

GLENDALE ROAD CHURCH OF CHRIST NEWS & NOTES

1101 GLENDALE RD MURRAY, KY

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-November 8, 2022-

Involvement

Garry Evans

Not only does God understand us, He is compassionate for us. He feels for us like a father feels for his child. Sometimes it could be, that we doubt that God knows what it is like to be us.

God is not only our Creator, He is our Father and that includes understanding with feeling and love. We can be sure that when no one understands us, including ourselves, God not only understands, He really cares.

Not too many things can be counted upon in this world, there is a lot of disappointment. However, despite the uncertainty we experience, God reassures us that we can always count on Him.

1. **We can count on Him** to keep on loving us even when we do not like ourselves much.
2. **We can count on Him** to forget our sins even when we cannot.
3. **We can count on Him** to understand what is really going on with us even when we are totally confused.

“Nothing we do today, will make God love us any more than He already does, and nothing we do today, will make Him love us any less.”

Dual Citizenship

“For our citizenship is in heaven,” so Paul wrote to the Philippians (3:20). The ancient city of Philippi was a Roman colony, and her citizens were automatically citizens of Rome with all the perks and privileges that carried—among which were certain tax exemptions. Some of them may have never been to Rome itself but could appreciate and understand the pride of having citizenship despite having never been there. For Christians, this is our reality: we have not yet been to heaven, but that’s where our citizenship is and with it, all the blessings that accompany being members of the Kingdom of God. Why is it, then, that we place such a high value on earthly politics when our heavenly citizenship should be the premier marker of our identity?

We read that the world lies under the sway of the wicked one (1 John 5:19); we read that Satan is the god of this world (2 Cor. 4:4). Because of this truth, injustices, hatred, bigotry, and evil will always be present, and this shouldn’t shock us. Nevertheless, as citizens of the Kingdom of Heaven, we must and can undoubtedly lend to justice, truth, and goodness on earth as demonstrative of our heavenly citizenship. Some Christians believe the principal means by which this is achieved is through earthly government, but I would, respectfully, disagree. Satan offered the kingdoms of the world to Christ if He would only fall down and worship him, but Jesus refused (Matt. 4:8–10). Had Jesus wanted to affect change through earthly government, He had His chance in this scene. Perhaps one might retort that the price wasn’t worth paying. Fair enough. In John’s account of the gospel, after Jesus fed several thousand people, they wanted to make Him king by force, but Christ didn’t want that. He retreated to be by Himself, avoiding the crowd’s aim of making Him King by force (John 6:15).

It wasn’t God’s will that His Kingdom would come directly through government, and our Savior Himself didn’t rely upon government to achieve His ends. How was it achieved, instead? The will of God was completed by the employment of government: the arrest in the garden, the sham of a trial during the dark of the night, and ultimately, by the Roman procurator, Pilate, who then ordered an innocent Man to be executed. The very apparatus that Christians place their hopes in every election season is the one shown to itself be imperfect and full of corruptions, such that even our God was subject to and under which He suffered. Tell me again why such hope is placed in fallible, earthly authorities when our citizenship is in heaven?

Steven

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

CLASSES—Sunday AM: 10:15 Wednesday PM: 7:00

RADIO—Sunday AM: 9:00-10:00 Sunday PM: 6:00-7:00—WVHM FM 90.5

Sunday AM Rebroadcast: 11-12 – WTRT FM 88.1


DAILY RADIO—Monday-Friday 6:25 & 7:25 am—FM 90.5

ANNOUNCEMENT LINE – (270) 759-4444

THE GLENDALE FAMILY-

**TYLER BOHANNON
COLLEGE & YOUNG-N-HEARTS**



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NOVEMBER 10th, 2022: REGULAR CLASS @ 10:30am // NOVEMBER MEAL @ 11:30am - (This will be our THANKSGIVING MEAL) Please invite a friend 😊

NOVEMBER 17th, 2022: REGULAR CLASS @ 10:30am. Please invite a Friend 😊



NOVEMBER 9th, 2022 - C20 CLASS @ 7PM - Connecting w/ God in a Crisis (Tragedy)

NOVEMBER 13th, 2022 - REGULAR CLASS @ 10AM Topic - Capital Punishment & the Bible

INDIVIDUAL MEALS HAVE STARTED! Please remember the Monday Night you signed up for.

