



Eastern Meadows Church of Christ

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November 6, 2014

ELDERS:

Tim Bagents
Don Brannan
Ted Norton

DEACONS:

Billy Bush
Roger Dill
Tim Gotkiewicz
Steve Housley
Wayne Johnston
Jimmy Mathews
Roy Mulkey
Randy Porterfield
Jeff Simpson

MINISTERS:

Steve Housley, Pulpit
Tim Gotkiewicz, Youth & College

SCHEDULE:

Sunday:

9:00 a.m. Bible Class
10:00 a.m. Worship
5:00 p.m. Worship

Wednesday:

6:30 p.m. Bible Study

RADIO PROGRAM

WMGY 800 AM DIAL

Sunday's 7:30-8 a.m.

With ROGER DILL

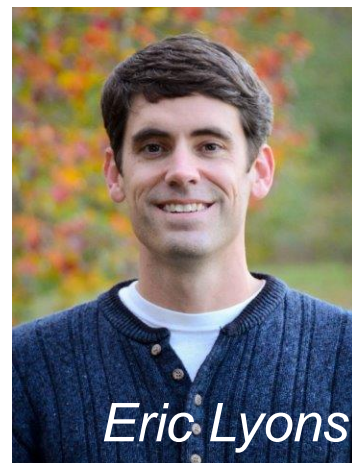
STATISTICS 11/2/14

Bible Class: 132
AM Worship: 186
PM Worship: 117
EMBF: \$330.00

WELCOME!

November Wonderful Wednesdays *"Reasons to Believe the Bible"*

- ◆ **Nov 12: Dealing Fairly with Alleged Contradictions—Principles to Know**
- ◆ **Nov. 19: Reasons to Believe What The Bible says about God**
- ◆ **Nov. 26: Reasons to Believe What the Bible says about Salvation**



Eric Lyons



Annual Adult's Christmas Dinner

Saturday, Dec. 13, 2014 / 2:00 p.m.

Faulkner University Rotunda

\$10.00 each

See Shirley Kaye, Sally Gotkiewicz, or Wilma Berry to sign-up and pay.

FROM THE MINISTER:

Glad to be back! Tish and I had a good time at Tish's Mom's (we worked hard painting four rooms and a hall!) and 3 days in Branson. I have learned I like Branson shows (ask Tish about her experience on sitting in the front row!). Now to be busy again!

Be planning on the Christmas Party December 13. It is always one of the best fellowships of the year!

Bible Class News!

Thank you to Charlie Boddy for having taught the Young Adult Class on Wednesdays on "Marriage." What a blessing they had! The auditorium class was blessed with Jerry Martin teaching on "Finding My Place in the Body" which will be finished with the last lesson on the first Wednesday in December. Thanks to Alan Kaye for teaching Revelation on Sunday mornings and to Stan Neuenschwander for teaching the College Class. And thanks to *all* of our Ladies class teachers and children's class teachers (who usually continue without a break!) We begin a new Curriculum in about a week! More next week!

FROM THE YOUTH/COLLEGE MINISTER:

Our 5th Wednesday night singing was encouraging to me. Our young men stepped up and did a fine job leading us in praise to God. Keep up the preparation and great work!

We are at the end of our 5 year study of the Bible that took us through every book, chapter, and verse of the Bible. I am thankful that our elders put this study into place because many people just won't study the entire Bible on their own. Jesus said, "Man shall not live by bread alone, but by EVERY word that proceeds from the mouth of God." (Matt. 4:4) I added the emphasis on the word "every," but with good cause. Many times people skip over the sections of scripture in which they don't find interest. First of all, God said that we should live by every word He has given us. Secondly, you don't know what you don't know. What I mean by that is this: you can't judge a book as uninteresting if you don't know what is even written in it. Just sayin...

As we begin a new journey through the Bible on Sunday mornings, I encourage you, as you prepare for each class, to put your heart into it by reading every word that proceeded from the mouth of God!

Congratulations to the ACA marching band! They were recently named the 2A Best in Class at the Phenix Invitational Marching Festival.

The ICYC camp director is still looking for volunteers to work the University of Alabama concession on November 15th (Miss Bulldogs) and November 29th (Iron Bowl). If you are interested, let me know and we'll get you hooked up. A group from Dalraida is going and there are bus seats available.



