## What Must I Do to Be Saved?

- Hear the Word of God Rom. 10:17
- Believe that Jesus is the Son of God Heb. 11:6; John 8:24
- Repent of your sins Acts 17:30
- Confess Christ before men Rom. 10:10; Matt. 10:32-33
- Be baptized for the remission of your sins – Acts 2:38; 1 Pet. 3:21
- Live Faithfully Rev. 2:10

## By The Numbers for May 11th

Attendance:

Sun. Bible Study – 67 Sun. AM Worship – NC Sun. PM Worship – 75

Contribution – \$4.218

Wed. Night (5/14) - 59

#### **To Our Visitors:**

We are so glad and honored that you chose to be with us today. If you have any questions, please feel free to ask the elders or one of the members. If we can be of any assistance, please let us know. Thanks for being with us, and we hope to see you again real soon!

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Sun. Bible Study-9:30 AM Sun. Worship-10:30 AM Sun. Night Worship-6 PM Wed. Night-7 PM

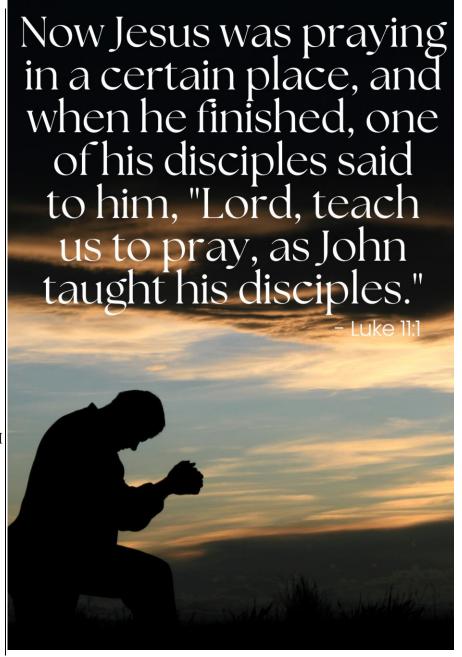
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## **Those Privileged to Serve:**

#### AM Bible Study:

Song Leader – David Snell Facebook Live – Shannon Williams Audio/Visual – Justin Paschall Teacher – Steven Dodson Security – Bret Carmack

#### AM Service:

Announcements – Raymond Neal Song Leader – David Snell Facebook Live – Shannon Williams Audio/Visual – Brent White Opening Prayer – Joe Hunt Lord's Supper – Darrell Smothers Closing Prayer – Pat Carmack Security – Bret Carmack

#### PM Service:

Announcements – Raymond Neal Song Leader – David Snell Facebook Live – Shannon Williams Audio/Visual – Brent White Opening Prayer – David Watts Lord's Supper – Darrell Smothers Closing Prayer – Bryan Hartman Security – Bret Carmack

### Wednesday Night:

Song Leader – David Snell Facebook Live – Brent White Audio/Visual – Bret Carmack Bible Reading – TJ White Opening Prayer – TJ White Invitation – Justin Paschall Closing Prayer – David Snell Security – Joel Sutton

Thanks to all of the men who lead in our worship service!

# **May Birthdays**

- David Blakely 1
- Melissa Williams 2
- Synthia Gibson 6
- Walt Hunt 7
- Carson Hamlin 7
- Nancy Etheridge 8
- Elaine Neal 9
- McKenzie Harper 15
- Shirley Smothers 19
- Linda Climer 30

# Mark Your Calendars!

- May 22<sup>nd</sup> <u>Ladies' Bible Class</u> at 6 pm in the fellowship hall.
- May 29<sup>th</sup> <u>Ladies' Bible Class</u> at 6 pm in the fellowship hall.
- June 1<sup>st</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Reelfoot Youth Camp. Applications are on the white table. See Justin with any questions.
- June 30<sup>th</sup>-July 2<sup>nd</sup> <u>Vacation Bible School</u> from 6:30-8 pm. For teachers: lessons 1, 2, and 5.

#### **Graduates**

- **Kennedy Williams** is graduating from Brighton High School. She has plans to attend Freed Hardeman in the fall.
- Landon Carmack is graduating from Dyersburg State's Nursing Program.
- Camille and Courtney Alley (granddaughters of Frank and Julia Alley) are graduating from UTK each with a degree in law.





# **Those in Need of Our Prayers and Encouragement:**

#### Our Regulars/Friends/Relatives:

- At any given time, there are members going through different difficulties that they would rather keep private. Please say a prayer for them; God knows who they are.
- <u>Brenda Sutton</u> is in Saint Francis in Memphis. Please keep her in your prayers.
- <u>David Blakely</u> passed away on Thursday. Funeral services were held on Saturday (5/17). Please keep the family in your prayers.
- Lillie Dennison's watchman device was successfully implanted. Please keep her in your prayers.
- Everett Presson is back home. Please keep him in your prayers.
- <u>Patsy Meeks</u> is currently battling cancer and having a difficult time. Please keep her, her husband, and family in your prayers.
- Mel Gibson had a heart ablation tomorrow (5/5) at Baptist East. Everything went well. Please keep him and Mrs. Cynthia in your prayers.
- <u>Margaret Colvin</u> (Roy Lynn Colvin's sister-in-law) passed away. Funeral services were held on Monday (4/28). Please keep the family in your prayers.
- <u>Bert Lussier</u> is back home but still experiencing problems especially with his heart. Please keep him in your prayers.
- <u>Jan Brantley</u> (David Snell's sister) passed away on Saturday (3/29). Please keep the family in your prayers.
- Beverly Sanders is at Avondale Rehab in Humboldt in room 304. Please keep her in your prayers.
- <u>John Mustain</u> (Jane Snell's brother) Please keep him in your prayers as he continues to recover from heart surgery.
- Rita Hartman continues to improve. Please keep her and Jimmy in your prayers as she recovers.
- Marian Smith (Ralph Smith's sister-in-law) is currently battling cancer and recently fell and broke a bone in her neck. Please keep her in your prayers.
- <u>Tommie Haywood</u> (Donna Bridges' father) is dealing with several health-related issues. Please keep him in your prayers.
- <u>Garrett Shepherd</u> (Elaine Neal's nephew) has been diagnosed with Leukemia. He is taking treatments. Please keep him and his family in your prayers.
- <u>Johnny Olds</u> continues to deal with some health problems. Please keep him in your prayers.
- Tommy White, Sr., Kenny Bishop, Kim White, Penny Gaines, Jimmy Hartman, Ann Paschall, Scott Sanders, Dale Hall, Leslie Barnes, Paul Watkins, Margaret Parker, Raymond and Molly Kelley, Renee Blakley, Everett Presson, Pam Carmack, Linda Climer, Ruth King, Terry and Stella Young, Josephine Latham, Brenda Sutton, Joyce Dunaway, Tyler Newman, Justin Hendrix, Elvis Gay, Drexel Reed, Martha Duggar, and Johnnie Matthews: Please keep these individuals in your prayers.

"The effective, fervent prayer of a righteous man avails much" (James 5:16)