South Green Street Church of Christ

Weekly Newsletter

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Do you hurt the one you love?

Psychologists have longed studied the concept of people who care for one other have a tendency to *hurt* the one they love. Think of intense dialogue between spouses, the challenge of correcting a child and the way we have talked to one another at times. I struggle in these areas too. We only improve when we realize we need to change & turn to Scripture for direction in relation to our verbal behavior.

CONTROL-James 3:7-8 says For every kind of beast and bird, of reptile and creature of the sea, is tamed and has been tamed by mankind. But no man can tame the tongue, it is an unruly evil, full of deadly poison. We are not being told we can't choose what comes out of our mouths. Man has the ability to capture & tame animals but struggles to subdue the deadliest creature of all, the tongue.

PRACTICE LOVE-Galatians 6:10 says Therefore, as we have opportunity, let us do good to all especially to those who are of the household of faith. Everyone is struggling with something. Like Jesus, we are to serve one another not because we have an ulterior motive; we are to serve because we reflect Christ. Our brothers & sisters in Christ are family. Do we display "family love" towards our Christian siblings?

FORGIVE-Ephesians 4:32 says And be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, even as God in Christ forgave you. We forgive because, as sinners, we have been forgiven by Christ through our response to the Gospel. Our Savior forgives & forgets our sins, so should we!

We have hurt and been hurt. Let's all try to <u>think</u> <u>before we speak</u>, <u>love always</u>, & <u>forgive quickly and</u> often!

CHRIST IN YOUth

Taylor Christian Camp

A group of adults and youth will be spending the week at Taylor Christian Camp. Mail to campers may be sent to: Taylor Christian Camp, 485 Booker Rd., Holland, KY 42153.

K-6th grade Devo

Our K-6th devo for the month of June will be Sunday, June 25, following AM services. Please mark your calendars and plan to attend this event. More details will be announced at a later date.

7th-12th Devo

Our 7th-12th devo for the month of June will be Sunday, June 25, following PM services. Please mark your calendars and plan to attend this event. More details will be announced at a later date.

Horizons

Those that are registered to attend Horizons on the campus of Freed Hardeman University, there will be a meeting Sunday, June 25, immediately following the AM services to discuss this trip. All parents of campers are also asked to attend this meeting.

Summer Youth Series

2017 Theme—Whatever Phil. 4:8 7:00 PM weekly

June 12-Franklin-Brian Staron

June 19-Mt. Pleasant-Chad Landman

June 26-Scottsville-Chris Robinson

July 10-South Green St.-Mike Baker

July 17-Columbia-Chad Wilson

July 24-Three Forks-Brian Proctor

July 31-Tompkinsville-Austin Johnson

~Allen Jones

Growing in Prayer

Most of us would like to be "better" at prayer. We'd like to do it more often and with more power. Just like the disciples of Jesus who came to Him and said, "Lord, teach us to pray" (Luke 11:1), we long for divine guidance in this area.

One of the great pertinent passages to consult is Colossians 4:2-4:

Continue steadfastly in prayer, being watchful in it with thanksgiving. At the same time, pray also for us, that God may open to us a door for the word, to declare the mystery of Christ, on account of which I am in prison—that I may make it clear, which is how I ought to speak.

- Continue Steadfast—Don't give up! Be persistent! Don't quit!
- **Be Watchful**—Be specific in requests, petitions, confessions, and admissions of struggles. Vague generalities simply are not good enough. This becomes extremely helpful in our ongoing quest to avoid temptation. (cf. **Mark 14:38**)
- **Be Thankful**—Giving careful thought to the blessings that have come our way helps us to avoid being selfish. (cf. **James 4:1-3**)
- Think of Others—Paul said, in effect, "In addition to praying for yourself, pray for us too." A mature faith is demonstrated in the fact that one will not only include others in their prayers, but one will pour out heart and soul on behalf of others. It was said that Epaphras was "always struggling on your behalf in his prayers, that you may stand mature and fully assured in all the will of God" (Col. 4:12). When we pray, do we "struggle" on behalf of others?
- **Be Spiritually Minded**—It is righteous and good to pray for the physically sick...but our prayers for others must not be limited to this! We must pray for Gospel opportunities! We must pray for open doors for the word to be spread! We must pray for the sin-sick and lost.

—Bart

Honduras Mission Trip

South Green will participate in a medical mission trip to Honduras, June 17-24. South Green team members include: Faith Harp, Ryan Pace, Jackie Perkins, Jordan Pritchard and Tiffany Pritchard. Please keep this group in your prayers as make preparations for this trip.

Online Directory

We are in the process of compiling an online directory for all members of the South Green St. church of Christ using Instant Church Directory. Please use the following link: https://members.instantchurchdirectory.com/ If you do not have email access, forms have been printed and are located in the foyer. After you complete the Google form, please email your preferred family/individual photo to nick@sgcofc.com or Nancy@sgcofc.com.

Thank You Note

I just can't say enough thanks, thanks, thanks to all of you at South Green that was interested in my well being last Sunday when I didn't want to go to the hospital, and you knew best. I want to give a special thanks to the one that was to take me home for they gave me special care and got thing to help me and get what I needed in every way. I also give special thanks to the ones that went along to the hospital and stayed with me until family member, my sister, got there. Thanks goes to all others that visited me, called the hospital, and the prayers that several told me were said for me. Hope I'll soon be ok and can come to services but right now I don't know when. Please keep me in your prayers.

