

Remember Our Sick

Richard & Shannon Smith – Both are having heart issues, and having tests run.
 Mary McAlister – Breathing is much better, after a medication change.
 Donna Chambers – Doctor has found three cysts; one on her throat, pancreas and kidney. It was a negative biopsy on her throat, and waiting on biopsies on other two cysts.

Shut-ins – need prayers and visits:
 Legacy Heights:
 Bonnie Vinson – Room #34
 Juanita Whitted – Room #62
 Norma Tate Jones – Room #44

Others Who Need Our Prayers:
 Carl Adkisson, Amie Barkley, Carolyn Bennett, Sandra Boatright, Joyce Briscoe, Nina Cain, Cheryl Cathers, Donna Chambers, Jamie Churchill, Rachel Curtis, Eugene Davis, Carolyn Dover, Johnny Estes, Yolanda Greenway, Leota Hickey, Francis Kennedy, Rose Lee, Letson family, Daniel Loper, Jan Loveless, Mary McAlister, Becky Miller, Kaeli Miller, Kim Miller, Julie Moss, Jannie Myers, Glen/Paulette Oakes, John Presley, Melinda and Rance Robbins, Nina Ryahovskih, Tanya Smith, Matt Stepanovich, Michael Tindall, Joan Vance, Jon Vance, Justin Vaughn, Marilyn Veasman, Kem Walker, Billy Walters, Joyce Walters, Earl Whitted, Cara Williams and Patsy Wisbrock.

**Expectant Mothers: Jessica Walters – It’s a Girl
 Lacey Walters – It’s a Boy**

<u>MEETING TIMES</u>	
Sunday Morning Bible Classes 9:45 A.M.	Elders: Allen Veasman 857-2791 Sid Womack 967-2367
Sunday Morning Worship 10:45 A.M.	Chris Loper 747-1639
Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 P.M.	Brent Hottinger 264-5696
Ladies’ Tuesday Bible Class 10:00 A.M.	Michael Robbins 264-9668
Men’s Tuesday Bible Class 10:00 A.M.	
Wednesday Bible Classes 6:30 P.M.	Deacons: Chris Besterfeldt Donny Forehand Rex McDaniel Chris Moss Justin Vaughn Blake Walters Brett Walters
Minister: Micah Williams Church Office: 479-331-3428 Office Hours: M-F 9:00a-1:00p Micah Cell: 479-264-9244 Secretary Cell: 479-747-0908	

June 16th, 2019

Sunday A.M.
 Announcer: Randall Walters
 Song Leader: Merrell Shoptaw
 Prayers
 Dan Cloud
 Donny Forehand
 Communion
 Podium: Michael Robbins
 Serve: Chris Besterfeldt
 Chris Loper
 Chris Moss
 Corey Hottinger
 Scripture Reading
 Rick Hollis
 Shut-Ins
 Donny Forehand

Sunday P.M.
 Prayers
 Earl Stamps
 Gary Williams

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Life Lines

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The Fathers God Desires

On this Sunday we celebrate “Father’s Day”. With this in mind I thought it might be good to consider the fathers God desires. But, how can we know what type of man this is? There is an example of such a man found in [Acts 10:1-8](#); his name is Cornelius.

As we begin, we cannot help but notice that he was a man of responsibility. He was a Centurion in the Roman army; this meant that he was a commander of 80 to 100 men. And though he carried the weight of this heavy responsibility upon his shoulders, he did not let it interfere with his responsibilities to his household. He sought God and being right with God, not for himself only but also for his household. We can see from this man that the fathers God desires are men who take their responsibilities seriously. Men who are responsible to their employers ([Colossians 3:22-25](#)). Men who are responsible to the society they live in ([Romans 13:1-4](#) and [1Peter 2:13-17](#)). Men who take their responsibilities for providing for their households seriously. They provide food, clothing, shelter, security and a place of refuge where the family feels safe and wanted ([1 Timothy 5:8](#)). But most importantly, these men provide for their family’s spiritual needs. You might notice Cornelius was “a devout man, and one who feared God with all his household.” Do we share our faith with our family?

