

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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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
8 a.m. – 3 p.m.**

SERVICE & WORSHIP HELPERS September 13

Sunday Service 9 a.m. / Bible class 10 a.m. & 6 p.m.

SERMON: Steve Powers

PRESIDE OFFERING PRAYER: Rollie Walker

SCRIPTURE: Grant Bennett

CLOSING PRAYER: Larry Keener

SUNDAY & WED. USHERS: Winston Bruce, Lynn Keener

SERVERS: Floyd Cox, Roger Cunningham, Kyle Fancher, Jason
Fouraker, Heath Gipson, Hutch Gipson,
Winston Bruce, Lynn Keener

GREETERS: Jim & Lisa Johnson, Rain Wilson

SONG LEADER 9 a.m. David Bell **6 p.m.** Small Groups Begin

TECH BOOTH: Crystal Deakins **STREAMING AV:** Katenia Allen

NURSERY: Lindsi and Bailey Walker

COUNTRYSIDE ASSITED LIVING WORSHIP SERVICES 1 p.m.

Roger Paul and Cub Scott Families

WEDNESDAY, September 16

SCRIPTURE & PRAYER: John Wray (2 Timothy 2:15-19, 3:10 – 17)

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Ted Howard

SONG LEADER: Daniel Lance

ATTENDANCE:

WED 9/2: 162 **SUN 9/6:** am 304 **BC 236 pm 98**

CONTRIBUTION: 9/6: \$14,643.00

COMMUNION AND BUILDING: Chris Quattlebaum

WORSHIP COORDINATOR: Sawyer Deakins

ELDER OF THE MONTH: Larry Keener

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The Women of Luke, 5

The Widow's Mites has captivated people throughout the ages. The woman was destitute, a widow. And yet, Jesus notices her because of her humble, not-for-show offering. Her seemingly insignificant gift sits in stark contrast to the pompous for-show offerings given by many at the temple that day. Jesus knows her heart. Jesus knows their hearts. Mark 12 and Luke 21 give nearly identical accounts. Let's take a closer look.

He looked up.

The accounts of Mark and Luke are both four verses long, and unsentimentally told. One small difference at the outset is that Luke tells us that Jesus simply 'looked up and saw'; whereas Mark places Jesus at a more strategic point 'opposite', actively watching the people putting their contribution into the collecting box. The collection boxes had a trumpet like top to guide coins; rich people's contributions would clatter down and people would be impressed with the amount being contributed, thus garnering the contributor's own reward, just as in Matthew 6:5 where people praying in public have already received their reward. . .

Two mites.

...whereas the widow's two mites would have been silently swallowed up by the box, the two light coins not making any appreciable sound as they went in. Matthew 6:6 tells us that God rewards unostentatious prayers (and gifts) which are offered in true humbleness of spirit. The widow's two mites were little bronze coins around 5/8ths of an inch in diameter (a little smaller than a dime), weighing almost nothing. They were called 'lepta' in Greek. One lepton was worth 1/128th of a denarius, and a denarius was a day's wage for a common laborer. Virtually nothing in terms of monetary value, but worth everything to the widow.

Put in more.

We can imagine the disciples' inquisitive faces at Jesus' statement "I tell you that this poor widow has put in more" (Luke 21:3). After all, she had not put in more coins. Only two. She had not put in larger coins. Only small ones. There was no clank of coins dropping into the box. No sound. There was no fanfare. No reason to notice her. And yet, Jesus taught the disciples that the proportion of her sacrifice and the depth of her love can never truly be measured by the clank of coins, their size or their number. The woman gave "all she had to live on" (Luke 21:4). She gave "out of her poverty" (Luke 21:4). The disciples learned that the proportion, the humility and the sacrifice of gifts given is the best measure of what it means to be a faithful giver. Did the woman ever know that Jesus noticed her? Perhaps we can ask her one day.

~ Stephen Powers

Cradle Shower
♥ honoring ♥
EMIREE & AVERY YOUNG

 Sunday
SEPTEMBER 20TH The Young's
are registered
on Amazon

Let's shower this sweet family with love
& diapers! (preferred brand: Rascals)

Please join us in honoring
Rachel & Aaron Bursworth
as we celebrate the upcoming arrival of

A Little Girl!
September 27th
1:00 - 3:00
@ the home of
Lisa Martin
3579 Savannah Dr.