Family Matters

Prayer List

- Dickie Barrick, 105 Oak Leaf St., Glasgow
- Shirley Birge, 34 Circle Rd., Glasgow
- Linda Bray, 175 Kino Rd., Glasgow
- Jimmy Briggs, 682 Wilson Rd, Cave City, KY
- Georgia Edwards 7745 Edmonton Rd., Glasgow
- Gary Edmunds, 5899 Old Bowling Green Rd., Glasgow
- Larry Estes, 704 N Race St, Glasgow
- Carolyn McKinley, NHC, Room 113, Glasgow
- Orville & Ruby Nunnally are now at NHC-they are in room 124, P.O. Box 247, Glasgow
- Betty Pursley 79 Green Valley Dr., Glasgow
- Lula Belle Riddle, 473 Riddle Rd., Glasgow, no visitors
- Doris Sharp, 294 Fox Ridge, Glasgow
- Bill Speer, 1509 Beckton Rocky Hill Rd. Glasgow
- Ruth Stephens 104 MacIntosh Way, Glasgow
- Melanie Vance, daughter of Eddie & Joyce Whitlow

Additional Prayer Requests

- Mary Birch, grandmother of Amy Jones
- Stacy Byrd, niece of Charlotte Pruitt
- Jim Clark, son of Margaret Dubree, has been diagnosed with leukemia
- Riley Decker, preschool student of Karen Wheeler
- Marla Edwards, daughter-in-law of Donald & Patt Edwards
- Mark Ingram, cousin of Bill Speer
- Doug Isenberg, friend of Doug & Frenchie Belcher
- Stephanie Logsdon, friend of Nancy Bowman, Sheryl England & Nancy Denham
- David & Wanda Martin, friends of Billy & Patty Brown
- Norma Middleton, grandmother of Angela Kesslar
- Jeff Perkins, brother of Jackie Perkins
- Perry Watson, friend of Brad & Angie Kesslar
- Bobby Witty, brother-in-law of Ruth Stephens

Sympathy

We express our sympathy to the friends and family of Emma Pitcock, newborn daughter of Chris & Amber Pitcock. She passed away on Saturday, June 10. Please keep this family in your prayers. Chris is the nephew of Darrell and Glenn Pitcock and Shirley Coffey.

Invitation

Corey Paige McGuire & Ryder Lee Bagby invite you to join them at their Reception following their private Wedding ceremony on June 17, 2017, at half past five o'clock in the afternoon at the bride's home. 1998 South Dixie Highway, Horse Cave, Kentucky.

Community Soup Kitchen

South Green will be serving the meal at the local Soup Kitchen on Tuesday, June 20. Volunteers for this date will be: Shari Harris (leader), Marilyn Grider, Nancy Botts, Karen Kerney, Norma Vance, Patt Edwards, Kathleen Batey, Ancy & Leland Glass, Jesse Page and Doug Belcher.

Wednesday Evening Class

The growing parents class will begin on Wednesday, June 21, at 6:30 PM in room 205. We will explore the challenges of parenting and grandparenting as we seek to raise faithful Christian into adulthood. Should you have any questions contact Allen Jones.

Wedding Anniversary

Alan & Ernestine Beals celebrated their 65th Wedding Anniversary on June 11.

Stanley & Betty Walton will celebrate their 66th Wedding Anniversary on June 16.

For The Record				
Sunday Morning Attendance	462			
Sunday Contribution				
2017 Weekly Budget				
2017 Weekly Average				
Responses Year To Date				
Baptisms	1			
Prayer Requests	7			
Placing Membership	7			

Sunday Morning June 18, 2017		Ushers	Ralph Dunbar
Deacons in Charge			Bobby Steenbergen
	Brandon Turner	Usher & Serve Basement	
Scripture Reading	Tommy Gumm		Larry Baldock
Song Leader		Count Contribution	John Gentry
Opening Prayer	Jimmy Lowe		Gary Groce
Lesson			Jonathan Dugger
Communion Talk	Mark Bowman		David Alls
Presiding at the Table	Jeremy Prichard	Bake Bread	Fran McCracken
	Zac Turner	Bus Driver	Michael Gill
Serving the Assembly	Chase Watkins	Pick Up Attendance Cards	Jackson Pace
	Seth G. Groce		Jake Warren
	Colton Irwin		
	Kameron Bellamy	Sunday Evening Service	
Serving the Balcony	Lenneth Rich	Scripture Reading	Tommy Gumm
	John Weaver	Song Leader	
	Guy Simmons	Opening Prayer	Darrell Pitcock
Closing Remarks		Lesson	Bart Warren
Dismissal Prayer		Presiding at the Table	Allen Jones
Greeters (Front Door)	Billy Pritchard		Ronnie Turner
	Peggy Pritchard	Dismissal Prayer	Nick Pace
Greeters (Back Door)	Lloyd Isenberg		
	Demetra Isenberg	Wednesday Evening Service	
Greeter (Side Door)	Charles Gibson	Song Leader	
Assistance (Back Door)		Opening Prayer	
Umbrella (Back Door)	Fred Proffitt	Dismissal Prayer	Brad Lowe
Control Room	Joe P./Kenneth G.	ı	

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						
	t Warren	629-4427				
Allen Jones		670-8345				
Nicl	k Pace	670-5698				
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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		Joe Prichard	799-7996			
Allen Jones	670-8345	Kevin Redford	646-3260			
Frankie McCoy		Brandon Turner				
David McCracken	678-1127	Ronnie Turner	678-6798			
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