

# Estes Echo



## Estes Church of Christ

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the unity of the Spirit  
in the bond of peace.”  
Ephesians 4:3

February 24, 2017

## Biblical Praise for Unity

- **“How good and pleasant it is when God’s people live together in unity!” Psalm 133:1**
- **“Finally, all of you, be like-minded, be sympathetic, love one another, be compassionate and humble.” I Peter 3:8**
- **“Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace.” Ephesians 4:3**
- **“Live in harmony with one another. Do not be proud, but be willing to associate with people of low position. Do not be conceited.” Romans 12:16**
- **“...With all wisdom and understanding, he made known to us the mystery of his will according to his good pleasure, which he purposed in Christ, to be put into effect when the times reach their fulfillment—to bring unity to all things in heaven and on earth under Christ.” Ephesians 1:8-10**
- **“...in Judah the hand of God was on the people to give them unity of mind to carry out what the king and his officials had ordered, following the word of the lord.” Chronicles 30:12**

--submitted

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Alastair & Linda Ferrie.....Scotland  
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Mike & Gail Jacobs.....South Africa  
Larry Waymire.....Haiti  
Russell & Allison Epperson.....Montana  
Ryan & Sarah Davis.....Peru  
Widlord & Karen Thomas.....Haiti  
Kevin & Josie Gray.....New Zealand  
Bethany Iversen.....Peru

### Medical Missions

FHU Bible Teaching Program  
and Graduate Bible Program  
Thailand Literature Program  
World Bible School  
West TN Children’s Home

Sign language interpretation  
available as needed.

# In Our Prayers

## Prayer Requests

The **Miskelly family** is working to adopt children from Haiti and the **Dalton family** is working on a domestic adoption.

**Alisha Washington** is continuing therapy, but making improvement in her recovery.

**Cheryl Fernandez**, Carrie Sells' mother, is hospitalized with severe degenerative disc disease, a blood infection, and pneumonia.

**Brooklyn Hodge** is recovering from surgery to repair broken bones in her leg.

**Betty Vincent** is recovering from a hairline fracture in her arm.

**Karen Fozard**, former member Tony Kirk's sister, is recovering from a pulmonary embolism and other health concerns.

**Craig Hutcherson**, known to Dave Barnett, has been moved out of ICU to a regular room.

**Rick Parker**, Dan and Vickie Parker's son, is recovering well from bypass surgery.

**Lee Matthews, Jr.**, Matt Matthews' nephew, will begin radiation treatments for a brain tumor soon.

**Dorothy McCollum**, Henry Jacobs' sister, was scheduled to move to the nursing home in Selmer this week. She is struggling with serious health problems and not doing well.

**Rod Kreuger**, Tammie Collins' father, was scheduled to have a MRI this past week.

**Dwaine White**, Margaret Payne's father, completed the first two treatments of an intense course of chemo this past week.

**Gary Williams**, Frank Williams' brother, is struggling with Parkinson's disease and a cancer diagnosis.

**Cliff Bennett** is scheduled to have surgery at Vanderbilt on Friday.

**Alastair Ferrie**, has shown some improvement recently in his struggle with a return of cancer.

**Enoch Kirk**, newborn twin grandson of former member Tony Kirk, will be having tests regarding possible issues with his metabolism.

**Baby Pipkin**, a relative of Linda Wade, is home from the hospital and doing much better. Doctors are continuing to monitor the bleeding on the brain.

**Darell Eldridge**, Danny Eldridge's father, had an angioplasty at Vanderbilt on Thursday.

**Cancer Concerns:** Hal Cardiff (Terri Sokoloski's relative), Colton Gates, Forrest Vest, Blondell Powers (Minnie Davis' sister), Megan Jarrell (Erica Parten's cousin), Summer Maples, James Peacock (Zach Peacock's grandfather), Sam Kachelman, Renee Phelps, Elizabeth Saunders, Judy Tilghman (Susan Bradford's cousin), Lula Johns (Debbie McLaughlin's aunt), Trey Leonard (Marvin and Renee Croom's nephew), Sam Daniel (Heather Stewart's grandfather), Nicollette Isaacson, Barbara Clenney (Trent Scott's aunt), Joyce Gilmore, Natalie Morris, Rodney Hilliard (Scott Miskelly's brother-in-law), Don Alan Riggs, Robert Meeks (Laura Purvis' father), Mary Toops (Marie Johnson's aunt), Kristian Carlton (Ginger Frank's friend), Mary Busby (Patsy Davis's sister-in-law), Sheryl Thompson (David Falkenheim's aunt), Van Dyer (Brenda Johnson's cousin), Brandy Davis, Jason Elliott, Diane Davis (Adrienne Riggs' sister-in-law), Jeanette Morris (Tony Morris's mother), John Phillips (Ralph & Martha Austin's friend), Merle Little (Bob Little's wife), Tommy Roberts (the Wades' friend), Willie Milam (Martha Austin's brother), Jerry Shelton (Jackie Hibbett's relative), Barry Gannon (Jordan Gannon's father), Linda Robinson (Ann Lutz's niece), Dwaine White (Margaret Payne's father), Doyle Murphy, Lonna Griffin, Richard Wood's grandparents, Danny Jones, Becky Cargile, Alastair Ferrie, Rachel Baggott (B. J. Naylor's niece), Sue Cotton (Todd Cotton's mother), Robin Connor (Kevin Moore's sister), Sophia Thomas, Lanny Poteet, Sr., Tommy Shaw (Glenda Williams' brother), Heidi Lipphardt (Sandra Wilson's friend)

