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March 5, 2023

**Welcome, Guests!** We are honored that you joined us and hope that you will be blessed by your time with us.

**Attended Nursery** is provided for children younger than two years of age. It is in the hallway as you exit the door to the left of the pulpit.

**Cry Room/Nursing Room** is available in the foyer. Please reserve this room for those with young children.

**Gluten Free Communion** is available in the foyer.

**Hearing Assistance** is available; see an usher for assistance.

**Information Center** has details about ministries, classes, and more. It is in the hallway as you exit the door to the left of the pulpit.

**Quiet Bags** for children are available at the rear of the Auditorium.

# THANK YOU!

## Special GIVING Sunday

Because of your generosity, we were able to raise \$46,742! \$25,000 of these funds will be used to help Healing Hands International, Nashville Inner City Ministry, Churches of Christ Disaster Relief, World Christian Broadcasting, Maury Christian Camp, and Nicaragua Christian School. The remainder will go toward our \$50,000 commitment to the Tennessee Children's Home.

### Sunday Mornings

Worship	9:00
Coffee Fellowship	10:10
Bible Classes	10:30

### Sunday Evenings

First & Third-	SMALL GROUP BIBLE STUDIES
	NT World class meets in Chapel @5
Second-	HOME DEVOTIONALS
	NT World class meets in Chapel @5
Fourth-	CONNECT
	Meets in Teen Center @6
	NT World class meets in Chapel @5

### Wednesday Evenings

Bible Classes	6:30
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### Spanish Speaking

Elyar Sanchez	615-853-4627
Moises Garcia	615-734-7200
Sunday Morning Bible Classes	10:30
Morning Worship	11:30

### Staff

Barrett Bingham	Office - 388-6514
Barry England	Student
Randy Owens	Marriage/Family
Suzi Parrett	Preaching
Laurel Burton	Children
Lauren Kennedy	Ministry Assistant
David Ward	Ministry Assistant
	Facilities

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Bill Alsup	505-2282
Tom Anderson	615-351-6239
Steve Cofer	615-519-1228
John Corn	540-230-8713
Marty DeJarnette	797-2387
Wade Denney	615-290-3585
Mike Kesler	797-3555
John Law	698-2236
Sonny Lee	698-6533
John Simmons	626-5524
John M. Smith	388-5841
Jeff White	615-828-3509
Phillip Young, Sr.	615-418-9107

## COMING UP Today

9:00 a.m. Worship  
10:10 a.m. Coffee Fellowship  
10:30 a.m. Bible Classes  
11:30 a.m. Worship in Spanish

## Tonight

N.T. WORLD CLASS @5  
SMALL GROUP BIBLE STUDIES

## Tuesday

LADIES' BIBLE CLASS - 11 a.m.

## Wednesday

SEWING MINISTRY - 9 a.m.

BIBLE CLASSES - 6:30 p.m.

## Next Sunday

N.T. WORLD CLASS @5  
HOME DEVOTIONALS

## SYMPATHY

To Terra Burm and family on the death of her grandmother, Bonnie Weatherford. She passed away February 25. There will be a memorial service at a later date.

## THANK YOU, RACHEL!

After serving as our ministry assistant for nine years, Rachel Basham has taken a job with her family's business. We wish her God's best!



## WELCOME LAUREN!

We are excited to announce that Lauren Kennedy will be our new ministry assistant. She will begin Monday, March 6.

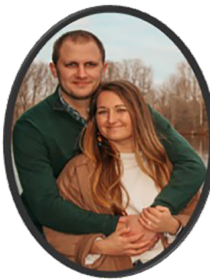
**SPRING  
FORWARD**

Sunday, March 12

Set your clocks forward one hour

## BABY SHOWER

Ladies are invited to a baby shower for Jacob and Maria Williams on March 12 from 2:00-3:30 p.m. in the Fireside Room.



They are registered at babylist.com and they are having a girl!

