Prayer List

Marc Genua, Eleanor Green, Virgil Hale, Betty Harama, Gordon Hatcher, Amy Headrick, Dennis Hogan, Kenny Hughes, Evelyn Hunt, Magaly Orozco, Herbert and Jean Palmer, Chris Ragle, Norma Ragle, Dolores Snyder, Sam Teasley, Jana Ward, Andria Hurst Wood, Mary York

The Numbers

Attendance	Sunday, July 19	22/26/20
	Wednesday, July 22	24
Offering	Sunday, July 19	\$922.00

Those Serving

Prayer before Sunday Class	Tommy Sanders
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Sunday Morning Worship

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Announcements & First Prayer		Kevin Felker
Songs		David Snyder
Sermon		Brad Green
Lord's Supper		Charles Hatcher
Contribution		John Bagwell
Assisting		Levy Cox
Closing Prayer		Terry Hurst

Sunday Afternoon Worship

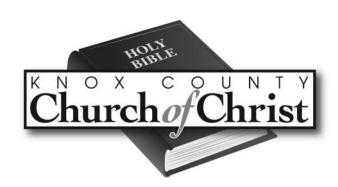
First Prayer	Barry Simmons
Songs	Singing
Sermon	Brad Green
Lord's Supper	Charles Hatcher
Closing Prayer	Donald Shipley

Wednesday Night

Songs Keith Keever
First Prayer Barry Simmons
Devotional Terry Hurst
Closing Prayer John Bagwell

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Meeting Location:

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Schedule of Services

Sunday

Wednesday		
Worship	10:30AM & 1:30 PM	
Bible Study	9:30 AM	

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From The Preachers Pen "ALCOHOL"

[This article is written by brother Thomas F. Eaves, Sr., and appeared in the July 3, 2000 issue of The Beacon, A Publication of the Bellview Church of Christ in Pensacola, FL]

"Wine is a mocker, strong drink *is* raging: and whosoever *is* deceived thereby is not wise" (Pro. 20:1). "Who has woe? Who has sorrow? Who has contentions? Who has complaints? Who has wounds without cause? Who has redness of eyes? Those who linger long at the wine. Those who go in search of mixed wine" (Pro. 23:29-30). Alcohol inhibits one's faculties (Pro. 23:33-34). Alcohol anesthetizes (Pro. 23:35).

Alcohol is involved in approximately: 30% of all suicides; 50% of all homicides; 68% of manslaughters; 52% of rapes and sexual assaults; 48% of robberies; 62% of assaults; 49% of all violent crime. (The Nat. Inst. On Alcohol Abuse & Alcoholism quoted by *The Tennessean*, Sunday, Sep. 14, 1997, p. 3F).

Alcohol is the cause of much tragedy in our society. In 1995 and 1996; highway fatalities hovered around 42,000 each year, reversing a trend earlier in the decade when fatalities dipped to fewer than 40,000 annually. Of these fatal crashes, alcohol was involved in more than 40%, or approximately 17,000 deaths each year in '95 and '96 (*Sheriffs*, Jan-Feb 1998, p. 17).

"How many alcohol-impaired driving incidents occur in the United States each year? While no one knows the accurate number, the best estimate to date is over 123 million annually, according to a study published in the Jan. 1997 issue of the *Journal of the American Medical Association* (JAMA)" (Sheriffs, Jan-

Feb, 1998, p. 17).

Alcohol Is a Drug! Ethyl Alcohol found in beer, wine, and whiskey is a depressant drug which dulls the inhibitions and decreases the powers of self-evaluation and self control.

What is the answer to this great problem? "Look not thou upon the wine when it is red, When it sparkleth in the cup, When it goeth down smoothly" (Pro. 23:31). Also read Habakkuk 2:15; Romans 13:13; Galatians 5:21; and Ephesians 5:18. If you never take the first drink you will never become an alcoholic or an abuser of alcohol.



The church of Christ

- ✓ Built by Jesus Christ
 - Matthew 16:18
- ✓ Purchased by Jesus Christ
 - Acts 20:28
- ✓ Established on the first Pentecost after the death, burial, and resurrection of Jesus Christ
 - Acts 2:38
 - Acts 2:41
 - Acts 2:47
- ✓ Jesus is the Head
 - Colossians 1:18
- ✓ The Bible is her only doctrine
 - 2 Timothy 3:16-17
 - Jude 3
 - 2 Peter 1:3
- ✓ God adds those being saved to the church
 - Acts 2:47
 - Mark 16:16
- ✓ Jesus will present the church to His Father
 - Ephesians 5:27
- ✓ There is only one church
 - Matthew 16:18
 - Ephesians 4:4
 - Ephesians 1:22-23

The Gospel Plan of Salvation

- HEAR the word of God; the Bible (Romans 10:17)
- BELIEVE the word of God and that Jesus is Lord (John 8:24; Hebrews 11:6)
- REPENT of sin (Acts 17:30)
- CONFESS that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God (Matthew 10:32-33)
- BE BAPTIZED in order to receive remission of sins (Acts 2:38); in order to have past sins washed away (Acts 22:16); in order to get into the body of Christ, the church (Romans 6:3-4; Acts 2:47); in order to be saved (Mark 16:15-16; 1 Peter 3:21)
- LIVE FAITHFULLY in accordance with God's word (1 John 1:6-9; Revelation 2:10)

Our Location

We meet in Suite 102 of Four Seasons Village, at 130 Mabry Hood Road in Knoxville, TN. Coming from Kingston Pike, we are on the right just past Chili's. Come and visit with us!

