

PRIVILEGED TO SERVE

SUNDAY MORNING

September 28, 2014

WELCOME: Mike Wolff
SONG LEADER: Jim Sutterfield
OPENING PRAYER: Brett McGohan
LORD'S TABLE: Justin Akin
Phillip Short
ASSIST: Kevin Blair
Alex Riela
Eli Leonard
Don Barnett
CLOSING PRAYER: Gene Blair
GREETERS: Ricky & Keri Shannon
Patrick & Jennifer Rawls
CARDS: Ethan Akin
Ryeland Lovell
VISITOR GIFT/
HOSTESSES: Amy Drewry
Dorothy Yeager
SCRIPTURE READER: Wyatt Brewer
Isaiah 55:6-7

SUNDAY EVENING

September 28, 2014

SONG LEADER: Jim Sutterfield
OPENING PRAYER: Jim Bell
LORD'S TABLE: Cody Barley
R. C. Rawls
CLOSING PRAYER: Robert Hayes

WEDNESDAY EVENING

October 1, 2014

SONG LEADER: Ethan Edwards
OPENING PRAYER: Will Drewry
CLOSING PRAYER: R. C. Rawls
DEVOTIONAL: Mike Brewer

****Please call the church office at
679-3647 if unable to serve.***

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAY:

BIBLE CLASS 9:30 a.m.
WORSHIP 10:30 a.m.
EVENING 5:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY:

BIBLE CLASS 7:00 p.m.

THURSDAY:

LADIES BIBLE CLASS 10:00 a.m.

Elders:

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Michael Cole 815-622-1874 Del Hines 501-733-4645
Jarrod DeValle 501-450-8719 Mike Wolff 501-472-8912
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Minister:

Associate/Youth Minister:

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GOD IS SEEKING YOU!

God has placed eternity in the heart of man (Eccl. 3:11)—an innate yearning for that which is beyond time and space—an ability to draw conclusions about the finite nature of our universe and our corresponding need for relationship with our eternal Creator (Rm. 1:20).

While a comprehensive description of God that does justice to His infinite nature is beyond the scope of human intelligence (Is. 55:8-9), we are provided with some insight through divine revelation (Dt. 29:29). Among the things we do know is that God is an eternal, self-existent Spirit who is the source, support, and end of all things.

A good and honest heart, unshackled by philosophical prejudice or hardened by the deceitfulness of sin (Hb. 3:13) is drawn heavenward for direction, meaning, and purpose in life. Such seeking is evident, even in the most primitive culture.

Case in point: the citizenry of first-century Athens. The Athenians worshiped every god in the book. Just to make sure they had not overlooked any, they had even erected an altar dedicated to an unknown god. Paul used their interest in religious things as a springboard into a discussion about the true and living God. God is the giver of "life and breath and all things." His design, as our Supreme Benefactor, is that we should seek Him, grope for Him, and find Him. Then, he adds that "He is not far from each one of us; for in Him we live and move and exist..." (Acts 17:22-28). We are created to seek God. We are blessed with life, breath, and all things so that we might seek our Creator. He has placed eternity in our hearts.

Keep in mind that while we are seeking the Lord (Mt. 6:33; 7:7), He is seeking us. From the beginning—through His holy prophets—through His only begotten Son—through the calling of the gospel—our Creator has been and is, even now, seeking us.

As we prepare for a special series of lessons surrounding the theme of true worship, it seems appropriate to consider again this statement from the Gospel of John: "But an hour is coming, and now is, when the true worshipers will worship the Father, in spirit and truth; for such people the Father seeks to be His worshipers" (4:23). Will you answer His call to worship Him in spirit and truth?

--Glen Elliott--

CARE GROUP MEETINGS:

Care group 2 (Dent) - Oct. 18th
at the Rawls' home beginning at 6pm

Care group 6 (Gilbow) - Oct. 12th
after morning services in the fellowship room
theme is Mexican food

The Third Annual
Ammo and Eatin' Fun Fest
at Rod Wilson's shop

October 11th from 2:00 - ?



Pantry items for SEPTEMBER:
canned soup, canned fruit

OUR RECORD
SEPTEMBER 21, 2014

SUNDAY CLASS:	166
SUNDAY WORSHIP:	192
SUNDAY PM:	113
WEDNESDAY (24th):	101
BUDGET:	\$5,400
OFFERING:	\$4,373
YTD average:	\$5,202
YTD ahead/behind:	-\$7,321

NEWS & NOTES

PRAYER REQUESTS

- *Bob Gossett was in the ER Friday morning with possible pneumonia.
- *Dorothy Yeager broke her arm where it connects to her shoulder socket. She will have to wear a sling while it heals.
- *Please keep Cassi Gilbow and her family in your prayers in the loss of her dad, Billy Webb. Services were Thursday in Bryant.
- *Continue to keep Natalie Akin, Angie Gordey, and Alisa Stephens in your prayers as they recover from their recent surgeries.
- *Please keep Fern Chism, Nell Lee, Mack Hankins, Brittanny Irby, and the Banks family in your prayers.



October 25th
Fall Costume Cookout at the
Wilson's home
(More info to come!)



BIRTHDAYS

Mack Hankins	9/29
Ashley Beatty	9/29
Livvy McNulty	10/1
Shawn Smart	10/2

ANNIVERSARYS

John & Ann Bowie	9/30
Dale & Laurie Henley	10/2
Shannon & Jennifer Whitley	10/2

GOSPEL MEETING

OCTOBER 5-8

with Ken Burton
from Mountain Home

Sunday Bible Class (9:30 am)

Preliminaries to Worship

Sunday Worship (10:30 am)

"Thou Shalt Worship the Lord Thy God"

***POTLUCK AFTER**

MORNING SERVICES*

Sunday PM Worship (1:00 pm)

The Supreme Motive for Worship

Monday (7 pm)

The Call for Change in Worship

Tuesday (7 pm)

The Abiding Principle of True Worship

Wednesday (7 pm)

Distinctive Features of NT Worship

We have received THANK YOU cards from **Natalie Akin, Steve Harrel, and the New family**. They have been read during our announcements, but just in case you missed them they will be posted on the bulletin board in the hallway. Please take time to stop and read these.

Remember, Church of Christ weekend in Branson for the youth group is October 11th & 12th
See Brett for details

I Wish I Had Never Been Born

One of the lies that sometimes makes into people's minds is that their life doesn't really amount to much. That the things they do in life have no impact on other people. Matthew 25:35-40 says differently. What we see as maybe an insignificant act or an act not much to write home about, others see as something great. For example, bringing a friend to church. It might be no big deal for you, the person who did the inviting. But when we focus our actions on what God would have us to do, the impact can be major for the cause of Christ. 1 Corinthians 3:12-13 is a great example of putting forth the effort for the cause of Christ and it reminds us that it is God who is in control, but we must do our part as well.

-Brett McGohan

FOOD COMMITTEE

for **OCTOBER**

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581-6311 730-2997

VISITOR BAGS

October 5th

Stephanie Barkley & Anne Janski

