

LEADING OUR WORSHIP			
<u>February Chairman:</u> Russell Simpson	<u>Greeters for the month of February</u> Kimberly Kemp & Peggy Hogan		Elders Kevin Eubanks John K. Gott Jim Humphrey David Pahman Russell Simpson Deacons Josh Adkins Derek Depp Andrew Gott Barrett Hammer Derek Johnson Michael King Justin Lohden Mike McGuire Greg Neville Stephen Pitcock Smith Sexton Randy Simpson Jeremy Waddell Roger Watt Rick Wheat Andy Wright Ministers Hiram Kemp Neal Pollard Secretary Linda Matthews
<u>Serving at the Table</u> Mike Pleasant Bob Raby David Wadlington Chuck Raymer Tim Ferguson Garry Bratcher <u>Alternates</u> Robert Warren Todd Childress	<u>Ushers</u> Roger Watt Joe Hire <u>Prepare Communion</u> Jeremy & Ashley Waddell <u>If unable to serve call</u> Wayne Moyers 270-779-2410 or	<u>A/V Room</u> 2/25 Bryce & Jon 3/3 Kason & Randy 3/10 Kyle & Jon 3/17 Bradley & Randy 3/24 Bryce & Jon 3/31 Jon & Randy	
<u>Sunday Morning</u> Opening Prayer Song Leader Lord's Supper Prayer Scripture Reading Announcements/Prayer MPR Security Building Lockup Bus Driver	<u>February 25th</u> Chad Stackpole Ken Ware Charles Plemons Bradley Grider Russell Simpson Joe Hire Derek Johnson Jon Paschal	<u>March 3rd</u> Ronnie Wilson David Pahman Art Shannon Miller Slaughter Kevin Eubanks Josh Adkins Eddie Hughes Stephen Pitcock	
<u>Sunday Evening</u> Announcements Song Leader Scripture Reading Closing Prayer MPR Security Building Lockup	<u>February 25th</u> Harold Seaton Bryce Johnson Dwight Sutton Jerry Bush Joe Hire Derek Johnson	<u>March 3rd</u> Mike Thomas Andy Wright Brady Neville Dave Steeves Josh Adkins Eddie Hughes	
<u>Wednesday Evening</u> Announce/Prayer Song Leader Devotional MPR Security Building Lockup	<u>February 28th</u> Robert Warren Phil Hartnady Dave Steeves Jon Paschal Dwight Sutton	<u>March 6th</u> Barrrett Hammer Bryce Johnson Landon Bryant Kevin Eubanks Grant Wilson	Light of the World WNKY-NBC TV Sundays 6:30 & 10:00 AM With Hiram & Neal Or: WVBS Online

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Building Blocks of a Strong Church

Hiram Kemp

Jesus promised to build his church and he guaranteed the gates of hades would not stop him from keeping his promise (Matt. 16:18-19). When we read the book of Acts we learn of how the church started in Jerusalem and eventually spread throughout the entire Roman Empire (Acts 1:8; Col. 1:23). While the first century church was not perfect they were successful in doing the things Jesus wanted them to do. We should read and study Acts for many reasons, but especially to see what made the church strong in the early days. If we can learn from scripture the things that led to their success then we can reduplicate their efforts in our own time and enjoy the same. Here are some of the things that Acts shows us which led to the church being strong and healthy:

- ☐ Biblical preaching (Acts 2:14-36, 3:11-26, 7:1-53, 13:26-47)
- ☐ Prayer to God in the face of opposition and hostility (Acts 4:24-30)
- ☐ Practicing church discipline when necessary (Acts 5:1-14, 8:20-23)
- ☐ Leaders prioritizing their spiritual responsibilities (Acts 6:4)
- ☐ A readiness and willingness to serve those in need (Acts 6:3-6, 11:28-30)
- ☐ Boldness and conviction in sharing the gospel (Acts 4:13, 4:31)
- ☐ Generous hearts among the members (Acts 2:44-45, 4:32-37)
- ☐ Scriptural and life shaping worship (Acts 2:42, 20:7)
- ☐ The removal of prejudicial barriers among people groups (Acts 11:18, 15:6-12)
- ☐ Engaging the culture around them with love and the truth of the gospel (Acts 17:16-32)
- ☐ Every-member evangelism (Acts 8:4)
- ☐ Personal Bible studies (Acts 8:26-40)
- ☐ Sending out and supporting missionaries (Acts 13:1-3)
- ☐ Gave God all the glory (Acts 2:47, 5:14, 6:7, 11:24, 12:24)
- ☐ Unafraid to share hard truths with important people (Acts 24:25)
- ☐ God's presence (Acts 18:10; 27:24)

