

life lines

Jefferson Avenue
Church of Christ

New Members!



Luke Johnson
4601 Plantation Lane
Cookeville 38506
Baptized 8-4-2016



Dani Flynn
2804 Old Salem Dr
Cookeville 38506
Baptized 7-17-2016

Missions!

Be in prayer for the upcoming mission trip to Panama. David Fox, Bo Perez and Gaylon Presley will be leaving on September 13. Please pray for a successful and safe trip.

Also, please be in prayer for the Nicaraguan government. As of right now, all missionaries have been banned from the country.

Nichols Family Leaving

On Sunday morning, John Nichols announced to the congregation that he was resigning as associate minister at Jefferson Avenue Church of Christ. He shared with us that he had accepted an offer to be the associate minister at Netherland Church of Christ in Rickman and the Chief Operations Officer at Short Mountain Bible Camp. The following statement was then read from the pulpit by Dr. Leighton Sissom:

On behalf of the Elders, I would like to thank the Nichols for the major contributions which they have made to our congregation. We are very sorry to see them leave, but at the same time, we wish them well. We know that the Netherland congregation will benefit greatly by them being there.

John, we appreciate the many fine sermons which you have preached and excellent classes you have taught. And thanks for your willingness to take on any task which was needed by our congregation—from organizing and overseeing the Community Action Center to the assignment of space in our building complex. I personally appreciate your volunteering character.

Kasey, we thank you for your fine teaching and supervising of teachers in our pre-school and children's programs. Your imagination and diligence have meant a lot to the children—and I know that the parents, especially the mothers, greatly appreciate everything which you have done.

What would we have done without Josiah and Silas? They have been a joy for all of us, especially their grandparents, Roy and Shirley Carter.

Please know that you will leave a major void in our congregation. Best wishes in everything.

IN LOVING MEMORY



Our beloved sister in Christ, **Opal Grissom**, has gone to be with the Lord. Opal was a strong Christian woman and a godly mother. She was born in Clay County, TN and raised her family in Noblesville, Indiana where she lived for over 50 years. Opal was one of the founding members of the Green Valley Church of Christ in Noblesville. Upon retirement, she moved back to Cookeville, TN and was a faithful member of our congregation. She had many friends in the church and the Upper Cumberland Christian Homes. We will miss her beautiful smile and her sweet spirit. But the good news is that we will see her again in heaven!

Buddy Johnson

MONTHLY ASSIGNMENTS September, 2016

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— Ken Mayes (528-9157)
Front Table & Count Contribution

Communion in Front Meet in Room 115

Chad Gilbert (preside)	Bryan Liner (preside)
Fred Burton	Johnny Bates
Jesse Bates	Jimmy Patterson
Cooper Gilbert	Riley Gilbert
Jacob Piggott (alt)	Ken Standifer (alt)

Count Contribution

Chad Gilbert	Bryan Liner
Fred Burton	Johnny Bates
Jesse Bates	Jimmy Patterson

Deacon in Charge #2 - Bud Simpson (858-8888)
Back Table, Balcony, Nursery &
Assist Counting Contribution

**Communion in Back
Meet in Back of Auditorium**

Houston Bynum	Phil McCanless
Blake Fitzpatrick	Marti Neill
Zach Henson	Johnny Lane
Durley McLarty	Gary Wyatt
Seth Gilbert (alt)	Michael McCord (alt)

**Communion in Balcony
Meet in Back of Auditorium**

Michael Rawdon	Roy Tudor
Wayne Roberts (alt)	Dewey Thrasher (alt)

Deacon in Charge #3 - William Birdwell (526-7915)
Usher, Distribute Announcements, Pick Up
Attendance Cards

Usher & Distribute Announcement Sheets

#1 Jim Dale	#3 Jason Bennett
#2 David Edgington	#4 Ken Clark

Pick Up Attendance Cards

Houston Bynum	Phil McCanless
Blake Fitzpatrick	Gary Wyatt

Greet Visitors After Morning Worship

#1 Stan & Julie Doyle	#3 Steve & Linda Flatt
#2 David & Janet Chaney	#4 Calvin & Patti Skinner

