

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

April 27, 2018

Elders

Richard Taylor.....989-9510
(on leave)
Allen Walker.....989-7506
Paul Schwartz.....989-3428
Tony Hysmith.....989-4978
Harold Pirtle.....608-7950
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Hispanic Minister

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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.

I Think I Can

For many years people believed that it was impossible to run the mile in less than four minutes. However, a man named Roger Banister changed all of that. He broke the four minute mile in 1954 with a time of 3 minutes and 59.4 seconds.

Something very interesting began happening after this historic event. It was not long before dozens of athletes broke the four minute mark! What happened? Why was this four minute "barrier" suddenly so very breakable? What happened is that after Banister accomplished this feat, athletes knew it could be done!

The apostle Paul says in Romans 8:28: "I can do all things through Christ that strengthens me." That does not mean that you and I are capable of running a sub four minute mile!

What it does mean is that each of us is capable of doing what the Lord expects us to do. Christ provides us with the strength (and everything else we need) to accomplish His will. Unlike many other pursuits, success is guaranteed if we want it and believe we can achieve it!

Consider this... Can each of us do things to help lead souls to Jesus? If we do not think we can we are nearly defeated before we start. In fact, if we do not think we can, we likely will not even try. The Lord has told us to bear fruit and win souls, so we know it is possible. Believing we can is half of the battle.

The same could be said concerning other expectations that God has for us. Anything He wills us to do, we can do it through His provided strength.

--Daren Schroeder, Godley, Texas (Reprinted with the author's permission.)

In Our Prayers

Prayer Requests

The **Miskelly family** and the **Dalton family** are working on adoptions.
Ethan and Becca McLaughlin are teaching English in China.
Darby Miskelly is hiking the Appalachian Trail.
Rachel Hudson, Julie Miller's daughter, needs prayers for a difficult situation.
Taryn Bolton, B. J. & Barbara Naylor's daughter, will have surgery in May.
Janis Taylor is undergoing tests.
Barbara Falkenheim, David Falkenheim & Alesha Northcutt's mother, is improving.
Mark Scott is now at home and continuing to recover from heart valve replacement surgery.
Bobby Glaser is now at home and continues to recover from pancreatitis.
Angela Hill is now at home and continues to recover from hip replacement surgery.
Judy Thomas, Mike Cothren, Ronnie Hemby, and Calvin Elder are recovering from surgeries.
Josh and Rachel Taylor have two family members with health issues.
B. J. Naylor is considering treatment options for an aneurysm.
Jurilee Rouse has shingles.
Lou Anderson is having consultations for gall bladder surgery.
Flavil Nichols is under hospice care and we have been asked to pray for his family.
Eddie Walker had successful hernia surgery this week.
Dwaine White, Margaret Payne's father, had recent scans that showed a growth in cancer. He will have strong chemo treatments every two weeks for a while.
Bobby Robison, Bill Maness' brother-in-law, is recovering from open heart surgery.
Thelma Hemby suffered a fractured pelvis from a four-wheeler accident. She is in JMC GH, room 668, and also had a stent inserted to clear a blocked artery.

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), 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, Jim Ruth, Natalie Henton

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
 Cindy Mosher (Katie Deck's aunt)
 Chad Henry (Carolyn Henry's son)

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Caleb Bennett (South Africa)	calebbennett02@gmail.com

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's Might Acts in Acts: Shaking off a snake bite - Dimitri Sims

For the Record

Week of April 22, 2018

Sunday Bible Study.....	318
Sunday Morning Worship	407
Sunday Afternoon Worship.....	307
Mid-Week Bible Study.....	352
	YTD 4/22/18
2018 Budget	\$176,000 \$11,000
Contribution	\$175,101 \$12,100
over/(under) budget	(\$899) \$1,100
Mar. 31 Expansion Fund Balance	\$1,927

Brittany Bradford - Ft. Bragg, NC - brittany.bradford14@yahoo.com
 Mason Wallace (Shannon Morris' nephew)
 José Urzua - San Diego, CA
 Hunter Miller, Army AIT training, Fort Sam Houston, TX - crsbons@gmail.com
 Carson Naylor, Army Basic Training, Ft. Benning, GA - naylorcarson@gmail.com



Pulpit Preview

A.M.: "Discerning the Body," I Corinthians 11:23-34 -- Mark
P.M.: "He Loved Them to the End," John 13:1 -- Doug

30 Frank Bell		1 Dan Ayers
30 Mike Showers		3 Linda Anderson
30 Vicki Stout		3 Deacon Connor
30 Dustin Greenlee		4 Debbie Braun
1 Bill Maness		



Send an e-card to patients in Jackson-Madison County General Hospital at www.wth.org. Click on "Send a Greeting Card" at the top of the page.

