

# 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 2, 2018

### Elders

Richard Taylor.....989-9510  
(on leave)  
Allen Walker.....989-7506  
Paul Schwartz.....989-3428  
Tony Hysmith.....989-4978  
Harold Pirtle.....608-7950  
Mark Scott.....901-494-7937  
John McLaughlin.....989-5576  
Gary Irwin.....608-2783

### Ministers

Mark Blackwelder.....879-9123  
Doug Bureson.....608-6780

### Youth Minister

Josh Taylor.....(765)610-3821

### Hispanic Minister

Perry Hardin.....(731) 607-5976

### Education Directors

Jason Lockridge.....879-0169  
Daniel Salmon.....(614) 401-7579

### Secretary

Debbie McLaughlin.....435-9315

### Missions

Patrick Boyns.....England  
Larry Waymire.....Haiti  
Caleb Bennett.....South Africa  
Russell & Allison Epperson....Montana  
Ryan & Sarah Davis.....Peru  
Kevin & Josie Gray.....New Zealand  
Bethany Iversen.....Peru  
Skylar Johnston.....Peru

### Medical Missions

FHU Bible Teaching Program  
and Graduate Bible Program  
Thailand Literature Program  
Apologetics Press  
World Bible School  
West TN Children's Home

Sign language interpretation  
available as needed.

## What Happened in the Big Fancy Cabin?

The Estes Youth Group recently made the trip to Pigeon Forge, TN to participate in the annual youth gathering known as CYC. Thousands of Christians gathered to hear lessons from Ralph Gilmore, Chris Miller, David Shannon, and Lonnie Jones. Each lesson focused on the concept of a Christian's identity in Christ.

While this event is spectacular on its own, I would like to report on another aspect of this year's event: our cabin. Maybe you've heard the rumors or have seen the pictures—but even the pictures can't quite capture the good that happened in this cabin throughout the weekend. Our Youth Group helped clean and cook in our cabin each day. We played games, ate all kinds of good food, and we also held additional devotionals in our cabin. Toward the end of our trip our young people even established goals for the identity of our Youth Group. We want to be known for the following traits:

- 1. We Want to Be A Spiritually Focused Group.** Distractions abound, and we want to stay focused. Remind us of our commitment when we become distracted.
- 2. We Want to Be An Inclusive Group.** It is easy to slip through the cracks, but we don't want to leave anyone out! Let us know if you know of a young person who could use some encouraging!
- 3. We Want to Be A Helpful Group.** Rather than be served, we wish to serve. If there is a way we can serve the congregation then we want to know about it!
- 4. We Want to Be An Included Group.** We desire more than just unity in our group, we want to be an active part of the congregation. Be sure to include us in the work at Estes, and we will include you in our work as well!
- 5. We Want to Be An Accountable Group.** As we hold each other accountable, we want your help in this task as well. Parents, ministers, elders, and every Estes member—remind us constantly of the goals that we have set for ourselves as a group.

It is my hope that each member at Estes could help us accomplish these goals. Remind us when we slip and need to focus on one of these areas. But more importantly, catch our young people doing good. Not only do we sometimes need to be reminded of certain commitments that we have made, but we also need to be complimented when we have accomplished our goals.

--Josh Taylor

# In Our Prayers

## Prayer Requests

The **Miskelly family** and the **Dalton family** are working on adoptions.  
**Cindy Mosher**, Katie Deck's aunt, is struggling with photophobia, a hypersensitivity to light.  
**Joel Sanford** is recovering from a procedure that hopefully will relieve his severe back pain.  
**Troy Williams** is recovering from extensive hand surgery.  
**Chad Henry**, Carolyn Henry's son, is recovering from an aneurysm.  
**Kenny McLeod** is undergoing treatment for severe anemia.  
**Anne Phillips** is recovering from surgery to repair a broken wrist.  
**Judy Thomas** is recovering from surgery to repair a broken ankle. She is at HHRC for a while during recovery.  
**Dwaine White** is awaiting a consultation with an oncologist concerning a very deep skin cancer.  
**Mildred Geest**, Terri Sokoloski's mother, is undergoing rehab after a fall.  
**Ann Lutz** is recovering from surgery to repair a broken leg and is undergoing rehab.  
**Diane Stewart** and **Vicki Hilliard** are recovering from diverticulitis.  
**Roma DuPree**, Carrie Sells' stepmother, is scheduled for difficult aneurysm surgery March 12.  
**Mary Johns**, Debbie McLaughlin's mother, is recovering from knee replacement surgery.  
**Ethan** and **Becca McLaughlin** leave at the end of next week to begin teaching English in China for a year.

