Dayton Church of Christ

2230 East Highway 252
Huntington, Arkansas 72940

Service Schedule:	Elders:	Deacons:	Minister:
Sunday Morning Class: 9:30 Worship: 10:20 Sunday Evening: 6:00 Wednesday Evening: 7:00	Brian Black Joe Bridges Larry Bridges Larrie Owen	Jeff Brewer Mike Brewer Jody Morgan Cliff Wilson Charlie Young Chris Young	Larry Bridges Attendance Last Week 152 Contribution Last Week $3,001.00

Announcements - January 30, 2011

The monthly elders, deacons, and mens business meeting will be held next Sunday at 5:00 in the basement.

Today is the **5th Sunday** of the month. We will be sharing our usual 5th Sunday lunch followed by an afternoon service of singing. Our contribution today will be going to Southern Christian Home. A communion service will be served at 6:00 this evening for those who were not able to meet this morning.

The first coming Saturday beginning at 5:30 p.m. an **LTC Study/fun night** will be hosted downstairs. Come and enjoy the activities and the study of God's Word.

The next quarterly **mens prayer breakfast** will be hosted by the Booneville Church on Saturday morning, February 12, beginning at 7:30 a.m.

Please continue to remember those below on our prayer list in your prayers. If any of these names need to be removed please let Larry Bridges know.

Prayer List:

In Hospital or Rehab:
Cancer: John Pope, Bill Laster, Tommy Cantrell, Kristi Greene Melissa Shaffer, Betty Moses, Myra Flippo, Annie Peterson, Dianne Williams, Maria Rounsavell, Jenny Hoyle, Lucy Findley, Michael Thornton, David Bakley, Sharon Blythe, Lyndell Walraven, Marilyn Hardigree, Donald Jones, Joe Pat Morgan, Kelly Bailey, Drew Holland, Beth McDaniel, Ida Elmore, Lynn Hatabaugh, Doug Bishop, Donna Wofford, Lela Ainsworth, Kathy Coleman, H.B. Stewart, Beverly Jones, Sue Jones, Carrol Basham, Sr., George Herring, Ginger Clem, Debbie Henley, Wicki Frary, Johnny Turner, Patsy Tobey, Lucy Findley, Cindy Raddatz, Josh McCutcheon
Illness/Injury: Danny Slate, Raymond Cumbie, Liz Turner, Blaise Loman Amanda Webb, Pam Smith, Angie Hester, Deidre Williams, Arley Carlton, Eddie Cole, Bobby Delp, Gary Hardcastle, Raymond Smith, Payton Coody, Megan Wyatt, Charles Guthrie, Janie Anderson, Katie Delp, George Ainsworth, Madison Lowe, Lora Parsons, Julia Sadowski, Oleta Morris, Michael Fitzgerald, Donna Brewer, Ken Howard, Bill Parish, Bobby Robinson, Sharon Pittenger, Ann Moore, Jesse Williams, Joie Jeffords, Darrell McKinney, J.T. Chastain, Berneal & Richard Wyatt, LeAnna & Beth Johnson, Michael Sanders, Betty Kinsey, John Gerrick, Hanna Scott, Laura Morgan, Jimmy Johnson, Andy Sanders, Jerry Upton, Louise Williams, Wayne Canada, Bill Smith, Clinton Basham, Gene Brewer, Myrtle Hunt, Joyce Ridenour, Kelly Ainsworth, Johnny Sanders, James Morris, Harold Lowe, Norma Owen, Shelley Flippo, Jeff Brewer, Edmond Brewer, Brice Parker, Paula Laubach, Martha Boyd, Marcia Metcalf, Lois Blaylock, Roy Huff
Elderly: Nell Milam, Edrie Hart, Evelyn Holmes, Jane Robinson, Earlene Carson, Orby McDaniel, Opal Terrell, Mildred McKusker, Wanza Presson, Betty Reynolds

Read The Bible in One Year

Sunday:	Jeremiah 27-29;	Titus 3
Monday:	Jeremiah 30-31;	Philemon
Tuesday:	Jeremiah 32-33;	Hebrews 1
Wednesday:	Jeremiah 34-36;	Hebrews 2
Thursday:	Jeremiah 37-39;	Hebrews 3
Friday:	Jeremiah 40-42;	Hebrews 4
Saturday:	Jeremiah 43-45;	Hebrews 5

The Gospel Minutes are also available on the table in the foyer.

