

## OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

(31) JAXTON BRAGG  
(31) PAXTON BRAGG

## NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

(4) KEITH KRETZMEIER  
(5) AMANDA HICKS  
(5) ARRIETTA LAYMAN  
(5) WILEY BOSTON  
(6) ANITA COOK  
(7) JESSICA FOSHEE  
(8) ELLEN MILLER  
(8) JIM DEARMAN  
(9) KILEY ELLIOTT  
(10) LINDA McCOY  
(14) PATRICIA BOSTON  
(18) COLE GRAYSON  
(20) SANDRA CRABTREE  
(24) ROBERT THOMAS  
(27) COREY GREEN  
(29) DANA LOWDERMILK

## NOVEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

(1) TONY AND PATRICIA BOSTON (30 yrs.)  
(15) DAN AND GAIL EWTON (31 yrs.)  
(26) JEANETTE GIBBS

## NOVEMBER

Lock Building: \_\_\_\_\_

Prepare Communion: Rickey & Tina  
Hickman

Pick-up Cups: Janet Land

Van Driver: Freddie Clayton

Last Sunday Singing: Robert Turner

## 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  
5:00 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

#### Preacher:

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YOU ARE JUST  
WHISTLING IN THE  
DARK IF YOU THINK  
THAT ANY OF OUR  
SERVICES ARE NOT  
IMPORTANT!!!



To Avoid Criticism...

Do Nothing.  
Say Nothing.  
Be Nothing.

## THE RECORD

SUNDAY SCHOOL	153
WORSHIP	169
CONTRIBUTION	\$3706
SUNDAY NIGHT	154
WEDNESDAY NIGHT	145

## **SICK/SHUT-IN**

**Carolyn Tate** had cataract surgery

**Sara Goins** is doing well with a broken bone in her ankle

**Kate Walling** is home doing better but is very weak, more IVs for kidney infection

**Grace Grayson** is having back problems, had an MRI

**Fred St. Clair** is taking Chemo and needs prayers and cards, also meals, not feeling well

**Roz Hubbard**

**Ruby Smith** is home

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

**Kathy Philips** has cancer, hospice is involved

**Ruth Turner**

**Janie Smith** is home bound

**Sarah Dodson** is home after being in Memorial, heart problems

**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

**Leslie (Sonny) Higdon** is home

**Trina Smith** is home. She is LaVaughn Turner's daughter, (See address), now with back problems

**Freddie Layman**, Arrietta's son is home

**Lou Von Rohr**, Bobby's mom

**Avery and Minnie Lee Deakins**

**Jennifer Smith** improved

**Lynn Layne** in Quiet Place of Dayton

**Ernest & Billie Laws**, not doing well

**Darlene Raber** has bone cancer

**Tim Hawn** is home, will have a

Benefit Nov. 5(See item on insert)

## **NURSING HOME**

**Clara Mae Foley**

**Donna Underwood** Room 713

**Campbell Underwood**

**Edna Johnson**

## **SYMPATHY**

Our sincere sympathy is expressed to The family of **Gary Turner**. He is Brenda Von Rohr's father and Robert Turner's brother. He is also the Nephew of Jeanette Gibbs, Tommy Turner and Ann Cooley. He has several cousins here also. Visitation will be Sunday from 1:00 to 3:30. The funeral will be Sunday at 3:30 at Ewton's.

Also to the family of **Bro. Garland Elkins**, He was a longtime Gospel Preacher. He died Friday.

## **Servants vs. Volunteers**

Volunteers usually serve with less commitment than servants. They often need to fit their volunteer hours around other priorities in their lives. Volunteers generally view their work as a "gift" to the organization. Rarely do they not feel that appreciation is due them, after all, they have given all their time instead of being compensated. Volunteers usually have lower expectations placed on them, because they are free to go at any time. And if you listen to their reasoning on why they give their time, it is often because it makes them "feel good about themselves." Notice, God doesn't call us to volunteer, but to serve. Consider that servants are committed—totally committed.

"Hereby perceive we the love of God, because he laid down his life for us: and we ought to lay down our lives for the brethren." 1 John 3:16

Servants don't just place God first on the list, then follow with number 2, 3, 4 and so on. Servants make sure God is first in all areas of their life! God is first. Then He is first in the 2nd area, He is first in the 3rd area and so on.

