

Estes Echo



Estes Church of Christ

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"Endeavoring to keep
the unity of the Spirit
in the bond of peace."

Ephesians 4:3

March 10, 2017

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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.

Losing It!

I have spent countless hours over the past few weekends trying to find things I've lost! I can't let it go, so I keep looking. I hate losing things! A month ago I bought a new pair of reading glasses. I had them less than one week, and I lost them. I looked everywhere for them but they were nowhere to be found. I thought I was losing it! After spending countless hours and backtracking everywhere I had gone, calling Walmart and Lowes to see if I had dropped them in their stores and searching every spot on the farm I had been over the past 2 weeks, I decided to give up and move on. They were gone for good. Well, as fate would have it, I was working in the garage over the weekend and needed the air hose. As I unspooled the air hose, low and behold there were my glasses nicely rolled up in the stinking air hose! (It actually has a good smell. I just added the stinking part for dramatic effect). I was trying to determine how that might have happened when I remembered using the air hose the weekend I lost my glasses. I always roll up the air hose when I'm finished with it, over my left shoulder and by doing so, with the glasses in my shirt pocket and the hose being rubber, the hose must have snatched up the glasses and the glasses got rolled up along with it. Who would have EVER thought to look there?!

Well, I got home last weekend and needed to pull the ATV out of the garage and looked for the key. Guess what? NO STINKING KEY! (The key may actually stink. I haven't taken the time to smell it yet). I spent HOURS looking for that key. I looked everywhere. No key! I really thought I was losing my mind this time. I always put that key in one spot but it wasn't there. I called Lana to see if she had any idea. Nope. I finally decided to go to Savannah to get a replacement key. I was told at the shop that they needed the original to make a replacement. Feeling frustrated I just came on home. As I was pulling in my driveway I decided to go to my neighbor's garage to see how things were going on a truck I bought for Chris. As I got into Chris's truck, low and behold there's the ATV key snagged on the truck key lanyard! How did that happen?! I figured I must have had the ATV key and truck key in the same pocket and when I pulled out the truck key to drive it to my neighbor's garage last Saturday night, the ATV key got snagged on the lanyard and came out with it. Who would have ever thought to look there?!

There are so many spiritual applications I can make relating to these two stories, like how much time we spend looking for things we consider important or how easy it is to lose things and not even know we've lost them. But the one parable of Jesus I am reminded of most is the one He tells of the lost sheep (souls) in Luke 15. Jesus says to leave the 99 that are safe and to seek that one lost sheep. AND DON'T GIVE UP! You'll most likely find them where you least expect - just like the glasses rolled up in an air hose or the keys hanging from a key lanyard. Who would have ever thought to look there?!

--Harold Pirtle

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 home and improving.

Karen Fozard, former member Tony Kirk's sister, is some better and will have a biopsy next week.

Dorothy McCollum, Henry Jacobs' sister, is struggling with serious health problems.

Enoch Kirk, newborn twin grandson of former member Tony Kirk, is still undergoing tests.

The Pipkin baby, a relative of Linda Wade, is home and doing much better.

Anthony Naylor is recovering from injuries sustained in a car accident.

Danielle Hamilton's unborn son has been diagnosed with Trisomy 18. She is under care by a high risk team.

Ann Lutz is recovering from cellulitis.

Carolyn Henry is recovering from back surgery.

Jeff Butler is recovering from heart surgery.

Agnes Hill, Kelly Hoeflich's grandmother, is in critical condition in Pittsburgh with a severe infection.

Inetha Robison, Bill Maness's sister, is in Regional Hospital with a broken arm and blood clots in her legs and lungs.

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, Don Alan Riggs, Robert Meeks (Laura Purvis' father), Mary Toops (Marie Johnson's aunt), Kristian Carlton (Ginger Frank's friend), Mary Busby (Patsy Davis' 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 Robison (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), Lee Matthews, Jr. (Matt Matthew's nephew), Gary Williams (Frank Williams' brother)

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
 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

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Looking Ahead

Sunday: -Worship @ Heritage Towers, 2:00 pm (each Sunday)
 -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 it costs me everything (Samson)," - *Cameron Meeks*

For the Record

Week of March 5, 2017

Sunday Bible Study.....		321
Sunday Morning Worship		455
Sunday Afternoon Worship.....		322
Mid-Week Bible Study.....		348
	<u>YTD</u>	<u>3/5/17</u>
2017 Budget	\$108,000	\$10,800
Contribution	\$109,325	\$12,065
over/(under) budget	\$1,325	\$1,265
Feb. 28 Expansion Fund Balance	(\$48)	

Brittany Bradford - Ft. Bragg, NC - brittany.bradford14@yahoo.com
 Peter Holtin (Rodger & Alice Holtin's son) - pholtin@gmail.com - Kansas
 Mason Wallace (Shannon Morris' nephew)



Pulpit Preview

A.M.: "Transformed Worship," John 4:19-24 -- Mark
P.M.: "What Worship Gives Us," Isaiah 6:1-8 -- Doug

12 Bryson Stewart		14 Linda Vires
13 Grant Matthews		16 Laurie Tucker
13 Xander Swain		18 Laurie Novak
13 Nell Vires		



Sympathy to Perry and Alba Hardin on the death of Perry's grandfather, **James Hardin**, and to Scott and Christy Miskelly on the death of Scott's brother-in-law, **Rodney Hilliard**.