Monday Nights @ 7:15pm - Girl's Devo @ the Bohannon's house

2nd Mile Thanksgiving Meal For Shut-Ins - November 21st @ 5pm

Library

E. Bailey

Bicentennial Minute

Of the congregations that exist today, the county church that began earliest is thought to have been New Concord. The date most often given for its establishment is 1845 but that is based upon scant concrete historical documents and historians believe that it was established even earlier given that Concord (under an earlier name) was one of the earliest established communities in the county.

In nearby Henry County, the Blood River church was established in 1842. Two very early preachers in Henry County who also heavily influenced the church in Calloway were Dr. John R. McCall (1803-1866) and John R. Howard, both of whom later moved on out of the area. A comprehensive history of the Blood River church was done by Don Fodge in 2012 and this 282-page detailed history is then finest such history of any church around!

YOUTH

Jacob Vaughan

Winter sports are officially here, as well as numerous other activities that our youth participate in. We have some very talented youth here at Glendale and it would be a shame if you never take the opportunity to see them thrive in their choice fields. I encourage all of you to try and make it out to support our kids. It would mean the world to them.

Fall Retreat will take place **November 18th - 20th** at **WKYC**. Cost of attendance will be \$50 per individual. This event is for middle and high schoolers.

The youth Christmas party is being bumped up to the 16th of December. This is a change to what is on the calendar. Please mark it down. More details will be given at a later date.

CYC Signup has been posted on the bulletin board. It will take place from February 24th - 26th. We will head out after school on Thursday the 23rd of February. The cost for attendance will be \$120 plus enough money for a meal on your own in Gatlinburg as well as for any souvenirs you desire.

The next part of the secret message is "**heart.**"

ATTENTION...

Boys and Girls ages 3 and up are meeting at 5:15 in the multipurpose room on Sundays to prepare for ...

Little Ladies' Day at 5:00
on November 27th and
Young Men's Sunday Night Worship
Service at 6:00.

If anyone with a sewing machine who would be willing to help Daughters or Dorcas with a sewing project on November 13th, please contact Laken Falwell at 270-703-2341. It is basic sewing of an apron.

"Rejoice, Give Thanks, Pray"

THANK YOU

I would like to express my most sincere thanks for the calls, texts, cards and visits during my recent surgery. I appreciate all your thoughts, prayers, and concern during my hospitalization.

Mike Barnett

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Thank you for all of your prayers, food, calls and visits after my fall at the lake and for the many get well and birthday cards. Gene and I love each and everyone of you. Thanks again for caring for us.

Helen and Gene Paul King

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Thanks to everyone for all the acts of kindness, all the phone calls, cards, great food and good wishes for my birthday. I enjoyed everything so much!

Ray Bazzell

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## PACK THE PANTRY

Now through November 20<sup>th</sup>

Food and monetary donations can be dropped off in the commons area. Our church wide goal this year is 5,000 total items/dollars.

**Food Pantry Items Needed:** Ramen Noodles, Mac & Cheese, Soups, crackers, canned chili, ravioli, or stew, spaghetti & Sauce, peanut butter, Vienna sausage, tuna or other canned meats, applesauce or canned fruits, canned vegetables, instant potatoes, or anything you would like to bring! Thank You!!!!

## UPCOMING DATES

Churchwide Potluck – December 4<sup>th</sup> – Evening service at 5:00 followed by Potluck  
December 10<sup>th</sup> – Widows & Widowers Luncheon  
December 25<sup>th</sup> – 10:00 Worship Service Only

## GOSPEL SINGING

Parkway Church of Christ  
1301 Middle Rd., Fulton, KY  
November 18<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 PM

## SYMPATHY

We express the sympathy of the congregation to Jean Miller and family on the death of her grandson, Cody Miller; to Steve Ernstberger and family on the death of his sister, Marsha Prince; to Susan Tidwell and family on the death of her mother, Nancy Thompson; and to Grant Riley and family on the death of his grandmother, Lois Eades.

