

**Sunday  
July 23, 2017**

**Order of Worship**

*Please Silence All Mobile Devices*

*Welcome ..... Jerry Ashley  
(Members And Visitors Please Sign Attendance Cards)*

*Opening Prayer ..... Nelson Boyd*

*Song Leader ..... Mark Brown*

*Song # 487..... How Firm a Foundation*

*Song # 322..... By Christ Redeemed*

*Scripture Reader ..... Les Jackson*

*Scriptures ..... 1 Peter 2:21-25*

**Lord's Supper**

Clay Borders                      Danny Bowman  
*Eric Baker*                        *Doug Taylor*  
*David Wrye*                       *L.A. Brown*  
*Darren Stinson*                *Wayne Wilson*

*Song # 731..... I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord*

**Contribution**

*Song # 641..... The Church's One Foundation*

*Sermon ..... Charles Baugh*

*Invitation Song # 274..... Jesus Calls Us*

*Closing Song # 733..... Christ for the World We Sing*

*Closing Prayer ..... Darren Stinson*

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**Church**

**I. The Body of Christ**

**II. Christ Built the Church**

**III. Christ Purchased the Church**

**IV. Christ is the Head of the Church**

**V. Christ is the Savior of the Church**

*The Light Bearer*

**Goodlettsville  
Church of Christ**



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**SUNDAY SERVICES**

Bible Class ..... 9:00 A.M.  
Morning Worship ..... 10:00 A.M.  
Evening Worship ..... 6:00 P.M.

**WEDNESDAY SERVICES**

Bible Study ..... 6:30 P.M.

**LADIES' BIBLE CLASS**

Thursday ..... 10:00 A.M.  
(September through April)

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**The Lower Lights**

I have always been partial to the song “Let the Lower Lights Be Burning” (722 in our hymnal.) Admittedly it may have something to do with my interest, as an amateur historian, in sailors and the sea. Did you ever wonder what the song is talking about?

Before today’s modern navigational aids – and two hundred years before GPS – mariners devised a system called “range lights” to guide themselves safely into narrow harbors. They’re still used today. This consisted of the tall lighthouse with a bright, slowly rotating light that we are familiar with, useful not only to warn sailors of rocks and shoals, but to lead them into port. Nearby was a less bright light on a shorter tower – carefully positioned. When a sailor is headed into the harbor over the safe channel, the lights will appear one above the other. If they aren’t lined up, he is too far to one side or the other. If they’re getting closer together, he’s approaching safety; if they’re going apart or if he loses sight of the lower light entirely, he’s being pushed back out to sea.

This song was written after preacher Dwight L. Moody told an anecdote in a sermon about a shipwreck on the Great Lakes caused when the lower light of the harbor went out. “Brothers, the Master will take care of the great lighthouse!” he cried. “Let us keep the lower lights burning!”


Indeed, God does use us as His lower lights. We are part of His plan to lead the lost to Jesus the Christ. As the lower lights, let us never be found wanting in either brightness or direction, that our fellow creatures may find their way to Him!

**“For so the Lord has commanded us: ‘I have set you as a light to the Gentiles, that you should be for salvation to the ends of the earth.’ – Acts 13:46**

Jon Wilson

**SAVE THE DATE**  
 AUGUST 5, 2017 FOR THE  
**ELDER, DEACON, PREACHER SEMINAR**  
 AUGUST 5, 2017 - 8:00a.m. - 1:00 p.m.  
 East Main Church of Christ  
 Speakers Glenn Coley, Alan Highers, Tom Holland  
 Bus Leaves the Parking Lot at 7:00 a.m.


**ALL MEN ARE INVITED**

**“We Connect” is Sunday, July 30.** Get to know someone new. After the worship service we will enjoy a meal together in the Annex Room. Bring food for your family and a guest. Soft drinks and tea are provided. After the meal we meet in the auditorium. **Singing begins at 12:15; devotional at 12:30.** No evening service. You are encouraged to spend time with family or get together with friends. **A sign-up sheet to help with receiving food, putting food out, or cleaning up afterwards is on the Family Activities Board in the**

**CHURCH PLAYGROUND CLEAN UP DAY**

When: **July 25, 9:00 a.m.** - finished  
 What to Bring: Water bottle and YOUR SERVANTHOOD...also if you have these items: rakes, shovels, buckets, sponges, scrubbing brushes, & work gloves. We will be spreading playground mulch, painting, weeding, cleaning toys, organizing storage areas, planting, etc. If you need further information, contact Dana Hargis at 615-260-8863




**FAITH is like Wi-Fi**  
 it's invisible but it has the power to connect you to God thru prayer.

**PROMOTION**  
**SUNDAY**  
 AUGUST 6

**Dates to Remember**

July 25.....	Church Playground Clean Up Day
July 29.....	SING 17
July 30.....	“We Connect”
August 5.....	Elder, Deacon, Preacher Seminar
September 3.....	L2L Kickoff
September 15-17.....	Jr. Youth Fall Retreat
September 29-October 1.....	Sr. Youth Fall Retreat

**Contribution July 16**

Weekly Contribution Goal .....	\$13,100
Contribution .....	\$9,964

**“One Word”**  
 Next Week’s Word - **“FELLOWSHIP”**  
 (Pages 166 - 170)

**FIFTH SUNDAY CONTRIBUTION**


Sunday, July 30, is a fifth Sunday. The Elders have set a goal of \$20,000 contribution for this Sunday. Please prayerfully consider doubling your contribution to reach this goal. The monies will be used to offset our deficit.



