

South Green Street Church of Christ

# Weekly Newsletter

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## Missing Our Loved Ones

Not an hour fades from the clock that doesn't find us thinking about, missing, or longing to be with our friends, neighbors, family members, or spouse that has already passed away. We know the void we have is a result of the deep love we shared. We are confident in the expectation of comfort Scripture provides us for our mourning as we long for that great reunion!

Revelation 21:4 says And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes; there shall be no more death, nor sorrow, nor crying. There shall be no more pain, for the former things have passed away. Knowing our Father will calm us, eliminate dying, and stopping all suffering should motivate us to submit now so we can live eternally with Him. God will reverse the curse that entered the world through human sin.

Revelation 14:13 says Then I heard a voice from heaven saying to me, write: Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from now on. Yes, says the Spirit that they may rest from their labors and their works follow them. This earthly life is filled with valleys & mountains. Our loved ones toiled daily and we face our trials in their absence. We must take comfort that Saints who heed God's call to endurance, keeping God's commandments and their faith in Jesus, are blessed at death with rest from their labors.

Philippians 1:21 says For to me, to live is Christ, and to die is gain. Seeking to be with those who departed this earth requires us not to be concerned with comfort & advancement of this life. We are to focus on living each day for Christ. Death allowed Paul to be freed from his trouble-filled life and rejoice in Christ's presence.

God's comfort and promise will get us through today. Will you reflect the commitment has made to us so we all can live with Him forever?

~Allen Jones

## CHRIST IN YOUTH

### Kings Island

Youth, 7th-12th grades, interested in going to Kings Island should contact Nick. This trip is planned for Monday, July 31.

### Summer Youth Series

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

July 17-Columbia-Chad Wilson  
July 24-Three Forks-Brian Proctor  
July 31-Tompkinsville-Austin Johnson

### Young Men's Night

On Sunday evening, July 30, the young men of the congregation will conduct services. Please keep them in your prayers as they prepare to conduct this period of worship.

### S.H.I.N.E. Youth Rally

The Three Forks church of Christ will be held Saturday, August 19. Contact Nick if you plan to go. The Deadline to order t-shirts is July 30.

### K-6th Devotional

The K-6th devo will be held Sunday, August 20, following the morning services. Mark your calendar and plan to attend.

### 7th-12 Devotional

The 7th-12 devo will be held Sunday evening, August 20, following services. Plan to attend.

## Overcoming Temptation

We are constantly tempted with sin. How do we prepare? How do we cope?

Scripture says: “No temptations has overtaken you that is not common to man. God is faithful, and He will not let you be tempted beyond your ability, but with the temptation He will also provide the way of escape, that you may be able to endure it” (1 Cor. 10:13).

How do we find the way of escape and endure the temptations that we face?

**First, we must know the Word of God.** What is God’s will for my life? What is expected? What is righteous? What is wicked? We can only know these answers as they are revealed in the pages of Scripture (cf. Heb. 5:14; 1 Tim. 2:4). We have the perfect example of Jesus Christ as He was tempted in the wilderness (Matt. 4:1-11). Time and again, Jesus faced His temptations with the phrase, “It is written” (v. 4, 7, 10). When faced with temptation, we should at least be able to say, “*I know that this is right/wrong because the Bible tells me so.*”

**Second, we must utilize the power of prayer.** Jesus taught us to pray, “Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil” (Matt. 6:13). He told the disciples in the Garden of Gethsemane, “Watch and pray that you may not enter into temptation” (Matt. 26:41). Evidently, passionate prayer aids in our ability to be alert to sin and temptation.

Jesus knows that His disciples must pray in order to be equipped to face the temptations and difficulties ahead. Prayer accomplishes within us what is later lived out. We need hearts prepared by and cultivated by prayer to be ready for what we will face. Are we ready?

—Bart

## Thank You Notes

Thank you to the elders and members of South Green for the Bible and the gifts. I really appreciate it all.

Thank you,  
Valerie Smith

South Green family,

I would like to express my appreciation for all the calls, cards, texts, FB messages, flowers, gifts and especially your prayers. Every act of kindness meant so much to me and my family. My church family means everything to me!

I love you all,  
Jewel Searcy

## Visitation Team

Visitation Team #2 will meet Sunday, July 30, following the AM services for a potluck meal and a meeting. Team members asked to bring their visitation records. Team leaders are Wesley Cline and Zac Turner.

## 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. In order to gain access to the directory go to the following link and complete the requested information. <https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1WUq-KY028bT6K7VeM-Eege-y0qiHQu3XY6bS54KGD0I/edit?usp=sharing>. This link can also be found on our website. Once we have entered your data, 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](mailto:nick@sgcofc.com) or [Nancy@sgcofc.com](mailto:Nancy@sgcofc.com). Copies will be printed for those who turn in their information but who do not have access to the directory. Copies will be printed once the directory is completed.

