

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

(1) OUIDA RICHARDSON
(2) TINA HICKMAN
(2) NICHOLAS SMITH
(8) JOEL DANLEY
(8) CHERYL CLAYTON
(9) MILLI WALLACE
(12) EMMETT CHARLES FARMER
(13) ADAM PICKETT
(16) DENNIS GREEN
(16) EMILY FOSHEE
(17) RICK TRIMBLE
(21) WILL CLAYTON
(21) SHERRY MILLER
(21) JANIS DEARMAN
(22) ROBERT TURNER
(26) DONNA EWTON
(26) GREG LONG
(26) JOHN COOLEY
(31) JAXTON BRAGG
(31) PAXTON BRAGG

OCTOBER ANNIVERSARIES

(1) DENNIS AND SHARON GREEN (30 yrs.)
(8) RICKEY AND TINA HICKMAN (34 yrs.)
(9) AVERY AND MINNIE LEE DEAKINS
(17) RICK AND LYNDA TRIMBLE (44 yrs.)
(19) KEITH AND JENNY KRETZMEIER (20 yrs.)

OCTOBER

Lock Building: Freddie Clayton

Prepare Communion: Robin & Jessica Thomas

Pick-up Cups: Crabtree Family

Van Driver: Keith Pickett

Last Sunday Singing: Rickey Hickman

Church of Christ P. O. Box 206 Dunlap, Tn 37327

*See You at The Worship Service
With Your Bible*

Sunday

9:30 A.M. Bible Study
10:30 A.M. Morning Service
6:00 P.M. Evening Service

Wednesday

6:30 P.M. Bible Study

Men Who Serve

Elders:

Tony Boston 949-5065
Greg Long 645-0661
Al Simmons 949-7121

Deacons:

Wiley Boston Joel Danley
C. J. Davis Glen Edison
Tim Layman Benny McCoy
Lanny Smith Bobby Von Rohr

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"BEHOLD THE MAN"

*There hung a man on that lonely tree.
He died for you, He died for me.
He didn't deserve this as you well know-
He paid a debt He did not owe
Oh, how I wish that could have been me,
Hanging on that old rugged tree-
Instead of Jesus, my Savior and King
In order my salvation that He might bring.
As Pilate said, "Behold the Man";
That was the start of God's wonderful plan:
For us to be free from the bondage of sin
And to live with Him when this earth comes to end.
Neither you, nor I could take a nail in the foot or the hand,
But for us Jesus did,
"Behold the Man!"*

THE RECORD

SUNDAY SCHOOL-----140
WORSHIP-----157
CONTRIBUTION-----\$4597
SUNDAY NIGHT-----131
WEDNESDAY NIGHT-----137

SICK/SHUT-IN

Ellen Miller will have gall bladder surgery tomorrow

Kate Walling is home doing better but is very weak

Grace Grayson is having back problems

Fred St. Clair is taking Chemo and it is going very well, needs prayers and cards, also meals

Roz Hubbard

Cameron Crabtree had his wisdom teeth cut out

Frank Crownover of the Decherd Congregation is very ill and desires our prayers

Adam Shelor, a 2 year old had surgery to remove a fluid sac from his spine at T.C. Thompson's

Jackie Stearman has leukemia, he is married to the former Joyce Kidwell

Ruby Smith is home

Cathleen Hendon, Ellen Miller's sister has cancer-has also had a stroke

Ruth Turner

Janie Smith is home bound

Glenn Bunch has macular degeneration, In his right eye, he is Robert Turner's Brother-in-law

Phyllis McGlothen is home, and has COPD

Thelma Smith—improving

Pete Higdon is in Room 244 at the VA

(See Address) He is Tennie's Brother-in-law.

He has Leukemia and will be there 3-4 weeks

Leslie (Sonny) Higdon is home

Trina Smith is home. She is

LaVaughn Turner's daughter, the

Family requests your prayers (See address), now with back problems

George Fowler has cancer

Freddie Layman, Arrietta's son had an auto accident and is in Siskin Rm. 432

Lou Von Rohr, Bobby's mom

Avery and Minnie Lee Deakins

Jennifer Smith improved

Gary Turner-Brenda Von Rohr's Dad

Lynn Layne in Quiet Place of Dayton

Ernest & Billie Laws, not doing well

Darlene Raber has bone cancer

Tim Hawn is home, will have more Surgery, needs prayers

Juan Espinoza born premature, 2 lbs. 01 oz., needs prayers

NURSING HOME

Avery Deakins Room 408

Clara Mae Foley

Donna Underwood Room 713

Campbell Underwood

Edna Johnson

ARE WE MISSING THE POINT?

-by Winfred Clark-

Is it possible for us to place the emphasis on the wrong thing? Can we have a lot of activity and it not be the best for the church? I think, in our somber moments, we will have to admit that such may be the case. We know that, Martha-like, we get our priorities wrong (Luke 10:41). We mean well, but it may not end well.

Back in the mid-forties there wasn't a whole lot of fuss about what went on in our meeting houses. Most congregations were just happy to have a place to meet. Then after World War II we began to grow in number and became more prosperous. Then we started thinking about our "barns." So we tore them down or sold the ones we had and built greater ones. In them we put all the comforts of home...Though this is a judgmental matter, didn't many congregations handcuff themselves with more building than they needed? Didn't we lose sight of some priorities in the "building boom?" No, I am not opposed to having comfortable buildings, but we must admit such can be overdone.

