

**NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS**

- (24) ROBERT THOMAS
- (27) COREY GREEN
- (29) DANA LOWDERMILK

**NOVEMBER ANNIVERSARIES**

- (26) JEANETTE GIBBS (49 yrs.)

**DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS**

- (1) CRYSTAL EWTON
- (1) MARK SIMONS
- (3) SHANA BRADY
- (4) CARSON DeBORD
- (4) DAVID BRADY
- (5) WADE GRAHAM
- (8) ALLIE BRADY
- (12) LOGAN BURDETTE
- (12) KERRY HOLLIS
- (13) JENNIFER DAVIS FOSHEE
- (13) AVERY DEAKINS
- (18) CADEN SWANGER
- (20) CAROLYN HATFIELD
- (20) JADA LAND
- (20) JAMES McCLAIN
- (22) TAMMY CLAYTON
- (28) ASHTON CLAYTON
- (29) JENNY KRETZMEIER
- (30) TONY BOSTON
- (30) C. J. DAVIS

**DECEMBER ANNIVERSARIES**

- (1) LYNN AND JOYCE LAYNE (2 yrs.)
- (11) GERALD AND JANET LAND (45 yrs.)
- (11) BEN AND LINDA McCOY (51 yrs.)
- (20) ROBERT AND LINDA TURNER (47 yrs.)
- (20) JIM AND JANIS DEARMAN (47 Yrs.)
- (23) JOHN AND ANN COOLEY (55 yrs.)
- (24) DAN AND WILMA MABRY (56 yrs.)
- (24) COREY GREEN AND MICHELLE YOUNG (12 yrs.)

**DECEMBER**

*Lock Building: Joel Danley*

*Prepare Communion: Sharon Green & Anita Ross*

*Pick-up Cups: Mark & Elaine Simons*

*Van Driver: Bobby Von Rohr*

*Last Sunday Singing: Gabe Dixon*

**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:**

- Freddie Clayton
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**WE DIDN'T COME FROM ANIMALS...BUT**

*Some Church Members Are:*

*Stubborn as MULES;*

*Sly as a FOX in business deals;*

*Busy as BEES in spreading the latest gossip;*

*But quiet as a MOUSE in spreading the Gospel;*

*They have eyes like a HAWK to see others faults;*

*Are mean as a SNAKE if they don't get their own way;*

*They are eager as a BEAVER about Bar-B-ques and pot-luck,*

*But lazy as a CAT about Wednesday night Bible study.*

*Many are NIGHT OWLS on Saturday night;*

*And BED BUGS on Sunday morning;*

*As slippery as an EEL on Sunday afternoon;*

*And scarce as HEN'S teeth on Sunday night.*

## THE RECORD

SUNDAY SCHOOL-----145  
WORSHIP-----157  
CONTRIBUTION-----\$4176  
SUNDAY NIGHT-----126  
WEDNESDAY NIGHT----123

## **SICK/SHUT-IN**

**Rubel & Pat Clayton**  
**Jeanette Gibbs** broke her arm  
in two places  
**Ouida Richardson** home  
**David Brady** had shoulder  
surgery-Family is sick-flu  
**Peggy Standefer**, Ruth  
Harvey's sister was burned on  
her arm and head in a fire  
doing well  
**Kate Walling** will have surgery  
Wednesday  
**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 bound

**Jack Milhollin and his daughter**  
**Lily** were injured in a car wreck. He  
is in stable condition and Lily is in  
critical condition. Jack is James McLain's  
Grandson and Lily is his great-grand  
daughter  
**Phyllis McGlothen** is home  
**Thelma Smith**—improving  
**Freddie Layman**, Arrietta's son is home  
**Lou Von Rohr**, Bobby's mom  
**Avery and Minnie Lee Deakins**  
**Jennifer Smith** improved  
**Lynn Layne** ICU at Parkridge  
**Ernest Laws**  
**Billie Laws** broke her ankle and is in  
NHC, in McMinnville send cards to home  
address (See insert).  
**Darlene Raber** has bone cancer  
**Tim Hawn** is home