Joe Powers and **Todd Cotton** ask for prayers and forgiveness.

In the Spotlight



REJOICE AND REJUVENATE

"TRANSFORMED BY JOY"

TALENT-SHARING & FELLOWSHIP WITH THE ESTES LADIES

Saturday, March 11, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.



Daylight Savings Time begins Sunday. Set your clocks FORWARD one hour before bedtime Saturday.

Sip & See Shower

honoring

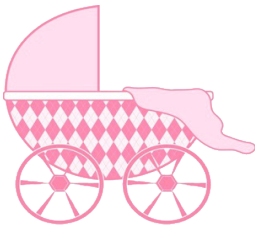
Baby Carly Ann

daughter of

Connor & Hannah Sokoloski

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

At the home of Suzanne Scott



West TN Children's Home needs help stocking their pantry.

Categories of needs have been assigned to different Bible classes:

3 year olds - 100% Juice, Cereal, Paper Towels

4 year olds - Kool-aid or Lemonade canisters, 13 gallon garbage bags, Rice-a-Roni

Kindergarden - Little Debbie snacks, Men's Shampoo & Conditioner, Gatorade

Powder Mix

1st grade - Vienna Sausages, Ziploc Freezer Bags - Quart size, HE Liquid laundry

detergent

2nd grade - Cooking oil, spray disinfectant, Velveeta cheese

3rd & 4th grade - Sugar, hamburger helper, fabuloso or Pine-sol floor cleaner

5th & 6th grade - All purpose cleaner, kitchen cleaner, 100% juice

Teens & Adults - A box is in the lobby with all of these items listed for you to bring.

Place your donations in the classroom containers or lobby container by Sunday, March 19. Also return your coin collection boxes by this time. Write your name/address on the box if you would like a tax receipt.

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Mar. 12

Devo after evening worship at the Walkers' house

AREA HAPPENINGS

March 14 - Literary Ladies' Book Club meeting, 6:00 p.m., Henderson Church of Christ. Bring a favorite dish and a favorite book you have read recently. See Carrie Sells for more details.

March 18 - "Let Your Light So Shine," Ladies' Day @ Pinson Church of Christ. Registration, 9:00 a.m.; program begins 9:30 a.m. Speaker: Connie Pritchard

March 25 - Senior Adult Rally, Henderson Church of Christ. Registration, 9:30 a.m. Lunch is provided. Speaker is David Shannon. RSVP to office@hendersoncoc.com

April 8 - "Strength Training for Women," Ladies' Day @ North Henderson Church of Christ. Registration 9:15-9:45 a.m. Speaker: Carolyn Meeks.

INCITE

MEN'S BREAKFAST

THURSDAY, MARCH 16 - 6:30 AM



For those who are participating in the Lads-To-Leaders Bible reading, the first practice session will be **Wednesday evening, March 15, at 6:15, in Room 1.** Have a passage ready to read that is at least one minute long and not more than two minutes.



Join us for a potluck lunch Sunday, March 19, after morning worship.

We will introduce our new Local Outreach Program, with opportunities to learn about and sign up for special areas of involvement. Bring food to share and a heart of service.

TOGETHER WITH THEIR FAMILIES

Ethan McLaughlin & Becca Schucker

REQUEST THE PLEASURE OF YOUR COMPANY AT THEIR WEDDING

March 24, 2017
6:00 in the evening

ESTES CHURCH OF CHRIST
PLEASE RSVP TO ETHAN.BECA2017@GMAIL.COM

Those To Serve

Morning Worship

Lord's Supper: Alex Walker, Pearce Walker, Hunter Miller, Allen Miller, Jerry Beshires, James Farrow, Micah England, Dave Barnett

Prayer: David Novak

Closing Prayer: Trent Scott

Singing: Nathan Judd

Nursery: Ginger Frank, Joanne Greenlee

Greeters: Jonathan & Ashley Estes, Mark & Diane Stewart, Steve & Martha Kitchen

Afternoon Worship

Opening Prayer: Todd Cotton

Lord's Supper: Davis Parten

Closing Prayer: Bishop McLaughlin

Singing: John McCaskill

Nursery: Sarah Williams, Alyssa Showers

Ushers: Trent Scott, Jim Brown

Shepherds Receiving Responses: Gary Irwin, Steve Johnson

Cards: Jesse Kitchen, Canaan Burleson

Sound Booth: Mitch Zlatovich, Tony Morris

Safety: Joel Sanford, Deryl Hilliard

Prepare Communion: Puente family

Bldg. Lockup: Jason & Tamara Lockridge

**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


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	Date	Reading 1	Reading 2
	12	Deut. 17,18,19	Mark 14:1-25
	13	Deut. 20,21,22	Mark 14:26-50
	14	Deut. 23,24,25	Mark 14:51-72
	15	Deut. 26,27	Mark.15:1-26
	16	Deut. 28	Mark 15:27-47
	17	Deut. 29,30	Mark 16
	18	Deut. 31,32	Luke 1:1-23