



FAMILY NEWS AND NOTES

We're glad that you are able to join us this morning in worship to God. Please let us know if you have questions we can answer and also let us know how we can serve you!

GOSPEL RESPONSE

We rejoice that Ashley Thompson responded to the invitation on Wednesday evening. Ashley requested prayer and forgiveness, stating that she feels she has slipped back into the world and that she wants to make things right with God. We appreciate Ashley's humility in asking for forgiveness. We love you, Ashley!

MINISTRY OF ENCOURAGEMENT NEEDS YOU

Please consider volunteering to be part of an encouragement team for 2017. We would love to have your participation. There are many levels of encouragement—cards, calls, or visits. Please let Dave Harris or Deric Hutson know by 12/25 if you're interested. Thank you!

THINGS TO KNOW/REMEMBER

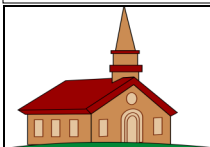
- Many thanks to Judy Criss for organizing the Holiday basket activity and to all the participants
- **SAVE THE DATE!!** The ladies are scheduling an overnight retreat at Potter's Ranch in Union, KY on March 17-18, 2017. More details will follow in January
- Deadline to sign up for CYC is Sunday, December 25. Sign up on the youth bulletin board
- Youth group is planning to carol next Saturday. Meet at the building at 5 pm. Bring money for dinner
- Potter Children's Home cans are in the back. Please pick up one & save your change throughout 2017 to support this very good work.

DECEMBER 2016



BUILDING FUND

Next scheduled special contribution for building fund is **DECEMBER 18** during evening service. As of 11/30/16, our building fund was at \$469,967.1 or 93.9% of the goal.



A WARM WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS!

PRESENTATIONS/TOPICS

Sunday Adult Class

Ephesians 1

Sunday Morning Worship

Learning from Aquila and Priscilla

Acts 18:1-4

Sunday Evening Worship

What Christian Living Is All About

James 1:22-25

OUR LEADERS

Elders

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John Glass 513-886-2639
Trenton McMillan 859-466-2471

Deacons

Andy Bailey 859-689-1525
Buddy Baker 859-689-5867
Dave Harris 859-240-3973
Deric Hutson 513-238-3994
Gerry Leas 513-266-3035
Dale Reynolds 803-840-2616

Preachers

Tim Dooley 859-486-4215
Jason Carter 859-916-4269

ALIVE IN CHRIST *by Jason T Carter*

I answer some interesting phone calls at the 911 center. Just a few days ago, I spoke to a confused individual who was trying to figure out whether he was alive or dead. After determining his location, my co-workers sent police and an ambulance to help him. The officers wanted him to come downstairs to his front door to meet them, to which he said, "Well, if I'm a ghost, I can just float down there!" I agreed with his logic, and suggested that he try walking through the door without opening it. "If you can't float through the door, you're not a ghost," I advised.

While the incident was amusing and sad at the same time, many Christians live in the same state of doubt, unsure whether they are alive or dead spiritually. When a person obeys the gospel, God moves him from a state of spiritual death to life.

"And you He made alive, who were dead in tres-

passes and sins, in which you once walked according to the course of this world, according to the prince of the power of the air, the spirit who now works in the sons of disobedience, among whom also we all once conducted ourselves in the lusts of our flesh, fulfilling the desires of the flesh and of the mind, and were by nature children of wrath, just as the others. But God, who is rich in mercy, because of His great love with which He loved us, even when we were dead in trespasses, made us alive together in Christ (by grace you have been saved), and raised us up together, and made us sit together in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus, that in the ages to come He might show the exceeding riches of His grace in His kindness toward us in Christ Jesus." (Ephesians 2:1-7).

Don't be confused anymore. If you have obeyed from the heart the gospel and are striving to live faithfully for the Lord, you are alive in Him!

