

May 5, 2024

Family Talk *with Dave Phillips*

It was good to worship together on Sunday! When you stop to consider the numerous blessings we receive from God, you would have to admit that we are blessed. There is not a perfect place in the world. There isn't a perfect church on the globe. (We're seeing that from a study of what we can learn from churches mentioned in the Bible on Sunday nights). But to be around people who love God and love to encourage others is a tremendous blessing. I pray that I, and we, never take it for granted.

Summer activities are in full swing. Here are some upcoming events you won't want to miss!

2024 Summer Series

Each Wednesday night, 7 pm

June 5 -	Jarrod Williams from Millington
June 12 -	Philip Slate from Germantown
June 19 -	Andy Connelly from Nashville
June 26 -	Matt Mitchell from Woodland Hill
July 3 -	Eddie Lewis, from Germantown
July 10 -	Dwight Albright, from Park Avenue
July 17 -	VBS - Harold Redd from Midtown
July 24 -	Jim Howard, from Germantown
July 31 -	Mike Rogers from Covington
August 7 -	Hamilton Archibald - West Memphis
August 14 -	JP Wamble from Germantown
August 21 -	Brian Stewart from Germantown
August 28 -	Tim Alsup from Great Oaks

Coming events to put on your calendar:

Senior Sunday - May 5 (PM Service)
Ultimate Youth Rally - May 24-25
One Day Meeting - with Mark McInteer
Vacation Bible School-July 13-18
Mission Sunday - August 18
Picnic at the Patterson's - September 7
Weekend Meeting - with Bruce McLarty - Sept. 14 & 15
Area-Wide Service - September 15

Sunday Sermons:

AM - Don't Miss the Blessing! (Rom. 8:18-29)
PM - Learning from Others (Revelation 2:18-29)

Welcome Guests

If you are visiting with us, you are our honored guest. We encourage you to complete the "QR" code located on the screen during closing announcements after service. We wish to meet and greet you after service. Thank you for worshipping with us and please come again.



Bible Classes - Sunday

Class	Topic	Teachers	Location
Auditorium	Prophecies Fulfilled	John Thomas	Auditorium
Faith Builders	Christianity and Culture	Dave Phillips	FH 1&2
Fellowship Hall	Power and Significance of the Resurrection	Larry Scroggs	FH 3&4
I.O.U.	What in the World Is the Holy Spirit Doing?	Steve Haynes, Daryl Steiner	AH 124
Cornerstone	James: An Epistle of Straw?	Philip Slate	AH 128
Reflections	The Gospel of Matthew	Jason Speed Barry Chapman	AH 120
Southeast Asian	Men and Women of Faith	Chuck Hanson Art Cancienne	SE Asian Classroom
World Bible School Class	Think Like Jesus: Make the Right Decision Every Time	Curtis Morris	AH 129
Young Adult	Old Testament Character Studies	Brian Stewart	AH 123
Youth Grades 7-12	Spiritual Warfare/ The Battle We Fight	Various	Youth Room
Grades 1-6	God's Story	Various	Grace Land
Pre-K, K, Nursery	Various	Various	PH 101-108

Bible Classes - Wednesday

Age Group	Topic	Teachers	Location
Adult	Christians and Prayer	Dave Phillips	Auditorium
Adult	Pursuit of Holiness	Brian Stewart	AH 120
Adult	Authentic Manhood: A Man and His Fatherhood	Glenn Daily	AH 123
Adult	Singing Class	Tim Vann	AH127
Youth: Grades 7-12	Hymns of Hope	Various	Youth Room
Youth: Grades 1-6	God's Story	Various	Grace Land
Pre-K, K, Nursery	Various	Various	PH 101-108

Worship Times Sunday 8 AM • 10:30 AM • 6 PM

Bible Study Sunday 9:15 AM • Wednesday 7 PM

OUR PRAYERS

Members

Barbara Beck	Michael Conder	Bob McCrory
Gordon Browning	Amy Craft	Jon Pace
Harriet Browning	Ruth Evans	Pat Slate
Wayne Carruth	Judy Klinger	Shannon Wilson
Doris Conder		Barbara Worrell