*Hippity Hop Hoosay*



It's time to celebrate

*Baby Blessing  
Day*

March 26, 2023 9 o'clock am

## NEW ADDRESS

Lottie Umstead has moved to The Bridge. Her new address is  
The Bridge  
851 W. James Campbell Blvd.  
Room 224  
Columbia, TN 38401

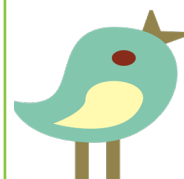
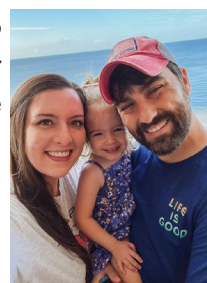
## Welcome



Kevin & Nicole Lore  
Priscilla, Allison  
326 Geneva Lane  
Columbia, TN 38401  
631-404-6977 (Kevin)  
631-433-7272 (Nicole)

## BABY SHOWER

Ladies are invited to a baby shower for Ben and Emily Selbe on March 19 from 2:00-3:30 p.m. in the Fireside Room.



Ben and Emily are having a boy! They are registered at babylist.com.

## Church Record

Sunday a.m. Worship	423
9:00 service	395
Spanish speaking	13
The Bridge	15
Wednesday	190
Special Contribution	\$46,742

## NEW WEDNESDAY NIGHT ADULT CLASSES

6:30 p.m.

Discovering God in the Psalms	Lee Lantzer	Auditorium
1 Corinthians	Joel Oswalt	Chapel
Ladies: Esther: Made for this Moment	Karen Corn	T.V. Studio
Men: Challengers	Taft Ayers	Room 214
Precepts Study of Hebrews	Randy Owens	Fireside Room





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 Jacob Hunnicutt  
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 Ben Jones

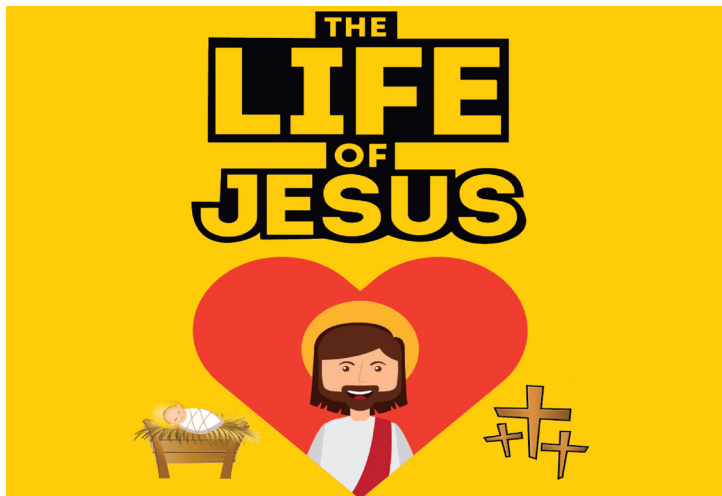
**TODAY (March 5):** Devo at Ben and Jill Jones' house. Meet there at 5:00 p.m. and pick up at 7:00 p.m. Come for dinner, games, hang out, and worship. Dinner provided.

**March 12:** Area Wide at West Seventh. WE NEED YOUR HELP WITH DESSERTS! Please bring desserts to the Family Center Kitchen next Sunday or to the church office throughout the week.

Send Barrett your spring activities schedules - a show, a game or performance. We would love to support you!



**Suzi Parrett**  
 615-693-9427  
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## Pray without ceasing

### Reported sick this week:

Glen Stone is recovering from surgery for cancer. He will have further tests.

John Corn is recovering from knee replacement surgery.

Suzi Parrett is recovering from knee replacement surgery.

Josh Howell's father, Anthony Howell, will have surgery for cancer on March 20.

Deborah Young will be admitted to Vanderbilt at Lebanon March 13-18 for testing regarding her seizures.