## **NURSING HOME**

**Clara Mae Foley**  
**Donna Underwood** Room 713  
**Campbell Underwood**  
**Edna Johnson**

## **SYMPATHY**

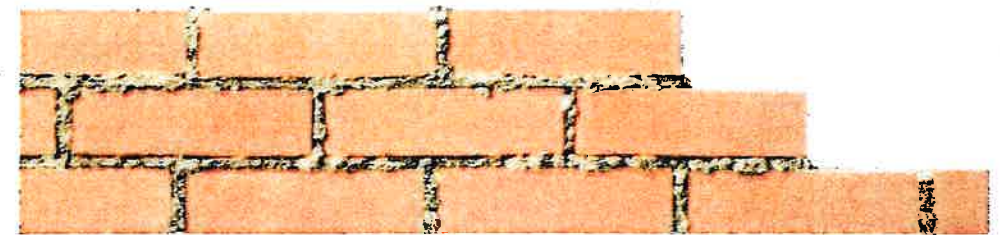
Our sincere sympathy is extended to  
the family of Andy Thacker.

## **RESPONSES**

Sis. Cherie Meeks, Sis. Vera Burdette  
and Anthony Shaffer all asked for  
the prayers of The Church.

## What did Jesus build?

"built on the foundation  
of the apostles and  
prophets"  
Ephesians 2:20-21.



It is amazing indeed that many otherwise intelligent people actually believe that something that was eternally purposed by God (Ephesians 3:10-11); something that Jesus promised to build (Matthew 16:18); and something that was purchased with the blood of Christ (Acts 20:28) is less than essential. The truth of the matter is that the body of Christ, which is the church (Ephesians 1:22-23; Colossians 1:18) is composed of all the saved. The Lord adds them to it (Acts 2:41-47). The Lord has only one body (Ephesians 4:4) hence only one church. The Lord's church is the house, household, or family of God (I Timothy 3:14-15). He has no family members outside His church. For anyone to minimize the body of Christ is to minimize as well the Christ as the essential head of His body. These are only a fraction of the Biblical facts often rejected by many who believe what the Bible doesn't teach while rejecting what the Bible does teach. We are always willing to prove these things are so (I Thessalonians 5:21-22), either privately or publicly.



## *SEND A CARD & SAY A PRAYER*

**Timothy Leslie**, Heavy Troop Thunder Squadron, 3d Calvary Regiment (CF Rifles). T F Gamberi, APO AE 09354. He Tommy & Brenda's son.

**Billie Laws**, 225 Miriah Drive, McMinnville, Tn. 37110.

**Sarah E. Dodson**, PO Box 762, Dunlap, Tn. 37327.

**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.

## **VISITATION**

*Visitation Group Four Meets Today*

## **TAKE FOOD TO FUNERAL HOMES**

*This Week, TEAM 4, Team Coordinator: Sis. Sarah Land, Ph. 243-7732*

*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 Fabric Softener. Last Week it was Body Wash. We need more to participate in this effort. Put it on your grocery list, then you won't forget.*

## **HOLIDAY CARDS**

*There is a Holiday card list in the foyer of all who attend here. Please delete the names of Eddie & Gwen Hobbs and Nick and Allison Morrison. They all now attend at Bethel. Add Anthony Shaffer, Eric Paulk and Tyler Perkins.*

**DEADLINE IS NOON DECEMBER 11. CARDS WILL BE GIVEN OUT THAT EVENING.**

## **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.*

## **YOU CAN HELP**

*Rachel has the names and ages of Three Foster Children. There is a sign-up sheet in the foyer. Gifts need to be wrapped or put in a gift bag with child's name on the outside. Have gifts here at the building by Wed. Dec. 7<sup>th</sup>.*

## **THANKS**

*Life's path is more easily traveled in the company of friends and family. Thank you for your kindness. Visitation team #3, Thank you all so much for all you did for us. All the prayers, food and coming to the funeral home.*

*Darlene Higdon and Family*

*Your kind and thoughtful expression of sympathy is deeply appreciated and gratefully acknowledged. Thank you for the delicious food and all the thoughts and prayers during our difficult time. Steve Basham Family*

*Thanks from Me! Just a line or two to bring my warmest thanks to you! Thanks for the visits, the cards, the calls and all the prayers that I know that were said for me. Thank you very much. In Christian Love, George*

## **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

*If you would like to be on the schedule to be a New Greeter, or if you would like to renew your commitment from this year, please check with Gabe or Amanda. They are in the process of preparing a schedule for 2017.*

## **NEW CLASS**

*Bro. Jim Dearman will begin a Couples' Class in January.*