

Weekly Newsletter

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Will You Do More Than The Minimum?

Students sometimes ask, “What’s the minimum I have to do to receive a passing grade?” Employees sometimes ask, “What’s the minimum I have to do to keep my job?” Christians sometimes ask, “What’s the minimum I have to do to get to Heaven?” Sadly, many of us focus on the *minimum*! When the minimum becomes our standard spiritually, we jeopardize our spiritual growth which in turns impacts our faith & relationship with Christ. Why should I do more than the minimum?

Doing more than the minimum allows our spiritual blessings to be multiplied. Hebrews 6:13-14 says *For when God made a promise to Abraham, because He could swear by no one greater, He swore by Himself, saying Surely blessing I will bless you, and multiplying I will multiply you.*

Doing more than the minimum allows us to be rich by God’s measure. Proverbs 10:22 says *The blessing of the Lord makes one rich, And He adds no sorrow with it.*

Doing more than the minimum allows our blessings to abound. Proverbs 28:20 says *A faithful man will abound with blessings, But he who hastens to be rich will not go unpunished.*

Doing more than the minimum allows us to praise & honor God. Revelation 7:12 says *Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom, Thanksgiving and honor and power and might, Be to our God forever and ever.*

Do I have to attend more than one worship service on Sunday? Do I have to attend weekly activities or meetings of the church? How many ways do I have to serve? If you are asking these questions, you are probably only doing the minimum. Will you do more than what God expects?

~Allen Jones

CHRIST IN YOUTH

Active Digital Parenting Seminar

Please make plans to attend a technology, internet, and social medial seminar on Sunday, February 11. More details to come.

Evangelism University

EU will be January 12-14 in Savannah, TN. It is a weekend dedicated to teaching our youth to share the Gospel of Christ. If interested, please see Nick.

Challenge Youth Conference

CYC will be February 22-25 in Pigeon Forge, TN. Please mark your calendars.

Lads to Leaders

Speech-, Nov 5, Nov 19, Dec 10
Puppets-Nov 5-after AM services
Bible Bowl-Nov 12-:4:00—1 Cor. Chapters 4-6

Nov Devos

The K-6th grade devo will be held on Sunday, Nov 19 following the morning services. Mark your calendars and save this date.

The 7th-12th devo will be held Sunday, Nov 19, following the PM services at the home of Jeremy & Stephanie Prichard. All youth are asked to bring sides and/or desserts.

Christmas Parade Service Project

Saturday, December 2, we will be having our annual Christmas Parade service project. The youth will be handing out hot chocolate, hot dogs and popcorn before and during the Christmas parade. Any youth that would like to help with this project, please meet in the youth center at 5:00 p.m.

The World Does Not Know

As a Christian living in this current culture, it is easy to feel outnumbered and out of place. To take a stand for almost any type of “traditional” moral or ethical value is to put oneself at odds with those who are vocal, combative and vindictive.

Why does the world view Christians with such suspicion and vitriol?

John wrote, “The reason why the world does not know us is that it does not know him” (1 John 3:1).

The world does not know about the Father’s love.

- “See what kind of love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and so we are” (1 John 3:1).
- The world is used to superficial love—a “love” that is based upon fleeting physical appearances, emotions, and outright lust (immediate physical gratification).
- The world is ignorant of divine love that is unconditional and characterized by sacrifice.
- Loving the unlovable is a foreign concept (cf. Romans 5:6, 8, 10).

The world does not know about their obligation to obey.

- To practice sin is to live outside the light and love of God (1 John 3:3-10).

The world does not know about their responsibility to love.

- While hate puts an end to everything it touches (conversations, relationships, lives, etc.), love restores and unites when it is unleashed in godly fashion (1 John 3:11-15).
 - The child of God has a responsibility to love even those who are hateful and unkind.
 - The world does not know about their future.
 - The world does not give much thought to “the end” of things.
- On the other hand, the child of God is excited and filled with wonder as it relates to eternity (1 John 3:2).
- While we may not have the answer to every question concerning eternity, we know for certain that He is coming back (John 14:1-3; 1 Thess. 4:13-18).

