

ORDER OF ASSEMBLY

December 11th, 2016

*ALL assembly participants are asked to meet
before worship with Jim Goodpasture*

*Press on toward the goal
to win the prize.....
Philippians 3:14*

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS.....Ray Smith
SCRIPTURE READINGHebrews 12:1-3
SONG #234.....Higher Ground
SONG #438.....My Hope Is Built On Nothing Less
SONGMy Only Hope Is You
SCRIPTURE READING & PRAYER.....Ephesians 1:3-14.....Mark Pratt
SONG #150.....Follow Me
LEADER OF LORD'S SUPPER.....Tom Rubright
SERVING THE LORD'S SUPPER
Gary Bibbee, Mike Henley, J.D. Luigs, Matt Mitchell, Richard Mynatt,
Bill Olsen, Larry Reynolds, Tom Rubright
COLLECTION
COLLECTION SONG #844.....Be Still and Know
SONGAncient Words
*(Please pass Guest/Prayer Request slips to aisles.—Children are
dismissed to Children's Church)*
SERMONCurtis McClane
INVITATION SONG #50.....Are You Washed in the Blood?
ELDERS' PRAYERJohnny Moore

SERMON NOTES

“I Have Jesus All Tied Up”

- We wrap up gifts to hide their identity
- Human beings for centuries have tried to put limits on Jesus
- Jesus' family did have him for a few years
- Herod certainly could not have Jesus
- What does it mean for us to “untie” Jesus?

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHILDREN'S CHURCH - In Room 10 after children are dismissed

- **UPCOMING HIGHLAND VIEW CALENDAR EVENTS:** AWANA Toy Drive/Present Hope (teens) (December 11th); Ladies' Prayer Meeting (December 12th); AWANA Store (December 14th); Preschool End of Year Program (December 15th); Assembly Ministry Planning Meeting/Quarterly Contribution (December 18th); Ladies' Prayer Meeting (December 19th).
- The **AWANA TOY DRIVE is TODAY**. If you are participating, please give your toys to Levi before you leave the morning assembly. The toys will be given to local children for Christmas today by the teens.
- The **AWANA Store** will be THIS Wednesday, December 14th. Donations of items to stock the store can be given to Levi by December 13th. Thank you for your support!
- You are invited to the Highland View **PRESCHOOL END OF YEAR PROGRAM** this Thursday, December 15th at noon in the auditorium.
- The **QUARTERLY CONTRIBUTION** and the **ASSEMBLY MINISTRY PLANNING MEETING (1:30PM)** will be next Sunday, December 18th.
- Those interested in having a copy of the **BIBLE READING CALENDAR FOR 2017** have until NEXT Sunday, December 18th to sign up on the clip board in the front pew so we can get it printed and stapled.
- One of our members, **CATHERINE SERAFIN** resides in the Norris Health and Rehab Center in Andersonville. She is not very mobile and unable to leave the facility often. As a special effort to let her know she is cared about by all, her birthday is December 27th and we are asking for everyone to please send her a birthday card to be delivered a few days before or on her birthday. The address is: Catherine Serafin, Norris Health and Rehab Center, 3382 Andersonville Hwy, Room 310, Andersonville, TN 37705.
- **MARY WOODWARD** also has a birthday on December 27th and she will be a healthy 92-year old!
- **COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT Christmas 2016**—An information flyer is in the foyers. There will be volunteers from an organized group of people that will be collecting items for the Homeless, Assisted Living Centers and Women Shelters though December 23rd to give out on Christmas day. The Highland View gym will serve as a drop off destination for the donations **only on certain days and times when the volunteers are here. Please do not bring donations except on the appointed days and times.** The schedule will be available to you when we get it in case you would like to make donations. Items that will be needed are: blankets, linens, hats, scarf's, gently used jackets, clothes and shoes, toothbrushes and paste, combs brushes, soap bars and hand sanitizer, etc. You can go to their Facebook page “Ask How You Can Make A Difference” and get updates on items needed, drop off places and times. Need more information? Call April 382-8542, Thomas 816-0908, Sarah 789-3552, Melissa 936-1170 or Julie 936-4972.

GUESTS

Welcome!!

Please complete this side of the tear-off section and pass it to the aisle. Be sure to note any prayer requests on the back so we can include them in our closing prayer.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____

Zip: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Age: 16-24 25-35 36-60 60+

Spouse: _____

Children: _____

_____ Age _____

_____ Age _____

_____ Age _____

___ This is my first visit.

___ I am new to this area.

___ I came with family/friend (s).

Their name is:

I am interested in:

___ more information about this church

___ small groups

___ Bible studies

___ children/teen programs

___ a visit from the minister

___ placing membership

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Prayer Requests

Please note your prayer requests and
PLEASE WRITE YOUR NAME at the
bottom under "Requested by":

(By writing your name, helps us to know
who to refer to if we have questions.)
Tear off and turn in when announced.