Friends and Family

Betty Carrington - sister-in-law of Barbara Worrell
Constance Doughty - Ainsworth family
Peg Fewell - sister of Kathy Howell, sister-in-law of Fewells
Larry Jackson - father of Eric Thomas
Kevin Knight - son of Debra Knight
Diana Meredith - daughter-in-law of Tomy & Jenny Meredith
Sally Pate - mother of Cathy & Christie Ainsworth
Charlotte Perry - sister of Tonia Spence
Janet Rinkenbough - sister-in-law of Brenda Higgins
Laura Sexton - sister of Debby Hayes
Bob & Joy Straw - former members of Germantown church
Amy Warren - daughter of Phyllis Vincent
Ann White - sister if Jerry Crawford

Prayer list is updated every two weeks. Notify the church office if your friend or family member should remain on the list.

Bridal Gift Card Shower

There will be a gift card shower honoring Payton Krech and Madeline Shelton beginning Sunday, April 28, and ending Sunday, May 12. Payton is the son of Greg and Susan Krech. They will be married on Friday, May 31, 2024 in Hot Springs, AR. Please choose gift cards from Amazon, Lowes, Target, or Walmart and include gift receipts.

Those Serving Our Country

Andy Dye - nephew of Nancy James/Army National Guard/Dyersburg, TN
Alaina Gembara - daughter of Terri Chambers/Navy/Naples, Italy
Bria Gibson - daughter of Terri Chambers/Navy/Hawaii
John Gibson - son-in-law of Terri Chambers/Navy/Hawaii
Tyler Hicks - son of Mark & Kristi Hicks/Aviano AFB/Italy
Taylor Kelton - our brother/Hanscom AFB/Bedford, MA
Zachary Murphy - our brother/U.S. Army/West Point
Quinn Smith - our brother/Army/JAG/Joint Base Lewis McCord, Tacoma, Washington
Lauren Vietry - our sister/Air National Guard/Knoxville, TN
Landon Walker - son of Christy Perkins/USS Gerald R. Ford
Timothy Wright - son-in-law of Mark & Brenda Conder/Army/Ft. Campbell, KY

Parents of Members

Jim & Stephanie Lee (Susan Vick)
 Beverly Parnell (Melanie Swims)
 Jim & Shirley Sanders (Scott Sanders)

2024 SENIOR SUNDAY

Tonight, May 5th, we will honor our 2024 graduating high school seniors with a short presentation. Following the presentation, there will be a CHURCH-WIDE finger fellowship and dorm shower for those participating seniors.

Cake and drinks will be provided.
All those planning to attend need to bring finger foods to share.

Blake Hutchison	Katarina Russell
Cash Johnson	Caleb Sanders
Jackson Parham	Hadassah Steiner
Alison Roth	Ellie Stewart
Isabelle Wilder	

WEST TENNESSEE CHILDREN'S HOME COLLECTION



- The WINGS Ministry is collecting several necessities for the West Tennessee Children's Home.
 - A list of needed items is located on the WINGS table in the South Hall.
 - Please purchase and place these items on the WINGS table.
 - Monetary donations are welcomed.
- Dates of Collection: Sunday, April 28 and Sunday, May 5
- Questions:
 - If you have any questions, please contact Christie Ainsworth or Dana Goodwin.
 - Your help is greatly appreciated.



The Wednesday night meal for May 8th is Greek Port Loin, Baked Potatoes, Salad, Dessert, Tea. Cost is \$8.00 per adult, children 10 and under eat free. Hot Dogs and chips for 10 and under. Sign up sheets are in the Adult Bible classes and in the south hall foyer. Serve time is 5:30-6:30 pm. You must have a reservation. Last time to sign up is 8:00 am on Monday, May 5th.

