

**APRIL BIRTHDAYS**

- (1) VICTOR CRABTREE
- (2) TUCKER WYATT DAVIS
- (3) DORIS PICKETT
- (4) JANIE SMITH
- (5) JACOB BOSTON
- (9) NANCY HERRON
- (13) CAM HAYNES
- (14) TOMMY LESLIE
- (15) ANN BOSTON
- (16) MAGGIE LOWDERMILK
- (16) ROY LaVAUGHN TURNER
- (17) LEEAN BACH
- (19) JAMES DeBORD
- (19) ETHEN SIMS
- (20) CINDY ELLIOTT
- (21) LONA GRACE YAWN
- (21) MINNIE LEE DEAKINS
- (22) VERA BURDETTE
- (27) DANIEL EWTON
- (27) MADDIE MARTIN
- (28) KEITH BURDETTE
- (28) STEPHANIE L. BRAGG
- (29) SAWYER DAVIS
- (29) ANN COOLEY
- (29) LINDA TURNER

**APRIL ANNIVERSARIES**

- (1) FREDDIE AND TAMMY CLAYTON (40 yrs.)
- (1) JAMES AND UNA DeBORD (17 yrs.)
- (3) KERRY AND GAIL HOLLIS (35 yrs.)
- (13) GREG AND LESLIE LONG (32 yrs.)
- (17) TOMMY AND MILLI WALLACE (30 yrs.)
- (19) PAUL AND CINDY ELLIOTT (18 yrs.)
- (30) CLINTON AND ELLEN MILLER (57 yrs.)

**APRIL**

*Lock Building: Lanny & Patrick*  
*Prepare Communion: Hicks Family*  
*Pick-up Cups: Pickett Family*  
*Van Driver: Freddie Clayton*  
*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
- 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, C. J. Davis,
- Glen Edison, Robert Farmer,
- Tim Layman, Benny McCoy,
- Lanny Smith, Bobby Von Rohr

**Preacher:**

- Freddie Clayton
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**REAL WORTH**

*I counted dollars while God counted crosses,*  
*I counted gains while He counted losses,*  
*I counted my worth by the things in my store,*  
*But He sized me up by the scars that I bore,*  
*I counted honors and sought for degrees,*  
*He wept as he counted so few hours on my knees,*  
*And I never knew till one day by a grave,*  
*How vain are the things we spend our lives to save.*

*Dunlap Church Bulletin March 20, 1977*

*(Author Unknown)*

## THE RECORD

SUNDAY SCHOOL-----144  
WORSHIP-----156  
CONTRIBUTION-----\$4066  
SUNDAY NIGHT-----GM  
WEDNESDAY NIGHT-----GM

### **SICK/SHUT-IN**

**Tracy Smith**  
**Wilma Mabry** had surgery  
**Dawn Graham**  
**Bill Greer**, preacher at Soddy  
**Robert Turner**  
**Pansy Burch**  
**Cam Haynes**  
**Anita Ross** Broke her ankle  
**Grace Kretzmeier** broke her wrist  
**Ruth Turner**  
**Wilma Price** had a stroke, she is Nancy Herron's cousin and is in Siskin  
**Glenn Eidson** is home  
**Ouida Richardson**  
**Betty Long**, She is Greg's Mom.  
**LeRoy Dedmon** is home (see address)  
**Emma Foshee** not doing well, surgery April 11  
**Wanda Johnson**, Claudine Burch's sister, (see address)  
**Kate Walling**  
**Janie Smith** is home bound  
**Tony Britt** (Pikeville's preacher)  
**Greg Rains**, son of Joe and Vera

**Carol Hubbard**, see address  
**Annette Brown**, Gail Hollis' sister  
**Cathleen Hendon**, Ellen Miller's Sister  
**Nellie Ruth Layne**, Arrietta's sister, Is taking chemo  
**Brooke Mendenhall**, Breast Cancer,  
**Jack Milhollin**, he is James McLain's Grandson, he is at James' home  
**Thelma Smith**—improving  
**Freddie Layman**, Arrietta's son  
**Lou Von Rohr**, Bobby's mom  
**Avery and Minnie Lee Deakins**  
**Lynn Layne**, Joyce's husband  
**Billie Laws** is in NHC, in McMinnville see address, Room No. 411  
**Darlene Raber** has bone cancer.  
**Sawyer Cole**, 5 yr. old grand-son of Larry Cole will begin chemo for Leukemia, Larry is the preacher at Carthage

### **NURSING HOME**

**Clara Mae Foley**  
**Donna Campbell Underwood**, Rm. 713  
**Phyllis McGlothen**

### **APRIL**

**Greeters:** Apr. 2<sup>nd</sup>. Robert & Linda  
9<sup>th</sup>. Tony & Trish  
16<sup>th</sup>. Freddie & Tammy  
23<sup>rd</sup>. John & Ann  
30<sup>th</sup>. Jim & Janis

## **How Could We Be Wrong? #2**

"But sanctify the Lord God in your hearts: and be ready always to give an answer to every man that asketh you a reason of the hope that is in you with meekness and fear," (1 Peter 3:15). "If any man speak, let him speak as the oracles of God," (1 Peter 4:11). Do these verses not tell us that we should be able to explain from God's word why we teach what we teach and do what we do? While folks may not like it and false accusations result, where are the honest and reasonable opponents who would attempt to prove us wrong?