Minister in charge

A. M. Opening Prayer

4 - David Whiteaker
11 - Ken Castleman
18 - Matt Collins
25 - Bob Mackie

A.M. Closing Prayer

4 - Shaun Scantland
11 - Jim Washburn
18 - Sam Brown
25 - Matt Baggett

A. M. Scripture Reading

4 - Steve McDonald	18 - Bob Farris
11 - Shaun Scantland	25 - Larry Harkleroad

P. M. Opening Prayer

4 - Bobby Lane
11 - Rocky Davidson
18 - Don Foy
25 - John Mayher

P. M. Closing Prayer

4 - Don Viar
11 - Randy Chaffin
18 - Chuck Johnson
25 - Brad Fortner

Sunday Night Communion

Dean Olson Robert Olson

Wed. Announcements & Closing Prayer

Leighton Sissom

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	Cindy Dyal	Cradle Roll Class
Sun.	Dorinda Gaw	
10 AM	Jane Foy	Laura Fox
Sun.	Julia Foy	Susan Stroud
6 PM	Ashley Viar	
Sun.	Sarah Viar	
6:30 PM	Mae Fowler	Cradle Roll Class
Wed.	Marcia Brown	

Christian Service Group: Leaders for the month of September 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 4 - Deacons and their wives

News, Prayers & Announcements

Our Sick

Charles Williamson is in Cookeville Regional, room #602, with staph infection. No visitors at this time please.

Hugh Adams will have a cardiac cath Thursday at Cookeville Regional. Your prayers are appreciated.

Ashley Viar was dismissed from CRMC on Tuesday.

Charlie Moore's brother, **Richard**, remains in St. Thomas, room #490, recovering from heart surgery.

Patsy Johnson has been dismissed from Cookeville Regional and is now at Signature Health Care in Algood.

Cornelia Steakley remains in room #21-A at Cookeville Rehab for therapy.

Jean Pennington, Sylvia Tackett and Jackie Tidwell are all now recovering at homes.

Sympathy to the family of our **Opal Grissom** in her passing. The family will receive friends here in our Small Auditorium on Wednesday morning from 10:00 AM until time for the funeral at 11:00 AM. **We will be furnishing a luncheon for the family following the service and are in need of chicken, vegetables, side dishes, desserts, bread and kitchen help. Please have your food here by 10:30 and if you can assist in anyway, call Jim Dale.

Those who are dealing with cancer:

Kathy Adams, Linda Alcorn, Kenneth Allen, Dean Boles, Kaye Bowman, Rene' Canfield, Karma Carter, Joy Carter, Jeremy Fortner, Anthony Hammock, Blake Houston, Tim Jennings, Dave Leaf, Angela Leffew, Rhett Massey, Buddy Morgan, Paula Palk and Jan Shepherd

Our Shut-Ins

Bethesda: Lyman Schroeder, Jan Shuster & Lyda Taylor

Heritage Pointe: Peggy Cooper, Wilma Hayes & Marian McDaniel

NHC Healthcare: Evelyn Solt, Aletha Tino

At Home: Hugh & Kathy Adams, Herman & Becky Bean, Maggie Brown, Sue Clack, Matilda Craighead, Margaret Cunningham, Mary Dyer, Geneva Glasgow, Ralph Medley, Pat McCanless, Gladys Simmons, Claudine Smith, Marty Smith, Cornelia Steakley, Jordan Terry and Charles Williamson

Please note these changes in your directory:

► **John & Linda Mason**, 1030 Sugartree Pointe, Cookeville, 38501

► **Ray & Ruth Young**, 625 Eagle Landing Dr, Cookeville 38506, 931-498-1958



Birth-1st Grade: swim day at the home of Randy & Stephanie Chaffin on Saturday, **August 27th** from 1-3. See **Allison Burr**.

The Amazing Ladies will be traveling to Cumberland Mountain State Park for lunch on **Tuesday, September 13** (can't go on Mondays, the restaurant is closed). There is a sign up sheet on the YAH Board. We will be leaving at 11am from the back parking lot of the church. Transportation will be provided. Join the fellowship ladies, and invite a widowed friend!



Attention all Women, get your knee pads out - it's prayer group time! Our Women's Prayer Group will resume this Thursday, **August 25**, at 10:00am, in the Library.

