



GLENDALE ROAD CHURCH OF CHRIST NEWS & NOTES

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The Verse Everyone Quotes

Silence is Not Always Golden

The old saying, “Silence is golden” comes from a longer proverb believed to have originated in ancient Egypt. In 1831, it was first printed in English by poet Thomas Carlyle. **The truth is that silence is not always golden.** During any assembly of our Church, listen and you’ll hear gurgling, whining, fussing, crying and an occasional shriek.

Those **wonderful sounds** are coming from our children. Our congregation is blessed to be filled with children of all ages. Now you might think it strange to be thankful for these constant sounds, but believe me, I’ve been in churches where there were no children, and the silence was deafening.

God intended for the church to be filled with children, learning about Jesus, learning the Good News. On one occasion Jesus took a little child and set him by Him, and said, “Whoever receives this little child in My name receives Me; and whoever receives Me receives Him who sent Me. For he who is least among you all will be great.” (Luke 9:47-48)

May we always celebrate our children, edify and encourage their parents and continue to grow and thrive as God’s family.

Garry

Everyone and their mother know Matthew 7:1, and they use it—often inappropriately. Yet, there’s more to this passage than telling people not to judge. For example, just a few verses later, Jesus warns against false teachers. To dub a person a false teacher, you have to be willing to judge what they teach and how they live (Matt. 7:15–20). Notice what follows: how we judge is how we will be judged (7:2). This critical person sees only the fault in others but none in themselves (7:3–5). We’re to judge righteously (John 7:24). Unrighteous judgment is according to appearance. Righteous judgment, however, is with grace, mercy, and God’s will as the standard. There’s always a disconnect between what we see and reality. Sometimes the two are the same, but sometimes they’re not. When we look for the worst, that’s what we’ll find every time.

In matters of righteousness, we’re to judge our brethren and not outsiders (1 Cor. 5:12). Judgment here isn’t a condemnation but discernment. When a Christian doesn’t bear fruits of the spirit but works of the flesh, unrepentantly, we’re to address the issue. When you read the thought uninterrupted, it flows into the next chapter of 1 Corinthians, which denounced lawsuits among brethren. This matter is one of discipline (cf. Deut. 17:6–7; Matt. 18:15–20).

The good thing is that God is our judge. I’m content to let him have that job, and he hasn’t relegated it to me or anyone else. As humans, we can sometimes have biases in our evaluations of things. I think what Jesus was getting at was how the religious leaders of his day lived in the lane of judgment. These were scholars who knew the law and oral tradition of the rabbis. It’s like showing an accomplished artist your stick-figure drawing. It’s unimpressive to someone so gifted. Because they meditated on the law and oral traditions constantly, it might have been hard to not find fault.

We Christians can become just like those scholars. However, think about Jesus. The people whom the religious leaders likely judged were those who felt comfortable approaching Jesus. They wouldn’t have dared approached those leaders. The leaders wanted to be right. Jesus wanted to be effective while maintaining what was right and having compassion on all.

–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

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JULY 3rd, 2025 – OUT TO EAT – CJ's Café - We will leave on the vans @ **10:20am** from the church parking lot.

JULY 10th, 2025 – Young N Hearts Class @ 10:30am. Please invite a friend to join us 😊

JULY 17th, 2025 – Young N Hearts Class @ 10:30am. Please invite a friend to join us 😊



JULY 2nd, 2025 – SINGING NIGHT @ 6:30pm
Please meet in the Semper Fi Classroom after our brief devotional in the auditorium.
Out to Eat after Singing Night – Stay around and we will decide where to go.

JULY 6th, 2025 – C20 Class @ 10am:
Life of Christ – Defining Law! Mt 5:17-20
Continued...

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E. Bailey

What is Contemporary?

Everyone has a personal definition as to what is “contemporary” and what is “traditional” when it comes to worship styles. This issue has gone so far as to divide churches and some larger ones have dealt with it by simply having two worship periods – one contemporary and one traditional. Others have tried to do what they call “blended” worship which works well in some settings and fails miserably in other congregations.

The flashpoint usually comes down to what style of songs are we going to sing. To me, “contemporary” hymns can be anything written in the last 50 years because it usually takes that long for a “new” song to work its way into the mainstream worship of a church.

One of the first such “new” songs that comes to mind is Karen Lafferty’s **“Seek Ye First”**, written in 1972 and now pretty well recognized in churches everywhere. Another example is John Peterson’s **“Heaven Came Down”** written in 1961 and also now universally sung in churches.

YOUTH

Jacob Vaughan

Hello from Honduras everyone. I hope you all are doing well. I ask for your prayers as our group of 22 are traveling and working in Honduras. We will be flying back in on July 2nd and will be back in Murray early morning of the 3rd.

We have kids going to nearly every week of camp this year at WKYC. It would mean a lot to them if you would send them a letter in the mail addressed to the camp. It’s always a special time to receive mail from home when at camp and some directors like to have fun with it. If you would like to send a letter the mailing address is **301 Youth Camp Road, Marion, KY 42064.**

Let’s Go to Camp! Western Kentucky Youth Camp (WKYC). Members of Glendale Road, see Jacob Vaughan for a special discount code. Got questions? See Jacob or speak with Landon Clark, WKYC Board President. Visit <https://www.wkyc.org/> to enroll your camper.

