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The Bulletin

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BENEVOLENCE PROGRAMS

Churches of Christ
 Disaster Relief Effort
 Nashville, TN
 Tennessee Children's Home-West
 Pinson, TN

MISSION PROGRAMS

Harding Graduate School
 Scholarship Program
 Memphis, TN
 In Search of the Lord's Way
 Phil Sanders
 Sundays WGN(TV) 6:00 am &
 WLMT (TV) 7:00 am

Fishers of Men

Heritage Christian University
 Phillip Goad
 Freed Hardeman Bible Dept.

OUTREACH PROGRAMS

LISTEN to Brownsville Radio 95.3
 after 8am News Report for our
WESTSIDE MINUTE each week-
 day and our **9:50 am sermon** each
 Sunday morning. You can also
CHECK OUT ..or **JOIN,**

Westside Group on FACEBOOK
 Website: WESTSIDEBROWNSVILLE.COM

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES SUNDAY

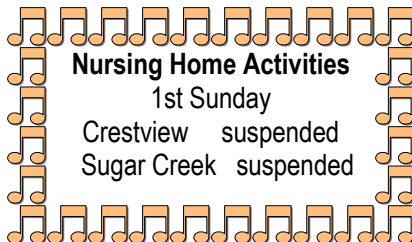
Bible Classes	9:30 AM
AM Worship Service	10:30 AM
PM On Facebook only	6:00 PM

WEDNESDAY

On Facebook only	6:00 PM
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Welcome Visitors!

You are our honored guests! We are so glad that you have come to share our worship to the Lord. Please stay and allow us to assure you of your importance to us, and then, return for another visit very soon. Please sign our guest book.



ORDER OF WORSHIP

Announcements: Jeff Horton

Morning Services
October 10, 2021

Song Service
 Jon M. Thompson

Opening Prayer:
 Jack Fox

Communion:
 Morris Blatt

Scripture Reading:
 Zack Fox

Speaker:
 Jeff Horton
 Live For The Son:
 Guided By The Spirit

Closing Prayer:
 Mark Adams

Evening Services
October 10, 2021
No Services

Facebook Speaker
 Jeff Horton
 Teachings of Jesus:

Wednesday Services
October 13, 2021
No Services
 Jeff will be on Facebook
 6 pm

Speaker: Jeff Horton

STATISTICS

Sunday Oct 3, 2021

AM worship:
 Class: 15 Worship: 31
 No PM Services

Wed October 6, 2021:
 No Services

Those to Serve Next Week **October 17, 2021**

Morning Service:

Opening Prayer: Mac Perry
Closing Prayer: Jerry Myers
Scripture Reading: Mark Adams
Song Leader: Jon M. Thompson

No Evening Service:

November Announcements: Jeff Horton
November Table: Mark Adams

MISSIONARIES

Dewayne Shappley
 Spanish Speaking Ministries
Rod Kyle
 New Zealand
Joseph Ruiz
 Mexico, Peru, The Philippines
World Evangelism Ministry
 India Radio Fund
Howell Ferguson
 Chimala Mission
Lance and Kristen Mosher
 Porirua, New Zealand
David Nance
 India Mission
Jerry & Paula Bates
 India

- ◆ Pam Bryant, Frances Belew's sister in law, will have knee surgery later this month.
- ◆ Van Williams, friend of Jack Fox, is having heart trouble. His father Mac Williams passed recently.
- ◆ Don Cox, brother of Donna Heron, passed away Oct. 5th. No arrangements at this time.
- ◆ Michael Wilson, Emily Miller's nephew, had 2 surgeries.
- ◆ Shay Owens, Emily's niece, had surgery and is having a hard time.
- ◆ Ronnie Williams passed away.
- ◆ If you wish to make a donation to the Tenn Children's Home food drive, you may write a check to Westside. The can for donations is in the lobby.

He Offered, But They Were Not Willing

Heaven had so much to offer the Jewish nation. The prophets of God were in its midst and delivered the precious words of the Bible to them (**Rom. 3:1**) for a thousand years. Even more than this was the fact that God longed to dwell among them, but they rejected Him in His holy temple. Finally, Jesus came and vividly illustrated all that God still had to offer them. "O Jerusalem, Jerusalem . . . How often I wanted to gather your children together, as a hen gathers her chicks under her wings, but you were not willing" (**Matt. 23:37**)! The picture of distressed chicks finding shelter and warmth under the hen's wings is what God wanted *so often*, but the Jews "were not willing!" If Israel had listened to the Scriptures they would have known what was found under His wings.

There is loving kindness found under His wings. David said, "How precious is Your loving kindness, O God! Therefore the children of men put their trust under the shadow of Your wings" (**Psalms 36:7**). There is no doubt *about the fact* that His loving kindness is infinite. There is no doubt *where it is found*—under His wings. The tragedy is that though He longed to give it, they "were not willing!" *There is a place of refuge under His wings.* The heading of Psalm 57 shows that it was written when David was hiding in a cave in order to escape from the armies of angry King Saul. His prayer begins, "Be merciful to me, O God, be merciful to me! For my soul trusts in You; And in the shadow of Your wings I will make my refuge, Until these calamities have passed by" (**Psalms 57:1**). Put yourself in David's place and sense his dire circumstances. Instead of being distressed, he saw His only hope was to hide himself under the wings of God and find refuge "until these calamities have passed by." This same place of refuge was *so often* available for Israel but they "were not willing!"

There is joy found under His wing. "Because You have been my help, Therefore in the shadow of Your wings I will rejoice" (**Psalms 63:7**). It makes no difference what happens outside His wings, those there can rejoice because of the help found there. The joy was available for Israel, but they "were not willing!"

There is a place for YOU under His wings. God's nature has not changed. What He offered Israel He offers to you—and even more! He *so often* offers the shelter under His wings. Hear His invitation and find His loving kindness, His refuge and His joy. *Make sure YOU are willing!*

Happy moments,
Praise God.
Difficult moments,
Seek God.
Quiet moments,
Worship God.
Painful moments,
Trust God.
Every moment,
Thank God.

October Birthdays:

10/02 Donna Heron
10/05 Carolyn Freeman
1010 Libby Neal 10/12 Nancy Taylor

Prayers Requested

Westside

Minnie Kate Johnson
Jenny Neal
Mary Louise Tucker
Family of Robbie Piercey
Ronnie Belew
Regina Rains
Pam Rogers

Family and Friends

Jane Hayes
Ruth Taylor
Sheila Stanley
Sandra Goodman
Dr Jerald White
Sue Ward
Buford Mathias
Mary Bryant
Dee Pierce
Mark Webb family
Stella Potts
Don Cox family
Family of Mac Williams
Family of David King
Family of Hardin Hensley
Pam Bryant

family of Sandra Natasha Hess
family of Lynn Mathis
Patrick Holmes
Charles Goodman
Harry Hay
Ronnie Williams family
Billy Lynn Hays
Michael Wilson
Stacy Owens

Nursing Home Residents

Crestview
Carolyn Freeman