**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, Lula Johns (Debbie McLaughlin's aunt), Trey Leonard (Marvin and Renee Croom's nephew), Sam Daniel (Heather Stewart's grandfather), Nicollette Isaacson, Natalie Morris, Kristian Carlton (Ginger Frank's friend), Van Dyer (Brenda Johnson's cousin), Diane Davis (Adrienne Riggs' sister-in-law), Jeanette Morris (Tony Morris's mother), John Phillips (Ralph & Martha Austin's friend), Willie Milam (Martha Austin's brother), Linda Robinson (Ann Lutz's niece), Dwaine White (Margaret Payne's father), Doyle Murphy, Lonna Griffin, Richard Wood's grandparents, Danny Jones, Sue Cotton (Todd Cotton's mother), Robin Connor (Kevin Moore's sister), Lee Matthews, Jr. (Matt Matthew's nephew), Gary Williams (Frank Williams' brother), Karen Fozard (Tony Kirk's sister), Ever Johnson (Paul and Tricia Johnson's grandson), James Harvison, Jose Ferreira (father of FHU grads from Brazil), Mark Wilson (Denise Phillips' brother-in-law), Angelia Haltom, Everett "Junior" Naylor (B.J. Naylor's brother), Sharon Kea, Ann Watson (Lana Pirtle's mother), Lawrence Johnson (Nell Vires & Carolyn Henry's brother), Debbie Schwartz (Paul Schwartz's sister-in-law), Michelle Brewer

## Ongoing Health Concerns

Jeff Payne; 420 Melodie Circle; Henderson  
 Emergene Weaver; Crestview Health Care Center, Brownsville, TN. 38012  
 HHRC - Lois Garner (410B), Ermer McNeil, Nell Vires (403)  
 Lou Anderson; Pine Meadows Healthcare, 700 Nuckolls Rd., Room B6, Bolivar, 38008  
 Betty Vincent; 1197 Finger Leapwood Rd., Finger, TN 38334  
 Ruby Robison; 3360 Yates Road, Hornbeak, TN 38232  
 Marie DuBerry; Elmcroft, 911 Old Humboldt Rd., Jackson 38305  
 Jurilee Rouse; 614 Rosebud, Henderson  
 Robert Gann, 1915 Old Finger Rd., Henderson  
 Bill Maness; 2800 Old Friendship Rd., Finger, TN 38340  
 Leonard and Ann Lutz, 1980 Sanford Rd.  
 Carolyn Henry, 1870 Old Finger Rd.  
 Phyllis Lackey, 326 E. Third, Henderson  
 Chris Moore (Libby Maynard's nephew)  
 Gala Stewart (Rachel Salmon's grandmother)  
 Richy Butler (J. R. Hames' son-in-law)  
 R. C. Schwartz (Paul Schwartz's father); 1645 Enville Rd., Henderson

## Our Missionaries

Patrick Boyns (England)	<a href="mailto:pkb@britishbibleschool.com">pkb@britishbibleschool.com</a>
Larry Waymire (Haiti)	<a href="mailto:lwaymire@gmail.com">lwaymire@gmail.com</a>
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Caleb Bennett (South Africa)	<a href="mailto:calebbennett02@gmail.com">calebbennett02@gmail.com</a>

## 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 -- Mid-Term Singing  
 -Ladies' class, Room 5  
 -Uplift class, Solomon's porch  
 -Adult class on the Apostles, Fellowship Room

### For the Record

Week of February 25, 2018

Sunday Bible Study.....	306															
Sunday Morning Worship .....	432															
Sunday Afternoon Worship.....	293															
Mid-Week Bible Study.....	357															
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Brittany Bradford - Ft. Bragg, NC - [brittany.bradford14@yahoo.com](mailto:brittany.bradford14@yahoo.com)  
 Mason Wallace (Shannon Morris' nephew)  
 José Urzua - San Diego, CA  
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**PVT Naylor, Carson**  
**2nd PLT, Delta Trp, 5-15 Cav, 194ARBDE**  
**Ft. Benning, GA 31905**

### Pulpit Preview

**A.M.:** "Here is not here." Mark 16:1-13 -- Mark  
**P.M.:** "Worthy of Sacrifice," Leviticus 22:17-33 -- Doug

5	Becca McLaughlin	8	Abigail Sanford
5	Benjamin Raine	8	Ester Kelly
6	Jessica Glaser	9	Gayle McDonald
7	Betty Vincent	10	Sara Massey
7	Kinsley Connor	10	Pat Fischbach
8	Lily Sanford	10	Kenny McLeod



## In the Spotlight



We welcome **Myca Loyd** and **Emilee Speer** to our Estes family. Myca is an accounting and finance major at FHU from Cave Springs, AR. In her spare time, she enjoys hiking, photography, being outdoors, reading, and spending time with family and friends.

