

MOUNTAIN GROVE CHURCH OF CHRIST

411 W. First Street/P.O. Box 321

FAMILY NEWS

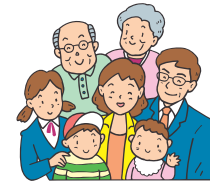
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WORSHIP & BIBLE STUDY

Sunday:

9:00 AM **Bible Study**
10:00 AM **Worship**
11:15 AM **Assembly**(No Communion)

Tuesday:

10:00 AM **Ladies Class**

Wednesday:

7:00 PM **Bible Study**

Thursday:

6:00 PM **Men's Class**

Announcements: Ronnie Deaton

Scripture Reader: Logan Howard

Minister: Keith B. Cozort

PRAYER LEADERS

Sunday:

9:00 A.M. **Kevin Cozort**
10:00 A.M. **Phil Driskill**
Jeremiah Hicks
11:15 A.M. **Max Schmollinger**
Brent LeBaron

Wednesday:

David Grow
Tim Nicks

SONG LEADERS

Sunday: 10 A.M. **David Grow**
11:15 A.M. **Kevin Cozort**
Wednesday: **Brent LeBaron**

THE LORD'S TABLE

Preside: **Richard Sciba**
Assist: **Jesse Howard**
Wyatt Hicks
Brent LeBaron

LET US SERVE

Communion Prep **Dorothy Ramsey**
Flowers: **Cheryl Cozort**

USHER/GREETER

Sunday: 10 AM **Danny Lathrom**
11:15 **Tim Nicks**
Wednesday: **Terry LeBaron**

ATTENDANCE AND GIVING

Last Week:

Sunday: (BC, AM1, AM2): xx, 65, 50
Wednesday 46
Contribution \$1872.00

NEED A RIDE?

Sunday: **Phil Driskill** 259-4359
Wed: **Richard Sciba** 926-6416

WELCOME! It is a delight to have you with us today! If you are a visitor, please fill out a visitors card & place it in the collection plate or leave it on the pew.

PRAYER REQUESTS: Others: Dallas Samson (Peterson employee); **Bill Yarber; Kathy Bass; Kelsey** (co-worker of Lilly); **Phyllis Wolfe** (Bonnie & Eric's family); **Richard Colf** (Cheryl's stepdad); **Keith Crum** (Rachel Sciba's father); **Bonnie Stephens; John Bergfels** (local mechanic); **Joe Wyrick** (Linda's brother); **Christin Cook+Cody Allen** (Deborah's family); **Mr. Graham** (Paytent's family); **Phyllis Coffman; Wayne Crosby** (health issues); **Mike & Betty Lane** (Tucker's friends); **Stephanie Turner** (cancer).

Our Family: Russell Robertson; Tintie Mackey; Lori Lathrom surgery June 3rd; **Dwain Murphy; Sheila Deaton; Buddy & Annette McCarty; Lois Schmollinger; Effie Hicks**. Please contact Cheryl with any updates (417-349-2419).

OUR MILITARY: Derek Davis New Mexico, **Dusty Deaton** Arkansas

PRIVILEGED TO SUPPORT: On-line Academy of Biblical Studies (OABS); The Bible Institute of Missouri (BIM); Global School of Biblical Studies; Shaddy Chapel; Brent Green; Tyler Bird; Levi Hicks, David Bass (Instructor at the Jamaica School of Preaching);.

Worship Leaders, please use the microphone so all can worship with you! Please silence all electronics. Children, no running, please!

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- *May 30th - No men's class
- *June 2nd - Levi Hicks speaking, Potluck, no Youth class
- *June 16th - Graduates will be honored at the sack lunch, Men's meeting at 1:00
- *June 19th - Bible Bowl - lessons 76-83
- *July 3rd - Bible Bowl - lessons 84-90

PANTRY ITEM: Your choice. Thank - you!

GOD'S PLAN TO SAVE US: Hear the word - Rom. 10:17; Believe Jesus is the Son of God - Jn. 8:24; Repent of sin - Acts 17:30; Confess Jesus before men - Rom. 10:9,10; Be Immersed for the remission of sin - Acts 2:38; Mk. 16:16; Be Faithful unto death - Rev. 2:10.

THE WORDS OF JESUS: "Never a man spake like this man" (Jn. 7:46) His words are: [1] Gracious words (Lk. 4:22), [2] Powerful words (Lk 4:32), [3] Astonishing words (Mk. 6:2), [4] Living words (Jn. 6:63), [5] Judging words (Jn. 12:48), [6] Cleansing words (Jn. 15:3).

What do the Words of Jesus mean to you?

Have you obeyed them?

Selected

A PARENT PRAYS:

"O, Master, make me a better parent!

Teach me to understand my children, to listen patiently to what they have to say and to answer all the questions kindly. Keep me from interrupting them talking, talking back to them and contradicting them. Make me as courteous to them as I would have them be to me. Give me the courage to confess my sins against my children and ask them for forgiveness, when I know I have done them a wrong.

May I not vainly hurt the feelings of my children. Forbid that I should laugh at their mistakes or resort to shame and ridicule and punishment. Let me not tempt my child to lie and steal. So guide me hour by hour that I may demonstrate by all I say and do that honesty produces happiness.

Reduce, I pray, the meanness in me. May I cease to nag; and when I am out of sorts, help me to hold my tongue.

Blind me to the little errors of my children and help me to see the good things that they do. Give me a ready word for honest praise.

Help me to grow up with my children, to treat them as those of their own age would; but let me not exact of them the judgments and conventions of adults. Allow me not to rob them of the opportunity to wait upon themselves, to think, to choose, and to make decisions.

Forbid that I should ever punish them for my selfish satisfaction. May I grant them all their wishes that are reasonable, and have the courage to always withhold a privilege which I know will do them harm.

Make me so fair and just, so considerate and companionable to my children that they will have a genuine esteem for me.

Fit me to be loved and imitated.

With all my gifts, O Lord, give me calm, poise, and self-control.

In Jesus' Name"

One of the greatest blessings in the home is the gift from God when He allows the man and woman to bring into this life another soul. How precious children truly are. We all love them so very much. Parents are so thrilled when they have a new baby in the home. It seems that parents just cannot do too much to make sure the baby is alright and getting the proper food and rest.

Why is it that we are not that concerned about their soul? Parents, many of them, are not interested in the salvation of their children. If so, they certainly do not show it by their actions. God blessed your home with that baby boy or girl. You were so happy. Why not show God how thankful you are by bringing your children up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord (Eph. 6:4)? How long has it been since you and your children have been to worship services together? Many fathers leave all the spiritual training of their children up to their wife, but you cannot get by this way. Read again Ephesians 6:4. May God give us more fathers and mothers who will truly give their children to the Lord in their youth.

~Walter Lumpkin, Holland Messenger, Vol. 12, No. 43, Nov. 28, 1983

And you, fathers, do not provoke your children to wrath, but bring them up in the training and admonition of the Lord. Ephesians 6:4 (NKJV)