



Mark Philippians Colossians

Bible Bowl is September 9
Hooper Eblen Center TTU

The purpose of Bible Bowl is to teach our young people God's word in a fun and challenging way. May we continue to plant the seeds of God's word in the hearts and minds of our young people!

We are in need of 3-4 score keepers for Bible Bowl this year. If you can help, please see **Dave or Jeana Piggott**.

TEN COMMANDMENTS OF BIBLE BOWL

- I. Compete honestly
- II. Have good sportsmanship
- III. Learning, not winning, is all that matters
- IV. Always have a Christ-like attitude
- V. Respect scorekeepers
- VI. Make comments and suggestions in love
- VII. Listen carefully to directions
- VIII. Be very familiar with the Handbook
- IX. Be prompt
- X. Dress modestly

This Week's Lesson

Sunday morning

Be Strong and Courageous—*Joshua 1.6-9*

Sunday evening

Preaching Into the Wind—*1 Kings 22.1-28*

YOU ARE WELCOME HERE

One of my favorite characters in the New Testament is Barnabas. His story is found in the book of Acts. If it's been awhile since you read the book of Acts, let me remind you of its contents. The book of Acts is filled with both facts and acts. It is full of passion and principles for living that continue to help us today. It is also filled with stories of heroes who have passed on, men and women whose words and deeds teach us how to live.

In Acts 9, Barnabas takes a special interest in Saul. Barnabas, a Levite from Cyprus, had already become a trusted friend of Jesus' apostles. He was blessed with the ability to see the best in others. When the rest of the church in Jerusalem would have nothing to do with Saul, Barnabas reached out to Saul and spoke words of confidence into his life. He stood beside Saul until others accepted him and his message.

I wonder - have you ever felt like an outsider? Have you ever sat down with a group of people only to have them move away from you? Have you ever felt alone even when you are in a crowd? Perhaps you've even had that feeling in church. In camps, in schools, in gyms, on playgrounds, at work - and in churches - people want to fit in. They want to find friends and be liked. When people turn their backs, run away, or make it clear in some other way that "you are not welcome here," it doesn't feel very good.

Not all of us are so well adjusted and comfortable with ourselves that we can see beyond ourselves to the needs of others. Not all of us will reach outside of our circle of friends to welcome someone who is on the outside looking in. But thankfully, in a few of us, there resides the encouraging spirit of Barnabas. We need people to comfort us, encourage us, and bring us into their circle. We need to be encouragers.

What message do you send to others? I pray it is the message of Barnabas. "I have room for you in my life. You are welcome here." I thank God for Barnabas, and for those I have known in this life who are like him.

Buddy Johnson

MONTHLY ASSIGNMENTS September, 2017

Please arrive 10-15 minutes early. Contact the person in charge of your section if you will be absent. Thank You

Deacon in Charge #1— Bob Mackie (526-1926)

Front Table & Count Contribution

Communion in Front Meet in Room 115

Sean Flatt (preside)	Clay Vetter (preside)
David Webb	Neil Ranft
Mike Lewis	Mack Fisher
Brian Allen	John Medley
Courtney Norton (alt)	Andy Milton (alt)

Count Contribution

Sean Flatt	Clay Vetter
David Webb	Neil Ranft
Mike Lewis	Mack Fisher

Deacon in Charge #2 - Ken Mayes (528-9157)

Back Table, Balcony, Nursery & Assist Counting Contribution

Communion in Back Meet in Back of Auditorium

Steve McDonald	Terry Kendall
Layne Brown	Freddie McClennon
Joel Cowan	Paul Korth
Jason Fowler	Wes Korth
David Edgington (alt)	Terry Sissom (alt)

Communion in Balcony Meet in Back of Auditorium

Benton Flatt	Mitchell Williams
Shane Wheeler (alt)	Joe Carter (alt)

Deacon in Charge #3 - Bryan Liner (644-3726)