God desires a man of compassion. Cornelius was such a man. The text tells us he "gave many alms to the Jewish people." One must remember the relationship between the Jew and the Gentile of the day was virtually nonexistent. Besides the racial barriers, there were the social, economic, and in most cases, religious barriers. Yet, Cornelius (a man of Roman authority, living in a culture where the words "might makes right") overcame those barriers and looked upon the people with compassion and showed mercy. The household of Cornelius learned to obey God, not because Cornelius taught them in word only, but because of the example he set before them in the compassion he had for others. The question for us as fathers is this; do we teach our children today about mercy and compassion? What kind of example do we show them? Jesus said; "*Blessed are the merciful, for they shall receive mercy.*" (Matthew 5:7)

Finally, God desires fathers who are men of prayer. Cornelius was a man of prayer, a man who prayed continuously. The man of God will pray for the physical needs of his household, and for their security and protection. He will pray for the sick and suffering. However, do we pray for our family's spiritual needs? Do we ask God to protect our family from Satan and temptation? Do we ask God to give our children strength and courage to stand boldly against the evils of this world?

Are we being the fathers God desires? Are we being responsible in our lives? Are we teaching those things that are really important: to fear and love God, to show mercy and compassion to our fellow man? Are we praying earnestly to God always regarding the needs of our families in every aspect? Can we say the words Joshua spoke; "*...as for me and my house, we will serve the Lord.*" (Joshua 24:15)? Let us be the fathers God desires.

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Dardanella Church of Christ

Upcoming Events:

3rd Sunday Sweet Social

Is tonight, after evening service

If you are able, bring a sweet treat to share, but most importantly please come to enjoy the sweet fellowship.

This will be every 3rd Sunday of the month.

*Ladies' Night will be June 20th at 6:30 p.m.
in the Fellowship room.*

Hosted by: Mary McAlister & Sandra Walker

Pleasant Grove Church of Christ

is having a Gospel Meeting

June 23rd – June 26th at 7 p.m.

Speaker is Jason Almond

We will have our regular Sunday morning service, but we will not have church service here at our building on

Sunday evening, June 23rd and

Wednesday evening, June 26th.

These services will be held at the Pleasant Grove congregation.

Teacher's Curriculum Meeting
will be June 30th after morning service.
Lunch is provided.

We are having a 4th of July cookout at 5:00
Hamburgers and hot dogs will be provided.
Sign up sheet will be passed around later.
Come enjoy the food, fun, games and fellowship.

Cleaning Church Building

June 22nd

Allen & Marilyn Veasman

June 29th

Rex McDaniel

Lawn Care

June 22nd

Chris & Josh Besterfeldt

June 29th

Allen Veasman &
Michael Robbins

RUSS BUS

Items needed
this week:

Little Debbie Snacks

Collecting items for the Smile Boxes for the children in Nicaragua. Please look at the chart in the foyer to see what your class is responsible for bringing and the amount still needed.

June Birthdays

01 Sandra Boatright

02 Chase Chance

Liliya McDaniel

03 Allen Veasman

08 Cannon Chance

09 Cadence Melton

14 Kenna Jackson

15 Joan Vance

Bryson Walters

19 Dmitri McDaniel

Zackary Nordin

20 Dot King

25 Iris Lawley

Ashley Anderson

28 Tanya Smith

Joyce Walters

**In Search of the Lord's Way
The Search Program
can now be accessed
any time on their
website**

@

www.searchtv.org

Phil Sanders

**weekly lesson can be
heard and seen each
Sunday on**

LR KASN TV 38

@ 7:30 am

DirecTV 307 @ 6:00 am

Dish 42 @ 7:30 am

GBN @ 7:00 pm

