

## Prayer List

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Doris Reyes Fernandez, Marc Genua, Ashleigh Green, Eleanor Green, Amanda Hatcher, Gordon Hatcher, Juan Mandujano, Mary Lynn McAleer, Betty Miller, Bernice & E. Y. Mock, Early Phillips, Chris Ragle, Ronald Russell, Tim Smith, Dolores Snyder, Sheila Sollars, Kevin (Chela Keever's nephew)

- Donna Fowler is home after being hospitalized with the flu and pneumonia.

## The Numbers

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Attendance	Sunday, April 7	16/16/9
	Wednesday, April 10	11
Offering	Sunday, April 7	

## Those Serving

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Prayer Before Sunday Classes    Barry Simmons

### Sunday Morning Worship

Announcements & Prayer	Keith Keever
Songs	David Snyder
Sermon	Brad Green
Lord's Supper & Contribution	Lance Green
Assistant	Levy Cox
Closing Prayer	Donald Shipley

### Sunday Afternoon Worship

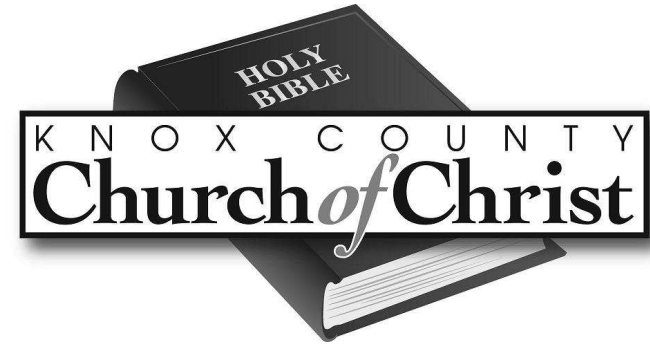
First Prayer	David Snyder
Songs	Keith Keever
Sermon	Brad Green
Lord's Supper	Lance Green
Closing Prayer	Barry Simmons

### Wednesday Night

Songs	Lance Green
First Prayer	Charles Hatcher
Devotional	Brad Green
Closing Prayer	Tommy Sanders

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**April 14, 2013**



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**Meeting Location:**  
 130 Mabry Hood Road  
 Suite 102  
 Knoxville, TN 37922  
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## Schedule of Services

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### Sunday

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

### Wednesday

Bible Study.....7:00 PM



## ***From The Preacher's Pen***

### **"IN THE NAME OF CHRIST"**

*[The following article was written by Jerry C. Brewer, who preaches in Elk City, OK.]*

To do a thing "in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ" means that He has authorized us to do that thing. We cannot simply pick out a practice that suits us and say, "this is in the name of Christ." No one can act "in the name of the State" without authority from that state. One might say he is acting in the name of the state, but unless the state has authorized that person to act, his action is in vain and without authority. Even so, unless Christ has authorized what we preach and practice we are not acting in His name – even though we claim to do so. Jesus has all authority (Mat. 28:18), and the Hebrew writer begins with the inspired assertion that God has "spoken unto us by His Son" (Heb. 1:1-2). God has spoken and His final Word has been revealed through Christ. For one's religion to be right, his preaching and practice must be ordered by the Word of Christ that's revealed in the New Testament. To do otherwise brings God's wrath upon us.

"But though we or an angel from heaven, preach any other gospel unto you than that which we have preached unto you, let him be accursed. As we said before, so say I now again, if any man preach any other gospel unto you than that ye have received, let him be accursed" (Gal. 1:8-9).

The above scripture makes it very plain that we dare not tamper with God's Word which is revealed to us. But both Catholics and

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Protestants are guilty of violating this plain New Testament precept. Catholicism relies upon oral tradition from the pope and councils of bishops in addition to the Bible, and the Protestant world is bound by humanly-written creeds in addition to the Bible. By adding their own teachings, whether oral or written, the Catholic and Protestant worlds have perverted the Gospel of Christ. Paul said the Gospel is "the power of God unto salvation" (Rom. 1:16). But when that power is perverted by men's doctrines it becomes powerless. Water is God's power for quenching thirst, but salt added to water perverts its power and renders it useless for that which God intended. That's exactly what human reason — whether expressed in the philosophies of agnosticism and atheism or the oral and written

traditions of Catholics and Protestants — does to the Gospel of Christ.

We invite you to stand upon the Word of God with us. Reject all human names and practices which aren't authorized in the Bible and become only a Christian and a Christian only. Believe in the Lord (John 8:24), repent of your sins (Luke 13:3), confess Christ as God's Son (Rom. 10:10; Acts 8:37) and be baptized into Christ for the remission of sins. Then worship with us as we follow the authority of the Bible and the Bible only.

*— Jerry C. Brewer*

### **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

### **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!