November 9th

CONTRIBUTION GOAL

\$12,823.00

Current Budget YTD: - \$5,622.00

11/2/14: Contribution \$12,378.00
Over Regular Budget + \$258.00

TIM'S TRIVIA CORNER:

Last week's Apocalypse question: The great dragon who was cast out of heaven was called: C) the devil and Satan (Rev. 12:9)

This week's Apocalypse question: The great harlot, who sits on many waters, was drunk with:
A) power; B) the grapes of wrath from the great harvest; C) the blood of the martyrs of Jesus



ANNOUNCEMENTS 11/6/14

Sunday, Nov. 9, 2014 / Leading the congregation in:

Announcements:

A.M.: Alan Norton

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Opening Prayer:

A.M.: Jerry Martin

P.M.: Brooks Housley

Closing Prayer:

A.M.: Alan Kaye

P.M.: Troy Steelman

Singing:

A.M.: William Dill

P.M.: William Dill

SICK: APRIL BROWN, Alice Handlang's sister, had to be moved back to ICU after suffering complications. BETTY DAVIDSON is undergoing physical therapy. GEORGE DAVIDSON is recovering at home. ANN EVANS is scheduled for knee-replacement surgery Nov. 12. Sick at home Sunday: MARCIA GRAVES. *Battling Cancer:* MIKE NORMAN. *Shut-ins:* SYBIL SCOFIELD, TAM LOWERY, INELLA BOWDEN, JACKIE JOHNSTON, and JEWEL BARNES.

PRAYER REQUEST LIST: (Health Issues) SYBIL DAVIS, THOMAS TAUNTON, JEFF SUTTON, APRIL BROWN, AMANDA LAWTON, ELMER UTLEY, and JAMES JUSTUS. (Battling Cancer) DENNIS DRAGOTTA, KEVIN PENICK, ANDY ALLEN, GLEN BARRON, and RUSSELL CARNLEY.

SYMPATHY: Our sympathy is extended to Carson & Joy Davis in the passing of Carson's grandmother, ZORA BOWDEN, on Monday. The funeral is today at Leak Memory at 12 PM.

SUNDAY BIBLE LESSONS: 11/9—Lesson 102: Review of Revelation; 11/16—Begin new curriculum.

SUNDAY FELLOWSHIP MEAL: Team 3 (Milam/Kelley) will host the meal this Sunday, Nov. 9, following the AM worship service. Team 4 (Hoskinson/Ferrell) will host Nov. 16.

SINGING CLASS: Sundays, 4:30 PM

THURSDAY BIBLE CLASS: 10:30 AM

AREA WIDE SINGING: Mt. Hebron church of Christ will host the Area Wide Singing this Friday, Nov. 7, 7 PM. Song leaders are asked to send them the name of the song (book it is in and the number will be helpful) and the verses you plan to sing so they can have them on PowerPoint. Send by email to edwalker238@gmail.com; facebook message to Edwin Walker; phone or text message at (334) 315-9430; or by phone to (334) 541-2025.

AREA WIDE LADIES' DEVO: University church of Christ will host the Area Wide Ladies' Devo Monday, Nov. 10, 7 PM, with the lesson "Mary & Martha." Ladies of all ages and stages are invited to participate!

LADYBUGS QUILTERS: The quilters have completed their 100 Lap Quilts for Rainbow Omega Residents project. The quilts will be delivered Tuesday, Nov. 11.

MONDAY-NIGHT-MOTIVATION: Due to the Thanksgiving holiday, M-N-M has been moved up to Nov. 17. We will enjoy a chili supper at 6:30 PM with class at 7—see the sign-up list at the LadyBUGS Desk.

RAINBOW OMEGA POINSETTIAS: The 2014 Rainbow Omega Poinsettias are ready to be ordered. Order forms may be picked up at the front or rear Welcome Centers.

ANNUAL SINGLES SEMINAR: University church of Christ will have their Annual Singles Seminar Jan. 16—18, 2015. The theme is, "The Lord is my Shepherd" with speaker Dr. Todd Brenneman. Cost is \$40 which includes 4 meals. For more information and registration go to uccsingles@aol.com.

THANK YOU: Dear Eastern Meadows, Thank you for all the acts of kindness shown to George and I as we continue to recover. All the cards, visits, phone calls, food and prayers have meant more than words can express. Thanks again, George & Betty Davidson



LADYBUGS (Ladies Building Unity in God's Service)



- **Quilting/Sewing:** Tuesdays, 1-3 PM
- **Visitation:** See Tish, Terry, or Shirley K.
- **Nov. 10:** Area Wide Ladies' Devo, 7 PM, University
- **Nov. 17:** M-N-M, 6:30/7 PM
- **Nov. 18:** B&D Club Dinner, 6 PM, Chappy's
- **Nov. 23:** Kallie Futral's Baby Shower, 2:30-4 PM

YOUTH ACTIVITIES:

- **Nov. 9:** Area Wide Youth Devo, PM, Redland Rd.
- **Nov. 16:** Youth/Family Devo, PM

COLLEGE EVENTS:

- **Wednesday Night Desserts,** 7:30 PM
- **Dec. 7:** Devo, PM

Cheerfulness

- ◆ Keep your face to the sunshine and you will never see the shadows.
- ◆ Remember the steam kettle! Though up to its neck in hot water, it continues to sing.
- ◆ Few cases of eye strain have been developed by looking on the bright side of things.
- ◆ Your day goes the way the corners of your mouth turn.
- ◆ Some people are able to spread cheer wherever they don't go.
- ◆ Cheerfulness is contagious, but don't wait to catch it from others. Be a carrier.

"Finally, brothers, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things." (Phil. 4:8)