



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	Tom Dacus	Dustin Dacus Charlie Young	Attendance.....127
Wednesday Evening..... 7:00	Bruce Flippo	Chris Young	Contribution.....\$2,778.00

Announcements - June 5, 2016

Bruce Flippo will be bringing our message this morning. **Dustin Dacus** will speak this evening.

Our **new teaching quarter** begins today. Thanks so much to those of you who have served our Lord this past quarter by serving our children.

Our next monthly elders, deacons, and men's **business meeting** will be held Sunday evening, June 12, beginning at 5:00 downstairs. Men, please consider joining with us in making the decisions affecting this church.

Our **VBS** has been set for **July 24-27** this summer under the theme "**The Surf Is Up**". As usual this will be an evening Bible School. Please set these dates aside on your calendar and plan to enjoy four nights of kids and the Word.

Jan Cagle, Brad's wife, continues in the second phase of her treatment for cancer.

FOR OUR LONG TERM PRAYER LIST SEE THE SMALL TABLE IN THE FOYER (Updated May 15, 2016)

CHILD CARE ...for children ages two through kindergarten is available following communion this morning. Just take your child (ren) to the foyer and meet our caregivers there following the morning worship. This service will provide an opportunity to give greater attention to the preaching of the Word.



"Take therefore no thought for the morrow: for the morrow shall take thought for the things of itself. Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof." The Words of our Lord in **Matthew 6:34**



BUILDING LOAN REMAINING TO BE PAID AS OF THIS DATE.....\$282,014.00

- ◆ 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.

THIS IS YOUR "INVESTMENT" IN DOING GOOD

Read the Bible Through in a Year

- Sunday.....Deuteronomy 25-27.....Mark 14:27-53
- Monday.....Deuteronomy 28-29.....Mark 14:54-72
- Tuesday.....Deuteronomy 30-31.....Mark 15:1-25
- Wednesday.....Deuteronomy 32-34.....Mark 15:26-47
- Thursday.....Joshua 1-3.....Mark 16
- Friday.....Joshua 4-6.....Luke 1:1-20
- Saturday...Joshua 7-9.....Luke 1:21-38

"Study to show yourself approved..."

Birthdays for the coming week

- May 29 - Karly Jones (belated)
- June 6 - Curtis Hester
- June 8 - Loren Bridges
- June 9 - Joe Laster
- June 10 - Larry Wagoner



Anniversaries for the coming week

- June 6 - George & Linda Ainsworth **celebrating 36 years**
- June 8 - Dale & Laura Carter



We are *collecting travel size toiletries* such as sample size shampoo, conditioner, lotions, toothpaste and brushes, floss, etc. These items will be taken to the *Ronald McDonald Support House* at Mercy in Ft. Smith and to Little Rock. We are also collecting Campbell Soup labels to be used in benefiting *Southern Christian Home and the Paragould Home*.

SPIT IN THE EYE

It's almost a universal sign of ultimate disrespect. It's so common that when the devil comes around tempting us folks might recommend that you just "spit in his eye." I don't know how this one act became such a rebellious one, but I do know it's been around for thousands of years. Do you want to start a knock down end-it-all fight with a guy... just spit in his eye. That's why Jesus surprises us all when He does just that. No, not start a fight...but He spits in a fellas eyes. And when He does He means no disrespect. The guy is blind. Some friends in Bethsaida brought him to Jesus for a one-last-shot at being cured. "And He took the blind man by the hand, and led him out of the town; and when He had spit on his eyes, and put His hands on him, He asked him if he saw aught. And he looked up and said, I see men as trees, walking. After that He put His hands on his eyes and made him look up. And he was restored, and saw every man clearly." **Mark 8:23-25** There are some puzzling things about this miracle. So many of Jesus' miracles were done before huge crowds to the absolute amazement of the crowd. Not this one. For some reason or other Jesus chose to take this guy out of town, away from the crowd to do what He did. Yes, miracles were done to confirm His message came from Heaven. But sometimes His miracles were done just to help a guy who desperately needed His help. And what about that spit? On another occasion He spit on the ground, made mud, put it on a blind man's eyes, and made him go wash it off. His sight was restored. But this time he just spit in the guys eyes. Why, Larry? I don't know. But, just maybe, He wanted us to understand that each of us is unique, and that He deals with us in our uniqueness. There are no cookie-cutter solutions to our many needs. No one-size-fits-all response to our pleas to Him for His help. We ask for His help. He reserves the right to choose the appropriate way to respond to our need. His grace and mercy come to us through a variety of avenues...even those like mud packs and spit in the eye.

Probably the thing about this miracle that sets it apart the most is the fact that it took a second stab at it to get the job done right. Eyes that see men like trees are better than eyes that see nothing at all. But eyes were intended by God to see so much more than that. So He touched him again. Then, but only then, did he see clearly. And where am I in this miracle? How do I see people? Do I see them through the eyes of a self-righteous know-it-all holier-than-thou preacher who sees himself qualified to dispense the judgment of God near and far? We've all read our Bibles. We can answer those Bible trivia questions that show up occasionally in the games we play. Might we be the "answer man" who spouts our wisdom with little regard for others...the fella who knows his view of the scriptures is right and anybody not seeing it my way is just wrong? Just what do we see when we see people? Do we just see them dirty, unkempt, lazy, ignorant, or perpetually needy? If we see them as anything less than a real person that God loves and Jesus died for maybe we also are in need of a second touch by Jesus. A little "spit in the eye" helps clear things up. But it's that second touch that gives us the ability to truly see others as God sees them. It's truly amazing, isn't it? What? God's grace and patience as He works with all of us to bring us along in life to the place where we too can see all things clearly.

Larry B

"Thy Word Is Truth"

Those Who Will Serve Today-June 5, 2016

Announcements	Larry Bridges
Opening Prayer	Brad Cagle
Closing Prayer	Larry Davis
Song Leader	Bill Laster
Child Care	Rachel & Carolyn Young

Morning Communion

3rd Prayer (Collection)	Joe Bridges
2nd Prayer (Fruit of the Vine)	Chris Young
1st Prayer (Bread)	Austin Williams
Servers	Reid Carter Ryan Borst Brandon Odle

Usher...Larrie Owen

Eve. Communion...Larry Davis

Those Who Will Serve Next Week-June 12, 2016

Announcements	Mike Brewer
Opening Prayer	Dustin Dacus
Closing Prayer	Cliff Wilson
Song Leader	Lowell Ashley
Child Care	Ashley Laster & Kristina Striplin

Morning Communion

3rd Prayer (Collection)	Larry Wagoner
2nd Prayer (Fruit of the Vine)	David Young
1st Prayer (Bread)	Jody Morgan
Servers	Charlie Young Kameron Delp Moe Jones

Usher...Joe Bridges

Eve. Communion...Mike Brewer