Are we wrong when we say that Christ built only one church? Jesus said in Matthew 16:18, "I will build my church." Where in God's word do you ever read where He built another or more than one? Are we wrong to say, believe, and defend the truth the Lord made obvious?

Are we wrong when we say Christ adds the saved to the church? Acts 2:47 says, "The Lord added to the church daily, those who were being saved." Reckon to which church He adds them? Who would dare contend that the Lord added them to any but His?

Are we wrong when we say no one is saved outside the church? If Christ adds the saved to His church - and He does - how can anyone be saved and not be in Christ's church? Paul affirmed that both Jews and Gentiles are reconciled unto God "in one body," (Ephesians 2:16). If reconciliation is "in one body," how can anyone be reconciled to God outside that one body, the church?

Are we wrong to teach that one must believe and be baptized in order to be saved? If so, what then does Mark 16:16 teach? "He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved." The Lord here revealed two things necessary for salvation. What are they? You will find other things also required in other passages, but you will never find less. It cannot be. You really have to have help to misunderstand the simplicity of the Lord's words. Wrong to say what the Lord said? Think about it!

Are we wrong in teaching the urgency of repenting and being baptized for the remission of sins? What did Peter tell Jews on Pentecost in Acts 2:38 to do when they asked? Is it not this very thing? Can we be wrong in telling people what he told people to do? Can anyone be right who claims to offer remission of sins on any other terms?

Do not these things need to be seriously considered? Friend, do not go to judgment unprepared to meet God. Please don't let prejudice keep you from seeing and obeying the truth.

-adapted from an article by Virgil Hale-

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

**Carol Hubbard**, 1421 Cloverdale Circle, Apt. 406, Hixson, Tn. 37343. She is Wanda, Janet and James sister and cancer has returned.

**Leroy Dedmon**, 4904 Georgia Hwy. 120, Buchanan, Ga. 30113. He is a preacher on GNT.

**Wanda Johnson**, 343 13<sup>th</sup> Ave., Dayton, Tn. 37321. She is Claudine Burch's sister.

**Billie Laws**, c/o NHC, 928 Old Smithville Road, Room 411, McMinnville, Tn. 37110.

**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

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

## **VISITATION**

*Visitation Group Two Will Meet Tonight.*

## **TAKE FOOD TO FUNERAL HOMES**

*This Week, TEAM 3, Team Coordinator: Sis. Wilma Mabry, Ph. 949-5868*

*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 **Baby Bottles**. 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.*

## **YOU CAN HELP**

*There is a Food List in the foyer for Ouida Richardson please sign this. Please call ahead for content and time, we just need to bring a plate.*

## **55 and Over**

*The 55 and Older will be going to see "Greener Pastures" at the Cumberland County Playhouse on Tuesday April 18. We will leave the church building at 10:00 and have lunch at the Cumberland Mtn. State Park. Check with Rachel Hixson.*

## **SYMPATHY**

*Our sincere sympathy is extended to Robert Farmer in the death of his Grand-mother, Geraldine F. Crooks in Oklahoma.*

*Our sincere sympathy is extended to the Family of Sis. Sarah Dodson.*

*Our sincere sympathy is extended to Ellen Miller in the death of her brother, Leonard Harvey. He was killed in an auto accident.*

*Our sincere sympathy is extended to the Family of Bill Wilkerson.*

## THANKS

Thank you all for all the beautiful cards of encouragement, but most of all for your prayers. The journey is hard, but each step I take, I know you and my Savior are beside me. *In Christian Love, Carol Hubbard*

## REMINDER

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

## GOSPEL MEETING

At Bybee Branch in McMinnville, April 9-12 at 7:00 CDT with Bro. Chad Ramsey.

At Green's Lake Road April 9-13 at 7:00 EDT with Bro. Eddy Craft.

(See Bulletin Board)

At White Oak April 16-19 at 7:00 EDT with Bro. Larry Fife.

(See Bulletin board)

At Stevenson, Al. on April 23-26 at 7:00 CDT with Bro. Ron Gilbert. (See Bulletin Board).

At Sequatchie Valley on April 23-27 with Bro. David Smith. (See Bulletin Board)

At East Side in Cleveland April 30-May 3 at 7:00 EDT with Bro. Eric Owens. (See Bulletin Board)

## LECTURESHIP

At Southeast Institute of Biblical Studies, their Annual Lectures, April 23-26.

## YOUTH DAY

At East Side in Cleveland on Sat. April 29 at 9:30 EDT. With Bro. Eric Owens.

(See Bulletin Board)

## WORKSHOP FOR BIBLE CLASS TEACHERS

At Trenton on April 22 at 9:00-3:00 EDT. (See Bulletin Board)

## SINGLES EVENT

At East Ridge April 28-30. (See Bulletin Board)

## OUR GOSPEL MEETING

Our GM has come and gone, and if you were not here, it is your loss. On Sunday AM, we had 156, PM we had 143, On Monday we had 137, On Tuesday, we had 121, On Wednesday, we had 70 and a real storm and on Thursday we had 114.