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From Where I Sit . . .

Warming By A Fire We Did Not Build

An article in a Christian publication several years ago carried these words on behalf of Christian Education: "Christian Education prepares the mind and body for Christian service. We realize for these things have not been of our doing. We are warming by a fire we did not build. We realize that

that provisions for these things have not been of our doing. We are warming by a fire we did not build. We realize that the only way we can repay the people who did build the fire is to add fuel to the flames." These words trigger my "Thoughts From The Bible" this week. In speaking to the Twelve before the limited commission, Jesus said "Freely ye have received, freely give" (Matt 10:8).

When Israel came into Canaan, they were told they would drink from wells they did not dig, eat of vineyards they did not plant (Deut. 8: 7-18). Moses warned in verses 11-18: "Beware, lest thou forget God... when thou hast eaten and are full... when thou hast built good houses and dwell therein... when thy flocks are multiplied then thy heart is lifted up and thou forget God... lest thou say in thy heart... my power the might of my hands hath gotten me wealth...remember it is God that giveth thee the power to get wealth." Israel would be "warming by a fire She did not build."

Joshua reminded the Israelite's as they prepared to enter the Promised Land: Joshua 1:11 (KJV) ¹¹ "Pass through the host, and command the people, saying, Prepare you victuals; for within three days ye shall pass over this Jordan, to go in to possess the land, which the LORD your God giveth you to possess it." The Lord truly gave them what they did not earn, but they did have to lay claim to and possess it!

The Apostle Paul felt that he too was "warming by a fire he did not build." He understood that it was only by the grace of God that he had salvation, and the opportunity to serve in the ministry (see 1 Timothy 1:12-15). Because of this feeling, he had a great sense of debt: Romans 1:14-15 (KJV) ¹⁴ "I am debtor both to the Greeks, and to the Barbarians; both to the wise, and to the unwise. ¹⁵So, as much as in me is, I am ready to preach the gospel to you that are at Rome also."

Peter warmed by a fire he didn't build also, and he was tempted more than he was able to endure to deny the Lord! Peter's downfall started when he "followed afar off." Luke 22:54 (KJV) ⁵⁴ "Then took they him, and led him, and brought him into the high priest's house. And Peter followed afar off."

John 18:15-18 (KJV) ¹⁵ "And Simon Peter followed Jesus, and *so did* another disciple: that disciple was known unto the high priest, and went in with Jesus into the palace of the high priest. ¹⁶But Peter stood at the door without. Then went out that other disciple, which was known unto the high priest, and spake unto her that kept the door, and brought in Peter. ¹⁷Then saith the damsel that kept the door unto Peter, Art not thou also *one* of this man's disciples? He saith, I am not. ¹⁸And the servants and officers stood there, who had made a fire of coals; for it was cold: and they warmed themselves: and Peter stood with them, and warmed himself."

It is so important that we stay close to the Lord. In doing so we can add to the flame by keeping the Faith: Hebrews 3:6 (KJV) ⁶But Christ as a son over his own house; whose house are we, if we hold fast the confidence and the rejoicing of the hope firm unto the end.

... Terry Broome



Please pray for our sick and remember them with cards, calls and visits.—

Irene Gist has the flu again. Please pray for her.

Healthy ecovery David Precise is scheduled to have cataract surgery on March 2nd. Keep him in your prayers.

Margaret Barnes will undergo procedure on her back on Friday at the spine center. Remember her in your prayers.

LONG-TERM PRAYER LIST

Stan Hastings

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Trent McCormack, US Navy

Jordan Holt, US Navy

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Philip Doan, US Marine Corps-Reserve

Nathaniel Doan, US Marine Corps

Anthony Worst, US Marine Corps

NURSING HOME RESIDENTS & HOMEBOUND:

Polly Franklin, Elsie Goodman, Jean Hancock, Mark Little, Helen Ott, Nellie Spring

Calendar of Upcoming Events—

Feb. 29 — Brunch honoring LaNelle Caudle, 11 AM

March 1 — Sack Sunday

March 7 — Young at Heart Banquet, MPR, 4PM

March 8 — Daylight Saving Time begins

March 15 — Elders/Deacons meeting, 4:30 PM

March 21 — C.I.A. breakfast meeting, MPR, 8:30 AM

JUSTAYOUTH!

Feb. 28-Mar. 1 — CYC

Mar. 1 — Lads Song Leading, 5 p.m.

Mar. 4 — Bible Bowl practice, MPR, 5:30 PM

Mar. 5 — TNT

Mar. 7 — Young at Heart banquet

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- (2) Ally Russell
- (9) Melissa Ledbetter
- (10) Bill Vinson
- (11) Rueger Dover
- (12) Misti Myers
- (13) C.B. Laney, Izella Proctor
- (16) Beatrice Brooks, Glenda Moore, Jackson Precise
- (17) Jaxie Hargrave, Xavier Benavides
- (18) Paul Ellis
- (19) Doris Johnson, Karen Wilhelm, Greta Collins
- (20) Keyton Allen, Jean Hancock
- (24) Nell Anderson
- (25) Tracy Brumley, Doyle Lemaster
- (26) James Rice
- (27) Haley Bogue, Winfred Russell
- (29) Janet Necklaus, Bandy Staton
- (31) Brent Cornelison, Ally Cornelison, Nick Ledbetter



LaNelle Caudle's Sunday School class will be honoring and thanking her for her many years of teaching and other Christian service with a brunch on Saturday, Feb. 29th at 11:00 a.m. The brunch will be at LaRue Anderson's home and every lady is invited to bring a dish of their choice. A sign up list will be on the bulletin board in the lobby. We will need to have a count for LaRue who will be providing drinks, paper plates, etc.