Requested by:

Please write your name on this line
(It helps us for reference purposes)

*"Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, in everything give thanks; for this is God's will for you in Jesus Christ."
1 Thessalonians 5:16-18
December 11, 2016*

Welcome to Highland View Church of Christ!

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Minister of Preaching.....Curtis D. McClane
Youth & Family Life Minister (AWANA Commander) Levi Dodd
Curriculum & Family Involvement/Preschool.....Erin Dodd
Church SecretaryDebbie Woodward
Preschool Director/Summer Safari (865) 483-7478 Jackie Cornett
Sunday School 9:30AM
Sunday Morning Worship10:30AM
Sunday Evening WorshipSmall Groups meet
Wednesday Bible Study..... 6:30pm
AWANA Classes (PreK-6th grade)(August-May) on Wednesday's 6:30PM-7:45PM

PRAYER REQUESTS

RYAN PARNELL, a close family friend of the Dodd's, was a 34 year old husband and father of two who was diagnosed 7 weeks ago with an aggressive liver and colon cancer. He passed away at home on Wednesday, December 7th. Pray for strength, understanding and comfort for his family.
Pray for healing for PATRICIA DAVIS, mother of a friend of Ariel Olsen. She is in the hospital and doctors do not know what is wrong. It could be an immune disorder and she is getting worse.
PAULA TACKETT will have retina surgery tomorrow for scar tissue that caused the retina to detach in August. Pray for success and healing and that she will not have to have any more surgeries on her eye.
LIZ BROWN, Mary Woodward's daughter and Rick's sister will have gall bladder surgery tomorrow in Atlanta. Pray for success and a good recovery.
ELLIE DEEMS, granddaughter of Pat, had surgery and a complication. She was on a feeding tube and had a barium swallow procedure. She was released from the hospital December 7th. Pray for a good recovery.
TYRA LOCHAMY will have surgery on her left shoulder rotator cuff on December 21st. Pray for success and a good recovery.
Pray for comfort for the family of Ryan Scarboro, Dana Early's cousin. He had to take his father, BILLY SCARBORO, off of life support on December 3rd.
Continue to pray for healing for CAROL HAMMOND, Serina Olsen's mother. She may still be in the hospital in Crossville with possible COPD. We have no update. Pray for healing.
Pray for healing for DOUG TACKETT, Paula Tackett's uncle, who has been hospitalized for several weeks with a serious infection in his back.

NURSING/ASSISTED HOMES:

- *Ben Atchley Veteran's Home (1 Veterans Way, Knoxville, TN 37931) Joy Pryor (rm. 230)
- *Brookdale Senior Living Solutions at Oak Ridge (Emory Valley Road) Malcolm & Randy Theisen (Memory Unit, rm. 175)
- *Courtyards Briarcliff (Bldg. 2) Janice Brown (Memory Care Unit, rm. 211); Harriet Cofer (Memory Care Unit)
- *Homewood Residence at Deane Hill, Eliois Linkous
- *Meadow View Senior Living (111 Acuff Lane, Clinton, 37716) Cloyd Combs
- *Morning Pointe Assisted Living of Brentwood (1522 Wilson Pike, Brentwood, TN 37027) Dorothy Maberry (Apt. 303)
- *Norris Health and Rehabilitation Center (3382 Andersonville Hwy, Andersonville, TN 37705) Catherine Serafin (room 310)
- *Sardis Community Nursing Home (613 Lee St., Sardis, MS 38666) Earlean Lindsay (rm. 114)
- *The Webb House (115 Jennings Lane, Smithville, TN 37166) Joyce Tye (rm. 305)

DECEMBER Assignments		
Communion Prep Phil & Alva McCulley	Bake Bread Sandy Mitchell	Baptismal Care Vickie Haynes
Sunday Prayer/Table Jim Goodpasture	Prayer Requests Amanda VanOver (1&2) Elaine Warren (3&4)	

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www.highlandview.church

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Welcome to Highland View
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Coming to Believe

The apostle John records this about people coming to Jesus:

⁴⁰ He went away again across the Jordan to the place where John had been baptizing at first, and there he remained. ⁴¹ And many came to him. And they said, "John did no sign, but everything that John said about this man was true." ⁴² And many believed in him there." (John 10:40-42)

Many people came to Jesus and believed in him when they came to him across the Jordan. It was at that place where they first encountered Jesus and corroborated John's original witness about who Jesus was.

When we allow the testimony of Scripture to prepare us to come to Jesus, we are truly ready to believe! Perhaps it is a new insight for us to see coming to the assembly in order to believe. But that is actually what happens!

May God grant us the wisdom and courage to keep on coming!
In Christian love, Curtis