

## 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 March 16<sup>th</sup>

#### Attendance:

Sun. Bible Study – nc  
Sun. AM Worship – 83  
Sun. PM Worship – 66  
Contribution – \$3,121  
Wed. Night (3/19) – 64

### 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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**Sunday, Tuesday, and Thursday**

**8:15 AM**

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## THE RIPLEY BEACON *FROM* THE RIPLEY CHURCH OF CHRIST

March 23, 2025



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

#### Elders:

Steve Carmack  
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Joe Hunt  
731-612-7221  
David Snell  
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#### 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!”*

**In the beginning  
was the word and  
the word was  
with God and the  
word was God.**

*John 1:1*

## Those Privileged to Serve:

### AM Bible Study:

Song Leader – David Snell  
Facebook Live – Bryan Hartman  
Audio/Visual – Justin Paschall  
Teacher – Steven Dodson  
Security – Darrell Smothers

### AM Service:

Announcements – Joe Hunt  
Song Leader – David Snell  
Facebook Live – Bryan Hartman  
Audio/Visual – Bryan Hartman  
Opening Prayer – David Watts  
Lord's Supper – Steven Dodson  
Closing Prayer – MacArthur Watkins  
Security – Darrell Smothers

### PM Service:

Announcements – Joe Hunt  
Song Leader – David Snell  
Facebook Live – Bryan Hartman  
Audio/Visual – Bryan Hartman  
Opening Prayer – Darrell Smothers  
Lord's Supper – Steven Dodson  
Closing Prayer – David Bridges  
Security – Darrell Smothers

### Wednesday Night:

Song Leader – David Snell  
Facebook Live – Steven Dodson  
Audio/Visual – Steven Dodson  
Bible Reading – Bryan Hartman  
Opening Prayer – Bryan Hartman  
Invitation – David Watts  
Closing Prayer – David Snell  
Security – Bret Carmack

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

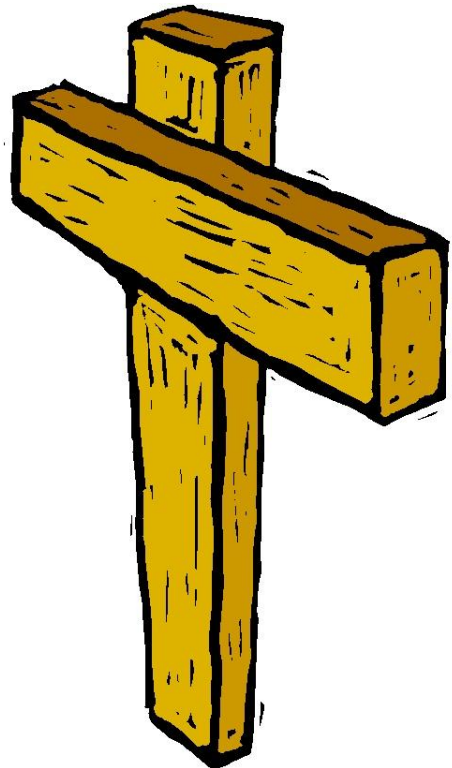
## March Birthdays

- Zoe Carmack – 1
- Sadie Nolen – 1
- Mary Halliburton – 5
- Renee Blakley – 7
- Ann Carmack – 9
- Everett Presson – 9
- Betty Brogdon – 10
- June Roark – 13
- Sherry Scallions – 17
- Patrice Perry – 19
- Wade Stanley – 29
- April Stanley – 30



## Mark Your Calendars!

- **Mar. 27<sup>th</sup>** – Ladies' Bible Class at 6 pm in the fellowship hall.
- **Apr. 3<sup>rd</sup>** – Ladies' Bible Class at 6 pm in the fellowship hall.



## 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.
- Janet Colvin is home now. Please keep her in your prayers as she recovers.
- Beverly Sanders is at Avondale Rehab in Humboldt in room 304. Please keep her in your prayers.
- Bert Lussier had a recent hospital stay in Jackson and will have a follow up visit with his kidney doctor. He is home now. Please keep him in your prayers.
- Leia Stanley had her surgery and everything went as planned. They are home now. Please thank God for this result.
- Lillie Dennison had a thyroid biopsy on Thursday (3/13). Please pray for favorable results.
- Charley Finney passed away. Funeral services were on Tuesday (3/11). Please keep the family in your prayers.
- John Mustain (Jane Snell's brother) had heart surgery to replace a valve on Friday (2/28). Everything went well. Please keep him in your prayers.
- Joan Dixon (David Snell's sister) passed away. The funeral was on Tuesday (2/25). Please keep the family in your prayers.
- David Blakely has been placed on a hospice care. He is still in LCLC. Please keep him in your prayers
- Robert Anderson had a body scan to investigate a mass near his hip. The scan revealed that it was not cancer. Please thank God for this result.
- Madelyn England (mom asked Rebecca White for prayers) is a 10-year-old who has been diagnosed with brain cancer and is not doing well. Please keep her in your prayers.
- Tammi Higdon (Micah Paschall's mother) had her hip replacement surgery. Please keep her in your prayers as she recovers.
- 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.
- Tommie Haywood (Donna Bridges' father) is dealing with several health-related issues. Please keep him in your prayers.
- Garrett Shepherd (Elaine Neal's nephew) has been diagnosed with Leukemia. He is taking treatments. Please keep him and his family in your prayers.
- Johnny Olds 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)**