Usher, Distribute Announcements, Pick Up Attendance Cards

Usher & Distribute Announcement Sheets

#1 Wes Burnett	#3 Ken Clark
#2 Jonathan Carter	#4 David Fox

Pick Up Attendance Cards

Steve McDonald	Wes Korth
Layne Brown	Freddie McClennon

Greet Visitors After Morning Worship

#1 J.C. & Annita Young	#3 Gary & Bobbie Wyatt
#2 Pete & Cindy Story	#4 Dewey & Kay Thrasher

In Charge—Sam Brown (931-261-8408) or
Glenn Binkley (931-349-7686)

A.M. Opening Prayer

3 - Michael Rawdon
10 - Bill Flatt
17 - Marti Neill
24 - Dean Olson

A.M. Closing Prayer

3 - Brian McDaniel
10 - Jim Dale
17 - Ken Mabry
24 - Roy Tudor

A.M. Scripture Reading

3 - David Whiteaker	17 - Michael McCord
10 - Bobby Lane	24 - Russell Fowler

P.M. Opening Prayer

3 - William Birdwell
10 - Doug Fowler
17 - David Fox
24 - Don Viar

P.M. Closing Prayer

3 - Chuck Johnson
10 - Richard Dycus
17 - Michael Lewis
24 - Donnie Westbrooks

Sunday Night Communion

Chuck Lankford Ethan Lankford

Wed. Announcements & Closing Prayer

Dave Piggott

Van Drivers

Sunday Morning - John Rhodes (528-8558)
Sunday Night - Jimmy Patterson (267-6957)
Wednesday Night - Bobby Lane (537-6407)

Women's Nursery Assignments

Allison Burr (252-2084)

Newborn-12 Months

12-24 Months

9 AM	Mary Anne Lankford	Cradle Roll Class
Sun.	Jenifer McDaniel	
10 AM	Bobbie Wyatt	Sonia Mayes
Sun.	Rita LaFever	Adeline Mayes
6 PM	Linda Gilbert	
Sun.	Anna Gilbert	
6:30 PM	Stacey Bennett	Cradle Roll Class
Wed.	Faith Henshaw	Whitney Bowman

Christian Service Group: SEPTEMBER leaders are **Jim & Marian Dale**. Assisting are **John & Lisa Rhodes** and those with last names beginning with the Letters **S, T, U, V, W, X, Y and Z**.

NHC Worship Service 2:00pm
September 3—Deacons and their wives

News & Announcements

Remember in Prayer!

June Farris requests pray for a friend in Michigan, **Trinidad Laird**, who is dealing with stage 4 cancer.

Joyce Williamson remains at Cookeville Regional room #617, with shingles and weakness.

Kaye Bowman began her radiation treatments this week (5 days a week for 25 weeks) and will also be taking oral chemo. No visits at this time but please keep her in your prayers.

Remember those who are dealing with cancer:

Kathy Adams, Linda Alcorn, Kenneth Allen, Dean Boles, Kaye Bowman, Rene' Canfield, Walter Fitzpatrick, Tim Jennings, Dave Leaf, Angela Leffew, Rhett Massey, Paula Palk, Jan Shepherd and Marty Smith



Blood Assurance will be in our *front parking lot* in their Blood Mobile on **Monday, August 28, from 12:30pm to 5:00pm**. Go to bloodassurance.org/jacoc or call the church office to schedule an appointment.

The Amazing Ladies are excited to be going to the Duck Pond Manor for lunch in Sparta on **Tuesday, September 12. Come go with us (young-old-men-women), and let's have a great time.** The cost is \$14.00 plus gratuity and will include beverage, buffet meal and dessert. Please sign up on the YAH Board by Sunday, September 3! Transportation will be provided for those who ride the vans and they will leave at 11am. We will eat in the new pavilion if we have 45 guests.

Young at Heart—Fellowship Cookout:



Our cookout this year is **Friday, September 1 at 6:00pm**, at the Ogden Center. Sign up sheet is on the YAH board. Please indicate if you are bringing covered dish, soup, dessert, fixings, etc. *Hotdogs, buns, drinks, plates, forks, spoons, napkins and ice will be provided.* See **Adriel Stout**.