### Recovering | extended illnesses | homebound:

Faye Bell	Sue Jones	Jim Sexton
Xiomara Berland	Porter King	Carolyn Turnmyre
Diane Campbell	Dolores Love	Lottie Umstead
Ramona Cherry	Margaret Parsons	Sue Warrington
Ruby Dunn	Bettie Pogue	Melinda Watts
David & Nancy Heffington	Donna Rickman	Molly Watts
Janice Jernigan	Sammy Salters	Jean Worley
		Juanita Westmoreland

### Family & Friends:

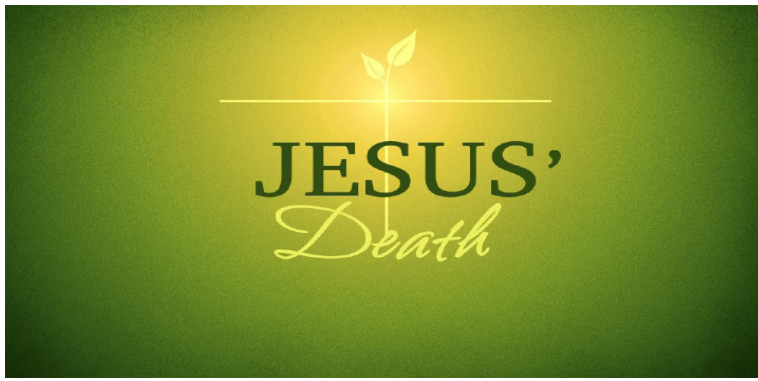
Billy & Sandra Brooks' son-in-law	Jim Bradshaw
Marynelle Criswell's brother -	Nelson Alsop
Steve & Donna Estep's son -	Chad Estep
Olivia Howell's daughter -	Allison Greer
Jamie & Penny Hubbell's friends -	Scott & Gina Turner
Ginger Jackson's sister -	Mary Alice George
C.T. Johnson's sister -	Lois Dugger
C.T. Johnson's sister -	Doris Fail
Shelby Johnson's mother -	Barbara Massey
Mark Marchal's mother-in-law	Sandy Casey
Bettie Pogue's son-in-law	Michael Semore
Lori Rubert's great aunt -	Mildred Philpot
Emily Selbe's grandfather -	Marvin Rickett
Andrea Steven's brother -	Derek Orban
Glenn & Shirley Stone's daughter -	Tracy Bolton
Suzanne Turner's niece -	Kristin Gwaltney
Jeff White's parents -	Paul & Carol White
Patrick Yerman's mother -	Mary Lou Yerman
Greg & Shannon Yokley's friend -	Bobby Fisher

### Preparing to Marry:

Deon Blackiston & Zakiyah Johnson  
 Andrew Fulks & Kelsey Bucknam  
 Cassidy Shrader & Hunter Hodge  
 Laurel Phillips & Kalum Jones  
 Davis Cofer & Catherine Cox  
 Molly Murphy & Blane Harris  
 Parker Trulove & Tori Beard  
 Sutherland Shrader & Tommy Archibald

### Expectant Parents:

Jacob & Maria Williams	Ben & Emily Selbe
Hunter & Shelby Johnson	Andrew & Stacey Meadows
Billy & Alicia Murphy	



Now, brothers, I want to remind you of the gospel I preached to you, which you received and on which you have taken your stand.<sup>2</sup>By this gospel you are saved, if you hold firmly to the word I preached to you. Otherwise, you have believed in vain.<sup>3</sup>For what I received I passed on to you as of first importance: that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures,<sup>4</sup>that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures...

1 Corinthians 15:1-4 NIV

#### Four Amazing Truths about the Death of Jesus

It was a \_\_\_\_\_ death.

It was a \_\_\_\_\_ death.

It was a \_\_\_\_\_ death.

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It was an \_\_\_\_\_ death.

