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Honoring Mothers

Today we take opportunity to give honor where honor is truly due, to our mothers. God's plan for the family remains as true and as strong as the day He instituted it. We gladly and proudly accept His design and do our best to live in a way that honors it each day.

This morning we offer a special thanks to every mother as we let them know just how very important they are in our lives personally and in the life of this good church. Let us all consider that the One who made us knows best and that we get the most life has to offer when we do things His way!

Jim Brown

SONshine Street News



Here's the latest from the "Street". Demolition has taken place and basically all the rooms are gutted. The electrical work is being done now and should be finished in a couple of weeks. Many more lights and receptacles are being added to each room.

We're now laying out the plan for reconstruction which will be an amazing transformation into something that we can use as an outreach tool. Phase two, which is the remodeling of the current Learning Center, will begin shortly. Once completed, that room will house our combined 3 year old-5th grade classes on Sunday evenings.

SONshine Street is scheduled to "open" on **Sunday, August 6th**. Between now and then there is going to be a lot of work around the building, we appreciate your cooperation with the process. For more information, please see the insert in today's Pathfinder.

Announcements, News, & Notes

TELL ME THE STORY OF JESUS - PART 15

Tonight at six, John tells us of a remarkable encounter between Jesus and a Samaritan woman at a well. There is great depth here and you will not want to miss the gravity and the weight of what Jesus tells her. This story is fresh and relevant to us today, so bring your "Harmony" and join us!

LADIES' NIGHT OUT

Tomorrow night, **Monday, May 15th** at 6:00 p.m. at Red Lobster in Bowling Green. Sign up sheet in foyer. For details see Janet McCarley or Carol Staron.

MOTHER'S DAY OUT NEWS

This **Tuesday, May 16th**, at 6:00 p.m., we will have our MDO graduation program in the auditorium. **Everyone is invited.** All MDO classes for 2017-2018 are already FULL. Names will go on a waiting list.

TEACHER'S APPRECIATION DAY

Sunday, May 21st, will be a very special day for us to honor our Bible class teachers. We will recognize everyone that has taught a Bible class at the morning services. A reception will be held for all of our current Bible class teachers in the foyer from 4:45-5:45 p.m. And finally, at the evening service, there will be some special recognitions given.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SERIES

Our next Wednesday night series will begin **May 24th** with Steve McCarley teaching lessons from the book of Nehemiah.

ATTENTION COLLEGE GRADUATES

If you would like to be included in the special section for the college class of 2017 in 2 weeks, please turn in picture and information to Kirby - **ASAP!**

TUESDAY LADIES' CLASS TRIP

Tuesday, May 30th, the ladies will be going to visit the Gospel Advocate bookstore and having a luncheon. For more details please see Jewell Hearn.

RELAY FOR LIFE SURVIVOR DINNER

If you are a cancer survivor and wish to receive a letter to attend the dinner on **Thursday, June 1st** at First Baptist Church. Please sign up in the foyer or contact Betty Ruth Ditmore for more information.

LADIES DAY @ FRANKLIN

Saturday, June 3rd. Registration begins at 11:30 a.m. with lunch at noon followed by our program. Rita Strickland from the Gallatin Road church will be our guest speaker.

COLLEGE/YOUNG ADULTS TRIP

June 2nd-3rd - this group will be going on a kayaking trip down the Elk River below Tim's Ford Dam. For more information, please see Steve McCarley ASAP.

MEDICAL MISSION TRIP

Dr. John Adams is looking for medical professionals to go with him on a medical campaign to Guyana in September. He is also in need of pillowcases to make dresses. Please see him for more information.

CONGRATULATIONS

To Derek and Leah Shrull on the birth of a son, **Greyson Bennett Shrull**, Baby Greyson was born **Monday, May 1st**, weighing 8lbs. 10oz. & 21 in. long. Proud grandmother is Rita Shrull.

SYMPATHY

To Steve McCarley and Nell Jordan in the passing of their cousin, J.T. Richardson. A memorial service was held **Monday** in Russellville.