Along came the vacation Bible schools and we served refreshments to the children which is well and good. From that we had our meals together in one of the larger rooms in the building, which is similar to the love feasts of the early church. From this point some moved to expend large sums to provide places to meet and eat, but surely all would agree that there must be a stopping place somewhere. Would we reason from the refreshments at vacation Bible school and water fountains to a gourmet restaurant housed in every building over the land?...

Many of us take a firm stand against churches giving to a college without restrictions. We do not oppose giving to teach the Bible in the Bible department. This is worthy of support. The church, after all, is the pillar and ground of the truth (I Timothy 3:15). We, however, make a distinction so far as how the money is to be used. We do not support the basketball teams or sports programs from the church treasury. All know (or at least should know) that such is not the work of the church. Most brethren I know who want to do right draw the line at this point. Are they missing the point in what a church may do for a college? I think not. Wouldn't the same line need to be drawn in congregational matters? If not, why not? The line has to be drawn at some point or else the church may provide a Six Flags in every city. Who would oppose it? I would.

-edited for use in this bulletin-

**2016 Dunlap church of Christ
Gospel Meetings, Events and Activities**

October 23-26, Gospel Meeting with David Powell

TUESDAY NIGHT CLASS

The subject this week is "Harps in Heaven"

RESPONSE

Bro. Keith Burdette confessed sins and asked for the prayers of The Church.

YOU CAN HELP

There is a Food List in the foyer for Fred and Ouida, please check this out. Please call ahead for content and time, remember Fred is a diabetic, we just need to bring a plate for each of them.

REMINDER

Remember we can watch GOOD NEWS TODAY here at the building every Wednesday evening at 5:30.

L2L

*The young girls participating in our Lads 2 Leaders "Keepers Program" are learning to sew. They need some clothes to repair, clothes with: **Missing buttons, broken stitches holes to patch, hemlines to repair, loose pockets, etc.** We need 20-25 items. Please pin your name to them and bring to Sue or Tennie and they will be repaired and returned in October.*

CONGRATULATIONS

To Wyatt Davis for being a "Student of the Week" at Griffith.

55+

The group 55 and older are planning a lunch at Cheddar's and a movie on Thursday October 6. They plan to leave the building at 10:00 AM.

SEND A CARD & SAY A PRAYER

Leslie Ray "Pete" Higdon, 283 Higdon Rd., Whiwell, Tn. 37397. **OR** 2nd Floor G-244, Tn. Valley Health Care System, 131024 Ave. South, Nashville, Tn. 37212-2637.

Lou Von Rohr, c/o Bobby Von Rohr, 67 Keener Hill Road, Dunlap, Tn. 37327. She is at Bobby and Brenda's home.

Janie Smith, PO Box 193, Dunlap, Tn. 37327. Ph. 949-3741.

Lynn W. Layne, c/o Joyce Layne, PO Box 1434, Dunlap, Tn. 37327. He is the husband of Joyce Carey Layne.

Nancy Feezel, 769 Parrot Rd., Maryville, Tn. 37803. She is 93 years old and has cancer and is Ellen Miller's Aunt. Hospice is involved.

Trina Smith, 1103 Harbor Rd., Soddy Daisy, Tn. 37379. She is LaVaughn Turner's daughter.

VISITATION

Visitation Group One Meets Today

TAKE FOOD TO FUNERAL HOMES

This Week, TEAM 1, Team Coordinator: Sis. Ann Cooley, Ph. 949-2885

*If you are aware of a body at either Funeral Home,
please call this week's team leader. That way we can be sure this need is met.*

**SOME ON US ARE NOT TAKING THEIR FOOD TO THE FUNERAL HOME WHEN WE SAY
WE WILL, PLEASE DO NOT FORGET TO DO WHAT YOU SAY YOU'LL DO!!**

CHURCH WEB PAGE

www.dunlapcoc.org. This site was built and is maintained by Bro. Robert Farmer.

This contains: sermons, information about The Church, information about the Dunlap congregation, Missions, Bulletins, etc.

Another web page is: **www.yourspiritualhealth.com**. This was built and is maintained by Michelle Young. Freddie's weekly sermons are on this. Copies are made by Sharon Green.

ITEMS FOR THE PANTRY

*Our Pantry Item this week is **Disinfectant Wipes**. Last Week it was **Hand Lotion**. If you are not participating in this program, does that mean that you don't think it is worthwhile?*

CHURCH EVENTS

*At **North Hamilton**, Gospel Meeting Oct. 2-5 at 7:00 EDT with Larry Acuff.*

*At **South Pittsburg**, Gospel Meeting Oct. 2-5 at 7:00 CDT with Roger Comstock.*

*At **Main Street in Crossville**, Gospel Meeting Oct. 2-5 at 6:00 CDT with B. J. Clarke.*

*At **Gruetli-Laager**, Gospel Meeting Oct. 9-13 at 7:00 CDT with B. J. Clarke.*

*At **Magby Gap**, Area Wide Singing, Oct. 14 at 7:00 PM EDT.*

*Lectureship at **Dayton**, Nov. 5th with different speakers, (See Bulletin Board)*