In the Spotlight

INCITE MEN'S BREAKFAST

THURSDAY, MAY 3 - 6:30 AM

LATE NIGHT INCITE, APRIL 27 - 7:00 PM

Theme: "The Art of Manning Up"

To Eat: Loaded Fries

YOUNG
PROFESSIONALS

20s - early 30s, post-undergrad

Park Day

Saturday, April 28 | 1:00 p.m.

Pavilion by the lake at Chickasaw

See the Facebook group for more info. If you have not yet joined the Facebook group, contact Katie Deck (katiedeck16@gmail.com).

Burgers with the Bishops

Missions Send-Off Celebration

Thursday, May 3, 6:00 pm

Everyone is invited to this special dinner to send off summer mission groups. Please sign the list on the activities' board if you plan to attend.



A Victorian Tea Party

hosted by the ladies of the FHU Associates

Saturday, May 5, 12-4 p.m.

Henderson Church of Christ

Tickets and more information are available at www.fhu.edu/associates/teaparty. You may also see Debbie McLaughlin, Margaret Payne, or Rachel Salmon for tickets.



Mid-South Youth Camp

Saturday, May 5

9:00 am - 1:00 pm (registration, 8:00 am)

Ages 5-16 | Entry fee is \$15

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April 27-29 Evangelism University (make-up date)

April 29 Afternoon - grades 10-12 painting party

Evening - Devo @ the Millers' house



Dear brothers and sisters - Our words are inadequate to express how much we love and appreciate our Estes family. Your prayers, love, calls, cards, visits, and friendship have carried us through the past four weeks of Mark's illness. We have seen the providence of our God throughout this journey. Your prayers are powerful, and we are so blessed to be part of this family. Thank you for the way you live Jesus and share His love with others. In Him, **Mark & Sylvia Scott**

Dear Estes family - Thank you so much for the cards, meals, and prayers that were offered on our behalf in the passing of Josh's grandfather. We could not have made it through these difficult times without your love and support! - **Josh & Rachel Taylor**

Estes Church of Christ - Thank you for the potted plant; your thoughtfulness was appreciated. --**Betty Mayes and the family of Grace Robinson (Henry Jacobs' sister)**



Congregational Dinner

honoring

2018 High School Graduates

Sunday, May 6

After Evening Worship

Everyone is invited; bring potluck dishes.

Parents of High School Seniors:

- Please gather approximately 20 pictures of your graduating senior for a slide-show at the dinner honoring our seniors. If you need to scan some pictures but don't have a scanner, they can do that for you in the Estes sound booth. Send your pictures to Jeff Dove by Friday, May 4.
- You may decorate half of an 8' table to showcase your child and their achievements. There will also be an opportunity during the dinner honoring our grads on May 6 for you to say a few words about your graduate.

AREA HAPPENINGS

HOMECOMING GOSPEL MEETING, Henderson Church of Christ, April 29-May 1 with speakers David Lipe, Jason Beard, David Powell.

FHU ASSOCIATES' RUMMAGE SALE, May 16-19 - National Guard Armory. Drop off donations Monday & Tuesday, May 14-15; sale runs Wed.-Sat.



REJOICE AND REJUVENATE

Digging Into Blessings

Monday, May 7 | 6:30 p.m.

Join us as we put together Blessings Bags to give to people in need.

Drop off donations to the lobby in the box or bring them that evening. Suggestions: tissues, bottled water, hand wipes, hand sanitizer, comb, toothpaste, toothbrush, soap, band-aids, mouth wash, sanitary pads, socks, crackers, trail mix, granola bars, gum, fruit snacks, an encouraging note.

If you would like to make a donation toward the upkeep of the two cemeteries that Estes maintains, please see Floyd Mayfield or Brent Beshires anytime before the end of May.

Those To Serve

Morning Worship

Lord's Supper: Lee Hagewood, Brett Giselbach, Carver
 Messenger, Deryl Hilliard, Ralph Austin, Dave
 Barnett, Henry Jacobs, Dan Messenger

Prayer: Danny Eldridge

Closing Prayer: Scott Miskelly

Singing: David Falkenheim

Nursery: Jenna Cupples, Jennifer Crouse

Greeters: Jonathan & Ashley Estes, Anne Phillips, Dan &
 Donna Lussier

Afternoon Worship

Opening Prayer: T. J. Kirk

Lord's Supper: Alex Tucker

Closing Prayer: Lucas Tucker

Singing: Nathan Judd

Nursery: Jill Irwin, Donna Lussier

Ushers: David Gann, Brian Bundren

Shepherds Receiving Responses: Allen Walker, Tony Hysmith

Cards: Xander Swain, Tucker Scott

Sound Booth: Frank Bell, Richard England

Safety: Danny Eldridge, Anthony Naylor

Prepare Communion: Rodger & Alice Holtin

Bldg. Lockup: Mark & Diane Stewart

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

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.

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Monday-Friday Bible Readings

Mon 4/30 - John 18
 Tues 5/1 - John 19
 Wed 5/2 - John 20
 Thurs 5/3 - John 21
 Fri 5/4 - Acts 1