

Snippets

—New Group Leaders:

Group 1—Chad & Jennifer

Group 2—Lowell & Charleen

Group 3: Bill & Pam Smith

—New addresses:

Roxie Stanley

1060 Sugarhill Place

Cookeville, TN 38501

Betty Curry, Lola and Ellen (for the winter)

6415 Thomas Drive Unit 802

Panama City Beach, FL 32408

Norma Perry and Norma Haffner (for the winter)

1637 S.E. Paradise Circle Unit 506

Chrystal River, FL. 34428

Betty Heaton (attended West Side before moving)

5405 Saint Anton Court

Carmichael, CA 95608-5127

—If you have old eye glasses, either prescription or reading glasses, please think about donating them to the people of India. Mike and Gary will take them when they travel to India in February 2015.

—Reminder, Bethany Allison is requesting support for her missionary trip to Tanzania in 2015. There are envelopes on the table for your convenience. Your help is greatly appreciated.

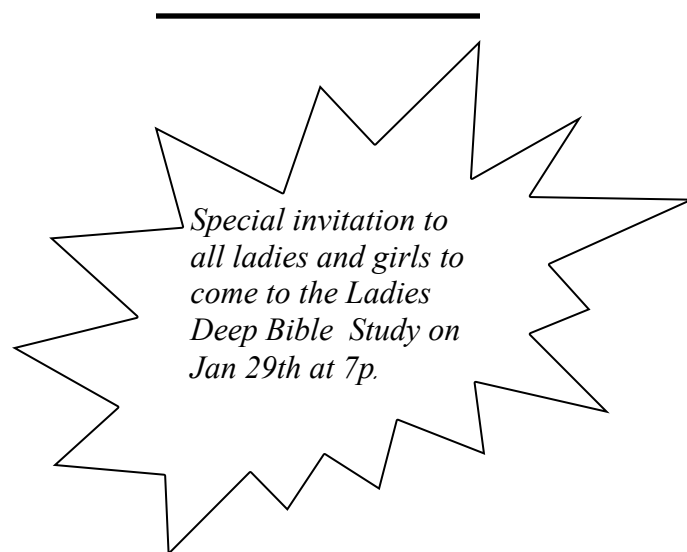
—There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board for communion prep for 2015. Please consider helping.

—Don't forget our pantry needs as you shop this week: Canned meat, soup & canned fruit are needed for the month of January.

—Remember to help Midwestern Children's Home in Ohio by saving box tops. They are on many items that you use in your kitchen everyday.

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Lastly, we must have knowledge of his word so that we can share it with others. It takes time, effort and study to know God's word. Paul told Timothy, "Be diligent to present yourself approved to God, a worker who does not need to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth (2 Timothy 2:15). We must spend time in the Word so that we will be ready to say, "Here am I. Send me!"



The weather cancelled our December meeting but we are back on track. Be prepared to study God's Word, share, laugh and have fun being together on this evening. If you think you are too young or too old—WRONG! you are just right, the right age to be a listener, a speaker, a motivator and encourager for the Lord's work.

*Let every dawn of the morning be to you
as the beginning of life. Let every setting
of the sun be to you as its close. Then let
everyone of these short lives leave its sure re-
cord of some kindly thing done for others.
some good strength or knowledge gained for
yourself.*

WEST SIDE WINDOW

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"Gotta Be Ready When He calls My Name"

By Larry Reynolds

The year King Uzziah died, God needed a prophet to speak His Word to His people. So God revealed Himself in a vision to Isaiah. When Isaiah saw the Lord sitting on a throne, high and lifted up, he confessed that he was a man of unclean lips. One of the seraphim flew to him with a live coal from the altar and touched his lips and said, "Behold, this has touched your lips; your iniquity is taken away and your sins purged." (Isaiah 6:7). Then Isaiah heard a voice asking the question, "Whom shall I send and who will go for us?" Isaiah then said, "Here am I! Send me." Then, he was told, "Go and tell this people." He was now ready to be sent to speak to the people of God. We, too, need to be ready to speak God's Word to anyone who will listen. I know I need to be better prepared and be ready to speak to others about God's Word. The following are some things we can do to prepare ourselves to be ready when the opportunity presents itself.

First, we need to put our trust in God and rely upon His Word. Proverbs 3:5-6 says, "Trust in the LORD with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding; In all your ways, acknowledge Him and He shall direct your paths. Notice it says to "trust the Lord with all our heart". The heart is our mind and we must have knowledge of His will and trust His ways instead of our ways. For example, look at the life of Abraham when God told him to leave his home and go into a land that He would show him. He trusted God and left his home and went into a land that was foreign to him. He and his family would face many trials and temptations along the way but he was faithful in trusting God and God would bless him and his family. The reason he was blessed was because he trusted God with all his heart. We can develop this trust by listening to His word and speaking to Him in prayer.

