



# GLENDALE ROAD CHURCH OF CHRIST NEWS & NOTES

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## The Unjust Servant Luke 16

Chapter sixteen, except verses 16–17, is unique to Luke. The main thrust of the entire chapter is wealth (16:14) and is directed at the Pharisees. The initial parable, however, is a little tricky. Remembering that the previous chapter is about forgiveness, this parable should be read with both forgiveness and wealth in mind. The point may not be to praise the seemingly unethical transactions so much as to demonstrate worldly forgiveness and how it's juxtaposed with divine forgiveness.

Unlike the parable of the prodigal son, this one is about an estate manager who “squandered his property” (16:1). This phrase is the same used of the son in 15:13. The manager would not dig and was too prideful. The son fed swine and humbled himself to return to his father. Then, shrewdly, he makes plans for his termination. He calls the debtors, asks what they owe, and offers them a discount to ensure they will be welcomed upon dismissal. The master, seeing this, applauds his ingenuity even though it was at a personal cost. He figures, “This guy will do anything he needs to, so maybe I should keep him after all.” Worldly people use riches self-interestedly, but children of light are more concerned with laying up their treasures in heaven. The children of light receive their homes, while worldly people's eternal homes are those just like them. One either serves God or wealth.

After the Pharisees ridicule him, he addresses their self-centered motives. This is a repudiation of our modern-day prosperity gospel preaching. They believed that their wealth was an indication of God's blessing on them. However, Jesus uses language from the Hebrew scriptures to repudiate their perspective (1 Sam. 16:7; Prov. 30:12–14; Is. 5:21). Priding themselves on loving the law and prophets, Jesus shows a marked transition from them to the good news of the kingdom of God. Those entering the kingdom by force may have referred to those such as the Zealots, who sought to bring about the messianic age through military and political prowess. The law remains valid, and one provision concerned marriage—something he may have known was commonly understood the opposite way. He may even have directed that at some point, given their character and life choices.

—Steven

Involvement  
Garry Evans



### IMPORTANT

SCHEDULE CHANGE



Please help spread the word to members of the community who might visit with us on our Sunday evening Singing Night that the February Singing will be February 15<sup>th</sup>. I know so many people look forward this monthly singing night. **We are so blessed to have Derek's leadership with his wonderful talent and willingness to serve. We are truly blessed by him!**

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

ANNOUNCEMENT LINE – (270) 759-4444

# THE GLENDALE FAMILY

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



**YOUNG - N -** 

Thank you for a wonderful year! Young N Hearts will be off during the winter season. I look forward to seeing you early in the spring! God bless and have a wonderful holiday season!

Scripture of the Day: **1 John 3:6** "No one who remains in Him sins continually; no one who sins continually has seen Him or knows Him."



**FEBRUARY 11<sup>th</sup>, 2026 - C20 Class @ 6:30pm.**  
Topic: Icebreaker: **Relationships...** Lesson:  
Cont... **Cherry Picking Scriptures**

**FEBRUARY 12<sup>th</sup>, 2026 - GUY'S / GIRL'S DEVO**  
**@ my house @ 6:30pm.** Please invite friends!

**FEBRUARY 15<sup>th</sup>, 2026 - C20 Class @ 10am.**  
Topic: The 3 Characteristics of Conflict with God:  
1. Hostility Toward God... 2. Disregard For  
Scripture... 3. Pride (Focus on Scripture & Pride)

## Library

*E. Bailey*

### Enter S. H. Dees # 2

With the passing of Samuel Henry Dees and his Wife, Eliza Ann in the early 1920s, nine churches in the Hazel & Murray areas were bequeathed either cash or bank stock.

Churches receiving a thousand dollars were 1<sup>st</sup> Christian, First Methodist, 1<sup>st</sup> Baptist, Water Street Church of Christ, Green Plain Church of Christ & Hazel Church of Christ. Churches receiving bank stock were Hazel Baptist, Hazel Methodist & South Pleasant Grove Methodist.

The thousand dollars that Water Street received in 1923 is said to be the equivalent of \$ 18, 954.00 in 2026. This amount of money, together with the property that Abe Thompson donated a few years previous may have been the two gifts that enabled the struggling young church to survive and to make several much-needed improvements to the building in 1927.

The generosity of the Thompson & Dees families cannot be over emphasized in an era when a good Sunday's offering at Water Street was often no more than \$5.00!!!!

*"Their works do follow them" Revelation 14:13*

## YOUTH

**Jacob Vaughan**

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CYC is will soon be upon us. The sign up has been taken down so if you plan on attending and have not signed up you need to talk to me asap, otherwise, you will not have a spot on the trip. The trip will take place February 19<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> and we will depart from the Glendale parking lot at 1:00 that Thursday the 19<sup>th</sup>. Please try and eat lunch before your arrival. The cost to attend the trip this year is \$110. You will need to bring money with you for dinner on the way down there at Buc-ees and for any souvenirs/ snacks you purchase while we are on the road. **There will be a meeting Sunday Evening after services to go over itinerary and what to bring/ expect.**

Bible Bowl is here. Middle and High School will be covering Judges chapters 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16. K – 1<sup>st</sup> will cover Judges chapters 4, 6, 7, and 13. 2<sup>nd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> will cover Judges chapters 4, 6, 7, 8, 13, 14, 15. This will be a wonderful time to study with your families so we can all grow closer to God together.

