



GLENDALE ROAD CHURCH OF CHRIST NEWS & NOTES

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Jesus' Great Wonders (Matthew 9:27–11:1)

Arrogant or Naïve

"And they all said likewise"

In view of temptation are we as cautious as we should be? Was there an attitude toward upcoming temptation that would have allowed Peter and the other disciples a recipe for success rather than failure? What about you and me? Are we too confident in our own merit and strength?

Mark 14:27-31

27 Then Jesus said to them, "All of you will be made to stumble because of Me this night,* for it is written:

'I will strike the Shepherd,

And the sheep will be scattered.'"

28 "But after I have been raised, I will go before you to Galilee."

29 Peter said to Him, "Even if all are made to stumble, yet I will not be."

30 Jesus said to him, "Assuredly, I say to you that today, *even* this night, before the rooster crows twice, you will deny Me three times."

31 *But he spoke more vehemently,* "If I have to die with You, I will not deny You!" And they all said likewise.

John 13:36-38

36 Simon Peter said to Him, "Lord, where are You going?"

Jesus answered him, "Where I am going you cannot follow Me now, but you shall follow Me afterward."

37 Peter said to Him, "Lord, why can I not follow You now? *I will lay down my life for Your sake.*"

38 Jesus answered him, "Will you lay down your life for My sake? Most assuredly, I say to you, the rooster shall not crow till you have denied Me three times.

First are two blind men seeking healing (9:27–31). Blindness often symbolized religious or spiritual lack, and such persons were prohibited from attending the temple (Lev. 21:20). Next is a mute, demon-possessed man (9:32–33). The Jews didn't deny that Jesus could do such things. Still, they didn't attribute it to God but to the devil (9:34). Even later, Jewish tradition taught that Jesus "practiced sorcery, incited people to idol worship, and led the Jewish people astray" (B. Sanh. 43a).

As the work continues, Jesus sees a great need and few resources (9:35–38), so he calls his twelve and imbues them with power (10:1). From a Jewish perspective, twelve were representative of the tribes of Israel. Jesus is constituting a new people in his name. Interestingly, Mark's gospel—primarily written to the Romans—uses "the twelve" ten times compared to the others (Luke=7; Matthew=5; John=4). For the hearers of Mark and Luke, twelve would have represented something different. Still, it would have also permitted the Gentiles to submit to Apostolic authority ("apostle" meaning "one who is sent") from their context. To Romans, the beginning of their legal system was born out of the twelve tables—somewhat akin to Israel's ten commandments. Of the apostles listed, we know more about a few than the others (10:2–4).

Jesus' mission was primarily to Israel (cf. 15:24), but as he encountered Gentiles, he tended to their needs too. The apostolic mission, at this point, is limited to the house of Israel (10:5–6). After his resurrection, the mission was to all (28:19). The target of this mission seems to be the common Israelite and not the leaders of their people (cf. 9:36). Since they're sent in Jesus' place, they have similar abilities to him (10:8).

They were to be dependent on hospitality (10:9–15). At the time, hospitality was exemplified by Abraham, who received three visitors shortly before the destruction of Sodom and Gomorrah. Shortly before that story, Abraham had returned from Egypt, a country notorious for mistreating strangers and being very xenophobic. One reason, among many, that Sodom and Gomorrah were destroyed was inhospitality (Ezek. 16:49). To that culture in Jesus' time, hospitality wasn't merely having someone in your home for a meal. If a stranger came, they were afforded all the house amenities. One could also receive lodging and provisions during their stay. This became important as Christianity grew (Matt. 25:35; Heb. 13:2; cf. Lev. 19:34).

–Steven

WORSHIP—Sunday AM: 9:00 Sunday PM: 6:00

CLASSES—Sunday AM: 10:15 Wednesday PM: 6:30

RADIO—Sunday AM: 9:00-10:00 Sunday PM: 6:00-7:00—WVHM FM 89.7

DAILY RADIO—Monday-Friday 6:25 & 7:25 am—FM 89.7

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THE GLENDALE FAMILY

TYLER BOHANNON
COLLEGE & YOUNG-N-HEARTS



YOUNG - N -

SEPTEMBER 25th, 2025 - Young N Hearts Class @ 10:30am.

SEPTEMBER MEAL will follow **@ 11:30am**. We will be having Lasagna and Breadsticks... with great desserts! Please invite a friend to join us 😊

OCTOBER 2nd, 2025 - OUT TO EAT - Blue & White Grill



SEPTEMBER 24th, 2025 - C20 Class @ 6:30pm
Topic: FAMILY

SEPTEMBER 28th, 2025 - C20 Class @ 10am:
Topic: Malnourished Spirituality continued...
(4 Elements of a Strong Spiritual Life)

OCTOBER 5th 2025 - We will be going to **NEW PROVIDENCE** for our **1st C20 Service** of the Semester. We will meet **@ 9:30am to ride the van**. Let's all go together! 😊

Library

E. Bailey

Nothing New Under The Sun # 2

What we moderns call the Paperless Hymnal is certainly not a new concept but is built on generations of previous inventions. Centuries ago, Magic Lantern & hand-painted glass slides entertained large crowds in theaters but churches eventually caught on to the possibilities of using such modern marvels in worship.

The British seem to have made widespread use of hymn slides during the later years of the 19th century before the custom spread to America. These glass slides often contained paintings of Biblical images that complemented whatever the words of the hymn happened to be. These vintage glass hymn slides are collector's items today and can be bought on eBay.

Modern film-based slides gained impetus with Kodak's release and mass-production of slide film in 1935. In 1965, the first carousel slide projector was patented and sold to Eastman Kodak by its inventor, David Hansen. This slide projection system quickly became the most popular one in the country and the one most widely remembered today by vast numbers of older Americans, who saw it used in countless schools and churches in the mid 20th century.