Emilee is a biology major at FHU who intends on becoming a Physician's Assistant. She is originally from Statesville, NC, and enjoys reading, movie nights, and sleeping in her spare time.



### DIAPERS & WIPES SHOWER for **BRANDON & RACHEL WOOLARD**

Friday, March 2, 6:30 p.m.

The diapers/wipes shower takes place at the same time as a Ladies' R&R Painting Party (registration now closed). All ladies are invited to the shower, even if you are not participating in the painting party.

**RACE FOR HOPE**  
MARCH 3 2018 • 5K/10K/1 MILE WALK

The HOPE program helps to feed low-income students in the Chester County School systems. The program also honors the late Hope Shull, who was special to many. To register or make a donation: [www.raceforhopehenderson.com](http://www.raceforhopehenderson.com). For more information: [raceforhopehenderson@gmail.com](mailto:raceforhopehenderson@gmail.com) or see Melissa Judd, T. J. Kirk, or Debbie McLaughlin.



### ART SAYS IT!

Do you have extra art supplies (new or gently used) you can donate for our students to create art projects - canvases, paints, brushes, chalks, paper, etc. Drop off donations to the lobby receptacle by March 4. If you have questions, see Lana Pirtle.



Estes Church of Christ - Thanks so much for the Christmas fruit basket. A special thanks to the young people who came to sing Christmas carols, especially two three-year-olds who can sing! I appreciate the adults who make this possible and who are a blessing to the youth at Estes. Blessings, **Arlene Brown**

## INCITE MEN'S BREAKFAST

THURSDAY, MARCH 15 - 6:30 AM



Our sympathy to Richard Wood on the death of his uncle, **Mark Wood**. Our sympathy to Jerry Beshires and Sarah Beth Connor and their families on the death of Jerry's brother and Sara Beth's grandfather, **Clyde Beshires**.

## estesyouth

- March 4 Devo after evening worship
- March 6 Hot Tea Tuesday
- March 8 Lunch with the Homeschoolers, 11:30 a.m.
- March 10 Marigolds for the Olds

The March/April Newsletter is now available; check the Facebook page. Andrew Lopez will be youth intern this spring!

**FHU Associates' meeting**  
Monday, March 5, 7:00 p.m.  
Henderson Church of Christ



Congratulations to Paul and Mary Lane Schwartz on the birth of a new granddaughter! **Noa Amelia Baker** was born on February 26 to Jason and Rachel Baker. She weighed 9 lbs. 1 oz. and was 21" long.

Congratulations to Patrick Boyns (our missionary in England) on the birth of his first grandchild! **Haven Elizabeth Eastland** was born February 28 to Shanae and Spencer; she weighed 8 lbs. 2.5 oz.

### AREA HAPPENINGS

**Ladies' Day @ Bethel Springs Church of Christ**, Saturday, March 10. Speaker is Cindy Rodgers. Registration begins at 9:00 a.m., program at 9:30 a.m.

**"THERE'S STILL LOTS TO DO!" Senior Adult Rally at Henderson Church of Christ**, Saturday, March 24. Speaker is David Powell. Registration 9:30 a.m.; program begins 10:00 a.m. Lunch is provided. RSVP to [office@hendersoncoc.com](mailto:office@hendersoncoc.com) or 989-5161.

# Those To Serve

## Morning Worship

Lord's Supper: Scott Miskelly, Allen Miller, Aaron Miller, Ethan Venable, Ralph Austin, Adam Phillips, Robby Novak, David Novak

Prayer: Roy McIntyre

Closing Prayer: Kevin Raine

Singing: Alex Walker

Nursery: Denise Phillips, Anita Beshires

Greeters: Bob Little, Jerry & Bonita Thornthwaite, Mike & Jennifer Showers

## Afternoon Worship

Opening Prayer: Ben Reese

Lord's Supper: Ethan McLaughlin

Closing Prayer: Xavier Falkenheim

Singing: Austin England

Nursery: Caroline Hancock, Michaela Taylor

Ushers: Mark Stewart

Shepherds Receiving Responses: Paul Schwartz, Mark Scott

Cards: Canaan Burlison, Jesse Kitchen

Sound Booth: Frank Bell

Safety: Danny Eldridge, Anthony Naylor

Prepare Communion: Puente family

Bldg. Lockup: Danny Eldridge

**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**

**Spanish Language Worship....5:00pm**  
**(Room 5)**

### Wednesday

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

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### Monday-Friday Bible Readings

Mon 3/5 – Luke 2

Tues 3/6 – Luke 3

Wed 3/7 – Luke 4

Thurs 3/8 – Luke 5

Fri 3/9 – Luke 6