Football Meal: Thursday, **September 21** will be our

6th annual meal we prepare and serve the Cookeville High School Cavaliers football team and cheerleaders. This meal is paid for entirely by private donations and the team always comment how much they enjoy our meal. Please give any donations to **B. J. Matheney**. Also let him know if you can assist in any way.

College Kids: Please give us your college address and email, so we can keep in touch. You can write it on the back of your attendance card or call the church office.



If you would like to help support the work at SMBC, September 29 is your chance to do so! We will be having a Benefit Dinner here at JA. Last year, the funds that were raised were a big reason why we were able to enjoy the new pavilion. There are more plans for improvements to the camp moving forward, but we can't do it without your help! Let **Matt Collins** you will be able to attend.



New Address:

NORTON, Courtney & Lindsey

Lilyana, Michaela, Micah

1561 Bay View Dr, Cookeville, 38501

TACKETT, Sylvia

233 Cypress Ridge, Cookeville 38506

WHITE, Sarah—new cell number 931-319-3232

BIRTHDAYS

August 27- September 2

- 27 - Layne Brown
- 27 - Houston Bynum
- 27 - Levi Carver
- 29 - Dawson Davidson
- 29 - Nancy Jared
- 29 - Sarah Johnson
- 29 - Randy Spurlock
- 1 - Gary Bodenstein
- 1 - Ben Brown
- 1 - Margaret Cunningham-93
- 1 - Rachel Viar
- 2 - Rachael Liner



This Week's Bible Reading August 23-29

- Wednesday, August 23—Jeremiah 49-50
- Thursday, August 24—Jeremiah 51-52
- Friday, August 25—Lamentations 1:1-3:36
- Saturday, August 26—Lamentations 3:37-5:22
- Sunday, August 27—Ezekiel 1-4
- Monday, August 28—Ezekiel 5-8
- Tuesday, August 29—Ezekiel 9-12



AUGUST

- 23—W.A.S.
- 27—Devo @ the Gilbert's; Kaige Whitaker speaking
- 30—W.A.S.

October 20-22—Fall Retreat at Cedar Lake Camp



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Say a good word for Jesus this week!

<u>Sunday, August 20, 2017</u>	
SHEPHERDS	DEACONS (cont.)
Glenn Binkley	Phillip Burr
Jann Cupp	Brian Carver
Doug Fowler	Randy Chaffin
Don Foy	Ken Clark
Bobby Lane	Jim Dale
*John Mason	Jason Fowler
John Rhodes	Chad Gilbert
Leighton Sissom	Seth Gilbert
*Chairman of Month	Jim Hicks
	Chuck Lankford
	Bryan Liner
	Bob Mackie
	Ken Mayes
	Brian McDaniel
	Andy Milton
	Dean Olson
	Jimmy Patterson
	Dave Piggott
	Gaylon Presley
	Bud Simpson
	Pete Story
	Don Viar
	Donnie Westbrook
MINISTERS	
Buddy Johnson	
Pulpit Minister	
Matt Collins	
Youth Minister	
Bo Perez	
Hispanic Ministry	
DEACONS	Service Schedule
Jason Bennett	Sunday Bible Study.....9:00 AM
William Birdwell	Sunday Morning.....10:00 AM
Sam Brown	Sunday Evening.....6:00 PM
	Wednesday Bible Study.....6:30 PM
	Email
	Church Office.....info@jacoc.org
	Buddy Johnson.....buddy@jacoc.org
	Matt Collins.....mattc@jacoc.org
	Bo Perez.....bo@jacoc.org
	Mother's Day Out.....laura.fox@jacoc.org
	Church Office.....931-526-4605
	Information Line.....931-528-1006
	Fax Line.....931-520-8708
	Mother's Day Out.....931-260-7861
	Bible Class.....275
	Sunday Morning.....531
	Sunday Evening.....193
	Wednesday Night.....315
	Contribution.....\$17,529