Note: A group gift will be purchased for LaNelle and those who would like to contribute to this please see LaRue.

The family of Bobbie Ann Howland along with the Hancocks & Westmorelands' wish to thank the congregation



for your condolences and flowers/plants sent at her passing. Keep us in your prayers.



The Young at Heart food sign-up sheet for salads and desserts is on the bulletin board between the foyers. If you would like to help furnish a dish, please sign up by March 4th.

PUPPET PROGRAM - March 1, 2020

Narrator - Joel Gardner

Teachers - 2-3 Years - Bandy Staton

- 4-5 Years - Bridget Price

- K-2nd - Chantel Shelton

- 3rd-6th - Cynthia Nance

Puppets - Tres Sanford, Kaitlyn Price

- Sydney Grant, Peyton Grant

The pantry is in need of restocking. Our next Sack Sunday will be March 1st. Please bring a sack or two of the following items: crackers, canned beans, oatmeal, canned fruit, & soup. Thanks!





We are having a Young At Heart banquet on Saturday, March 7th at 4:00 p.m. This event is for of our youth to

honor and serve those in our congregation who are \square young at heart. If you are interested in attending and having dinner, please sign up on the sheet posted on the board.

CIA Ministry Breakfast Meeting

The Christians in Action Breakfast Meeting will be Saturday, March 21st at 8:30 AM in the church MPR. At our January meeting, there were 18 assignments made to visit our sick and shut-ins and others. If all those visits were made, at least 18 folks were uplifted plus those wonderful people who actually made the visits. We also mailed out 36 cards of encouragement to some who have special needs and others who just need a little encouragement. The breakfast was outstanding. We hope that many of you can join us on March 21st for breakfast and an opportunity to serve. See the food list on the bulletin board. We love you and wish you well.

Your brothers & sisters of the C.I.A. ministry

AREA EVENTS

 11TH Annual Christian Servants Day, Feb. 29, East Hill church of Christ, Pulaski, TN

ELDERS

TOMMY BELLOMY 574-3573 DAVID PRECISE 574-3790 **PAT RUSSELL** BRAD WILHELM 244-0561 259-0800

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

WORSHIP. Sunday 9:55 A.M. and 6:00 P.M. BIBLE STUDY. Sunday 9:00 A.M.

and Wednesday 6:30 P.M.

LADIES BIBLE CLASS. Tuesday 10:00 A.M.

Those to Serve...

SUNDAY, March 1, 2020

Announcements: Buddy Holt Song Leader: Winfred Russell

Prayer: C.B. Laney Serve at the Lord's Table: **Presiding: Jo Reed Brumley**

1W- Tim Allen 1E-Ted Crona **2W- Grady Gattis** 2E - David Crawford **3W-Trey Russell** 3E-Nelson Page **4W-Doug Tucker** 4E-Ron Graham **5W- Clay Kennamer** 5E-John McCrary

Speaker: Terry Broome

Closing Prayer: Riley Westmoreland

Greeters: Roger/Misti Myers & David/Margaret Crawford

Ushers:

6W-Bill Parks 6E - Brent Cornelison 7E - Johnny McCrary 7W- Noah Linville

P.M. SERVICE:

Song Leader: Winfred Russell

Scripture: David Dover Prayer: Brad Wilhelm Speaker: Terry Broome

Lord's Supper: Nelson Page & Grady Gattis

Closing Prayer: Russell Wilhelm WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY: Scripture: Jeremy Paschal Song Leader: Elijah Reed Prayer: Rabon McCormack

> **CONTACT ELDER: Pat Russell** OPEN & CLOSE BUILDING FOR THE MONTH:

Scott Roberts

COMMUNION TO SHUT-INS David Precise

If you are unable to serve, please call:

Dave Precise 256-599-6668 -or- Dave Bagley 256-609-6468

The Learning Center Pre-School (Infants - 4 yrs.) Debra Wilhelm, Director ♦ 259-0005

First Class

lf you go to worship to hear something other The Word of God (the Bible) never changes You have gone for the wrong reason. If you hear something other,

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compassion, kindness clothe yourselves with and dearly loved,

numility, gentleness and patience."

Colossians 3:12

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> not be able to control the shadow, but you can control the one who you want it. Therefore, you need to be especially careful to see that wherever it falls, it will have a "good" effect on all. You may casts the shadow. Make your influence count for God. Be not deceived! Others are being influenced by your example right now

Your influence is like your shadow. It may not always fall where

Selected ~