## Pulpit Preview

**A.M.:** "Hunger and Thirst After Righteousness" Matthew 5:6 -- Mark

**P.M.:** "Dying to Live" 2 Timothy 2:8-15 -- Doug

Sympathy to Susan Bradford and family on the passing of her uncle, **Wendell Broom**. The family especially requests prayers for his wife, Betty, of 72 years. She is struggling with dementia problems. The funeral will be Saturday in Plano, Texas. Sympathy also to Libby Maynard on the death of her sister, **Pat Moore**; to Nathan Judd on the death of his grandmother, **Wanda Judd**; and to the family of **John Rickard**.



- 26 Beata Blackwelder
- 26 Heather Stanley
- 27 Lucas Tucker
- 28 Sydney Frank
- 28 Cory Malone
- 1 Patricia Tucker



- 1 Knox Phillips
- 1 Carol Jones
- 3 Victoria Falkenheim
- 3 Jim Jones
- 3 Caleb Purvis

## Our Missionaries

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## Looking Ahead

- Sunday: -Worship @ Heritage Towers, 2:00 pm (each Sunday)  
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 -Worship @ Southern Oaks, 2:30 pm (1st & 5th Sundays)  
 -Worship @ HHRC, 2:30 pm (4th Sundays)

Wednesday: -Wednesdays @ Estes - "God calls me to be faithful...even when my family falters (Aaron)" -- Justin Morris

### For the Record

Week of February 19, 2017

Sunday Bible Study.....		297
Sunday Morning Worship .....		442
Sunday Afternoon Worship.....		315
Mid-Week Bible Study.....		310
	<u>YTD</u>	<u>2/19/17</u>
2017 Budget	\$86,400	\$10,800
Contribution	\$85,287	\$8,726
over/(under) budget	(\$1,113)	(\$2,074)
Jan. 31 Expansion Fund Balance	\$468	

Brittany Bradford - Ft. Bragg, NC - [brittany.bradford14@yahoo.com](mailto:brittany.bradford14@yahoo.com)

Peter Holtin (Rodger & Alice Holtin's son) - [pholtin@gmail.com](mailto:pholtin@gmail.com) - Kansas

Mason Wallace (Shannon Morris' nephew)



## Ongoing Health Concerns

Jeff Payne; 420 Melodie Circle; Henderson

Emergene Weaver; Crestview Health Care Center, Brownsville, TN. 38012

HHRC - Lois Garner (410B), Lurlene Hysmith, Ermer McNeil, Jean McPherson (504)

Imogene Roberts, Southern Oaks (E4), Henderson

Betty Vincent; 1197 Finger Leapwood Rd., Finger, TN 38334

Ruby Robison; 713 Wolverine Rd., Troy, TN 38260

Omer and Marie Duberry; Elmcroft, 911 Old Humboldt Rd., Jackson 38305

Jane Caldwell; 142 South Maple St., Apt. G3, Adamsville, 38310

Jurilee Rouse; 614 Rosebud, Henderson

Nell Vires, 1280 Mayfield Rd., Henderson

Lou Anderson; 707 North Ave.; Henderson

Dylan Fischbach; 567 Fawn Dr., Henderson

Don Hicks (Marti McDaniel's brother); 263 Halyard Trail, Hot Springs, AR 71901

Robert Gann, 1915 Old Finger Rd., Henderson

Gary Williams, Frank Williams' brother

Bill Maness; 2800 Old Friendship Rd., Finger, TN 38334

Helen Shaw (Glenda Williams' mother)

Leonard and Ann Lutz, 1980 Sanford Rd.

Walter Allstun, Victoria Falkenheim's grandfather

Carolyn Henry, 1870 Old Finger Rd.

