

**SUNDAY SERVICE TIMES 9 A.M. / FB LIVE 9:05 A.M.**  
**BIBLE CLASS 10 A.M. /SUNDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY 6 P.M.**  
**WEDNESDAY EVENING CLASS 6:30 P.M.**

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 Sam Alexander Harold Johnson Scott Miller  
 Ken Collins Larry Keener Cub Scott

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 David Bell David Glenn Chris Middleton  
 Beau Bennett Clint Howard David Presley  
 Winston Bruce Joseph Jenkins Travis Prewitt  
 Brian Calvert David Kernodle Chris Quattlebaum  
 William Clark Daniel Lance Rick Quattlebaum  
 Sawyer Deakins Ron Lenderman

**OFFICE HOURS:  
 MON-FRI  
 8AM-3PM**

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Northside Church of Christ  
**Small Groups 2024**

Oct 6: Small Group	Nov 17: Small Group
Oct 13: Small Group	<b>Nov 24: All @ the Building</b>
Oct 20: Small Group	<b>Dec 1: All @ the Building</b>
<b>Oct 27: Singing</b>	Dec 8: Small Group
Nov 3: Small Group	Dec 15: Small Group
Nov 10: Small Group	<b>Dec 22: All @ the Building</b>

**Sunday Evening Schedule**

Area-wide Singing  
**Northside church of Christ**  
**OCTOBER 27**  
**6 PM**

**NURSERY WORKERS ARE NEEDED PLEASE SIGN UP!**  
 Come watch our sweet "pumpkins" grow!

The Bereavement Support Group will meet on 10/9 & 10/23 @ 5:00 in the Activity Building.

**Stars in the Universe**  
*Do everything without complaining or arguing, so that you may become blameless and pure, children of God without fault in a crooked and depraved generation, in which you shine like stars in the universe.*  
 (Philippians 2:14-15)

**Complaining and Arguing**  
 The human condition easily leads to continual complaining and arguing. Humans complain because doing so often creates bonds between people: complaining is contagious and often draws people together to gripe and find fault. Social media can be the ideal breeding ground for negative thinking: it is easy to complain and criticize; less easy to be constructive and evolve positive ideas. One very negative effect of always criticizing and complaining is that we fall into a pattern of doing so - and it is hard to get out. "Neurons that fire together, wire together" ... pathways in our brains are formed, bridges are built and these are strengthened every time we use them. Conversely, if we have a habit of loving and encouraging, seeing good wherever possible, then these are the neural pathways which will be strengthened.

Similarly with arguing: we can seem more intelligent and popular than we really are by arguing with family members and neighbors. The negative thinker will tend to say "no" before thinking an idea through, and new ideas can be rejected for no reason other than that they **are** new.

Finally, arguing and complaining is a way to vent feelings of frustration when one feels powerless to enact real change. However, as Christians know, the most radical and most powerful way to be is to be meek, subjecting oneself to the perfect will and love of God. **Let us rewire our brains through the example of Jesus, seeking out the good, pointing others to the good and being committed to the good.**

**Blameless and Pure**  
 It is important that Christians push against their negative human tendencies and adopt a blameless and pure  
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**SERVICE & WORSHIP HELPERS FOR October 13<sup>th</sup>**  
**Sunday Service 9 a.m. / Bible class 10 a.m. & 6 p.m.**  
**SERMON:** Steve Powers  
**PRESIDE OFFERING PRAYER:** Heath Gipson  
**SCRIPTURE:** Joseph Jenkins  
**CLOSING PRAYER:** Harold Johnson  
**SUNDAY & WED. USHERS:** Richie Poe, David Presley  
**SERVERS:** Grant Bennett, Lucas Collins, Owen Fouraker, Ted Howard, Ron Lederman, Chris Quattlebaum, Raymond Stills, Dave Tomlinson  
**GREETERS:** Becky Fancher, Jessica Smith  
**COUNTRYSIDE ASSISTED LIVING WORSHIP SERVICES 1 PM**  
 Jason Hart & Teens  
**SONG LEADER: 9 a.m.** David Bell **6 p.m.** Small Groups  
**TECH Booth:** Crystal Deakins **Streaming AV:** Spree Ragland  
**NURSERY:** Joni Bennett & Shay Bennett  
**WEDNESDAY, October 16<sup>th</sup>**  
**Scripture & Prayer:** Pete Papa (2 Peter 2:17-3:7)  
**ANNOUNCEMENTS:** Kai Keener  
**SONG LEADER:** Lucas Collins  
**Attendance:** WED. 10/2: n/a SUN 10/6 - 9 a.m. 274 BC: 204 p.m. 132 **Contribution** 10/2 \$11,655  
**COMMUNION & BUILDING:** William Clark  
**WORSHIP LEADER:** Travis Prewitt  
**ELDER OF THE MONTH:** Harold Johnson



# Family News

Welcome to God's Family

Richard Bruno was baptized before Small Group at Northside Sunday evening.