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OUR PRAYER LIST

NEW UPDATES

Sonny Blankenship-(T Packer cousin) total loss of home to fire

Sophia Kappen—6 YO schoolmate of L Leas—recurrent leukemia, very very ill, attempting the last possible treatment this weekend

Kevin—friend of T Packer—very ill

DEATH IN FAMILY

Gerry Leas-loss of mother

BIBLE STUDIES/ GOSPEL RESPONSES

Ashley Thompson

Cheri Reynolds

Tiffany Packer

NEW CHRISTIANS

Samantha Campbell

Pat and Tiffany Packer

COLLEGE STUDENTS

Wayne Baker, Joshua Carter, Rachel Dooley, Lydia Harris, Samantha McMillan, Summer Turner

MILITARY

Kyrk Davis

Shawn Kleindienst—(Dooley friend)

CANCER PATIENTS

Kevin Aldrich, A Bailey's coworker—brain tumor

Cathy—sister of recent visitor—ovarian cancer

Charlie Cannon (J Womacks Uncle) bladder

Audrey Balch—teen daughter of L McMillan's friend-Acute lymphoblastic leukemia

Jessie Begley—recently underwent surgery

Dale Brown, (J Carter friend), rectal melanoma

Jeannette Davis (A Womacks friend) breast

Karen Hacker - (daughter-in-law of Wayne and Pattie) - breast cancer; loss of her father

Dawn Horgan—(wife of G Leas coworker) breast

Shelly Howell—friend of Dooley's-breast cancer

Anne Kelly (John Paul's friend) - stage 4 cancer

Barb Lahey—G Leas' sister— breast cancer

Colenda Lunsford—C Link friend breast cancer

Arlene McMillan—colon cancer, back at home

Bert Miller—(Bill Tuttle's sister) breast cancer

Mike Obst- (Bond family) liver cancer

Kay Packer—Pat's mother, starting chemo this week

Parker- (A Carter's coworker son) recurrent

Sharlene (Begley)

John Paul Reinersman's father in law - Prostate

Bobbie Soales-friend of C Myers—brain tumor

Earl Szostek (C Link relative) Stage 3 cancer

Sandy (Womacks) - Stage 4

HEART PATIENTS

Lois Clarkston—Atrial fibrillation

Fred Devary -S Fugate friend—heart attack

Mike Reeves—Marsha's nephew—heart attack

STROKE PATIENTS

Ethyl Begley- (Jessie sister in law) stroke

Dan Link

LONG TERM ILLNESS/SHUT-IN

Bob Carney- (C Dooley's father) Alzheimer's

Frank Criss—

Ted Johnson

Sheryl Pyles—MS@ Rosedale Green Rm 212

Chris Reitz—Mountain Crest

PERSONAL/FAMILY STRUGGLES

Reny Begley

Jordan Watson- (L Stewart granddaughter)

INJURIES/OTHER REQUESTS

Gatlinburg Church of Christ—loss of building and several homes due to wildfires

Ali—C Myers' 2 YO cousin- cochlear implant

Andy Bailey—recovering from broken ribs

Jesse Begley—recent hip replacement surgery

Scott Bond—job search

Tim Boyd—Jen. Glass' friend, paralyzed in wreck

Bond Family —adoption of Erin Nicole

S Campbell's friend, Michelle's father heart sur.

Ken Carter—Jason's dad- shoulder surgery

Adam Cottrell—Crystal Myers' father—MRSA

L Cottrell—C Myers' mother—shoulder surgery

S. Campbell's stepfather, Jeff—alcoholism

Lois Clarkston—cataract surgeries

Ryan Davis— Steve & Pam's son, back pain

Gene Dawson—S Fugate friend, serious illness

Sandra Gable- Link's daughter

Ron Garland (Glass's)- needs liver transplant

James Greer—car accident

Phyllis Johnson—Ted's sister—broken foot

Betty Kelly's sister

Dave Lawson (former member)—job search

Valerie McNamara—injured in building collapse

Marge Tuttle—liver problems/pain

Lena Wheatley—Lena & her sisters need prayers

MISSIONARY UPDATE: VELAPHI MELANGANI

"When we take Christ as our Master, we attempt to walk in His steps. Our life is to be a demonstration of His death and resurrection. We no longer live for ourselves but for God and others. Love for our brethren compels us to be anxious about their welfare. We love those whom God loves: the lost, saved and erring.. All are our concern." David Brown True. This is why we in Zimbabwe are taking this opportunity thanking you all our brothers and sisters in Canada and the United States for standing with us in 2016 through "thick and thin", as we continued spreading the

good news in many parts of this country. You demonstrated your great love for the Lord and His work through your great support. Thank you so much and may you continue to bear more fruit for Him in 2017. During the month in review, we had six baptisms at Ntabazinduna, Stanhope and the City Centre. We give all glory to God! We pray that these souls will grow and be fruitful in His Kingdom Col 1:13.

