

## Waverly Church of Christ

### Worship and Bible Study Times

Sunday:		Wednesday	
Bible Study	9:00 a.m.	Ladies Bible Class	9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship	10:00 a.m.	Bible Study	7:00 p.m.
Evening Worship	5:30 p.m.		

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### Local Media Evangelism

#### WQMV 1060 AM and 93.5 FM

Sunday at 10:00 A.M. & 5:30 P.M.  
 Weekdays at 12:30 P.M.



Comcast Cable Channel 3  
 Sundays at 1:00 P.M.

### Nursery

Mar 15	SBS	Gayle Binkley
Mar 15	SMW	Beth White
Mar 15	SEW	Nancy Frady
Mar 18	WBS	Beth White

### Attendance Card Collectors

Gabriel Keele, Dillon Daniel, Colton Smith,  
 Isaiah McMurray

### Need a ride to Worship?

Call Reed Field (296-2854)

### Scripture Reader for March 15, 2020

Willard Ferguson  
 If unable to serve, please call Billy Daniel (296-7183)

### The Records Speak

March 4	Wednesday Evening Bible Study	108
March 8	Sunday Morning Bible Study	108
March 8	Sunday Morning Worship	176
March 8	Sunday Evening Worship	100
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### Those to Serve The Lord's Table March 15, 2020

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|---------------------|------------------|
| 1. Eric Merideth    | 1. George Palmer |
| 2. Fred Long        | 2. Dan Schofield |
| 3. Bill Hirsbrunner | 3. Ronnie Moore  |
| 4. Jeff Breeden     | 4. Alfred Palk   |
| 5. Ward Phillips    | 5. Eddie Davis   |

Nursery - James Schmidt  
 Ushers

Joe Curtis, Woody Latimer

If you are unable to serve, please call  
 Mitch Snyder (931-296-7678)

### To Lead Prayer

Mar 15	SMW Open	Don Graves
Mar 15	SMW Close	Edward Toland
Mar 15	SEW Open	Dan Schofield
Mar 15	SEW Close	Larry Smith
Mar 18	WBS	Waddell Lee



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### Elders:

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### Deacons:

Jeff Breeden Clyde Mulliniks  
 Billy Daniel Albert Peek  
 Mike Goodman Larry Smith  
 Tommy Hardin Mitch Snyder  
 Lynn Killebrew Edward Toland  
 Robert Martin

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 Bowling Green, KY

Tennessee Children's Home  
 Spring Hill, TN

Worldwide Spanish Literature  
 Wichita Falls, TX

Overseeing congregation of Jorge  
 Torres and the work in El Salvador

Bonaire  
 Reynaldo Gamero  
 Columbia  
 Prison Ministry

### Person To Person

**“Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places in Christ” (Ephesians 1:3, NASB95).**

God's blessings continue to shine upon this congregation in more ways than we can count! Permit me to share with you.

Our new bus/van has already been put to good use. A full load of teens and their chaperones went to Challenge Youth Conference the weekend of February 28th – March 1st in comfort and safety. This past weekend it was used to provide transportation for a handicapped member to a Nashville hospital. Lord willing this newest addition will provide long and useful service to our members. May the Lord keep safe all who travel upon it.

This past Saturday a large group of our men turned out for our bi-annual Men's Prayer Breakfast. Because there were so many who were helping with the food preparation it was actually necessary to slow down in order to prevent the food being ready before the scheduled time for the breakfast to begin! The fellowship enjoyed by one and all was very encouraging and the prayers offered by our men for the congregation and our various works were most uplifting. We are grateful to Edward Toland for planning and overseeing this time together. May the Lord provide us many more.

This past Lord's day we were blessed with beautiful sunshine and warmer temperature as we gathered for worship. Our elders had designated the entire contribution to go to the relief efforts on behalf of those affected by the tornadoes which swept through our state last week. I am excited to report that you gave above and beyond to this important need. As of bulletin time this past Monday morning the total was \$15,756.00. May God bless you for your bountiful gift and may it result in “producing thanksgiving to God” (1 Corinthians 9:11).

Sunday evening the youth from Walnut Street in Dickson conducted our services. Though there was some confusion as to the time of our services, all worked well and the young men did an excellent job. Following services we were treated to the beautiful voices of all the youth as they sang for us. Our evening ended with finger foods and a period of warm fellowship between the two congregations in our Enrichment Center. We are most grateful to Bob Spencer and Allan Ragan for their work with the youth and for making the evening possible.

Let us thank the Lord for His many blessings on our behalf and pray that we use them to faithfully serve Him, not only in this community, but around the world!  
 — Jeff Keele

**Nathaniel Bone** - He will have brain surgery on March 10th. (Grandson of Beverly Hinson and the late Bill Bone).  
**Sarah Galbraith** - She is now at home recovering after extensive surgery. She is a little improved. Granddaughter of Crystel Collier).  
**Cameron McKin - American Health Community** - He is recovering from surgery on his arm. And taking physical therapy. (Grandson of Art and Susan Miller).  
**Norma Moorefield - Centennial Hospital - Room 12108** - She will have surgery later this week. No visitors at this time.  
**Kent Phebus - St. Thomas Midtown Hospital - Room 5307.** He will be there a few days.  
**J.T. Reeves** - He is now in Hospice Care. He would love to have visitors.  
**James Schmidt - Centennial** - He had a bad reaction to a new medication.  
**Gary Scott** - He has been diagnosed with cancer. (Friend of Reed Field).  
**Nell Smith - Humphreys County Health and Rehab Center.** She is some better.  
**James Wall - 24 Old Logwall Road, Dickson, TN 37055.** He has been diagnosed with lymphoma.  
**Lou Ann Weatherspoon - St. Thomas West Hospital** - She is recovering from hip replacement after a fall. She may come home on Monday.