Tune in next week as we bring this narrative up to include PowerPoint and the Paperless hymnal.

YOUTH

Jacob Vaughan

Family Retreat will be held at West Kentucky Youth Camp on October 17th – 19th. Tyler Wunderlich will be our speaker this year. More details will be given soon. Tyler will continue to cover the lessons of “I AM NOT” that we have been covering during our Family Devotionals.

Fall retreat will be held at West Kentucky Youth Camp with Bob Palmer being our keynote speaker. This retreat will take place from November 7th – 9th. The theme for the weekend is titled “FORGED” and it will be a continuation from the series we covered with our youth group over the summer.

DAUGHTERS OF DORCUS & YOUNG MEN TRAINING

All boys and girls ages 3 and up will be meeting in the multipurpose rooms at 5:00 on

Sundays –

September 28,

October 19, 26,

November 2, 9 & 16

Little Ladies' Day will be at 5:00 and Young Men will lead the evening service at 6:00 on November 23rd

"Rejoice, Give Thanks, Pray"

BAPTIZED & PLACING MEMBERSHIP

Kenny (Baptized 9/15) & April Baldwin
(Both Placing Membership 9/21)
1819 Doran Rd. South, Murray

Joe Pat Hughes
(Placing Membership 9/21)
2939 Van Cleave Rd., Murray

Backpack Program

We are collecting items for the backpack program such as Pop Tarts, Rice Krispie Treats, Cheese & Crackers, Fruit Gummies, Nutri Grain Bars, Granola Bars, But nothing with nuts or peanut butter! You may leave them in the Commons. Thank you for all your help!!

We will be packing backpacks at the Caring & Sharing Center this Sunday afternoon at 5:15 if you can come help it would be appreciated!

LADIES' BIBLE CLASS

Ladies' Tuesday Bible Class will meet at 10:30 AM in the east multipurpose room. For September 30th they will study pages 45-49 in the book DUST GIRL by Debbie Dupuy.

BLOOD DRIVE

Wednesday, October 1st

See James Gibson in the Commons to sign up starting this Wednesday.

Central Church of Christ Ladies' Day
September 27th, 8:00 with Leah Faughn

Jeff Humphreys would appreciate cards sent to his home address: 3258 Quincy Ln., Clarksville, TN 37043.

Sympathy

We express the sympathy of the congregation to Randy Young and family on the death of his sister, Sandra Morgan of Michigan.

Birth Announcement

Mickey Paul Kondratko, son of Zac and Jade Kondratko, was born September 15th. He weighed 6 lbs., 13 oz. and was 19 ½ inches long. Curtis and Pam Smith are grandparents.

Food Pantry Needs: Canned Soup and Hamburger Helper Type Meals

West Kentucky Youth Camp

Golf Scramble

October 4th at

KY Dam Golf Course

Register online at

wkyc.org/2025-golf-scramble

~ELDERS~

Darrell Beane
Brent Canter
Derek Jones

Jeremy Bell
Andrew Falwell
Allen McKeel

Johnny Bohannon
Raymond Grady

~DEACONS~

Terry Bourland
Tim Coles
Jody DeWitt
Joel Fisher
Seth Grogan
Ryan Houston
Terry McCallon
Shawn Simmons
Kelly Starks
Nicholas Weber

Josh Bybee
Mike Cooper
Garry Evans
James Gibson
Chris Jones
Chad Lawson
Josh McKeel
Jay Stark
Rob Thompson
Daron Wilson

Landon Clark
Dan Davis
Jacob Falwell
Matt Gingles
Justin Hendrick
John Mahan
Mike Orr
Tim Stark
Stacey Underhill

~CARE TEAM LEADERS~

Jody Dewitt – Care Team 1
Dan Davis – Care Team 2
Jerry Stark – Care Team 3
Mike Orr – Care Team 4
Chuck Adams – Care Team 5
Garry Evans – Care Team 6
Terry Bourland – Care Team 7

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~SUNDAY SERVANTS~

9/28/2025

9:00 Morning Worship

Welcome/AnnouncementsBrent Canter
Song ServiceDerek Jones
Opening Prayer Landon Clark
Preside Seth Grogan
Scripture Reading Jake Hance
Scripture Acts 3:11-16
Speaker Steven Hunter
SermonFaith in Jesus' Name
Closing Prayer Lance Harper
Nursery.....Alisha Bohannon, Hillary Bohannon
Greeters.....Janice Nix, Mike Orr, Jeanne Orr,
Carolyn Parker, Sherry Payne, Eric Penniston

Serve the Lord's Supper

South	North
John Gore	Daniel Walker
Mason Gore	Isaac Ward
Corey Underhill.....	Benson Weber
Zachary Underhill	Daron Wilson
Jacob Vaughan	Keith York
Hunter Williams	Randy Young

Alternates: Stuart Alexander, Jamey Armstrong,
Luke Armstrong, Ernie Bailey, Kent Barlow,
Darrell Beane

6:00 Evening Worship

Welcome/AnnouncementsBrent Canter
Song ServiceDerek Jones
Opening Prayer Nathan Musser
Scripture Reading Luke Murdock
Scripture 1 Timothy 1:3-7
Speaker Steven Hunter
Sermon The Law in the Early Church
Preside David Ryan
Closing Prayer Kim Puckett
Nursery.....Linda McCallon, Rylee McCallon
Greeters...Halee Musser, Debbie Grogan, Abby
Harper, Daniel Harper, Marsha Harper

September Van Drivers:

Sunday AM – Jody DeWitt (270-293-1184)
Sunday PM – Corey Underhill (270-293-1165)
Wednesday – Terry McCallon (270-293-2720)