-excerpted from Velaphi's Nov 2016 update

YOUTH GROUP NEWS

December 10	Youth Devo at J/M Carter
December 17	Caroling—5 pm
December 19	Berea Youth Rally
December 25	Deadline for CYC signups

“DOING LIFE TOGETHER”

Point Pleasant Church of Christ
 3259 Point Pleasant Road
 Hebron, KY 41048

TO:

**We're On the Web! Find us
 at ppcofc.org**

What One Must Do To Be Saved

HEAR THE GOSPEL OF CHRIST *John 20:30; Rom 10:17*


BELIEVE THAT JESUS IS THE SON OF GOD *Rom 10:16; Acts 18:8; Heb 11:6*

REPENT OF SINS *Luke 13:3; 24:47; Acts 3:19; 17:30*

CONFESS FAITH IN CHRIST AS GOD'S SON *Matt 10:32; Acts 8:37; Rom 10:10*

BE BAPTIZED (IMMERSED) IN WATER *Matt 28:19; Mark 16:16; Acts 2:38; 10:47-48; 22:16; Rom 6:1-6; Gal 3:27; Col 2:12; 1 Peter 3:21*

CONTINUE FAITHFUL UNTO DEATH *Matt 25:21, 34; 2 Peter 1:1-11; Rev 2:10; 1 John 1:5-9*

SCHEDULED TO SERVE-DEC 11, 2016		SCHEDULED DEC 18		Point Pleasant Church of Christ
SUNDAY MORNING		SUNDAY EVENING		Sunday Morning
Announcements	John Glass	Announcements	John Glass	Bible Study 9:30 am
Song Leader	Deric Hutson	Song Leader	Deric Hutson	Worship 10:30 am
Opening Prayer	Carl Shreve	Opening Prayer	Ron Stewart	Sunday Evening
Preside @ Lord's Tble	Trenton McMillan	Preside @ Lord's Tble	Trenton McMillan	Worship 6:00 pm
Assist	Gregory McMillan	Assist	Gregory McMillan	Wednesday Evening
Assist	Allen Womacks	Scripture Reading	Wesley Baker	Bible Study 7:00 PM
Assist	Jonathan Glass	Message	Tim Dooley	 <p><i>FOR THE RECORD</i> Last Sunday Attendance: 102 Last week Giving: \$4398 Weekly Budget: \$4600</p> <p><i>GOT ANNOUNCEMENTS?</i> Contact Jennifer Leas Phone: 859-586-4332 Email: ppbulletins@gmail.com</p>
Scripture Reading	Eli Turner	Closing Prayer	Dale Reynolds	
Message	Jason Carter	WEDNESDAY EVENING		
Closing Prayer	Larry Beckley	Announce./Prayer	John Glass	
Usher/Greeter	Jonathan Glass	Song Leader	David Dooley	
Count Attendance	Gregory McMillan	Invitation	Scott Bond	
Count Attendance	Coy Baker	Closing Prayer	Andy Bailey	
Count Offering	Buddy Baker	IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO SERVE AS SCHEDULED, please call Buddy Baker at 859-689-5867 or email buddyleahbaker@fuse.net		
Count Offering	Gerry Leas			
SUNDAY MORNING		SUNDAY MORNING		
Announcements	John Glass	Announcements	Trenton McMillan	
Song Leader	Deric Hutson	Song Leader	Gerry Leas	
Opening Prayer	Carl Shreve	Opening Prayer	Al Rohner	
Preside @ Lord's Tble	Trenton McMillan	Preside @ Lord's Tbl	Deric Hutson	
Assist	Gregory McMillan	Assist	Derek Carter	
Assist	Allen Womacks	Assist	Dennis Tolliver	
Assist	Jonathan Glass	Assist	Steve Davis	
Scripture Reading	Eli Turner	Scripture Reading	Gregory McMillan	
Message	Jason Carter	Message	Tim Dooley	
Closing Prayer	Larry Beckley	Closing Prayer	Alex Carter	
Usher/Greeter	Jonathan Glass	Usher/Greeter	Dale Reynolds	
SUNDAY EVENING		SUNDAY EVENING		
Song Leader	Gerry Leas	Song Leader	Gerry Leas	
Message	Buddy Baker	Message	Buddy Baker	
WEDNESDAY EVENING		WEDNESDAY EVENING		
Song Leader	Wesley Baker	Song Leader	Wesley Baker	
Invitation	Jonathan Glass	Invitation	Jonathan Glass	