"And whatsoever ye do, do it heartily, as to the Lord, and not unto men; (24) Knowing that of the Lord ye shall receive the reward of the inheritance: for ye serve the Lord Christ." Colossians 3:23-24

Servants do not see their work as a gift that deserves gratitude, but instead they understand it is their duty.

"Doth he thank that servant because he did the things that were commanded him? I trow not. (10) So likewise ye, when ye shall have done all those things which are commanded you, say, We are unprofitable servants: we have done that which was our duty to do." Luke 17:9-10

Instead of expecting appreciation, servants are thankful for the opportunity recognizing it as a part of God's grace. That is correct, the opportunity to serve God is a gracious opportunity we don't deserve. Paul understood it when he said, "And I thank Christ Jesus our Lord, who hath enabled me, for that he counted me faithful, putting me into the ministry;" 1 Timothy 1:12

A servant's service isn't motivated by self-promotion or glory. A servant's service is accomplished through obedience to the Master who knows our purpose and has work for us to do.

"For I know the thoughts that I think toward you, saith the LORD, thoughts of peace, and not of evil, to give you an expected end. (12) Then shall ye call upon me, and ye shall go and pray unto me, and I will hearken unto you. (13) And ye shall seek me, and find me, when ye shall search for me with all your heart," Jeremiah 29:11-13

Don't Volunteer, Serve! It is Your Duty!

-adapted from an article by David Shannon-



## THANKS

*Dunlap Church, I am so thankful to be a part of such a loving and caring family. Thank you so much for your concern, the many cards, phone calls and well wishes, your assistance and the many offers of assistance, and most of all—The prayers.*

**Sara Goins**

## TUESDAY NIGHT CLASS

***The subject of Tuesday Night's lesson is "Instrumental Music and the Restoration Plea."***

## YOUR ATTENTION PLEASE

***Daylight Saving Time will end on November 6 and on that date the Sunday Evening Service will be at 5:00 and will continue at 5:00 throughout the winter months. Only the SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE IS AFFECTED.***

## SYMPATHY

***Our sincere sympathy is extended to the family of Kelly Frost, who died in an automobile accident and to the families of Gavin Gardner and Christopher Thornton, they both died in a house fire in Dunlap.***

## 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.***

## TAKE NOTE

***If you are not receiving the One-Call messages and would like to be on the list, check with Amanda.***

## TRUNK OR TREAT

***The 'trunk or treat' was at the home of Rick & Tina Hickman last night and as usual it was well attended and our thanks to Rick and Tina for having us over there.***

## '55' AND OVER

***The '55' and over group are going to see a play "Sanders Family Christmas" at the Crossville Playhouse on Nov. 22. The play is \$20 per person. We will stop for lunch at the Cumberland Mountain State Park. It is a Buffet.***

## ***SEND A CARD & SAY A PRAYER***

**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**, 11103 Harbor Rd., Soddy Daisy, Tn. 37379. She is LaVaughn Turner's daughter.

### **VISITATION**

*Visitation Group Four Meets Today*

### **TAKE FOOD TO FUNERAL HOMES**

*This Week, TEAM 5, Team Coordinator: Sis. Carolyn Tate, Ph. 949-3157*

*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](http://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](http://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 Laundry Detergent. Last Week it was Toilet Paper. We need more to participate in this effort. Put it on your grocery list, then you won't forget.

### **CHURCH EVENTS**

Lectureship at Dayton, Nov. 5<sup>th</sup> with different speakers, (See Bulletin Board)

At Mary V. Wheeler Elementary, Nov. 5, a Benefit for the Tim Hawn Family from Wheeler Hill. Starting at 3:00 CDT. Some of the family was severely injured in an automobile accident.

At Magby Gap, Homecoming with Bro. Ronnie Gilbert. (See Bulletin board)

At Midway, a Gospel Meeting Nov. 6-10 at 7:00 CST with Bro. Paul Cagle.

At Morganville, a Gospel Meeting with Bro. Wesley Simons, Nov. 11-16 at 6:30 CST each evening. Sunday afternoon Service is at 1:00, no Evening Service on Sunday.

### **2016 Dunlap church of Christ**

#### **Gospel Meetings, Events and Activities**

**Our Gospel Meeting has come and gone. It was well attended, we had excellent lessons and there was several visitors from other Congregations and from the community. We had 169 on Sunday Morning, 154 on Sunday Night, 174 on Monday, 151 on Tuesday and we do not have Wednesday's count.**