The world does not know about some things that are vitally important. What about us?

—Bart

Grief Seminar

South Green will host a Grief Seminar, January 26-28, 2018, with Ron and Don Williams. Mark your calendars and plan to attend.

Jail Ministry

Ladies interested in helping with the ladies class at the local detention center should contact Janey Cline. Classes are held each Saturday morning.

Area Events

- Ladies Day-Lehman Ave church of Christ-Nov 11-Registration 8:30-Program 9:00-lunch served-Celine Sparks, speaker
- Gospel Meeting-Coral Hill church of Christ-Nov 12-16-Andy Baker, speaker-7:00

Family Matters

Prayer List

- Verna Abston 1931 Coles Bend Rd., Smiths Grove, KY 42171
- Dickie Barrick, 105 Oak Leaf St., Glasgow
- Ruth Bradford, Room 154, 180 Scottie Dr., Glasgow
- Jimmy Briggs, 682 Wilson Rd, Cave City, KY
- Larry Bushong 4871 Scottsville Rd., Glasgow
- Dot Dunaway, 304 Beaver Mound Circle, Glasgow
- Sherian Gray, 409 Robin Rd., Horse Cave, KY 42749
- Marilyn Grider, 111 Kenwood Ct., Glasgow
- Doris Sharp, 294 Fox Ridge, Glasgow
- Rollin & Mary Ann Simmons, 300 Seay St., Glasgow
- Bill Speer, 1509 Beckton Rocky Hill Rd. Glasgow
- Melanie Vance, daughter of Eddie & Joyce Whitlow, 166 Eastern Valley Est., Glasgow
- Tammy White recovering from surgery

Additional Prayer Requests

- Sara Alrodan, friend of Shane & Lori Walton
- Courtney Benefield, granddaughter of Donald & Patt Edwards
- Sarah Bowman, niece of Mark & Nancy Bowman
- Stacy Byrd, niece of Charlotte Pruitt
- Jim Clark, son of Margaret Dubree
- Nona Jeffries, mother-in-law of Jesse Page
- Bob Lenhart, father of Cathy Bishop
- Stephanie Logsdon, friend of Nancy Bowman, Sheryl England & Nancy Denham
- Danny Lowe, brother of Jimmy Lowe
- Madelynn Mae Meredith, 10 month old grand daughter of Kathleen Meredith. Kathleen is a friend of Brenda Kirk.
- Norma Middleton, grandmother of Angela Kessler
- Brenda Myers, cousin of the McCoy's
- Pam Neal, coworker of Desiree England
- Todd Page, brother of Amy Jones
- Perry Watson, friend of Brad & Angie Kessler
- Bill Weaver, cousin of Cora Spear
- Bobby Witty, brother-in-law of Ruth Stephens
- Scotty Wright, son of Carolyn Money
- Julie Younkin, friend of Carla Smith

Sympathy

We express our sympathy to the friends and family of Michael Clymer. Funeral services were conducted Saturday in Etown. Michael was the father of Angie Carter and the cousin of Jeffrey Hogue.

We extend our sympathy to the friends and family of Murrell Miller. He passed away Monday. He was the brother of Darrell Miller and the step father of Pam Smith.

Community Soup Kitchen

South Green will prepare the meal at the local soup kitchen on Friday, November 3. Scheduled to serve: Nancy Denham (leader), Micki Bagby, Teresa Hapney, Bonnie Kessler, Lisa Richardson, Barbara Miller, Lynn Vick, Bart & Laura Warren and Lenneth & Bonnie Rich.

Men's Prayer Breakfast

Men's Prayer Breakfast will be held Saturday, November 4, at 7:30. Sign up sheets have been posted.