Sessions include the following:

- Ages 8-10 Week: July 6-11
- All-Ages Week (ages 8-18): July 13-18

CLOTHING NEEDS

We are in need of any boys clothing size newborn to 6x and men’s summer clothing, jeans and shoes please. We appreciate everything our church does for this community!!

"Rejoice, Give Thanks, Pray"

THANK YOU

Thank you for all the birthday wishes. I love my church family.

Judith Darnell

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I would like to thank each one who sent me a birthday card and for the kind words that were spoken, and to Marilyn Thornton for the "goodie bag" she gave me.

A special thank you to Miriam's Wednesday Night Bible Class taught by Karen Bolls. The cards you send are so nice and they make my day. Thank you for taking time out of your day to remember me. God Bless you all!

Martha Lovett

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Thank you all for the calls, texts, cards and good wishes on my birthday!

Johnny Bohannon

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Thank you for all the cards and letters on our birthdays! They were really appreciated!

Rodney & Jordan Lowe

## **SUMMER WEDNESDAY NIGHT CLASSES K-5<sup>TH</sup>**

Our Wednesday Night Summer Series schedule for July 2<sup>nd</sup>: K-2<sup>nd</sup> will study "The Door" in Room 208 with Jay & Hannah Stark and 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> will study "Light of the Word" in Room 201 with Jacob & Laken Falwell.

On July 9<sup>th</sup>: K-2<sup>nd</sup> will study "Light of the Word" in Room 208 with Jacob & Laken Falwell and 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> will study "The Door" in Room 201 with Jay & Hannah Stark.

## **FOOD PANTRY**

We can always use peanut butter, mac & cheese, canned tuna, Spam or Vienna Sausage in the food pantry along with anything else you may want to bring! Thank you!!

## **CONGRATULATIONS**

Congratulations to Joe & Marilyn Thornton who will celebrate their 65<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary on July 3<sup>rd</sup>.

## **NEW ADDRESS**

Sarah Provine was moved to a Rehab Facility. Please send cards to Sarah Provine, 44240 Southampton Dr., Canton, MI 48187.

## **GOSPEL MEETING**

Williams Chapel Church of Christ

July 6<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup>

Sunday 7:30 PM; Mon.-Wed. 7:00 PM  
with David Williams speaking

### **~ELDERS~**

Darrell Beane  
Brent Canter  
Derek Jones

Jeremy Bell  
Andrew Falwell  
Allen McKeel

Johnny Bohannon  
Raymond Grady

### **~DEACONS~**

Terry Bourland  
Gerald Coles  
Dan Davis  
Jacob Falwell  
Matt Gingles  
Justin Hendrick  
John Mahan  
Mike Orr  
Tim Stark  
Stacey Underhill

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

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

### **~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



## ~SUNDAY SERVANTS~

7/6/2025

### 9:00 Morning Worship

**Welcome/Announcements** ..... Garry Evans  
**Song Service** ..... Derek Jones  
**Opening Prayer** ..... Kim Puckett  
**Preside** ..... Mark Pugh  
**Scripture Reading** ..... Eric Penniston  
**Scripture** ..... Job 7:17  
**Speaker** ..... Steven Hunter  
**Sermon** ..... What is Man?  
**Closing Prayer** ..... Grant Riley  
**Nursery** ..... Jessica Morris, Tonya Morris  
**Greeters** ..... Grundy Falwell, Beth Falwell,  
 Mason Falwell, Bobby Fike, Vanessa Fike, Kim  
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### Serve the Lord's Supper

#### South

#### North

Trent Jones ..... Kevin Mack  
 Trice Jones ..... Allen McKeel  
 Dennis Jones ..... Josh McKeel  
 Jody Kelso ..... Chad Milam  
 Sawyer Lawson ..... Matthew Morris  
 Rodney Lowe ..... Gerald Murdock

**Alternates:** Matthew McNutt, John Miller, Ray  
 Murdock, Kyle Murdock, Luke Murdock, Trent  
 Murdock

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### 6:00 Evening Worship

**Welcome/Announcements** ..... Garry Evans  
**Song Service** ..... Derek Jones  
**Opening Prayer** ..... Jay Stark  
**Scripture Reading** ..... Kenneth Cleaver  
**Scripture** ..... Exodus 20:9-11  
**Speaker** ..... Steven Hunter  
**Sermon** ..... Imitating God  
**Preside** ..... John Dale  
**Closing Prayer** ..... Kent Barlow  
**Nursery** ..... Haley Burchett, Stacey Butterworth  
**Greeters** ..... Donna Starks, Kelly Starks, Kim  
 Starks, Jennifer Thompson, Joe Thornton,  
 Marilyn Thornton

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### June Van Drivers:

Sunday AM – Terry McCallon (270-293-2720)  
 Sunday PM – Eric Penniston (270-753-5859)  
 Wednesday – Ryan Houston (270-293-0911)