CHS Football Meal: September 8 will be our annual meal



we prepare and serve the Cavalier Football team. Your monetary donations are greatly appreciated. See **B.J. Matheney** for details or to help.

Renew Men's Conference: Please sign up on the Family Board to attend the men's conference being held here at Jefferson Avenue. Saturday, **September 17**, breakfast and lunch provided; no cost to attend.

Thank You!

We would like to thank you for all of your prayers, cards and meals you have prepared for us. We can not thank you enough for all of the support we've received since I've been sick. We love you and could not ask for a better church family.

Thank you, Love

Jonathan, Karma, Erik, J.D. & Taylor Carter

Thank you so much for the expressions of love and affection the church members of Jefferson Avenue extended to our family upon Mother's passing. Brother Buddy and John Mason did a wonderful job with the funeral service. The singers selected and presented several beautiful hymns and Jim Dale's group provided a delicious meal for family and friends after the service. We sincerely appreciate your thoughtfulness.

**The Family of Anna Judd
Ann, Jeanni & Kay**

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SHEPHERDS		Sunday, August 21, 2016	
Glenn Binkley	Brian Carver	Bible Class.....	296
Doug Fowler	Randy Chaffin	Sunday Morning.....	540
Don Foy	Ken Clark	Sunday Evening.....	235
Bobby Lane	Jim Dale	Wednesday Night.....	312
John Rhodes	Jason Fowler	Contribution.....	\$15,188
*Leighton Sissom	Chad Gilbert		
*Chairman of Month	Seth Gilbert		
	Jim Hicks	Church Office.....	931-526-4605
MINISTERS	Sean Kelly	Information Line.....	931-528-1006
Buddy Johnson	Chuck Lankford	Fax Line.....	931-520-8708
Pulpit Minister	Bryan Limer	Mother's Day Out.....	931-260-7861
John Nichols	Bob Mackie		
Associate Minister	Ken Mayes	Email	
Matt Collins	Brian McDaniel	Church Office (Mary).....	info@jacoc.org
Youth Minister	Andy Millton	Church Office (Carol).....	carol.hart@jacoc.org
Bo Perez	Dean Olson	Buddy Johnson.....	buddy@jacoc.org
Hispanic Ministry	Jimmy Patterson	John Nichols.....	john@jacoc.org
John Mayher	Dave Piggott	Matt Collins.....	mattc@jacoc.org
Visitation Minister	Gaylon Presley	John Mayher.....	john.mayher@jacoc.org
	Bud Simpson	Bo Perez.....	bo@jacoc.org
DEACONS	Pete Story	Mother's Day Out.....	laura.fox@jacoc.org
Jason Bennett	Don Viar		
William Birdwell	Donnie Westbrook	Service Schedule	
Sam Brown		Sunday Bible Study.....	9:00 AM
Philip Burr		Sunday Morning.....	10:00 AM
		Sunday Evening.....	6:00 PM
		Wednesday Bible Study.....	6:30 PM

BIRTHDAYS *September 4 - 10*

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| 4 - Betty Brotherton | 8 - Dewey Thrasher |
| 4 - Jim Dale | 9 - Hattie Jo Collins |
| 4 - Elizabeth Olson | 9 - Susan Darrah |
| 4 - Shawn Patterson | 9 - Rachel Lankford |
| 4 - Ronda Stout | 9 - Kay Thrasher |
| 6 - Kaitlin Rice | 10 - John Baggett |
| 8 - Linda Gilbert | 10 - Karen Edgington |



A News and Notes youth

September

- 11 - T4C @ Double Springs
- 17 - Men's Day @ JA
- 18 - Devo @ Lane's
- 30 - Bison Day & Harding

October

- 3 - Fall Break
- 16 - Devo @ Simpson's
- 21 - FHU Visit
- 23 - Super Sunday

November

- 6 - Devo @ Mayes'
- 13 - T4C @ Smithville
- 16 - Friendsgiving
- 18-20 - Fall Retreat @ Indian Creek

December

- 9 - Christmas Party @ Mackie's
- 21 - Winter Break
- 22 - Opry Mills

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