

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, Andrea Hurst Wood, Mary York

- Keith Russell (Amanda's uncle) has been having heart related health issues.

The Numbers

Attendance	Sunday, August 2	21/27/21
	Wednesday, August 5	14
Offering	Sunday, August 2	\$889.00

Those Serving

Prayer Before Sunday Class Barry Simmons

Sunday Morning Worship

Announcements & First Prayer Tommy Sanders
Songs Kevin Felker
Sermon Brad Green
Lord's Supper Keith Kever
Contribution Charles Hatcher
Assisting Levy Cox
Closing Prayer John Bagwell

Sunday Afternoon Worship

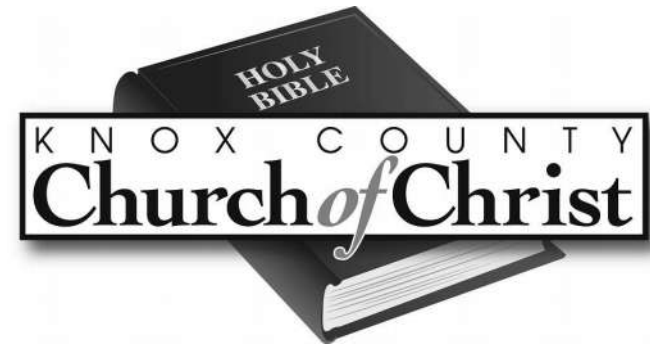
First Prayer Terry Hurst
Songs David Snyder
Sermon Brad Green
Lord's Supper Kevin Felker
Closing Prayer Donald Shipley

Wednesday Night

Songs Keith Kever
First Prayer Tommy Sanders
Devotional Barry Simmons
Closing Prayer Terry Hurst

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130 Mabry Hood Road
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Knoxville, TN 37922
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Schedule of Services

Sunday

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

Wednesday

Bible Study.....7:00 PM



From The Preacher's Pen

“ABOUNDING IN THE WORK OF THE LORD (Part 2)”

[This article was written by Bruce Stulting, and appeared in the July 13, 2015 Beacon, A Publication of the Bellview Church of Christ in Pensacola, FL]

It was demonstrated in a previous article that every Christian must abound in the work of the Lord. To the Corinthians, Paul wrote:

Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye steadfast, unmoveable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labour is not in vain in the Lord (1 Cor. 15:58).

God has equipped each Christian, according to their various abilities, to labor in the Kingdom. Thus, the Christian life ought to be filled with work for the Master.

The Christian needs the deepest commitment and the strongest conviction to develop the steadfastness and immovability that is necessary to accomplish the Lord's work. The doubts and opinions that plagued the church at Corinth hindered the Lord's work. They had problems over eating meat offered to idols (chapter 8-10). Worship was corrupted as women chose to set aside the veil and the Lord's Supper was turned into a common meal (chapter 11). There was confusion over the importance and use of spiritual gifts (chapters 12-14). These and other problems caused division which further hindered the work. Similarly, the church at Philippi was admonished:

Only let your conversation be as it becometh the gospel of Christ: that whether I come and see you, or else be absent, I may hear of your affairs, that ye

stand fast in one spirit, with one mind striving together for the faith of the gospel (Phi. 1:27).

Paul's life is an example of the commitment that is necessary to "abound" in the work of the Lord. Consider Paul's view of life, "For to me to live is Christ, and to die is gain" (1:21).

At the close of his life, Paul said:

I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith: Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at that day: and not to me only, but unto all them also that love his appearing (2 Tim. 4:7-8).

Paul had this strong conviction because he recognized the reward that awaits those who labor for the Lord.

The proper zeal for the Lord is impossible without strong faith and conviction. "Yea, a man may say, Thou hast faith, and I have works: shew me thy faith without thy works, and I will shew thee my faith by my works" (Jam. 2:18). A Christian's work will always be proportionate to their faith, conviction, and hope. Each Christian must develop the faith, commitment, and conviction necessary to be constant in the work of the Lord.

--Bruce Stulting

Welcome Visitors

We're glad you are with us today. Feel free to ask us any questions you may have. We look forward to getting to know you better.

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!