## CARE TEAM MEAL

Care Team 4 will be meeting for breakfast at Cracker Barrel this Saturday, November 12<sup>th</sup> at 8:04 AM.

## CLOTHING

The Caring and Sharing center is not taking adult clothing until November 15<sup>th</sup>. They are still in need of teen and children's clothing. Thank you!

### ~ELDERS~

|               |                 |              |
|---------------|-----------------|--------------|
| Jeremy Bell   | Johnny Bohannon | Brent Canter |
| Raymond Grady | Allen McKeel    |              |

### ~DEACONS~

|               |                  |                 |
|---------------|------------------|-----------------|
| Darrell Beane | Terry Bourland   | Josh Bybee      |
| Landon Clark  | Gerald Coles     | Tim Coles       |
| Mike Cooper   | Dan Davis        | Jody DeWitt     |
| Garry Evans   | Andrew Falwell   | Jacob Falwell   |
| Joel Fisher   | James Gibson     | Matt Gingles    |
| Seth Grogan   | Chris Jones      | Justin Hendrick |
| Ryan Houston  | Derek Jones      | Chad Lawson     |
| John Mahan    | Terry McCallon   | Josh McKeel     |
| Mike Orr      | Shawn Simmons    | Karl Smith      |
| Jay Stark     | Tim Stark        | Kelly Starks    |
| Rob Thompson  | Stacey Underhill | Nicholas Weber  |
| Daron Wilson  |                  |                 |

### ~CARE TEAM LEADERS~

1. Jody Dewitt (combined 1, 3 & 5)
2. Dan Davis (combined 2 & 12)
3. Jerry Stark (combined 6, 13 & 14)
4. Mike Orr (combined 7 & 20)
5. Karl Smith (combined 8 & 10)
6. Garry Evans (combined 11, 18 & 19)
7. Terry Bourland (combined 15, 16 & 17)

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~SUNDAY SERVANTS~

11/13/2022

**9:00 Morning Worship**

**Welcome/Announcements** ..... Garry Evans  
**Song Service** ..... Derek Jones  
**Opening Prayer** ..... Gerald Murdock  
**Preside** ..... Billy Elmore  
**Scripture Reading** ..... Darrell Beane  
**Scripture** ..... 2 Timothy 3:1  
**Speaker** ..... Steven Hunter  
**Sermon** ..... Be Light in the Darkness  
**Closing Prayer** ..... Seth Grogan  
**Nursery** ..... Leigh Ann Grady, Jessica Grogan  
**Greeters** ..... Jady Stark, Donna Starks, Kelly Starks, Kim Starks, Karsen Starks, Kameron Starks

**Serve the Lord's Supper**

| <b>South</b>         | <b>North</b>    |
|----------------------|-----------------|
| Lucas Medley .....   | Jay Stark       |
| Grant Riley .....    | Tim Stark       |
| Dwaine Rogers .....  | Zak Stark       |
| David Ryan .....     | Jerry Stark     |
| Marty Sheridan ..... | Rob Thompson    |
| Rick Spann .....     | Corey Underhill |

**Alternates:** Stacey Underhill, Tyler Underhill, Zach Underhill, Jacob Vaughan, Daron Wilson, Keith York

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11/13/2022

**6:00 Evening Worship**

**Welcome/Announcements** ..... Garry Evans  
**Song Service** ..... Derek Jones  
**Opening Prayer** ..... Josh McKeel  
**Scripture Reading** ..... Ryan DeWitt  
**Scripture** ..... Isaiah 65:17-18  
**Speaker** ..... Steven Hunter  
**Sermon** ..... SINGING NIGHT  
**Closing Prayer** ..... Chad Milam  
**Preside/PM Communion** ..... Kevin Mack  
**Nursery** ..... Jessica Morris, Alayna Peters  
**Greeters**... Joe Thornton, Marilyn Thornton, Jessica Wallace, Rylan Wallace, Terri Walston, Patricia Ward

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**Van Drivers:**

Sunday AM – Scott Faulkner (270-627-1572)

Sunday PM – Dan Davis (270-978-8505)