Birthdays for the week
February 3 - Angie Hester
February 4 - Kameron Brewer

Anniversaries for the week
February 2 - Charles & Juanita Gasaway

Church Web Site: www.daytoncofc.com **Church phone: 479-928-4034**

SENIOR CITIZEN SWEETHEART APPRECIATION BANQUET

Our LTC youth will be hosting this banquet on Saturday evening, February 26 at 5:00 downstairs. The youth are inviting all of our seniors to attend. Please sign up on the sheet on the table in the foyer if you plan to be present so an appropriate amount can be prepared.

LET THERE BE LIGHT

I believe I've heard those words before. Somewhere back there at the beginning those were the words of God. Into all of the darkness and void God called for light. He still calls for it today. Have you ever had someone say to you regarding their mood, "I seem to be in a 'dark place' of late?" Discouragement, hopelessness, despair, are often described as "dark places." You can look in both ancient and modern literature and find that darkness is often used as a metaphor for our sins and their bitter fruit. Maybe that's why the very person and nature of God are often described in Scripture as *light. "God is light and in Him there is no darkness at all."* ***I John 1:5*** James even declares that God is the "*Father of lights"* and declares that there is no darkness in God…. *"neither shadow cast by turning."* ***James 1:17*** This being true it surprises no one that when God came into this world He came as "*light shinning in darkness and the darkness comprehended* (overcame) *it not."* ***John 1:5*** *"I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life,"* Jesus said in ***John 8:12.***

There are many more verses than these that you could cite that would simply reinforce what must be concluded from these verses. That being so who among us could possible misunderstand the challenge Jesus gave to us as His disciples in the Sermon on the Mount? *"Let your light so shine before men that they may see your good works and glorify your Father who is in Heaven."* ***Matthew 5:16*** We are to be lights in this world…..shining lights on high hills…..blessings to this world. As is often the case, folks misunderstand His call, and by their misunderstanding have done harm. The call to be lights in this world isn't a militaristic call. We are not to form a "Christian militia", arm ourselves, and train in combat in isolated places in order to be prepared to join Him at His coming. His call and challenge to us isn't to form a political party and shove His agenda down unwilling throats. Are Christians really supposed to rally behind that Kansas group with their unrelenting protests against our fallen soldiers and the great nation of which we are a part? They show the world a light that is unkind, judgmental, merciless, and void of grace. Their light is the ugly behavior of a strident and angry activism that turns people against our Lord. *"If the light that is in thee be darkness, how great is that darkness,"* Jesus said. Our light must clarify. It must help folks see our Lord more clearly. Does our world really need more caustic critics…..or simply more helping hands. If Jesus truly is the Light of this world then as seen in Him that light is gentle, appealing, and pierced through with hope. It is merciful, gracious, kind, patient, forgiving. Maybe once again this world needs to hear His words, ***"Let there be Light."***

Larry B

Those Who Will Serve Today

Announcements	Joe Bridges
Opening Prayer	Jack Sorrels
Closing Prayer	Jody Morgan
Song Leader	Dustin Dacus
Child Care	Dustin & Laura Dacus
Morning Communion	
3rd Prayer (Collection)	Mike Brewer
2nd Prayer (Fruit of the Vine)	David Young
1st Prayer (Bread)	Chris Young
Servers	Charlie Young
	Reid Carter
	Sam Laster
Evening Communion	
Larry Davis	

Those Who Will Serve Next Sunday

Announcements	Mike Brewer
Opening Prayer	Jack Sorrels
Closing Prayer	Austin Williams
Song Leader	Lowell Ashley
Child Care	Megan Graves & Auburn West
Morning Communion	
3rd Prayer (Collection)	Brian Black
2nd Prayer (Fruit of the Vine)	Doug Graves
1st Prayer (Bread)	Larry Davis
Servers	Tyler Basham
	Charlie Young
	Kameron Delp
Evening Communion	
Lowell Ashley	