

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

(24) BAYLEE SHOEMATE
(27) HANNAH DANLEY
(28) DANE EWTON

SEPTEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

(23) ROGER AND CAROLYN TATE (51 yrs.)

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:

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

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THIS WEEK
Mend a quarrel
Seek out a forgotten friend
Give a soft answer
Encourage a young person
Keep a promise
Find time to listen
Apologize if you were wrong
Be gentle
Laugh a little
Laugh a little more
Express your gratitude
Gladden the heart of a child
Speak your love
Speak it again
Speak it still once again.

THE RECORD

SUNDAY SCHOOL———141
WORSHIP———147
CONTRIBUTION———\$4516
SUNDAY NIGHT———144
WEDNESDAY NIGHT——142

SICK/SHUT-IN

**Wade Graham and children,
Dawn and Ethan** have been very
ill with a virus

Greg Long
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

Sarah Dodson
Roz Hubbard

Frank Crownover of the Dechard
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

Riley Davis
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
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 and
was in a very serious auto accident

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

WHAT MATTER OF EMPHASIS?

Last Sunday morning's sermon dealt with the absolutely necessity of placing our emphasis upon God's directions and abiding in His will and authority. As with other things, this is a matter of choice upon our part. When we emphasize what God does, we will be blessed. When we don't, we won't. It really is that simple. With the desire to know what God's will is, so that we may do His will and proclaim it to others, our emphasis will always be, "What saith the Scriptures?"

Sadly, many miss the boat when it comes to the matter of emphasis. While it may not be verbalized as such, many have made their creed, "What can we do to be popular with people and non-offensive to the greatest possible number?" With such an approach in emphasis, the sky is the limit as to what compromising, sin-accommodating positions and spiritual tomfoolery will result.

Consider the matter of fellowship extension to false teachers and their teaching. The "Spirit speaketh expressly" about these matters. "Have no fellowship with the unfruitful works of darkness, but rather reprove them," (Ephesians 5:11). Consider as well that which is "expressly" forbidden in II John 9-11. "Whosoever transgresseth, and abideth not in the doctrine of Christ, hath not God...If there come any unto you, and bring not this doctrine, receive him not into your house, neither bid him God speed; For he that biddeth him God speed is partaker of his evil deeds." Could anything be plainer? Is it possible that a misplaced emphasis upon *popularity* and *non-offensiveness* has replaced "the doctrine of Christ" by which we maintain fellowship with God and Christ His Son? If not, then what is the reasoning behind aiding and abetting promoters of error and their unholy wares of false doctrine? I will be waiting with great anticipation someone to enlighten me and remove the bewilderment in which I find myself. Help me if you can.

-Freddie-

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Wise men are not always silent, but they know when to be.

It is truly a shame that ignorance is not painful,
for if it were, people might seek a remedy.

REMINDER

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

RESPONSE

Sis. Trish Boston came forward and asked for the prayers of The Church.

SYMPATHY

Our sincere sympathy is expressed to the family of Sarah Louise Heard Sims. She was the sister of Sis. Charline Johnson.

Our sincere sympathy is expressed to the families of Bro. William Powell from Kimball and Claris Huffman.

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 during September and they will be repaired and returned in October.

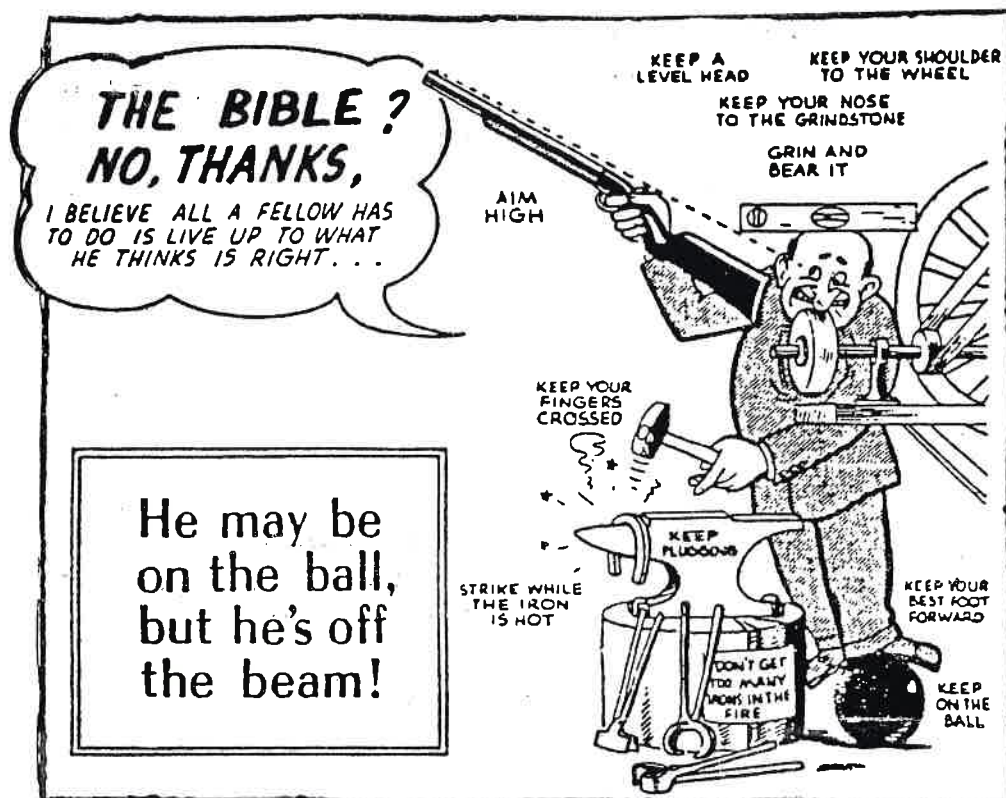
THANK YOU

Thank you. Life's path is more easily traveled in the company of friends and family. Thank you for your kindness. Thank you for the cakes at the funeral home for my wife Karen Gandy's service. Douglas Gandy

Dear Elders and Members, Thank you for everyone that brought food for Fred and me, and for the people that invited us to their homes. The food was so good and we appreciate it very much. Please keep Fred in your prayers and me too. Love Ouida.

SINGING

The monthly last Sunday singing will be tonight.



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, 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. 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 Tooth Brushes. If you are not participating in this program, does that mean that you don't think it is worthwhile?

CHURCH EVENTS

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

**2016 Dunlap church of Christ
Gospel Meetings, Events and Activities
October 23-26, Gospel Meeting with David Powell**

ATTENTION

The Visitation Groups are being re-organized. If you want to be in a Group and are not, or if you are in a Group and want out, please let Al Simmons know.

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.*