

## 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 April 16<sup>th</sup>

#### Attendance:

Sun. Bible Study – 67  
Sun. AM Worship – 93  
Sun. PM Worship – 58  
Wed. Night (4/19) – 63

### 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!

**Listen to WTRB 1570 AM and  
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**Sunday, Tuesday, and Thursday  
8:15 AM**

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[www.ripleychurchofchrist.org](http://www.ripleychurchofchrist.org)**

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## THE RIPLEY BEACON FROM THE RIPLEY CHURCH OF CHRIST

April 23, 2023



*“Where the Gospel is Preached and People are Loved!”*

## Ripley Church of Christ Ladies' Day

*Finding Strength and  
Courage in the Lord*

with speaker Debbie Kea

**Saturday, May 6**

**Registration Begins at 9:30 - donuts  
and coffee available**

**First session begins at 10:00**

**Lunch provided**

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#### Elders:

Steve Carmack  
731-697-0424  
Joe Hunt  
731-612-7221  
David Snell  
731-635-8311

#### Deacons:

Pat Carmack  
Robert Anderson  
Bret Carmack  
Jimmy Hartman  
Bryan Hartman  
Steven Dodson  
Shannon Williams

#### Minister:

Justin Paschall  
731-612-1196

#### Service Times:

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

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*“Come Worship with Us!”*

## Those Privileged to Serve:

### AM Bible Study:

Song Leader – David Snell  
Facebook Live – Bryan Hartman  
Audio/Visual – Justin Paschall  
Security – Frank Carmack

### AM Service:

Announcements – Steve Carmack  
Song Leader – David Snell  
Facebook Live – Bryan Hartman  
Audio/Visual – Jimmy Hartman  
Opening Prayer – David Watts  
Lord's Supper – MacArthur Watkins  
Closing Prayer – David Bridges  
Security – Frank Carmack

### PM Service:

Announcements – Steve Carmack  
Song Leader – David Snell  
Facebook Live – Bryan Hartman  
Audio/Visual – Jimmy Hartman  
Opening Prayer – Shannon Williams  
Lord's Supper – MacArthur Watkins  
Closing Prayer – Steven Dodson  
Security – Frank Carmack

### Wednesday Night:

Song Leader – David Snell  
Facebook Live – Shannon Williams  
Audio/Visual – Steven Dodson  
Opening Prayer – David Watts  
& Devotional  
Closing Prayer – Bryan Hartman  
Security – Darrell Smothers

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

## April Birthdays

- Chris Carmack – 1
- Kamisha Dixon – 2
- Robert Anderson – 7
- Courtney Smith – 8
- Roy Colvin – 8
- Joe Hunt – 10
- Abby Moore – 11
- Maddy Moore – 11
- Will Carmack – 12
- Traci Pierson – 13
- Wyatt Stanley – 14
- Fisher Carmack – 16
- Rita Lussier – 17
- Donna Bridges – 19
- Caroline Snell – 26
- Aaliyah Alley – 30



## Mark Your Calendars!

- **May 6<sup>th</sup>** – Ladies' Day here. Registration begins at 9:30. First session begins at 10.
- **May 6<sup>th</sup>** – Reelfoot Youth Camp Annual Fish Fry from 4pm-7pm at the camp.
- **June 4<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup>** – Reelfoot Youth Camp. Applications are on the white table. Deadline for registration is April 30<sup>th</sup>.
- **June 26<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup>** – Vacation Bible School. We will be doing lessons 1, 2, and 3.
- **July 16<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup>** – Gospel Meeting with John DeBerry.



## 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.
- Pat Carmack was diagnosed with COVID. Please keep him in your prayers.
- David Watts will have a back procedure Monday (4/23). Please keep him in your prayers.
- Willie Starks (Leslie Barnes' brother) passed away. His funeral was Sunday (4/19). Please keep the family in your prayers.
- Jane Snell has been in the local hospital due to a severe stomach virus. Please keep her and David in your prayers.
- Stella Young will have a biopsy on the 27<sup>th</sup>. Please keep her in your prayers.
- Jimmy Hartman is dealing with some health problems. Please keep him in your prayers.
- Vicky Lankford (Elaine Neal's sister) had back surgery (4/13). Everything went as planned. Please keep her in your prayers as she recovers.
- Robert Taylor passed away. The funeral was on Friday (3/31). Please keep the family in your prayers.
- Jill Watson (David Snell's sister) passed away. The funeral was held on Sunday (4/2). Please keep the family in your prayers.
- Betty Maners (Nell Dodson's grandmother) passed away. Her funeral was held on Wednesday (3/29). Please keep the family in your prayers.
- Scott King (The Dennison's son) had surgery (3/28), and everything went as planned. He also received a good pathology report. Please keep him in your prayers.
- Wade Stanley: Please keep him and the family in your prayers as his arm continues to heal.
- Lisa Hunt (Joe Hunt's sister-in-law) was in a serious car accident. She is back home now. Please keep her in your prayers as she recovers.
- Shirley Thompson (Roy Colvin's sister): Please keep her in your prayers as she undergoes treatment for lung cancer.
- Willie Bonds is having knee problems and will possibly have surgery soon. Please keep him in your prayers.
- Larry Spiess is continuing to improve. Please continue to keep him and JoAnn in your prayers.
- Alan Sheckell (Synthia Gibson's nephew): Please keep him and the family in your prayers as he battles cancer.
- Tommy White, Mark Paschall, Johnny Olds, Frances Harrell, Pam Carmack, Scott Sanders, David Blakely, Marian Smith, Tim Etheridge, Linda Climer, Ruth King, Lillie Dennison, Terry and Stella Young, Josephine Latham, Tommy Watts, Brenda Sutton, Joyce Dunaway, Everett Presson, Tyler Newman, Justin Hendrix, Elvis Gay, Leslie Barnes, Drexel Reed, Martha Duggar, Paul Bridges, and Johnnie Matthews: Please keep these individuals in your prayers.

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