



Dayton Church of Christ

2230 East Highway 252
Huntington, Arkansas 72940



<u>Service Schedule:</u>	<u>Elders</u>	<u>Deacons</u>	<u>Minister:</u>
Sunday Morning Class..... 9:30	Brian Black	Jeff Brewer Jody Morgan	Larry Bridges
Worship..... 10:20	Joe Bridges	Mike Brewer Cliff Wilson	
Sunday Evening..... 6:00	Larry Bridges	Tom Dacus Charlie Young	Attendance..... 158
Wednesday Evening..... 7:00	Larrie Owen	Chris Young	Contribution\$3,742.00

Announcements - January 29, 2012

We will be hosting the next area wide youth devotional on Saturday, March 3, beginning at 1:00 p.m. A complete schedule will be available soon.

Today is the 5th Sunday of the month. **Jonathan Neeley, Campus Minister for ATU**, is here with some of the students who will be assisting in our worship service. Jonathan will be bringing our message this morning.

As is our custom we will be sharing our regular 5th Sunday lunch today. Plan to stay and enjoy this time together. Following lunch we will enjoy singing and a devotional back in the auditorium. A communion service will be held this evening for those who could not be present for morning worship. As also is our custom the contribution for today will be going to Southern Christian Home.

We want to congratulate **Taryn Rogers** who was baptized into our Lord recently by Austin Williams. We welcome Taryn into the fellowship of this church.

Next Sunday evening **Reid Carter** will be speaking during the first portion of our sermon time. We look forward to the opportunity of hearing Reid again.

We will be providing lunch for the **Lions for Christ** on Thursday, March 1, at the student center in Ft. Smith.

Donna Bridges is recovering at home from knee surgery she had last Wednesday. **Jan Cagle**, Brad's wife, will be having breast cancer surgery this week with radiation treatments to follow. **James Gaston** will be facing possible loss of a kidney due to a large growth that has been found. **Bonita Langly** of Waldron, mother-in-law of Kristy Langly, is not doing well in her cancer battle. Please keep these as well as all of those on our long term prayer list in your prayers.

FOR OUR LONG TERM PRAYER LIST SEE THE SMALL TABLE IN THE FOYER

WEDDING SHOWER - A bridal shower in honor of **Britney Haynes**, daughter of Teresa & Lowell Ashley, and **Ryan Godwin**, son of Stewart & Terri Godwin will be held here at the building on Sunday afternoon, February 12, 2012, beginning at 2:00 p.m. Britney and Ryan are registered at Target, Dillards, and Pottery Barn.

YOUR INVESTMENT IN DOING GOOD

- ◆ Elder/Preacher School in Sarapheth in India.....\$600 per mo.
- ◆ Mission Work in Kenya...Larry Conway.....\$600 per mo.
- ◆ Truth for Today...Printed material through out the world....copies available in Library.....\$300 per mo.
- ◆ Families First Ministry...Bill Wheeler.....\$200 per mo.
- ◆ Amen Ministry...Military Support.....\$ 50 per mo.
- ◆ Paragould Christian Home.....\$100 per mo.
- ◆ Southern Christian Home.....\$1,400 per mo.
- ◆ Lions for Christ...UAFS.....\$300 per mo.

- ◆ Razorbacks for Christ...UofA.....\$120 per mo.
 - ◆ Student Center...Arkansas Tech Univ.....\$100 per mo.
 - ◆ Student Center...UCA...Conway.....\$ 50 per mo.
- Thank you for enabling this critical work to go on each month. Not included in this information is monthly local benevolence, building payment and utilities, and one time support for other important works. So....if any one asks you, "What are you doing to help in the Lord's work?" Among other things you can give him this list.

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

January 29 - Ralph Black
January 30 - Brian Fleming
February 3 - Angie Hester
February 4 - Kameron Brewer



Anniversaries for the week

January 29 - Neil & Glenda Hurt - **Celebrating 12 years**
February 2 - Charles & Juanita Gasaway - **Celebrating 65 years**

I have CD's available for those of you who requested a copy of last Sunday morning's message. My memory being what it is I can't remember the seven of you that made the request. The CDs are on the table in the foyer.

Larry B

MORE ON UNITY

The message last Sunday morning was well received, and I thank you for the reception. We do this world and our cause no favors when go to war with each other. The world seems to think we should do better.....and in at least in this instance the world is right. But we continue to aim our guns at each other. Sometimes those guns are only scholarly words and sometimes they are more. It's certainly true that Jesus taught us that His words would have the effect of dividing family and friends. I believe He certainly hoped that those who choose to stand with Him would also stand with one another. To stand with one another in battle and not against one another. Our text last Sunday was Jesus' prayer in **John 17:20-21** *"that they all might be one. As you, Father, are in me and I am in you, may they also be in us, so that the world may believe that you have sent me."*

When Donna and I visited the middle east a few years back one of the places we were determined to see was Bethlehem. When we visited the Church of the Nativity, the claimed site of our Lord's birth, I was amazed at the condition of the building. It looked like no one was caring for it. I saw it on the news again over Christmas. It looked just like it did several years ago.....like folks were in the process of repair work and had simply walked off. No progress made. The roof leaked then and still leaks today. I know why. It's no secret. Three supposedly Christian groups claim the site and the building. They each have an area in the building they are in charge of. No repairs are done because the three groups can't agree on who should pay for what. Each group has the money to pay for the needed repairs. The problem is that each group wants to pay the full cost. They don't want to share the cost with each other. You saw them on the news over Christmas. The world always watches that place over Christmas. What it recorded on film was three sets of "holy men in their robes" chasing each other around with brooms, landing blows when they could. The police had to be called in to restore order. I am a Christian, but what I saw didn't remind me of a single precept of Christ. What immediately came to my mind was our Lord's statement to other "holy men in robes" in **Matthew 23:23** *"Woe to you scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! For ye pay tithe of mint, anise, and cumin, and have omitted the weightier matters of the law, judgment, mercy, and faith."*

An editorial in a London newspaper commented: *"When things like this happen Christianity becomes petty and narrow....it becomes all about who takes care of a few square feet of floor, rather than a means of conveying the saving message of a loving Savior."* I wonder how many of the issues that we fight over today are just as petty and narrow as the warring monks in Bethlehem. Maybe it's past time that we put down our brooms, pick up the basin and towel, and serve one another in love as our Lord commanded.

Larry B

Those Who Will Serve Today

Announcements	Joe Bridges
Opening Prayer	ATU Student
Closing Prayer	ATU Student
Song Leader	ATU Student
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	Josh Henderson
Closing Prayer	Sam Laster
Song Leader	Bill Laster
Child Care	Jody & Laura Morgan

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
	Austin Williams

Evening Communion

Lowell Ashley