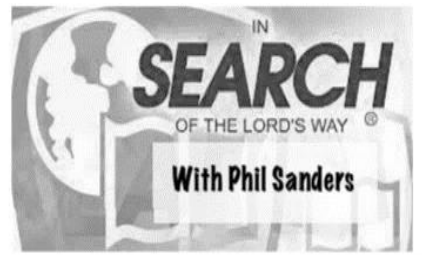
Fred Heath, Tammy Puckett-Goss, Bobby and Darlene Pruett, Logan Barrett, Lenora Isenberg, Jessie Wilson and others who did not want to be listed, answered correctly!

Sunday Morning Services	August 13	August 20
Announcements	Adam Warren	Richard Eubanks
Security 1	Joshua Barrett	Cody Basham
Security 2	Grant Cole	Eddie Windham
Security 3	Tommy Flora	Brian Raymer
Security 4	Michael Runner	Randy Reneau
Audio Video Controls	Reagan Young	Chris Robison
Song Leader	Mason Miller	Zach Martin
Opening Prayer	Doug Depp	Paul Isenberg
Welcome	Brian Martin	Chris Young
Worship Service Prayer	Matt Williams	Ralph Young
Communion Prayer	Chris Robison	Fred Heath
Scripture Reading	Hunter Barrett	Landon Miller
Closing Prayer	Brian Raymer	Denver Young
Sunday Evening Services		
Security 1	Fred Heath	Travis Young
Security 2	Perry Cole	Brian Raymer
Security 3	Jeff Morrison	Dillon Rager
Song Leader	Andy Wagoner	Adam Warren
Opening Prayer	Willard Raymer	Joshua Barrett
Scripture Reading	Chris Young	Randy Reneau
Lord's Table	Richard Eubanks	Perry Cole
Closing Prayer	Gary Basham	Jacob Williams
Wednesday Night Bible Study	August 16	August 23
Security 1	Willard Raymer	Mark Young
Security 2	Gary Basham	Richard Eubanks
Security 3	L.W. Jackson	Travis Young
Song Leader	Hunter Barrett	Matt Williams
Opening Prayer	Zach Martin	Nathan Warren
Closing Prayer	Reagan Young	Matthue Harmon
Monthly Assignments	August	
Lock Building	Daniel McMillin	-----
Baptismal Laundry	Paula Anderson	-----
Assist with Men's Baptisms	L.W. Jackson	-----
Assist with Women's Baptisms	Judy Young	-----
Bread Distribution	Bake	Give Out
August 13	Paula Anderson	Judy Young, & Rita Runner
August 20	Judy Young	Stephanie & Cooper Cyphers

\*\* If unable to serve, contact Michael Runner at 270.535.5906 \*\*

### For The Record Week of August 6, 2023

Bible Class	126
AM Worship	172
PM Worship	100
Wed. Bible Study	80
Contribution	\$6,154



- Watch Search on the following stations
- WBKO DT 33 - Sun 6:30 am
  - WNKY TV 40.1 - Sun 7:00 am
  - Spectrum Cable Channel 184  
Mon 9:30 am/Thurs 6:30 pm



*If you are visiting with us, please take a moment and fill out a visitors' card and place it in the collection plate located in the foyer. We are delighted that you're here to share in our worship service and hope that you will please visit us again real soon!*

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