



Dayton Church of Christ

2230 East Highway 252
Huntington, Arkansas 72940



<u>Service Schedule:</u>	<u>Elders</u>	<u>Deacons</u>	<u>Ministers</u>
Sunday Morning Class..... 9:30	Joe Bridges	Jeff Brewer Jody Morgan	Larry Bridges...Dustin Dacus
Worship..... 10:20	Larry Bridges	Mike Brewer Cliff Wilson	Bruce Flippo
Sunday Evening..... 6:00	Laerie Owen	Tom Dacus Charlie Young	Attendance..... 129
Wednesday Evening..... 7:00		Chris Young	Contribution.....\$2,651.00

Announcements - September 29, 2013

Today is the 5th Sunday of the month. We will be sharing our customary **5th Sunday lunch** following our worship this morning, and hope you can stay and share that with us. Following our lunch we will assemble back in the auditorium for a time of **singing and a devotional by Reid Carter**. A **communion service** will be held at 6:00 this evening for those who were not able to attend services this morning.

Our next monthly elders, deacons, and men's **business meeting** will be held on Sunday evening, October 13, at 5:00 p.m. downstairs.

Carrol Basham is continuing his IV antibiotics on an out-patient basis as he recovers from a serious kidney infection. **Tilly Godwin**, granddaughter of Lowell and Teresa Ashley, daughter of Britney and Ryan, finished her second round of chemo last week and is at home. She will have a scan done to check for shrinkage of the tumor just prior to her third round on October 14. Surgery is then expected. Continue in prayer for this family through all of these ups and downs. **Kaylee Murphy**, half sister to Doug & Janie Graves' granddaughters has Goldenhar Syndrome and continues the her traction therapy every day. She is scheduled for neck surgery the second week in October, and remains in the hospital in St. Louis. **Ruby Fisher**, sister of Sue Jones, has been diagnosed with breast cancer. She is a cancer survivor from several years ago. She lives in San Angelo, Texas. **Bonnie Ray** has had a return of the glaucoma in the eye that underwent surgery a few months ago. She has surgery scheduled for October 2 in Northwest Arkansas. **Lorieda Parish**, sister of Freida Parish, has been diagnosed with an aneurysm in her stomach and blockage in her arteries. 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 (Updated September 1, 2013)

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.....\$500 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 Through in a Year

Sunday.....	Job 30-31.....	Acts 13:26-52
Monday.....	Job 32-33.....	Acts 14
Tuesday.....	Job 34-35.....	Acts 15:1-21
Wednesday.....	Job 36-37.....	Acts 15:22-41
Thursday.....	Job 38-40.....	Acts 16:1-21
Friday.....	Job 41-42.....	Acts 16:22-40
Saturday.....	Psalms 1-3.....	Acts 13:1-25

"Study to show yourself approved..."

Birthdays for the week

September 29 - Jane Sorrels
September 30 - Marianne Young



Anniversaries for the week

September 29 - Carol & Betty Basham
September 29 - Bruce & Bobbie Flippo **celebrating 40 years**

A STORY WORTH HEARING

It happened last month, but I only read of it last week. Retired folks can easily find themselves running behind, and not keeping abreast of all the goings on. This story played out in Wayne, New Jersey. Four football players...three black and one white...went into Buddy's Small Lots and began shopping. After a short while it dawned on them that there was no clerk any where within sight. A lot of folks would call that "easy pickings." Not these four young men. They found the items they were searching for and started for the door. But they weren't making a hasty retreat. Quite the opposite. They stopped at the "clerkless" check out counter, added up the total of their items, and pulled out \$5.80 from their pockets...the total for the items plus tax. With no one in sight, one of them turned to the surveillance camera over the cash register, waved the money at the camera, and laid it on the counter.

One of the young men later reported, "We were down there ten minutes looking for someone to help us. We thought everybody was in the back on break." They left the store and headed for football practice at William Patterson University. The episode ended up being reported on the local television news program, and the video of their after-hours honesty was posted on the internet and went viral. As it turned out the store was supposed to have been closed and locked. Apparently the door lock malfunctioned. The store left the lights on 24 hours a day for security purposes. These four young men were given the opportunity of a lifetime to get "something for nothing" and passed the opportunity on by. The surveillance camera in the store didn't catch them stealing.....it caught them being honest. These same four guys, before heading on to practice, went next door and reported to a pharmacy that Buddy's appeared to be empty of people with the building unlocked and the lights on. The police were called. All the investigation revealed was four young men "doing the right thing." The store manager called the boys coach and asked if he might meet them. When the coach set up the meeting the four boys thought they were in trouble for entering a business that was supposed to be closed. The manager just wanted to thank them....to complement their honesty....and to give them some gift certificates.

What we usually hear about college athletes has to do with drugs, steroids, taking money illegally, drunken and abusive behavior, late night partying, etc. Such behavior is actually representative of the few and not the many. These four young men weren't trying to impress anyone. They were just being who their parents had raised them up to be. I don't know who said it first, or how long ago it was said, but it's still true. *"Your reputation is what others think of you after watching you....your character is what you do when you think no one is looking."*

This church is blessed with people who, given the opportunity to get "something for nothing", would pass it on by without any consideration of doing anything other than the right thing. We are blessed with a good reputation in this place, but beyond that we are blessed with people of godly character. The folks sitting around you on the pews this morning don't need an applauding audience to motivate them to honesty and decency. We are who we are in this place because the love and the grace of God, the riches of His kindness, moves us to be as much like Him as is humanly possible. May God continue to bless us each as we live to honor Him. *"And now to Him who can keep you on your feet, standing tall in His bright presence, fresh and celebrating....to our one God, our only Savior, through Jesus Christ, our Master, be glory, majesty, strength, and rule before all time, and now, and to the end of time."* **Jude 24-25 MV**

Larry B

**"His Word is Truth"*****REJOICE IN THE LORD ALWAYS....AGAIN I SAY, REJOICE!***Those Who Will Serve Today

Announcements	Larry Bridges
Opening Prayer	Larry Davis
Closing Prayer	Doug Graves
Song Leader	Lowell Ashley
Child Care	Barbie & Sydney Chronister

Morning Communion

3rd Prayer (Collection)	Joe Bridges
2nd Prayer (Fruit of the Vine)	Dale Carter
1st Prayer (Bread)	Jody Morgan
Servers	Moe Jones
	Sam Laster
	Phillip Mead

Usher...Jack Sorrels**Eve. Communion...Lowell Ashley**Those Who Will Serve Next Sunday

Announcements	Larry Bridges
Opening Prayer	Joe Bridges
Closing Prayer	Brian Black
Song Leader	Bill Laster
Child Care	Alexa & Erin Black

Morning Communion

3rd Prayer (Collection)	Mike Brewer
2nd Prayer (Fruit of the Vine)	Jody Morgan
1st Prayer (Bread)	David Young
Servers	Charlie Young
	Phillip Mead
	Sam Laster

Usher...Dale Carter**Eve. Communion...Joe Bridges**