

FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

- (5) FAY WEBB
- (5) JORDAN BOSTON
- (8) TIMOTHY WITT
- (8) LETTIE GUY
- (10) SARAH LAND
- (12) TIM LAYMAN
- (14) TAMMY LAYMAN
- (17) BOBBY DYRL HIGDON
- (20) MONTANA WITT
- (25) MASON LAND
- (25) JOHN S. BURCH
- (26) CHARLIE HICKS
- (29) JESSICA THOMAS

FEBRUARY ANNIVERSARIES

- (1) JERRY AND WANDA HENNESSEE (59 yrs.)
- (3) JASON AND SARAH LAND (6 yrs.)
- (11) WILEY AND ANN BOSTON (56 yrs.)
- (23) BOBBY AND TENNIE HIGDON (49 yrs.)
- (22) DAVID AND SHANA BRADY (20 yrs.)

FEBRUARY

- Greeters: Feb.05, Howie & Donna*
Feb. 12, Rickey & Tina
Feb. 19, Sue & Tennie
Feb. 26, Greg & Leslie

- Lock Building: C. J. Davis*
Prepare Communion: Glenn & Debbie Eidson
Pick-up Cups: Linda Turner
Van Driver: Anthony Shaffer
Last Sunday Singing: ????????????

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, C. J. Davis,
Glen Edison, Robert Farmer,
Tim Layman, Benny McCoy,
Lanny Smith, Bobby Von Rohr

Preacher:
Freddie Clayton
Office (423) 949-3286
Res. (423) 949-4339

Church of Christ
15964 Rankin Avenue Dunlap, Tennessee 37327



VOLUME XXV FEBRUARY 5, 2017 NO. 6

Published weekly by the Dunlap Church of Christ

A Child's Advice to His/Her Parents

(Continued from last week)

- 6. *I need your encouragement to grow, so go easy on the criticism. Try to correct my behavior without criticizing me as a person.*
- 7. *Give me the freedom to make decisions. Permit me to fail, so I can learn from my mistakes. Then I'll be prepared to make the kind of decisions life requires me to make as an adult.*
- 8. *Don't do jobs over that I have done. This makes me feel that my efforts don't quite measure up to your expectations. I know it's hard, but please don't compare me to my brother or sister.*
- 9. *Please don't be afraid to leave for a weekend together. Kids need vacations from parents, just as parents need to get away occasionally. This is also a great way to show us kids that your marriage is very special.*
- 10. *Please set a good example by taking me to Sunday school and church regularly. I enjoy learning more about God.*

THE RECORD

SUNDAY SCHOOL-----138
WORSHIP-----160
CONTRIBUTION-----\$5227
SUNDAY NIGHT-----114
WEDNESDAY NIGHT-----125

SICK/SHUT-IN

Quay Johnson will have hip replacement surgery Thursday
Carol Ann Davis is having back problems
Jake Pickett
Christy Pickett
Holly Pickett
Carolyn Hatfield had Gall Bladder surgery
Betty Long's cancer has returned. She is Greg's Mom.
LeRoy Dedmon is having heart problems, he is on GNT
Ellen Miller
Emma Foshee not doing well
Ouida Richardson
Peggy Robertson
Wanda Johnson, Claudine Burch's sister, (see address)
Kate Walling had surgery
Grace Grayson
Fred St.Clair needs prayers and cards, also meals, and visits, not doing well. Hospice is involved
Ruth Turner
Janie Smith is home bound
Lettie Guy has the flu

Greg Rains, son of Joe and Vera
Annette Brown, Gail Hollis' sister
Is taking radiation treatments for a cancer that returned on her hand
Tommy Leslie's Aunt is in a hospital in Ala.

Cathleen Hendon, Ellen Miller's sister has cancer-has also had a stroke
Joshua, Two month son of Paul & Kim Kelsey had open heart surgery In Birmingham

Doris Pickett fell, broke bones

Nellie Ruth Layne, Arrietta's sister
James DeBord's Mom had hip replacement surgery

Brooke Mendenhall, Breast Cancer, Stage 4

Sarah Dodson home with Hospice
Jack Milhollin, he is James McLain's Grandson, he is at James' home

Phyllis McGlothen is home COPD

Thelma Smith—improving

Freddie Layman, Arrietta's son

Lou Von Rohr, Bobby's mom

Avery and Minnie Lee Deakins

Jennifer Smith improved

Lynn Layne is back at the cottage

Billie Laws is in NHC, in McMinnville
see address on insert.

