

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

Sunday AM Attendance	61
Sunday PM Attendance	39
Wednesday Night Attendance	44
Giving	\$2835

June Birthdays

LINDSEY JACKSON - 1ST
KIM JOHNSON - 16TH
WILLADEAN MILAM - 21ST
SANDY CUNNINGHAM - 25TH
SHARON HEDGE - 27TH

June Anniversaries

11TH - JIM AND SANDY CUNNINGHAM
26TH - SCOTT AND BEV WALDROP
30TH - DON AND JUDY WICKER

Serving Today

Greeters this week
Randy and Sherra Jackson
Next week: Ryan Y. & Brandon T.

**Announcements
and Opening Prayer**
Ed Leibner

Sunday AM Song Leader
Brandon Jackson

Communion
Lead: Chris Smith
Assist: Richard Carroz
Assist: Gary Carter
Assist: Garrett Jackson

Scripture Reading
(Matthew 10:28-31)
Ryan Young

Speaker
Aaron Baker

Sunday AM Closing Prayer
Ben Jackson

Sunday PM Song Leader
Brandon Jackson

Sunday PM Closing Prayer
Rod Jackson

Serving Wednesday

Announcements and Prayer
Ed Leibner

Song Leader
Brandon Jackson

Devotional Thought
Randy Jackson

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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Don't Leave the Church

Here's what I intend to teach my children regarding leaving the church.

"I can assure you that on at least a few occasions there will be times when you question whether you want to be associated with the church. For instance:

It may be when the preacher forgets to visit you when you are in the hospital.

It may be when no flowers are sent when one of your relatives dies.

It may be when someone says something very hurtful in the foyer.

It may be when someone pushes you out of their "area" like the audio/visual booth because it is "their domain".

It may be when a youth minister talks condescendingly to you as a parent.

It may be when your preacher begins repeating sermons because of lack of preparation.

It may be when an elder begins to "lord" his position over the flock.

It may be when the congregations splits over personalities and emotions.

It may be when a new preacher arrives who for whatever reason doesn't warm up to your family.

It may be when a deacon dismisses your ideas and suggestions.

It may be when you feel like the congregation has grown cold and

DON'T FORGET TO SILENCE YOUR PHONE DURING WORSHIP



Ernie and Vergie Thompson

are both struggling with their health at this time. They would appreciate our prayers. Encouragement cards can be sent to them at:

Richard Carroz

Continue to pray for him in his recovery. Cards can be sent to Richard at:

Sandie Owens

Keep her in your prayers as she faces several struggles in her life right now. She could very much use the prayers and encouragement of her Christian family. Cards can be sent to her at:

Jason and Kim Vogelsang

are both struggling with various health problems right now and could use our prayers. Encouragement cards can be sent to them at:

Kay Shepard

went to the hospital on Wednesday evening of this past week. She is home now but is

still weak and struggling with her health. She asks for our continued prayers. Encouragement cards can be sent to Kay at:

Carol Fairchild (Kayla Leibner's grandmother) has a tumor on her kidney. They are running tests to see if it is cancerous. Pray for good results.

Chelsea (co-worker of Lindsey Jackson's) is having problems with her pregnancy. Her baby is not thriving and she will have to deliver the baby about 9 weeks early and the he will spend several weeks to months in the NICU. Pray for his health and survival.

IN OUR CONTINUED PRAYERS...

Tracy Ehlmann (health), Kay Shepard (health), Kim Vogelsang (health), Sandie Owens (personal problems), Harold Fitzjerrell (Alzheimers), Carl Wright (health), Caleb Sams (cancer), Marsha Clark (cancer), Brice Thompson (Air Force - his address is on the back bulletin board), Janet Colvett (cancer recovery), Lindsey Jackson (pregnancy), Ashton Balyeat (needs kidney transplant), C.H. Pippin (health, pacemaker problems)

"Do you not know that those who run in a race all run, but one receives the prize? Run in such a way that you may obtain it... Now they do it to obtain a perishable crown, but we for an imperishable crown."

- 1 Corinthians 9:24, 25b

sterile.

It may be when you feel like everyone is in a clique and you are always on the outside of looking in.

It may be when a song leader refuses to sing songs you love to sing.

It may be when a Christian borrows something and never returns it.

It may be when the eldership gives in to the desires of some of the members rather than standing up for what is right.

It may be when your children are hurt because of the actions of others.

"But, whatever the reason, never ever leave the church! God had a perfect plan before the foundation of the world (1 Pet 1:20; Eph 1:4; 2 Tim 1:8-9). Here is the reality – God designed a perfect church and Jesus Christ founded it. However, that church is comprised of imperfect people. Some of those people will hurt you. Some may let you down. Others may stir up feelings of anger. But never forget that you too are imperfect. You will, on occasion, let other down. You will also hurt people and may cause feelings of anger..."

"...As you seek to find your place in the body, you need to do all you can to get along with those around you. Paul admonished, "I, therefore, the prisoner of the Lord, beseech you to walk worthy of the calling with which you were called, with all lowliness and gentleness, with long-suffering, bearing with one another in love, endeavoring to keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace" (Eph 4:1-3). Find your place in the body and get busy serving Him rather than focusing on all the imperfections around you."

- By Brad Harrub, Ph.D., Think magazine, December 2013

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 Group

Tuesdays at 7:00pm here at the building.

Camp is coming!

GABC (Gateway Area Bible Camp) registration forms are on the back table for anyone interested in going to camp this year. See Rod if you are interested in serving as a counselor. Camp will run July 13th-19th.

Supply Donations

We are in need of disposable plastic cups, dessert plates, and large dinner plates for fellowship meals.

In Search of the Lord's Way

Channel 11 KPLR Sundays at 7:30am.

Hen Party

Ladies, mark your calendars for Tuesday, July 29th. Cindy Baker is hosting a Hen Party at her house. Bring finger foods, sewing machines and scrapbooking supplies. We will be working on our plans for Ladies Day. Plan to come! We need all hands on deck!

Foristell Ladies Day 2014

October 4th may seem far away, but we are busy people and time flies when your calendar is filled! Now is the time to get to work to make this a great day for all! Be ready to take part in the preparations.