*Rachel is registered @
babylist.com*



Announcements

Dear Northside church of Christ,

Thank you for the cards and expressions of concern following the passing of Ambre. Although she was not known to your congregation, we were deeply touched that so many of your members reached out to us during such a difficult time.

Your prayers, cards, & words of encouragement were a great comfort to both of us. We are truly grateful for the love & compassion you showed us.

Thank you again for keeping us in your thoughts & prayers.

With love & appreciation, Jason & Amy Dodson



Neighbor Connections
Card Ministry teams will
meet in the upstairs
classroom immediately
following Bible classes.

Sept. 6 Team 4

Sept. 13 Team 5

Sept. 20 Team 1

Sept. 27 Team 2

Save the Date **Final Headcount:**
Sept. 20th



Small groups will begin
September 13th.

The small group
meeting at
Northside will
begin at 5 p.m.



Prayer Requests

CURRENT

Anita Beedle, Larry Keener's cousin's mother-in-law, has stage 4 pancreatic cancer.

Sherria Honey Burk, the daughter of Jerry & Bettye Honey passed away Monday. Graveside services will be on Friday at 9 a.m. at Fakes Cemetery in McCrory, AR. There will also be a Memorial Service on Sept. 16th in Fort Smith at Williams Funeral Chapel at 9 a.m.

Marty Burlsworth is recovering from shoulder surgery.

Judy Coble requests prayers for her husband George. He is not doing well.

Donna Crow, Ashley Johnson's mother, is undergoing treatment for breast cancer.

Chris Davis will see a specialist for interstitial lung disease on Friday, September 11th.

Heather Epperly is recovering at home.

Dawn Greer is moving into a nursing home.

Jimmy and Lorretta Hilliard, Spree Ragland's grandparents, are having health difficulties.

Jacky Holmes, Kathryn Myers' father, is home, and improving daily!

Karlene Jordan, Jeff Jordan's mother & Twig McKinney's sister, fell and fractured a vertebra.

Rusty & Alicia McMillan and the work in Honduras.

Connie Middleton, Chris' mother, will have a procedure to seal the fistula on Oct 14th in KC.

Wilma Ohler, Staci Prewitt's mother, is having some health issues.

ONGOING

Maxine & Stan Bridgeman

Debra Craig

Joan Drewry

Marsha Garza

Bettye Honey

Beverly Johnson

Spring Martin

Allan McAnnally

Kay Mason

Barbara Mathis

Melina Moats

Drew Morlen

Beatrice O'Neal

Malia Parkinson

Jerry Peters

Mary Rogers

Lester Sims

Stephanie Taylor

Mickey Whited

Jillian Willis

NURSING HOME & ASSISTED LIVING

Sharon Ballard

Mary Brown

Ann Cash

Dawn Greer

Charlotte Gregory

Shirley Jordan

Margie Malone

Faye McLaughlin

Carol Murphy

Mary Rogers

At Home



Herb Gipson

Dawn Greer

Ralph Hill

Faye Kisner

Kathleen Mullen

Beatrice O'Neal

James Reddell

September Funeral Meal Coordinators:

Carolyn Seesengood

Elaine Murphy, Mary Ann Presley

Family News

Children's Home Fall Food Run

We will be collecting the following items until **September 28th**.

non-perishable fruit juice:

apple, orange, grape

fruit cups

snack crackers

Saltines & Ritz

raisins

soups

salad dressings

cereal

popcorn

cake mixes

ketchup & mustard

tomato paste

velvetta cheese

jelly

chili powder

garlic powder

garlic salt

black pepper

rotel / salsa

steak sauce

white gravy mix

paper plates

paper towels

napkins

laundry detergent

fabric softener

bleach

dryer sheets

shampoo

conditioner

body wash

face wash

dusting spray



Happy 69th Anniversary!



Clyde & Jean
Johnson
102 Ruble Road

September 14th

Happy 54th Anniversary!

Lynn & Margie Keener
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September 16th