#### Order of Worship

Song Leader .....Marty DeJarnette  
*Lord, I Lift Your Name on High* - 953  
*A Wonderful Savior* - 9  
 Scripture Reading .....Jacob Eastep  
 1 Corinthians 15:1-4  
*I Will Sing of My Redeemer* - 300  
*He Paid a Debt* - 859  
 Prayer.....Seth Howell  
*We Fall Down*  
*Lamb of God* - 950  
 Communion.....Jimmy Fann  
*Hallelujah, What a Savior* - 203  
 Prayer of Thanksgiving  
*He Bore It All* - 820  
*Christ, We Do All Adore Thee* - 90  
 Message.....Randy Owens  
*I Will Sing the Wondrous Story* - 301  
 Shepherd's Blessing.....Phillip Young, Sr.  
 Nursery .....Jennifer Thomas  
 Karen Corn

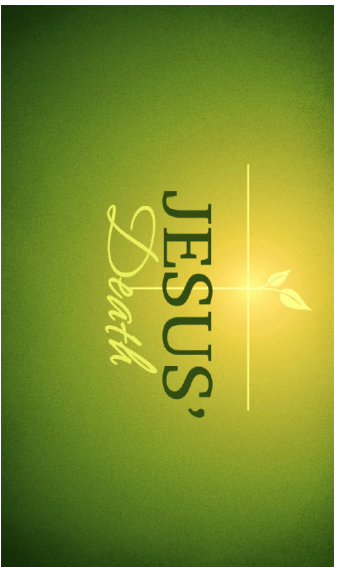
#### Adult Classes

College/Young Pro Room 306	Prayer & God's Will
Young Marrieds Room 212	The Chosen
Young Families Room 214	The Chosen
Homebuilders TV Studio	1 Corinthians
Adults Chapel	Luke/Acts
Adults Auditorium	Foundations for Christians
Adults Fireside Room	Philippians
Spanish Speaking Class	Room 307

#### Wednesday Adult Classes

Ladies' Class	T.V. Studio
Men's Class	Room 214
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### Open:

- What is your fool-proof way to remember something? Write it down? Post it somewhere to have a constant visual? What works for you?
- Perhaps you had parents who instilled in you life lessons, good manners or values they deemed important. Things like, "always make your bed," "use sir or ma'am when addressing someone older than you," "pay back what you owe," etc. Share with the group what you remember being taught. Why do you think that concept was important to them? What would you like to pass on to the next generation?

### Scripture, Discussion & Application

The morning message began a series about what Paul described as of "first importance:" the death, burial and resurrection. We will also study His ascension and return. Take a moment to read 1 Corinthians 15:1-4.

- Why is it good for us to be reminded of these fundamental truths?
- In verse two, it says, "By this gospel you are saved, if you hold firmly to the word I preached to you." What is the gospel?
- You have probably heard that the gospel means "good news." How is the death of Jesus "good" news?
- For Christians, the death of Jesus is a very familiar topic. Yet other world religions deny this fact or fail to see the merit in His death. Why do you think that is?

Review the amazing truths about the death of Jesus and add other insights that come to mind.

It was a \_\_\_\_\_ death.  
Read Isaiah 53:3-7.

Do you have a favorite passage or prophecy about Jesus?  
Why is fulfilled prophecy important?

It was a \_\_\_\_\_ death.

Jesus spoke of His life in John 10:18, "No one takes it from me, but I lay it down of my own accord." Do you think the Roman or Jewish officials grasped this truth? Would His death be diminished if He was not willing to die? Why?

It was a distinctive death.

Fill in the blanks using the verses listed.

\_\_\_\_\_ (Luke 23:44-45)

\_\_\_\_\_ (Luke 23:45-46)

\_\_\_\_\_ (Matthew 27:51)

\_\_\_\_\_ (Matthew 27:52-53)

\_\_\_\_\_ (Luke 23: 47-48)

Is there another detail you would add to this list?

It was an \_\_\_\_\_ death.

God spoke to Moses in Leviticus 17:11 explaining, "For the life of a creature is in the blood, and I have given it to you to make atonement for yourselves on the altar; it is the blood that makes atonement for one's life." Read 1 Peter 2:24 and discuss how Jesus' death made atonement for our sins?

We don't use "atonement" in any setting other than Bible discussions. Is there a better word that is equally descriptive?

**Close in prayer.**