Secondly, once we have this trust in God, we must be obedient to His word. The Bible says, "Not everyone who says to me, 'Lord, Lord', shall enter the kingdom of heaven, but he who does the will of My Father in heaven. (Matthew 7:21). Whatever God says, we must do. For example, in Genesis 22 is the account of God telling Abraham to offer his son. Abraham immediately began to make preparation to do what God said. As they journeyed up the mountain, his son Isaac looked around and asked the question, where is the sacrifice? Abraham would respond by saying, "God will provide." When they reached the place to offer the sacrifice, Abraham laid his son on an altar for a sacrifice unto God and was going to kill him. But God stopped him. This, my friends is an example of an obedient faith. We need to develop a faith that obeys so that we will be ready to do God's will. (cont. on page 4)

SERVICES

Sunday Bible Study —

9:30 am

Worship — 10:30 am &

6:00 pm

Wed. Bible Study —

7:00 pm

MINISTER

Michael Gors

ELDERS

Michael Gors

Gary Reynolds

Larry Reynolds

Todd Stults

DEACONS

Don Allison

Fellowship

Kendall Clark

Benevolence

Jim Clark-Visitation

Lowell Huffman-Media

Volker Jaromin—
Communication and
Advertising

MISSION WORKS

Russia & India

Mark Reynolds

Memphis School of
Preaching

Armand Wine

Ronnie Gootam

Southeast Institute of
Biblical Studies

Preaching

Caleb Taylor

New Hampshire

Laconia Church of
Christ

Shane Belanger

WORSHIP FOR January 18, 2015

MORNING WORSHIP

Announcements: Bill Winemiller
 Song Leader: Don Allison
 1st Prayer: Bill Smith
 Scripture: Brett Allison
Acts 17:16-21
 Sermon: Mike Gors
*"Being Christian in a World
 of Idolatry"*
 Closing Prayer: Rick Cox
 Sound Room: Jimmy Clark

COMMUNION SERVERS

West Side— Outside: Jacob Harper
 Inside: Lowell Huffman
 East Side— Inside: Gary Reynolds
 Outside: Chad Bobo

EVENING WORSHIP

Song Leader: Don Allison
 Prayer: Chad Bobo
 Scripture Reading: Gary Reynolds
Psalm 47: 1-9
 Sermon: Mike Gors
"Why Should God's Children Sing?"
 Communion Table: Volker Jaromin
 Closing Prayer: Adam Gors
 Sound Room: Jimmy Clark

GROUP 1 DUTIES, JAN 18 & 21

Group 1 is responsible for door greeters, locking the building and communion clean-up
 Kista & Elayna--Communion Prep
 Group Leaders: Chad & Jennifer

Remember in Prayer



Beth Rumfeld, Broken pelvis. In-law to Richard Messer.
Brett Rutherford, Missionary. Lesions on brain.
Delores Huffman, foot surgery on Jan. 22nd.
Doug Honeker, at home now and doing better. Lola's brother-in-law. Husband to Penny.
Doug & Sally Anderson
Herb & Betty Smith,
Holly Chambers, at home now and undergoing further tests
Jim Witty
Jerry Anderson, Uncle of Doug Anderson. Heart blockage
Judy Schuck, Radiation treatment for cancer. Charlene's cousin
Kennedy Zade, Dorothy's granddaughter.
Kristi Tesmer, Shirley Durnal's daughter. Slow improvement
Lanier Bailey, Elder at Towne Acres. Open heart surgery. Now residing at Parker Health Care in Parker City.
Linda Bigler, Brain cancer.
Les & Sara Bonham, Brother and sister-in-law to Pat Kidd. He has Alzheimer's Disease and she has cancer.
Margaret Huffman, Recovering from pneumonia.
Marie McBride, Heart issues
Mark Reynolds, Mindy, Abby & Corrine, Arrived home safely.
Rosemary Summers. Stroke. Appreciates cards.
Rodney Lawson, Lung Cancer. Now residing at Signature Health Care, formerly Muncie Health Care on North Walnut Street. Cousin of Kathy Harper.
Sandy Crawford, Cancer and shingles. Wife of close friend to Kendall Clark
Sandy Phillips
Shawna Schock

Remember our Shut-ins with Cards, Visits and Prayer:

Bill Gaw—Westminster Village
 Evelyn Vannatter—Elmcroft
 Forrest Hurst—Elmcroft
 Lana Blanchard—Albany Health Care
 Vada Zeek—Willow Bend

Midweek Bible Study January 21st

Devotions: Lowell
 Song Leader: Rex
 Prayer: Jim Clark

Week Attendance Jan. 11, 2015

Sun. Bible Study	68
Sun. Worship am	91
Wed. Bible Study	47



Pat Lee—Jan. 30
 Jack Qualkenbush—Jan 31
 Vivian Bigler—Feb. 3
 Danny Odle—Feb. 5
 Tom Hulloman—Feb. 7
 Janet Messer—Feb. 7
 Bill Winemiller—Feb. 7

Corrine Reynolds took on Christ in baptism this past week in India. Our hearts rejoice with her and her family on this wonderful news.
"Let no man despise thy youth; but be thou an example of the believers, in word, in conversation, in charity, in spirit, in faith, in purity."
1 Timothy 4:12

Today, on January 18th

Boys' song leading at 3:00p
 Girls' Competitive Song Leading at 4:30p

Looking Ahead



Jan. 20, Men's breakfast at IHOP 8:00a
 Jan. 20, Women's breakfast, IHOP at 10:00a
 Jan 22, College & High School Devotional, Towne Acres at 7:00p
 Jan. 24, Bible Bowl, 7:00 p
 Jan. 25, Boy's Song Leading at 3:00p
 Jan 25, Girl's Song Leading at 4:30p
 Jan. 29, Ladies Deep Bible Study, 7p
 Jan. 30, Congregational singing at Waynedale, 7-9p
 Feb. 21, Ladies "Learn-to" cookie swap; Chat & Chew

And, on April 10-12, 2015

Upon the Rock Lectureship

April 10, 11, & 12

Billy Bland will speak on "The Life of Paul:
 Saint, Servant and Soldier"