David Ross, 1020 Memory Lane, Henderson

## In the Spotlight

# race for HOPE

March 4, 2017 • 5K/10K/1 mile walk

The Race for HOPE raises money for the HOPE Program that gives food on the weekends to low-income Chester County school children. It also honors one of the founders of the HOPE Program, the late Hope Shull, who was special to many. To register for the race, go to [www.raceforhopehenderson.com](http://www.raceforhopehenderson.com). To volunteer to help on race day, contact [raceforhopehenderson@gmail.com](mailto:raceforhopehenderson@gmail.com) or see Debbie McLaughlin.

### Teachers' Appreciation Luncheon

March 5

If you have been a Bible class teacher in the past year, **you are invited!** Sign up on the Activities' Board if you would like to attend.



### Show them with blessings

If you would like to send a card of congratulations and/or a cash gift to **Matt and Faith Kirk** in China on the birth of their twins (to be delivered by Tony and Debbie Kirk next month), gift your cards to Suzanne Scott or place them in the container on the shower table.



### DEVO & FELLOWSHIP WITH THE ESTES LADIES

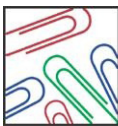
Monday, February 27, 6:30 p.m.

**Guest Speaker: Laurel Sewell**

## INCITE

### MEN'S BREAKFAST

THURSDAY, MARCH 2 - 6:30 AM



FROM THE  
CHURCH  
OFFICE

Debbie McLaughlin will be out of town February 9-27. **Laurie Tucker** will be substituting for her during this time.



To our church family at Estes-- Thank you for hosting us over the lectureship period. Thank you to the Scott family for being amazing hosts, bro Richard and bro Gary for taking us to and dropping us off at the airport, for everyone who hosted dinner, the company was amazing, and the food was so good. But

most importantly, we loved seeing our church family, the warm greetings, smiling faces and catch up conversations. May God bless you, we'll miss you again, until we see each other.

**In Christian love--Michael and Gail Jacobs**



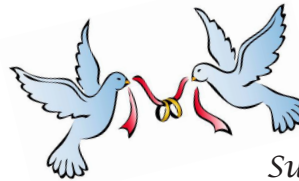
### Come-and-Go Bridal Tea honoring Rachel Geiser & Price Irwin

Sunday, February 26, 2-4 p.m.

Estes Fellowship Hall

Gift Registry is at [Amazon.com](http://Amazon.com).

### 'Forever & Always' Wedding Shower Beata Blackwelder & Jacob Jensen



Sunday, March 5,  
after evening worship

Everyone is invited to bring finger foods.  
Gift registry is at [Amazon.com](http://Amazon.com).

### Sip & See Shower

honoring

Baby Carly Ann

daughter of

Connor & Hannah Sokoloski

Sunday, March 12, 2-4 p.m.

At the home of Suzanne Scott



Everyone is invited to a potluck meal Sunday, March 19, after morning services. We will be introducing our new Local Outreach Program, with opportunities to be informed and to sign up for special areas of involvement. Bring food to share and a heart of service.



Congratulations to Brittany Bradford on being promoted to the rank of 1st Lieutenant!

# Those To Serve

## Morning Worship

Lord's Supper: Stephen Sells, Ben Reese, Danny Eldridge,  
Brian Bundren, Larry Thomas, Henry Jacobs,  
Deryl Hilliard, Micah England

Prayer: Jonathan Estes

Closing Prayer: David Milner

Singing: Nate Kitchen

Nursery: Fiona Barnett, Paige Barnett, Ginger Frank

Greeters: Jill Irwin, Mark & Sylvia Scott,  
Mike & Sandy Cravens

## Afternoon Worship

Opening Prayer: Jason Lockridge

Lord's Supper: Jonathan Harrison

Closing Prayer: Xavier Falkenheim

Singing: C.J. Vires

Nursery: Marie Johnson, Shawna Northrop

Ushers: Ralph Austin, Joel Sanford

Shepherds Receiving Responses: Paul Schwartz, Mark Scott

Cards: Dean Estes, Lane Estes

Sound Booth: Mitch Zlatovich, Rodger Holtin

Safety: Anthony Naylor, Micah England

Prepare Communion: Dan & Vickie Parker

Bldg. Lockup: Mike Johnson

**Please dress appropriately and respectfully.  
If unable to serve, call Richard Wood at 731-608-2346.**

## Schedule of Services

### Sunday

**Bible Study.....9:30am**

**Morning Worship.....10:30am**

**Evening Worship.....5:00pm**

### Wednesday

**Bible Study.....7:00pm**


For additions and updates to the *Estes Echo* or to receive the *Estes Echo* via email, contact Debbie McLaughlin at (731) 435-9315 or [info@esteschurch.org](mailto:info@esteschurch.org).

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	Date	Reading 1	Reading 2
	26	Num. 16,17	Mark 6:33-56
	27	Num. 18,19,20	Mark 7:1-13
	28	Num. 21,22	Mark 7:14-37