Rich has been worshipping with us for several weeks.


Welcome to Northside

Andrea & Micheala Roden

411 Skyline Drive  
Harrison, AR 72601

(870)904-6318 Andrea  
(870) 904-2283 Micheala

Happy 51st Anniversary



Tim & Teresa Haynes

October 19th

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approach to life – especially in response to the crooked and depraved world in which they often live. Anyone can complain. Anyone can argue. And most people do. But God's people are called to be blameless and pure. Let's take a brief look at these two virtues. **Blameless:** the idea here is that Christians are to commit to such a high standard of morality, honesty and integrity that they rise above any complaints against their character. Their good lives disprove any false accusation. They have, in essence, overcome evil with good. **Pure:** the idea here is to be innocent or harmless (as it is sometimes translated). A pure approach to living is one without guile, cultivating a pure heart.

May we heed these timeless words and live blameless and pure lives, pushing aside our human tendencies to complain and argue. The world will be better for it. - Stephen

# Prayer Requests

## CURRENT

**Grace Brisco** is recovering from hip surgery. Her family requests prayers as Grace's health declines.

**Roger Paul's mother, Bonnie Paul**, passed away Wednesday, September 25<sup>th</sup>. The funeral was Monday, September 30<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 AM.

**Pendarvis Family** as they grieve the loss of Brooklyn.

**Charlotte Parker** is in NARMC with dehydration and an infection.

**MaryAnn Presley's mother, Alice Ann Kellar**, passed away September 29<sup>th</sup>. A Celebration of Life will be held at 2PM on November 9<sup>th</sup> at College Street Church of Christ in Searcy.

**Kathryn Sikes, Alethea Campbell's sister**, has a spot on her pancreas and her doctor is sending her to Little Rock for surgery.

**Kristy Taylor** is having a lot of back pain due to a slipped disc and a broken vertebra.

**Ann Warren** has been moved to Hospice of the Hills.

**Bill Youngblood** fell and fractured his ankle and injured ligaments.

## ONGOING

Bill Curtis  
Debbie Crow  
Joan Drewry  
Marsha Garza  
Dawn Greer  
Spring Martin  
Barbara & Ray Mathis  
Beatrice O'Neal  
Jerry Peters  
Ron Peters  
Mary Rogers  
Jillian Willis

## NURSING HOME & ASSISTED LIVING

Sharon Ballard  
Grace Brisco  
Mary Brown  
Barbara Burlsworth  
Ann Cash  
Charlotte Gregory  
Shirley Jordan  
Faye McLaughlin  
Tippy Parker  
Curt Shaddox  
Ann Warren

## Truth for Today Commentary Proverbs 1-15

Copies on the foyer table are available for purchase for \$32.

Please put money in an envelope & place the envelope in the secretary tray in the copy room.

## At Home



Barbara Farmer	Faye Kisner
Herb Gipson	Marjorie Malone
Dawn Greer	Kathleen Mullen

**October Funeral Meal Coordinators**  
Jennifer Hart, Lisa Martin & Hope Mosley

# Announcements

There will be a drop-in baby shower at the home of Vickie Burlsworth for Jared Martin.

Jared and Lisa Holt are expecting a boy.

6:00 - Thursday, October 10th  
7:30 PM

Sunday is the last day to bring your items for Paragould's Children's Home lunch boxes & change cans.



## BOOTH & TREAT FALL FESTIVAL

October 26 | 3-5 PM

Games - Food - Baking Contests - Costume Contest & Pumpkin Decorating Contest

**NORTHSIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST**

If you have any questions, see Crystal or Darcy

Please let Crystal or Darcy know if you will be decorating a booth

Check the bulletin board in the kids' wing

What contest(s) will you enter?

- BBQ
- Cake
- Cookie
- Pie
- Costume
- Pumpkin Decorating

Therefore consider the goodness and severity of God: on those who fell, severity; but toward you, goodness, if you continue in His goodness.

Otherwise you also will be cut off.

Romans 11:22



## FAMILY RETREAT

OCT. 18-20

SIGN UP LIST IS ON THE BULLETIN BOARD