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The Easter egg hunt will be on Saturday, March 28<sup>th</sup> at 3 PM at the church pavilion. We invite all kids ages 0-5th grade who would like to participate to please sign up on the youth board. There is a tote beneath the youth board to fill with candy if you are able to donate. Please see Alayna Peters for more information.

# Rejoice, Give Thanks, Pray"

## THANK YOU

Thank you for three of our members, my brothers, Phil and Matt Morris and Terry McCallon for shoveling ice and snow at my house. They do a fine job!

Jean Miller

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Thank you to everyone for all the birthday cards and good wishes! They made my day special!

John Mahan

## LADIES' BIBLE CLASS

Ladies' Bible Class will meet on Tuesday mornings at 10:30, weather permitting. On February 17<sup>th</sup> they will be studying pages 113-127.

## MISSION TRIP

Please keep in your prayers the Honduras Mission Team leaving Feb. 13<sup>th</sup> – Darrell Beane, Doug Clark, Mike Forgey, Bob Hargrove, Tim Hayman, Billy Joe Hendon, Nathan Musser, Grant Riley, David Ryan and Rick Spann.

## MEN'S RETREAT

**March 27<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup>**

Men's Retreat will be at the Glendale Rd. Church again this year. Signups will begin February 22<sup>nd</sup> and the cost is \$50. Larry Nunley will be the speaker. The schedule is:

### Friday Night

6:00 Dinner, 7:00 Lesson

### Saturday Morning

8:00 Breakfast, 8:45 Lesson, 9:30 Lesson

## FOOD PANTRY

We are in need of canned soup, spaghetti and instant potatoes for the Food Pantry. Thank you for all you give!

## SYMPATHY

We express the sympathy of the congregation to Tony and Robyn Threatt and family on the death of his father, Bobby Threatt.

## BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Eleanor Hayes Grady, daughter of Taylor and Lauren Grady, was born February 6<sup>th</sup>. She weighed 7 lbs., 3 oz. and was 19 ¾ inches long. Grandparents are Raymond and Leigh Ann Grady and great-grandmother is Jane Steely.

## WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Congratulations to Lynn and Cynthia Darnall who celebrated their 68<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary on February 8<sup>th</sup>.

Save the Date – Our next Blood Drive will be Wednesday, March 4<sup>th</sup>.

### ~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



## ~SUNDAY SERVANTS~

2/15/2026

### 9:00 Morning Worship

**Welcome/Announcements** ..... Garry Evans  
**Song Service** ..... John Gore  
**Opening Prayer** ..... Seth Grogan  
**Preside** ..... Raymond Grady  
**Scripture Reading** ..... Jackson Bell  
**Scripture** ..... Luke 5:17-26  
**Speaker** ..... Steven Hunter  
**Sermon** ..... A Paradox Thing  
**Closing Prayer** ..... James Gibson  
**Nursery** ..... Alayna Peters, Suzanna Pigg  
**Greeters** ..... Don Durst, Zona Durst, Mason Falwell, Bobby Fike, Vanessa Fike, Kim Forgey

### Serve the Lord's Supper

#### South

#### North

Daniel Walker ..... Randy Young  
Isaac Ward ..... Chuck Adams  
Benson Weber ..... Stuart Alexander  
Hunter Williams ..... Jamey Armstrong  
Daron Wilson ..... Luke Armstrong  
Keith York ..... Ernie Bailey

**Alternates:** Kent Barlow, Darrell Beane, Jackson Bell, Jeremy Bell, Dennis Blagg, Terry Bourland

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### 6:00 Evening Worship

**Welcome/Announcements** ..... Garry Evans  
**Song Service** ..... Derek Jones  
**Opening Prayer** ..... Gerald Murdock  
**Scripture Reading** ..... Steve Dublin  
**Scripture** ..... Psalm 40:3-4  
**Speaker** ..... Steven Hunter  
**Sermon** ..... SINGING NIGHT  
**Preside** ..... Rodney Lowe  
**Closing Prayer** ..... Ray Murdock  
**Nursery** ..... Missy Crawford, Addison Crawford  
**Greeters** ..... Jana Falwell, Evan Falwell, John Gallagher, Debbie Gallagher, Thenia Gibson, Margaret Gibson

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### Van Drivers:

Sunday AM – Terry McCallon (270-293-2720)  
Sunday PM – Stacey Underhill (270-978-9849)  
Wednesday – Rusty Back (270-293-8924)