Diaper Ministry Update

We thank everyone who was able to participate with the Diaper Packaging/Distribution these past two weeks. We were able to package 5536 diapers for 22 families! Our families have been connected into our ministry through four different Kindercares in the area. Saturday April 20th, eleven members from our congregation came out to help distribute diapers (and homemade cookies!) to these families, encourage them, listen to any concerns they had and pray with them. We hope and pray they are feeling our love and commitment to serving others because of our love for Jesus and they will desire to learn more about Him.

We are starting to get low on certain diaper sizes so be looking for an announcement for the sizes we will be collecting in May. Thank you!



OUR WORK TOGETHER

Germantown church of Christ

Mrs. Alice Petty- In memory of Jim Beck, husband of Barbara Beck, brother-in-law of Barbara Wilson and John Wilson, and uncle to Nancy Averwater.



KIRBY PINES BUS DRIVERS

MAY

Sunday AM - *Tucker Kuntz*
 Sunday PM - *Riley Echols*
 Wednesday PM - *Mark Hicks*

Worship Attendance QR Code

Please see below the "QR" code to record your Sunday worship attendance digitally. With your smartphone, open to your camera app and point to the code and click the pop up link and it will direct you to our website where you will find the instructions to submit your attendance. You can also go to our website and find the button "Take Attendance" beneath the livestream and enter your information.



Thank You

Dear Church Family,
 Thank you very much for all of your prayers, thoughtful text and cards, and delicious meals you have showered my family with following my recent back surgery. A special thank you to our elders who have been praying and supporting me throughout the challenges prior to my surgery.

With appreciation and love,
 Julie Lillie

Information For The Bulletin

Please submit **all** requests for **announcements and prayer list** in the bulletin to carolportergetcoc@gmail.com, or by calling her at the church office at 901-754-1668. Requests must be received as soon as possible and no later than 10:00 a.m. on Thursdays. Please remember all requests will be processed as space in the bulletin allows.

Online Giving

Germantown church of Christ is accepting on-line contributions. Simply go to www.gtcoc.org, and click "GIVING" from the top right of the screen. You may choose your contribution to be a one-time donation or recurring. If you designate recurring, you will need to "SIGN IN" and register for an account. You will have the options to pay with your bank account, credit card, or debit card. Each online contribution will cost the church 2.5%, plus a small transaction fee. The website will allow you to increase your contribution by the same amount if you desire. Once registered, you may wish to use the ShelbyNEXT App for mobile contributions. We also offer a text giving option as well. Instructions for mobile and text giving are located at the bottom of the website Giving page. If you have any questions, please feel free to call the church office.

Instructions For Online Sunday Morning Viewing

To watch the stream on AppleTV, Roku, or FireTV:

Simply download the Boxcast app in the respective App Store, open the app once it has downloaded, then search for 'Germantown church of Christ'. You may want to Favorite our channel to make it easier to find next time you need it. When we go live it will indicate that to you. All of our archives are also available for you to view.

To watch on a mobile phone browser or desktop web browser:

Go to the www.gtcoc.org homepage and scroll down to find the video player. There will be a list of previously recorded archives. At the very top of that list you will find 'Sunday Morning Worship Services' with a scheduled broadcast date of the day you are attempting to watch the stream. Click on the play icon there and the player will display the live stream.

If you have any questions or experience any technical difficulties email us at gtcocsoundroom@gmail.com. Should those issues persist throughout the live stream for you, please know the archive automatically becomes available a few hours later and can be accessed in the same manner as the above instructions.

For The Record		Ministers	
April 28, 2024			
Sunday Bible Class	302	Glenn Daily - Spiritual Leadership	
8:00 a.m.	116	Dave Phillips - Preaching	
10:30 a.m.	343	Joe Skelley - Senior Adult Ministry	
10:30 a.m. Online	31	Brian Stewart - Engagement Ministry	
Total a.m. Worship	490	Eddie Lewis - Missionary to Mississippi	
Sunday p.m. Worship	203	Sasha Maliuga - Missionary to Ukraine	
6:00 p.m. Online	20	Leslie Williams - Missionary to Canada	
Total p.m. Worship	223		
Contribution	\$26,893		
Budget	\$36,236		