# Family Matters

## Prayer List

- Dickie Barrick, 105 Oak Leaf St., Glasgow
- Shirley Birge, 34 Circle Rd., Glasgow
- Jimmy Briggs, 682 Wilson Rd, Cave City, KY
- Larry Bushong 4871 Scottsville Rd., Glasgow
- Georgia Edwards 7745 Edmonton Rd., Glasgow
- Patt Edwards, 113 Adairland Court, Glasgow
- Gary Edmunds, 5899 Old Bowling Green Rd., Glasgow
- Carolyn McKinley, NHC, Room 113, Glasgow
- Orville & Ruby Nunnally are now at NHC, Room 124, P.O. Box 247, Glasgow
- Doris Sharp, 294 Fox Ridge, Glasgow
- Bill Speer, 1509 Beckton Rocky Hill Rd. Glasgow
- Ruth Stephens 104 Mac Intosh Way, Glasgow
- Sue Tooley 186 Whitney Woods Rd., Cave City, KY 42127
- Melanie Vance, daughter of Eddie & Joyce Whitlow

### Additional Prayer Requests

- Stacy Byrd, niece of Charlotte Pruitt
- Jim Clark, son of Margaret Dubree
- Riley Decker, preschool student of Karen Wheeler
- Marla Edwards, daughter-in-law of Donald & Patt Edwards
- Mary Groce, former co worker of Sonya Hogue
- Mark Ingram, cousin of Bill Speer
- Doug Isenberg, friend of Doug & Frenchie Belcher
- George Jordon, elder Vultee church of Christ, Nashville
- Stephanie Logsdon, friend of Nancy Bowman, Sheryl England & Nancy Denham
- Danny Lowe, brother of Jimmy Lowe
- David & Wanda Martin, friends of Billy & Patty Brown
- Norma Middleton, grandmother of Angela Kessler
- Pam Neal, coworker of Desiree England, will begin chemo for breast cancer
- Jean Ray, friend of Verna Abston, underwent heart surgery today
- Becky Reece, daughter of Jackie & Sherri Perkins, will undergo surgery Thursday
- Judy Rush, sister of Margie Thompson
- Perry Watson, friend of Brad & Angie Kessler
- Bobby Witty, brother-in-law of Ruth Stephens

## Sympathy

Our sympathy is expressed to the friends and family of Rochelle Richardson. She was a friend of Angie Kessler.

## Wedding Invitation

*Together with our families*

*Allison Brette Bosse*

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*James Zackary Smith*

*Request the honor of your presence*

*At our Wedding*

*July 22, 2017*

*4:30 p.m.*

*LoraLee Venue*

*8023 Finney Road*

*Glasgow, KY 42141*

*Reception at LoraLee to follow*

## Pantry Items

We are in need of the following items for our pantry: pasta sauce, juice, jelly, canned meat, canned fruit and crackers. Donations may be left in the bin near the rear entrance.

## Deacons Meeting

There will be a Deacons Meeting, Sunday, July 30, immediately following the morning services in the Youth Center. All Deacons are encouraged to make plans to attend.

### For The Record

Sunday Morning Attendance .....	473
Sunday Contribution .....	\$11,943.45
2017 Weekly Budget .....	\$11,000.00
2017 Weekly Average .....	\$11,484.38

### Responses Year To Date

Baptisms .....	3
Prayer Requests .....	15
Placing Membership .....	15

**Sunday Morning July 23, 2017**

Deacons in Charge ..... Ronnie Turner  
 ..... David McCracken  
 Scripture Reading ..... Billy Pritchard  
 Song Leader ..... Scott Bradford  
 Opening Prayer ..... Jesse Page  
 Lesson ..... Bart Warren  
 Communion Talk ..... Darrell Pitcock  
 Presiding at the Table ..... Denny Harbison  
 ..... John Steen  
 Serving the Assembly ..... Mike Martin  
 ..... Glenn Pritchard  
 ..... Jimmy Smith  
 ..... Frankie McCoy  
 Serving the Balcony ..... Gary Groce  
 ..... Jay Turner  
 ..... Christian Kaumanns  
 Closing Remarks ..... Darrell P./Mark B.  
 Dismissal Prayer ..... Glenn Pitcock  
 Greeters (Front Door) ..... Jeremy Prichard  
 ..... Stephanie Prichard  
 Greeters (Back Door) ..... Wendy Frazier  
 ..... Brenda Frazier  
 Greeter (Side Door) ..... Pat McCandless  
 Assistance (Back Door) ..... Larry Estes  
 Umbrella (Back Door) ..... Billy Brown  
 Control Room ..... Kevin R./Kenneth G.

Ushers ..... Charles Gibson  
 ..... Tim Beals  
 Usher & Serve Basement ..... Jeff Harp  
 ..... Mason Matthews  
 Count Contribution ..... Joe Walden  
 ..... David Gray  
 ..... Robert Bybee, Sr.  
 ..... Allen Peden  
 Bake Bread ..... Jackie Redford  
 Bus Driver ..... Brandon Turner  
 Pick Up Attendance Cards ..... Hudson Brown  
 ..... Andrew Neville

**Sunday Evening Service**

Scripture Reading ..... Billy Pritchard  
 Song Leader ..... Scott Bradford  
 Opening Prayer ..... Tommy Gumm  
 Lesson ..... Bart Warren  
 Presiding at the Table ..... Billy Joe Cline  
 ..... Doyle Coffey  
 Dismissal Prayer ..... Michael Gill

**Wednesday Evening Service**

Song Leader ..... Jackie Perkins  
 Opening Prayer ..... Jason Cline  
 Dismissal Prayer ..... Zac Turner

**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](http://www.sgcofc.com)**

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



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