Darlene Raber has bone cancer

Robert Jarvis

Ruth Ann Mason, Accident

NURSING HOME

Clara Mae Foley

Olen Mooneyham

Donna Campbell Underwood, Rm. 713

The Golden Eagle

A man found an eagle's egg and put it in the nest of a backyard hen. The eaglet hatched with a brood of chicks and grew up with them.

All his life the eagle did what the backyard chickens did, thinking he was a backyard chicken. He scratched the earth for worms and insects. He clucked and cackled. And he would thrash his wings and fly a few feet into the air.

Years passed and the eagle grew very old. One day he saw a magnificent bird far above him in the cloudless sky. It glided in graceful majesty among the powerful wind currents with scarcely a beat of its strong wings.

The old eagle looked up in awe. "Who's that?" he asked.

"That's the eagle, the king of the birds," said his neighbor. "He belongs to the sky. We belong to the earth--we're chickens."

So the eagle lived and died a chicken, for that's what he thought he was.

Things Have Changed

It will probably astonish many young people among us to find out that 15 day gospel meetings used to be common. Does just the thought of a meeting beginning on Sunday and continuing through two more Sundays make you tired? There would often be services during the day too. What about the practicality of such? That was never questioned. The highest priority was placed upon the proclamation of God's Word with the realization that souls were lost without it. What has changed? Is it the need for the faithful proclamation or just the priorities? The fields are white with lost folks. Many have no religion to call their own, while others have a false religion to call their own. The result is the same: lost people.

Along with changed priorities, I am convinced that something else has changed too. Hearts are not the same as they once were. Today, if people are shown to be religiously dishonest, it seems not to bother them in the least. When people are confronted with the prospects of being lost, many refuse to be moved or even disturbed. Yes, there are honest and good hearts out there and we must be busy finding them. While many things seem to be changing for the worse, we still can be instrumental in helping people change for the better. God's word is living, powerful, and capable of accomplishing what God wants done (Hebrews 4:12).

-Freddie-

REMINDER

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

SYMPATHY

*Our sincere sympathy is extended to Jim Dearman in the death of his sister Janis Murphy. Her Memorial Service will be this afternoon in Smithville.
Our sincere sympathy is extended to Michelle Young in the death of her Brother-in-law Jerry Pigue in Arkansas.*

CONGRATULATIONS

*Ian Shoemate won first place in a County wide 4-H Club Speaking contest.
Kennedy Dixon won first place in a County Wide 4-H Club Speaking Contest.
Both of them will compete in the Region.
Savannah Haynes was selected as the Superlative "Most Courteous" in the Senior Class at SCHS.*

TUESDAY NIGHT CLASS

The subject this week is, "A Mind To Work."

THANKS

*Your kind expression of Sympathy means so much...Thanks...
Thank You to the Dunlap church of Christ for the donation to Good News Today in honor of our father, Ernest Laws. He loved the Dunlap Congregation very much.
With Love, The Family of Ernest Laws*

LAST CHANCE! If you want to participate in the Know the Books event for Lads 2 Leaders then TODAY is your last chance. There will be someone in the high school classroom from 4:15 – 4:45 before services OR you can see Joel Danley in the high school classroom after evening services.

SEND A CARD & SAY A PRAYER

Wanda Johnson, 343 13th Ave., Dayton, Tn. 37321. She is Claudine Burch's sister.

Billie Laws, c/o NHC, 928 Old Smithville Road, Room 205, McMinnville, Tn. 37110. She has been moved to the Second Floor.

Sarah E. Dodson, PO Box 762, Dunlap, Tn. 37327. Hospice is involved.

Lou Von Rohr, c/o Bobby Von Rohr, 67 Keener Hill Road, Dunlap, Tn. 37327.

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.

Kathy Crosslin, 217 Millers Cove, Signal Mtn., Tn. 37377

VISITATION

Visitation Group One Will Meet 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. 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 Hand Lotion. Last Week it was Baby Diapers. We need more to participate in this effort. Put it on your grocery list, then you won't forget.

YOU CAN HELP

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