Wedding Shower

There will be a Wedding Shower for Stephanie Walton bride elect of Andrew Gilpin on Sunday, November 5, at 2:00. All ladies are invited.

Landscaping

We will be doing the fall maintenance on the landscaping at the building on Saturday, November 18. Volunteers are asked to meet around noon. If you can help with this work please see Christian Kaumanns.

Visitation Team

Visitation Team #1 will meet Sunday morning following the AM services for a potluck meal and a meeting. Team members should bring their visitation records. Team Leaders are Wesley Cline and Zac Turner.

Daylight Savings Time will end Saturday, November 4. Remember to set your clock back one hour.

For The Record

Sunday Morning Attendance	448
Sunday Contribution	\$10,813.75
2017 Weekly Budget	\$11,000.00
2017 Weekly Average	\$11,530.24

Responses Year To Date

Baptisms	8
Prayer Requests	19
Placing Membership	23

Sunday Morning, November 5, 2017

Deacons in Charge Nick Pace
 Chris Page
 Scripture Reading John Weaver
 Song Leader Jackie Perkins
 Opening Prayer Brad Lowe
 Lesson Bart Warren
 Communion Talk Allen Jones
 Presiding at the Table David Hammer
 Glenn Pitcock
 Serving the Assembly Wendy Frazier
 David Alls
 Les Neville
 Michael Gill
 Serving the Balcony Ben Leftwich
 Jamie Fraizer
 Danny Johnson
 Closing Remarks Mark B./Leland G.
 Dismissal Prayer Glenn Pritchard
 Greeters (Front Door) David McCracken
 Fran McCracken
 Greeters (Back Door) Janey Cline
 Teresa Hapney
 Greeter (Side Door) Pat McCandless
 Assistance (Back Door) Bobby Gray
 Umbrella (Back Door) Ronnie Turner
 Control Room Joe P./Tanner W.

Ushers Fred Proffitt
 Jim Kessler
 Usher & Serve Basement Monte Taylor
 Jerry Throneberry
 Count Contribution Stephen Floyd
 Doug Frasier
 Mike Pruitt
 Tommy Vick
 Bake Bread Patty Brown
 Bus Driver Frankie McCoy
 Pick Up Attendance Cards Carter Alls
 Trace England

Sunday Evening Service

Scripture Reading John Weaver
 Song Leader Jackie Perkins
 Opening Prayer John Steen
 Lesson Bart Warren
 Presiding at the Table Wesley Cline
 Zac Turner
 Dismissal Prayer Jesse Page

Wednesday Evening Service

Song Leader Patrick Wright
 Opening Prayer Jason Cline
 Dismissal Prayer Terry Bunnell

Elders

Mark Bowman	678-3632	Tommy Gumm	678-3957
Scott Bradford	651-7244	Darrell Pitcock	678-4333
Roger Cline	749-8893	Billy Pritchard	651-3304
Leland Glass	453-3486	Rollin Simmons	629-4855

Ministers

Bart Warren	629-4427
Allen Jones	670-8345
Nick Pace	670-5698

Deacons

Stephen Floyd	202-8911	Nick Pace	670-5698
Doug Frasier	678-2330	Chris Page	678-8824
Robbie Fudge	678-1062	Jackie Perkins	678-4301
Michael Gill	678-6851	Glenn Pitcock	678-4853
David Gray	678-5602	Joe Prichard	799-7996
Allen Jones	670-8345	Kevin Redford	646-3260
Frankie McCoy	670-7876	Brandon Turner	646-3430
David McCracken	678-1127	Ronnie Turner	678-6798

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Worship Times

Sunday Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
 Sunday A.M. Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Sunday P.M. Worship 6:00 p.m.

**Remember! All Worship Services Streamed Live at:
www.sgcofc.com**

Wednesday Bible Study 6:30 p.m.
 Thursday Ladies' Class 10:00 a.m.



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