



WATERMILL CHURCH OF CHRIST

Weekly Newsletter

May 22, 2011

Order of Worship

Welcome

Barney Crawford

Song Leader

Larry Baggett

#462

#442 (1,2,3)

Opening Prayer

Tim Bowling

#583 (1,3)

#983

The Lord's Supper

Clarence Feeney

Contribution

Clarence Feeney

#802

Lesson

Brian York

#874

Announcements

Barney Crawford

Closing Prayer

Jeff Fisher

You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hidden. (Matt. 5:14)

Congratulations to Our 2011 Graduates



Daniel Jordan

Kylie Dutton

Shawnda Reed

Strafford H. S.



Alex Penner

Daniel Meinsen

Home School

Caleb McCurry

Monet High School

"Therefore, my beloved brethren, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that your labor is not in vain in the Lord."
(1 Cor. 15: 58)

The Graduates' Reception is TONIGHT after evening services. We hope you can join us as we honor these graduates.

This Morning's Message:

Truth or Consequences

Activities & News

Welcome Visitors

We are honored that you joined us. We hope you will be blessed by your time with us. We have an attended nursery, a cry/training room and a nursing mother's room for your convenience if you have small children. Please fill out an attendance card and pass it to the end of the pew so that we may thank you for your visit.

For The Record

May 15

Bible Study:	273
Morning:	320
Evening:	224
Wednesday (5/18):	227
Contribution:	\$ 8,347



Elder of the Month
Barney Crawford

TODAY at 3 p.m. there will be a **“Diapers and Wipes”** shower for **Summer Azeez**. Because of allergic reactions, they are requesting **Walgreens** brand diapers and wipes or **Huggies** brand wipes. **You do not need to wrap the diapers.**

POTLUCK

Next Sunday we will have our 5th Sunday Potluck Lunch. Team #3 will be responsible for working:
Kitchen: Alice Buckner, Sandy Cole, Shirley Chilton, Coyeatte Ewing, Carol Tovar, Ruth Raines
Dining Room: Tim Buckner, Mary Jo Rookstool, Jeremy Thurlkill, Brenda Noe, Tovars, Denzil Raines
See Jill if you are unable to work.

For your information

Lists for the Funeral Groups are posted on the bulletin board in the west hallway. Please check these lists to see which group you are on.

Also there is a **Building Usage Form** posted that lists the guidelines established by the Elders for use of the building.

Check our web site, www.watermillchurchofchrist.org, for sermons (both audio and text). Also available are Bill's Sunday AM Bible class lessons (audio) including lessons on “Job,” “James” and “Homes Jesus Visited,” current and older bulletins, and the monthly calendar.

If a task is once begun, never leave it till it's done. Be the labor great or small, do it well or not at all!

“Whatever your hand finds to do, do it with your might.” (Ecclesiastes 9:10)

- ⇒ **Fifth Sunday Contribution next Sunday.** All contributions go into the Building Fund
- ⇒ **Titus 2 Ladies will meet May 31 at 12:30**
- ⇒ **Ladies Game Night is Thursday, June 2nd at 6:30.** We will play games and have fellowship.
- ⇒ **Ladies Bible Class will meet on June 9 at 10:30.** Elaine Poland from Bona will bring a lesson on “The Pearl of Great Price.” Sheryl Low will again have a class for the little ones. Potluck lunch will follow.

Some of our LTC Winners:

Digital Photography
 Laurel Barton/Josie Dunegan/Gold
Scrapbook
 Erica Dutton/Julian Penner/Gold
 Starr Fortner/Miranda Kramer/Bronze
 Marcy Noe & Tori York/Silver
Service Challenge: Adam Barton/Laurel Barton/Alissa Buckner/Erica Ewing/Jedonna Griter/Katelynn Wilson/Gold
 Charli Lines/Luke Lines/Silver
T-Shirt Design/Aaron Alexander/Bronze
Video Bible Drama/Bronze: Aaron Alexander/Alissa Buckner/Kyle Buckner/Josie Dunegan/Kylie Dutton/Briley Ewing/Erica Ewing/Austin Hamilton/Daniel Jordan/Joey Lenz/Charli Lines/Luke Lines/Hannah Meeks/Zach Weadock
Congratulations to all!
(Watch for more winners next week)

If you remember Mr. Eugene Gilmore who worshiped at North National in the 50s & 70s, his daughter has requested you send him a birthday card for his 90th birthday celebration on June 2. His address is Stones River Manor, Room 5272, 205 Haynes Drive, Murfreesboro, TN 37129. (See flyer on bulletin board.)

Prayer List & Notes



- ☞ Truman Coltrane is in St. John's at this writing but is doing better
- ☞ Jackie Buck had a stent put in last week but is now home and doing a lot better
- ☞ Kay Adams is in Cox South; Arilla Buck is at Magnolia Square not doing well
- ☞ Kerry Cole is recovering from a stroke
- ☞ Continue to remember Lucille Ford, Wilma Melton and Herman Harris

Friends and Family:

- ◇ Jon Ewing's dad, Winston, has been moved to Mercy Villa; he is doing better
- ◇ Continue to remember Mark Best, 4th grader at Strafford, who recently received a bone marrow transplant; Pat Milligan's brother, John Cummings; Lanae Gillespie's mother (Julie Thornton's grandmother), Geneve Treat, and Tyler Thornton's mom, Pat, who are all dealing with cancer
- ◇ Jerry Stockdale's uncle, Dean Stockdale, is in Cox South after suffering a heart attack and stroke
- ◇ Gail White's brother, Paul D. Ellard from Oklahoma City, will have 2 chemo treatments due to a new tumor on his stomach
- ◇ Mary Charlotte Lines' sister, Eleanor Johnston, who fell last week and is recovering from surgery