THANK YOU NOTE

We would like to thank the church, family, & friends for the monetary gift given to us during this time of surgery & healing. The expenses are astronomical and this gift will all be applied to medical expenses (copays, medicines) and gas expense to & from appointments that are still weekly. We are truly blessed to have such a loving, caring community with so much support. We serve an Awesome God. Thank you all so very much and may God bless you.

P.S. - We enjoyed Kirby's visits too.

Phil & Linda Norwood (April Every One Counts)

Words cannot express the comfort that I received from the many acts of kindness expressed by the Franklin church during the illness and death of my dear brother, Henry McCarley. Thank you for the prayers, phone calls, plant, cards, visits & attendance at the visitation and funeral. *Nell McCarley Jordan*

Prayer List

Hospital: Earlene Carpenter - Medical Center Franklin #1006

Health Concerns, Recovering at Home, & Homebound:

Gr. #1: Maccie Atwood, Maelle Byrum, James Emerson, Clara Ruth Kinnaird, Ken Metcalf, Kenny Perkins, Elizabeth Tinsley, Myra Williams

Gr. #2: Danny & Betty Emerson, Roy & Jane Gautier, Catherine Moore, Bethany Sanford, Evelyn Smith, Sylvia Thacker, Angela Vaughn

Gr. #3: Joyce Bush, Matthew Frazier, Ruby Johnson, Nancye Jones, Connie Young

Gr. #4: Edith Cliburn, Mickey Grace, Mary Lou Hendrickson, Brent Kirby (treatments), Dorothy Newbold, Maxine Thurmond, Jennie Young

Serving Our Country: Jon Joshlin (Iraq), Jonathon Pedigo (Georgia), Melanie Pettitt (Virginia Tech ROTC), Kyle Staron (Africa)

Mission Trip: Dale Byrum (Kenya)

Family & Friends: Bettye Allen, Carolyn Bunch, Lauren Casey, Lea Ann Cook, Bill Cropper, Debbie Drake-Davis, James Draper, Jennifer Ellis (Phil Norwood's kidney donor), Donna Freeman, Scott Forshee, Ashley Galloway, Jon Gates (Friend of Teresa Suber), Mary Agnes Gregory, Cora Hammock (Eddie & Jana Hammock's grand daughter), Bill Henderson, LaDonna Hickman, Nell Johnson, Hollie Kelley, Josh Kelley, Sue Murphey (Lindy Sledge's mother), Phil Norwood, Sally Pedigo, Fitz Rueff, Susan Sexton, Gaydara Smith, Judy Violet, Greg Warden, Bobby Witty, Kelsey Yates

FYG News & Activities

** SCYC APPLICATIONS**

Applications for this year's summer camp, (June 18th-23rd), are available at Brian's office.

Adults, if you plan to help or want to help in some way, please see Brian as well.

The deadline to sign up is Sunday, May 28th.

????YOUTH GROUP MYSTERY TRIP????

You will NOT want to miss this fun and exciting trip coming up on June 8th-9th. Cost is \$100 per person.

Space is limited to 22 people so sign-up early.

Parents, please see Brian for all the details.

This is going to be a BLAST!

"DEVOS on the ROAD"

Beginning Wednesday, May 24th, the Youth Group will be leaving each available Wednesday evening for a destination themed devo.

We'll be back to the building at 7:30 p.m.

Upcoming FYG Activities & Events

DATES TO REMEMBER

May 17th - After School Wednesday

May 21st-27th - Family Devotional Week

May 23rd - Sr. High G.A.P. @ the Staron's

June 8th-9th - FYG Mystery Trip

June 12th - Franklin host area wide youth event

June 18th-23rd - Simpson County Youth Camp

July 9th-12th - Vacation Bible School

SCYC WORKDAY

Because we are working with 3 other congregations to make this year's camp SPECTACULAR, we have a combined work day scheduled at Taylor Christian Camp on Saturday, June 3rd.

We ask any men who can help build stuff to come out and help. If you want to help build stuff for camp now, please see Brian.

For Church Information & Updates Please Call the Church Newsline at (270) 586-8449, visit our website at franklinkycoc.org, or follow us at Facebook @franklinkychurchofchrist.

