

## Assembling Together

SUNDAY AM BIBLE CLASS AT 9:00AM  
SUNDAY AM WORSHIP AT 10:00AM  
SUNDAY PM WORSHIP AT 1:00PM  
WEDNESDAY PM BIBLE STUDY AT 7:00PM

### Last Week's Records

<b>Sunday AM Attendance</b>	65
<b>Sunday PM Attendance</b>	37
<b>Wednesday Night Attendance</b>	38
<b>Giving</b>	\$2142

### February Birthdays

JIM CUNNINGHAM - 4  
JERRY JOHNSON - 13  
MAC MILAM - 28

### February Anniversaries

15TH  
RICHARD AND KATHLEEN (50 YRS!)  
18TH  
RANDY AND SHERRA (19 YRS)

## Serving Today

**Greeters this week**  
Gary and Marilyn Carter  
(*Next week:* Mac & Willadean)

**Announcements  
and Opening Prayer**  
Gary Carter

**Song Leader**  
Randy Jackson

**Communion**  
*Lead:* Allen Hedge  
*Assist:* Jim Cunningham  
*Assist:* Mike Thompson  
*Assist:* Mac Milam

**Scripture Reading**  
(*Mark 4:35-41*)  
Chris Smith

**Speaker**  
Aaron Baker

**Closing Prayer**  
Ryan Young

**Sunday PM Closing Prayer**  
Ben Leibner

## Serving Wednesday

**Announcements and Prayer**  
Gary Carter

**Song Leader**  
Randy Jackson

**Devotional Thought**  
Gary Carter

Welcome  
to the  
Lord's  
church  
which meets  
in Foristell,  
Missouri -  
Continuing  
the pattern  
of the  
1st century  
church  
(*2 Timothy*  
*1:13*).

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# CHURCH OF CHRIST @ FORISTELL



## Back to Jerusalem: The Restoration Plea

Becoming too well known can cause a product to lose its distinctiveness. The Trademark Association calls this problem, "genericide." Marlin Connelly gives some examples:

All facial tissue is called "Kleenex."  
Any gelatin dessert is "Jello."  
Any clear, sticky tape is "Scotch Tape."  
Any carbonated drink is a "Coke" (at least in the South).  
Any adhesive bandage is a "Band-Aid."

This has happened to the words *Christian* and *Christianity*. Once brand names for a definite product, they are now used for any kind of vague religiosity connected loosely with the historical Christ. Doctrines that in Bible times were black and white are now gray and faded. Practices that were then commanded are now viewed as optional. The rigid New Testament ethical code is now seen as fluid and accommodating. For instance, the creed book of the largest Protestant denomination states:

"It is most likely that in the Apostolic age when there was but 'one Lord, one faith, and one baptism,' and no differing denominations existed, the baptism of a convert by that very act constituted him a member of the church, and at once endowed him with all the rights and privileges of full membership. In that sense, 'baptism was the door into the church.' Now, it is different. (Hiscox, Edward T. 1890. *The Standard Manual for Baptist Churches*. Philadelphia, PA: The American Baptist Publication Society, page 22)." ...continued on inside page

**DON'T FORGET TO SILENCE YOUR PHONE DURING WORSHIP**

**LORD,  
HEAR  
OUR**



**Cindi Thompson's Dad**

is having a reoccurrence of the infection in his foot and is being treated for that. Continue to pray for his healing.

**Regina Thomas (Gary's cousin)**

had a stint put in this past week. Pray for her health and recovery. She lives in Jonesboro, Ark.

**Janet Colvett (Sherra's step-mom)**

will be headed back to Memphis this week for her final round of chemo. Pray that the tests following will reveal that there is no more cancer. Janet and Jimmy can receive cards at:

**Kay Hinkebein's (a patient of Brandon's) nephew**

is being treated for Stage 4 cancer that is pretty much throughout his body. He is four years old. Please pray for comfort and strength for him and his family.

**IN OUR CONTINUED PRAYERS**

Tracy Ehlmann (surgery recovery), Kay Shepard (health), Kim Vogelsang (health), Harold Fitzjerrell (Alzheimers), Carl Wright (health), Caleb Sams (cancer), Marsha Clark (cancer), Virginia Johnson (lung cancer)

*Plan, Pray, Work, Win -  
Souls for Christ!*

**Foristell Campaign and Gospel Meeting\***

**March 17-23, 2014**

\*We will be having an abbreviated 1pm service today followed by a planning meeting for this event.

*Turning Point Women and Children's Shelter needs: Toilet Paper -- Warrenton & Wright City Backpack programs for kids in need - Place non-perishables on the back table in the fellowship room.*

*We serve God, by serving others*



*"Give to the Lord, O families of the peoples,  
Give to the Lord glory and strength.  
Give to the Lord the glory due His name;  
Bring an offering, and come before Him.  
Oh, worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness!  
- 1 Chronicles 16:28-29*

- Taken from: Allen Webster's Bible Correspondence Course, Lesson 2 (2013).

That document states that "Now, it is different". Why would it be different today than it was when God-breathed His New Covenant into being? God has not changed His mind, nor has He changed His Word. The changes have come through man, and man alone. The acts and principles that made a person a Christian in New Testament times are the very same acts and principles that make a person a Christian today.

*"Now this is the main point of the things we are saying: We have such a High Priest, who is seated at the right hand of the throne of the Majesty in the heavens, a Minister of the sanctuary and of the true tabernacle which the Lord erected, and not man." - Hebrews 8:1-2*

**WHAT'S HAPPENING?!**

**Men's Prayer Breakfast**

is held every Friday morning at 6:30am at Bob Evan's in Wentzville.

**Women's Bible Study**

is held on Monday night's here at the building from 7:00-8:00pm, weather permitting.

**Potluck Meal**

will be held next Sunday after morning services, followed by Men's and Women's Meetings. We have much planning to do for March so aim to be at these meetings!

**Kayla Crowell's Bridal Shower**

will be held at Cindy Baker's house on Friday, March 14th at 7:00pm. Kayla is registered at Target and Bed, Bath and Beyond.

**Ladies Retreat**

We had another wonderful time together! There were 21 in attendance on Friday night and 19 for the Saturday morning session. If you were unable to attend this year, plan on joining us next year!

**20's and 30's Night**

will be on Friday, March 7th at 7:00pm at Aaron and Cindy's house. Bring fingerfoods, drinks and your Bible for our study of Acts 3.

**Work Day**

is set for Saturday, March 8th. All members put it on your calendar and plan to come help out!

**Pillow Day**

Our next pillow day will be Sunday, March 31st after the 1:00pm worship service.

**Vanuatu Mission Trip**

will be June 22-July 8. Consider joining Aaron and Cindy on this amazing journey of sharing God's Word in the South Pacific Islands!

