



# Dayton Church of Christ

2230 East Highway 252  
Huntington, Arkansas 72940



### Service Schedule:

Sunday Morning Class..... 9:30  
 Worship..... 10:30  
 Sunday Evening..... 6:00  
 Wednesday Evening..... 7:00

### Elders

Joe Bridges  
 Larry Bridges  
 Tom Dacus  
 Bruce Flippo

### Deacons

Jeff Brewer      Dustin Dacus  
 Mike Brewer     Jody Morgan

### Ministers

Larry Bridges...Dustin Dacus  
 Bruce Flippo  
 Worship.....87  
 Contribution.....\$4,067

### December 19, 2021

**Larry Bridges** will be bringing our message this morning. **Bruce Flippo** will preach this evening.

We have placed our **contribution box** on the center table in the foyer for a special collection taken to help provide **relief to the tornado victims** in Kentucky. CURE is heading that way with supplies and will be providing help to those in need. Make your checks out to the Dayton Church, and we will send a single check to them. The box will be on the table for the next two weeks. We will also match whatever you give with an equal amount out of the church treasury. CURE is under the oversight of the Westark Church in Ft. Smith.

Our **Wednesday evening service** for this coming week will consist of our annual **Christmas Devotional** service. Regular Bible classes will not be meeting. We will all be meeting in the auditorium.

Next Sunday will be the **last Sunday of the month**. As is our custom we will not be meeting for Sunday evening worship that evening. Our monthly fellowship meals will begin again the last Sunday in January.

**Morgan Vandergriff** continues his recovery from covid at home and is making progress. **Suzanne Dacus** had eye surgery in Little Rock yesterday and is recovering. Donna Bridges' brother, **Lowell Percy**, remains in the hospital in critical condition battling covid. **Jody Morgan's mother, Patsy Tobey**, continues to in her struggle with the cancerous mass found in her right lung. Please keep these as well as all of those struggling with COVID and any other life threatening illness, in your prayers. Also be mindful of those on our long term prayer list.

**FOR OUR LONG TERM PRAYER LIST SEE THE TABLE IN THE FOYER (last updated September 26, 2021)**

## “WORSHIP THE LORD IN SPIRIT AND TRUTH”

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Password: ok2gonow

**BUILDING LOAN REMAINING TO BE PAID OFF AS OF THIS DATE.....\$6,803.00**

- ◆ 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.
- ◆ CURE Disaster Relief.....\$ 50 per mo.
- ◆ Paragould Christian Home.....\$100 per mo.
- ◆ Southern Christian Home.....\$500 per mo.
- ◆ Lions for Christ...UAFA.....\$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	....	Psalm 129-131	....	I Cor 11:1-16
Monday	....	Psalm 132-134	....	I Cor 11:17-34
Tuesday	....	Psalm 135-136	....	I Cor 12
Wednesday	....	Psalm 137-139	....	I Cor 13
Thursday	....	Psalm 140-142	....	I Cor 14:1-20
Friday	....	Psalm 143-145	....	I Cor 14:21-40
Saturday	....	Psalm 146-147	....	I Cor 15:1-28

*"Study To Show Thyself Approved"*

### Birthdays for this week

December 19 - Ashley Vines  
 December 19 - Ray Pittman  
 December 20 - John Ashley  
 December 21 - Cindy Davis  
 December 21 - Bonnie Ray  
 December 21 - Anna McBride

### Anniversaries for this week

None





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 Best Choice labels found at CV's *Foods* to be used in benefiting *Southern Christian Home and the Paragould Home*.

**A LITTLE HUMOR....**A young boy arrived late for Bible class on Sunday morning. His teacher knew that the little boy was usually very prompt for class, and asked him if anything was wrong. The boy replied, "No, that he was going to go fishing but his dad told him that he needed to go to church instead." The teacher was very impressed and asked the boy if his father had explained to him why it was more important to go to church than to go fishing. The boy replied, "Yes, he did. My dad told me that he didn't have enough bait for two people."



### SUNSHINE IN MY SOUL

I hope all of us can find it there. Zeruah Edmunds married James S. Hewitt, a young Christian sailor in 1849. This marriage was blessed with a daughter, Eliza, in Philadelphia in 1851. Little Eliza grew up nurtured in a house of faith. She was a teenager during the Civil War, but she managed to concentrate on her schooling well enough to graduate valedictorian of her class. She displayed an unusual love of children, and after further study became a school teacher.

In 1887, while teaching at the Northern Home for Friendless Children, Eliza, at age 35, was attacked by an unruly student. The result of the attack was a severely injured back. The doctor placed her in a heavy cast for six months, and Eliza was virtually immobile, wondering if she would ever walk again. When the cast was finally removed the doctor told her to take a short walk in nearby Fairmont Park. It was a warm spring day, and she was overcome with joy. When she returned home she picked up her pen and immediately wrote the song that we still sing on occasion here at Dayton. *"There's sunshine in my soul today....more glorious and bright...than glows in any earthly sky....for Jesus is my light."* Her injuries were so severe that she was never able to return to the teaching she loved. She devoted herself to Bible study and the writing of hymns including another old favorite around here, *"When We All Get To Heaven."* Eliza died in 1920, and was buried at Woodlands Cemetery in Philadelphia. Her tombstone reads simply: Eliza Edmunds Hewitt, Hymn writer, author of Sunshine In My Soul."

Have you ever been unjustly injured? Some injury or hurt inflicted by someone else through no fault of your own. If so, then how should you respond...or I? Especially when that hurt caused us to lose something that we deeply treasured. Does such loss bring so many clouds into our lives that we are blinded to the sunshine that continues to surround us? Eliza wrote, *"O there's sunshine, blessed sunshine, when the peaceful happy moments roll. When Jesus shows His smiling face, there is sunshine in my soul."* It was our Lord that told us in **John 14:27**, *"Peace I leave with you. My peace I give unto you. Not as the world giveth, give I unto you. Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid."* Winter is upon us. Clouds will be a part of our life in more ways than one, but we all understand that behind the clouds there is always something glorious that awaits.....**SUNSHINE!**

Larry B

**"Thy Word is Truth"**

#### Those Who Will Serve Today - December 19, 2021

Announcements	Dustin Dacus
Opening Prayer	Joe Bridges
Closing Prayer	Larry Davis
Song Leader	Charley Bliss
Child Care	

#### Morning Communion

3rd Prayer (Collection)	David Nix
2nd Prayer (Fruit of the Vine)	Chris Young
1st Prayer (Bread)	Neal Hurt
Servers	

**We are continuing to use only three servers with our communion.**

Usher....NA

Eve. Communion...Tom Dacus

#### Those Who Will Serve Next Week - December 26, 2021

Announcements	Dustin Dacus
Opening Prayer	David Nix
Closing Prayer	Neal Hurt
Song Leader	Lowell Ashley
Child Care	

#### Morning Communion

3rd Prayer (Collection)	Larry Wagoner
2nd Prayer (Fruit of the Vine)	Charley Bliss
1st Prayer (Bread)	Jody Morgan
Servers	

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