On Friday, February 8th, Isaiah and Beth Ductor lost their home to a fire. They do not need anything until they get their house rebuilt.

**March 19th**  
 There will be a meeting concerning the El Salvador Mission work on Thursday, at 6:00 p.m. in the Enrichment Center. Bring money to go toward pizza.

**June 6th**  
 Vacation Bible School  
 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.  
 Joseph:  
 Learning to be Faithful  
 Genesis 39:1-20  
 Mark you Calendar.

Bible reading practice  
 will be  
 6:40 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.  
 on Sunday, March 15th.

We send our sincere sympathy to the family of **Don Walker** who passed away last week. He was the brother of Fay Stephens.

**March 12th** - We are planning a 50s Plus get together for Thursday at 5:30 pm in the Enrichment Center. BBQ will be served.

Come join us for some good BBQ, good fellowship and a relaxing time. Come share your thoughts on future activities for us to enjoy. Please sign-up if you plan to attend.

"Young man, the secret of my success is that at an early age I discovered I was not God."  
**Oliver Wendell Holmes Jr.**

James 5:7-18 reads -

"Be patient, therefore, brothers, until the coming of the Lord. See how the farmer waits for the precious fruit of the earth, being patient about it, until it receives the early and the late rains. You also, be patient. Establish your hearts, for the coming of the Lord is at hand. Do not grumble against one another, brothers, so that you may not be judged; behold, the Judge is standing at the door. As an example of suffering and patience, brothers, take the prophets who spoke in the name of the Lord. Behold, we consider those blessed who remained steadfast. You have heard of the steadfastness of Job, and you have seen the purpose of the Lord, how the Lord is compassionate and merciful. But above all, my brothers, do not swear, either by heaven or by earth or by any other oath, but let your 'yes' be yes and your 'no' be no, so that you may not fall under condemnation. Is anyone among you suffering? Let him pray. Is anyone cheerful? Let him sing praise. Is anyone among you sick? Let him call for the elders of the church, and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord. And the prayer of faith will save the one who is sick, and the Lord will raise him up. And if he has committed sins, he will be forgiven. Therefore, confess your sins to one another and pray for one another, that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person has great power as it is working. Elijah was a man with a nature like ours, and he prayed fervently that it might not rain, and for three years and six months it did not rain on the earth. Then he prayed again, and heaven gave rain, and the earth bore its fruit."

### Yard Sale/Bake Sale to benefit the children of El Salvador

You are invited to participate in a yard sale/bake sale where the proceeds will benefit the children of El Salvador. The yard sale will be on May 1st and 2nd. Donations will be stored in the trailer on the west side of our building and will be accepted following any service or during the week during regular business hours. All items donated need to be priced, in good working order, on hangers if clothing, etc. If you bring a box with breakables, please mark it as such. More details to come. There will be a sign up sheet for the bake sale portion of this day closer to the time of the event.

**What to donate:** Clothing, Shoes, Books, DVDs/music, Sports Equipment, Kitchen goods, Linens, Arts and Crafts, Tools, Garden Equipment, Furniture

**What not to donate:** Things you would not give a friend, Overly used and abused items Any weaponry, Undergarments, Anything past an expiration date (particularly baby items), Recalled items, Inappropriate reading material or music

All left over items will be donated to the James Center Thrift store. Location will be announced closer to time but will not be at the church building

### Dresses for El Salvador

Now is a great time to be making dresses for the women and girls of El Salvador. Fabric and notions are available if needed. For more information see Charlotte Warren or Ann Withrow.

And God said, "Let there be lights in the expanse of the heavens to separate the day from the night. And let them be for signs and for seasons, and for days and years."  
 Genesis 1:14

Our new on-line directory will soon be ready. You can delete the old app from your devices as it will not be connected to it.

### What the Church Needs

Leroy Brownlow

1) **More Knocking on Doors and Less Knocking on Each Other.** The Great Commission demands that we busy ourselves in taking the gospel to others (Mark 16: 15). The Bible says, "Speak not evil one of another..." (James 4:11). It is so much better to be busy doing good rather than evil.

2) **More Sound Heads and Fewer Soreheads.** Perhaps there has never been a time in the history of the church in which we have had a greater need for men sound in the faith and wise in judgment. Sometimes the voice of the wise goes unheeded and the voice of the foolish takes over (1 Kings 12:6-8).

3) **More Open Hearts and Fewer Open Mouths.** All conduct proceeds from the heart. Prejudice closes the heart to a true consideration of the facts. If the heart was made right before the mouth was opened, most church problems locally and universally would cease to exist (James 3:5-6; Proverbs 26:20).

4) **More Seed Slinging and Less Mud Slinging.** The task of sowing the seed of the kingdom is so great that it should leave no time for the slinging of mud at a brother. The fact that we have the whole world as our foe should draw us closer together (Proverbs 18:24). There should be no division in the Lord's camp (1 Corinthians 1:10). One can never whitewash himself by slinging mud at another. He who tries gets his own hands dirty.

5) **More Sacrifice of Self and Less Sacrifice of Others.** There are plenty of members of the church who are willing to sacrifice the other fellow - his talent, his time, his money, and even perhaps his reputation. Sacrifice should begin at home (Luke 9:23).

6) **More Concern over Direction Than Speed.** This is the jet and missile age. Speed is being enthroned and multitudes bow before it. But in the Lord's work, the greater question is not: "How fast are we traveling?" But rather, "Which way are we going?" (John 14:6; Matthew 7: 13-14). All speed is not progress. On the other hand, neither is standing still.

Leroy Brownlow, now deceased, was a writer and preacher in the Lord's church.

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Billy Spears - Elder's Corner