I'm sure more could be added to this list, but this is enough to show us the heart of what God's kingdom thrive with its initial birth into the world. If we look at this list and Acts as a whole, and follow in their footsteps we will be strong and enjoy the same success in our generation!

Sermon Notes

Don't Give Up (Hebrews 10:19-39)

Neal Pollard

Introduction

A. Overall Theme Of Hebrews: _____ Is _____ Than Anything Else!

B. Our Text...

I. SHOWS US THE _____ TO KEEP GOING

A. _____ Near With A _____ Heart In Full _____ Of Faith (22)

B. Hold _____ The _____ Of _____ Without _____ (23)

C. Consider How To _____ One Another To _____ And _____ (24)

D. _____ The Former _____ (32-34)

E. Look To The _____ (35-39)

II. SHOWS US WHAT MAKES IT _____ FOR US TO KEEP GOING

A. _____ Sin (26-29)

1. What happens when we sin in this way?

B. Throwing Away Our _____ (35)

C. Lack Of _____ (38-39)

III. SHOWS US THE _____ THAT COME WHEN WE KEEP GOING

A. We Will Have A _____ Possession (34)

B. We Have A Great _____ (35)

C. We Will _____ What Was _____ (36)

D. We Will _____ From Christ's _____ (37)

E. We Will Enjoy The _____ Of Our _____ (39)

Conclusion

A. God Wants To _____ All Of Us From Spiritual Death (Gal. 1:4)

When Daniel Was in the Lion's Den... (Daniel 6)

Hiram Kemp

Remember in Prayer

Molly Sipes is in the Medical Center with flu and pneumonia. She is not allowed visitors.
Helen Vanzant is now in Christian Health Center room 104
Judy Pickerell is in SKY Rehab room 101
Sharlene Newton is in the Medical Center room 3A01
Riley Keown (sinus surgery on February 22)

Beverly Dunning

Beverly Grimes

Charlie and Ann Wolfe

Devin Garrett

Ed & Mary Kay Whieldon

Edith Riley

Georgia Hudson

Harold & Diane Brantley

Irvin Abney

Jim & Barbara Jones

James Tabor

Jan Painter

Jan Wright

Joyce Ennis

Jean Simmons

Laverne Furlong

Lee Swetmon

Margaret Breedlove

Nicks Daniel

Pat Hodges

Shirley Mills

Virginia Darmondy

Gail Duley, (Mae Nell's daughter)

Kristy Woodall, (Kathy Pollard's sister)

Sherry Grise, (Kim Depp's mom)

Linda Tillman, (Shedona's mom)

Terry Hoggard, (daughter of Roger/Linda Taylor)

Sarah Nicks (Harold's sister)

Announcements and Events

Welcome New Member!

Sunday, February 18, 2024

Robin Lawrence

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Ladies Retreat

March 1-2

Big Reedy Christian Camp

Guest Speaker: Kim Higginbotham

Ladies of all ages are invited

Sign up in the MPR next to the bulletin board

There will be a teacher's meeting on February 25th at 5:15 PM in the MPR.

Special Request to Lehman members: please take a minute to fill out a blue card found on the back of the pews. If all family members are present, just list that number. If one or more members are absent, please list their names.

Attendance/Offering	2/18/24	Schedule of Services
Bible School	253	Morning Bible Class.....9:30 AM
Morning Worship	315	Morning Worship.....10:30 AM
Evening Worship	207	Evening Worship.....6:00 PM
Wednesday Evening	214	Wednesday.....7:00 PM
Offering Today	\$13,703	BUDGET.....\$15,288