New address: Jerry & Pat Milligan

4358 N. Farm Road 197, Springfield, MO 65803

Phone #: Tim Bowling 827-6293/Jan Bowling 830-5362

(cell phones only)



Birthdays Next Week

30 Shanna Asher
6/1 Gin Crumrine
2 David Nimmo
4 Joseph Lentz
Happy Birthday

Long-Term
Kay Adams
Paul Bratcher
Doris Burch
Bonnie Cole
Lucille/Milton Ford
Herman Harris
Marilyn Lanpher
Jarita Nimmo
Betty Shaw
Doris Tobler
Pat Woods
Military:
Cody Newman
Elaine Noe
Expectant Moms
Summer Azeez
(boy) (June)
Megan Crum
Hollingsworth
(Aug)

It is good to see Elaine Noe home from Iraq for a short visit!



Thank you to all the young women that gave us the Mother's Day corsages. That was the sweetest thing for them to do. Marsha Bower

Thanks to everyone who sent Byrle birthday cards and get well cards. Thanks also for the phone calls, visits, the cookies from Carolyn and cake from Fred. You all are appreciated very much. Thank you! Thank you! Byrle & Jenny

We want to thank everyone who showed such love and concern for us during this past week. We love each one of you and are very thankful we have such a wonderful family here at Water Mill. Please keep us in your prayers. Chatty & Tim

Thank you for the nice things you all do - all of your prayers, phone calls, cookies and concern while I was ill. With Christian love, Mary Jo Rookstool

A special "Thanks" for the best wishes and nice cards for my birthday. It made the day very special. May God bless you all. Clint Holden

If you can take food to the Azeez Family after the baby comes, please sign up on the sheet provided on the information desk



PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

By Dennis R. Smith

Surely every Christian has heard the words of Hebrews 10:24-25 quoted several times as they have attended services on the Lord's Day. Just in case you might have forgotten, here it is: "And let us consider one another to provoke unto love and to good works: Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is; but exhorting one another: and so much the more, as ye see the day approaching." Actually, every Christian should consider this day - the Lord's Day - to be the most important day of their week. The idea of assembling with those of like precious faith is one of the blessings offered in coming together. However, there is something about our being present on the Lord's Day that must never be forgotten. It is that we meet the Lord there also. "For where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them" (Matt. 18:20). While most of us have known these verses for years, have we considered that readiness in advance would help to make the day more meaningful and fulfilling? Consider the following: Anticipation - preparedness - prayer - study - meditation - rest - proper mind set - longing - priorities - values - last, but not least, a genuine love for God and His Son. The last question in this regard may well be the first priority. When should we start preparing for the next Lord's Day Worship? The answer is simple: Just as soon as the present one ends!

Schedule of Services

Sunday Morning Bible Study9:00 AM
 Sunday Morning Worship.....10:00 AM
 Sunday Evening Worship...5:00 PM
 Wednesday Night Bible Class....7:00 PM

WORKS WE SUPPORT

Mark & Era Thiesen, Malawi, Africa
 Joey & Tammy Treat, Northern Mariana Islands
 Voice of Truth International
 Charles Renfro, Latin American Missions
 World Christian Broadcasting
 Churches of Christ Disaster Relief
 Lincoln Church of Christ
 Fair Haven Children's Home

"In Search Of The Lord's Way"
 7:00 A.M. Sundays
 KOLR TV 10

"Know Your Bible"
 10:30 A.M. Sundays
 Springfield 33
 KSPR-TV



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Service Rosters

THIS MORNING

AM Nursery: Linda Currier/Leona Snider
Greeters: Johnnie Elliff/Chatty Timmons
Van Driver: Shannon Haddock/732-4203
KYB Phone: Norma Lorenz/Daniel Meinsen
Serve Blanton Glenn/Ted Crabtree
Communion: Eddie Currier/Tom Davis
 Greg Donoho/Mark Friend
 Ryan Friend/Verl Duncan
 Aubrey Cobb/Briley Ewing

THIS EVENING

Song Leader: Jeremy Thurlkill
Opening Prayer: Don Essex
Lesson: Daniel Meinsen
Closing Prayer: Clarence Feeny
Communion: George/William Downing
Nursery: Glenda/Jeremy Thurlkill

NEXT WEEK, May 29

	MORNING	EVENING
Song Leader:	Jon Ewing	Jeremy Thurlkill
Opening Prayer:	Brendan Carroll	Jackie Freeze
Communion:	Jackie Freeze	G./William Downing
Closing Prayer:	Jerry Young	Blanton Glenn
AM Nursery:	Jill Morrison/Linda Barnett	
PM Nursery:	Jammie Davis/Meredith Reaves	
Greeters:	Jon & Coyeatte Ewing	
Van Driver:	Lance Griter/833-2818	

MONTH OF MAY

Ushers: Grant Wheeler/
 Aaron Tovar
AV Room: Larry Baggett/
 Adam Stipp
Secure Building: Paul Lines/
 Tim Buckner

Wednesday, May 25

Devotional: Aaron Morrison
Song Leader: Tom Easterly
Opening Prayer: Matt Keener
Closing Prayer: David Kern
Van Driver: Jason Luna