- We will leave for Frisbee at 1:15 p.m. Anyone and everyone is invited to come play at North Creek Park at 2:00 p.m.
- SNAC is tonight for Senior Youth following the evening service. Guys bring drinks and girls bring desserts.
- T@G is this Tuesday at 9:00 a.m.
- Singing Class is Wednesday night for 3rd - 12th grader in the teen class room following the auditorium devotional.
- SYS this week is at Rivergate church of Christ. There will not be a van going this week. You may meet at Rivergate at 7:00 p.m. for the devotional and dinner.
- We are leaving for the Senior Youth Fun Trip this Thursday morning at 4:00 a.m. Please make sure to sign up by the end of today and get a schedule/rule sheet from one of the interns.
- Sing 17 is this Saturday. This is an area wide singing for college age, 20’s and 30’s. The van will be leaving our church building at 6:00 p.m. to head to Concord Road. Please let Cliff know if you would like to go.

**CHANGE OF ADDRESS**

Lorene Ward (one of our shut in’s) has moved to her daughter’s. New address is  
 c/o Pam Smith  
 108 Timber Trail  
 Hendersonville, Tn. 37075  
 (615) 210-4084



*To view the Sick List on the website, go to the MEMBERS tab and log in. If you are not a registered member, there are instructions for first time users.*



**Today’s Word is “CHURCH”**

**Love and Sympathy**

We extend our love and sympathy to Laura and Josh Kelley, one of our Mothers Day Out parents. Their three year old son, Everett, passed away on Tuesday, July 18, after an extended stay in the hospital from heart surgery

**AUGUST birthday list is now available.**



**ATTENTION!**

A table has been set up in the annex with all Lost & Found items. It will be set up through this evening (July 23). After that any unclaimed items will be donated or thrown away.

<b>ELDER ON CALL</b>	
July .....	Carl Minchey

<b>WEEK OF July 16</b>	
Bible Class.....	151
Morning Worship.....	270
Evening Worship.....	101
Wednesday Bible Study.....	107

**THOSE PRIVILEGED TO SERVE**  
**July**  
 SERVING AT THE LORD’S TABLE

Clay Borders	(#1 - Middle Front)	Danny Bowman
Eric Baker	(#2 - Middle Back)	Doug Taylor
David Wrye	(#3 - Outside Front)	L.A. Brown
Darren Stinson	(#4 - Outside Back)	Wayne Wilson

**SUNDAY EVENING**  
 Jon Wilson and Jim Scott

**PRAYER AND SONG LEADERS**

	OPENING	CLOSING	SONG LEADER
02	A.M. Cliff Hand P.M. Carl Minchey	Jim Newman Nelson Boyd	Mark Brown David Brown
09	A.M. Bill Dudney P.M. Mike Huffines	Wayne Wilson Dwight Porter	Scott Bricles Jerry Ashley
16	A.M. Ted Bloodworth P.M. Bill Bennett	Jim Scott Jerry Ashley	Mark Brown David Brown
23	A.M. Nelson Boyd P.M. Jon Wilson	Darren Stinson Joe Roberts	Scott Brickles David Brown
30	A.M. Mike Huffines P.M. We Connect	Tanner Thurman Youth	Mark Brown Youth

**SCRIPTURE READER**  
 Les Jackson

**WEDNESDAY PRAYER LEADERS**

05	Don Shivers
12	Steve Jergens
19	Dwight Porter
26	Bill Eubank

If you are unable serve, please contact Ricky Wright (426-2630), Joe Roberts (364-8708) or Nelson Boyd (708-4170)

**AUDIO-VISUAL ASSIGNMENTS**

	AUDIO	POWER POINT
02-05	Randall Pendergrass	Darren Stinson
09-12	Ricky Wright	Ethan Huffines
16-19	Bob Campbell	Chris Owen
23-26	Randall Pendergrass	Eric Dill
30-8-2	Bill Eubank	Stacey Thurman

**OPENING AND CLOSING BUILDING**

02 and 05	Rick Botts
09 and 12	Stacey Thurman
16 and 19	Bob Campbell
23 and 26	Jon Wilson
30 and 8/02	Clay Borders

**JULY NURSERY ATTENDANTS**  
 Roxanna Goad - Shelby Burlason - Kristen Taylor