Larry's Lines....

TEN RULES FOR IMPROVING THE CHURCH

- 1. Tell yourself over and over that since you are not perfect, you would not fit into a perfect congregation if one existed.
- 2. Instead of picking out the worldly members to point to, pick out the sincere, dedicated, spiritual members and thank God for them. You will find what you seek.
- 3. If you are old, treat the youth with consideration you desired as a young person. If you are young, treat adults with the respect you will want when you mature.
- 4. When you are tempted to criticize others, be sure to pray earnestly for them first. This may not totally change them but it will do wonders for your attitude.
- 5. When you see a work being neglected, instead of being critical, offer to help. Serve instead of being served!
- 6. Never, never blame others for your own failures. Every individual can be fruitful in spite of the bad examples and discouraging attitudes of others if he is determined to be.
- 7. Remind yourself every day that the only way you can improve the world or church is to begin with self.
- 8. Consciously look for the good gualities in every brother and sister in Christ. When you think of a brother or sister, make a quick mental note of the good points each possesses
- 9. Constantly strive to increase your circle of associates in the church. Try to do something good for each one.
- 10. Every church has problems. Constantly ask yourself, "Am I a part of the problem or a part of the solution?"

HAVE A GREAT WEEK! Larry

Congratulations to Ty Brunkhardt and Rachael Ball who were engaged Tuesday night, July 5, 2016.



We are now collecting vitamin, tylenol, or ibuprofen baby drops, and lower strength reading glasses to take to Honduras. July 17, 2016 is the last day to donate these items as they will need to be packed before the team leaves on July 22, 2016. Please pray for the safe travel and a safe return as well as a successful mission trip.

NOTICES

There are 12 Questions cards in the foyer. Please pick some up to pass out to the wait-staff at your favorite restaurants, neighbors, grocery clerks or anyone else that you may talk with. It is important to give everyone a chance to ask their questions.

We will have a special quest on July 17th. Jerry Bates, of World Evangelism and Voice of Truth along with his wife, Paula will be our guest. He is scheduled to speak on Sunday Night.

"Let's be friends!" Keep us informed by joining our Facebook group.

..... Deacons Meeting TODAY! ·····

Directory Corrections

Ron Parsley 236-7354 Donna Baker 601-5202 Please delete the home phone number for Jim and Sharon Olmstead

Event Leaders are needed for LTC. Check out our communication bulletin board and find an event that fits your talent. Kickoff is planned for July 17th, and we would like all events to have event leaders before then. Please see David Shew or Chesley Martin for questions.

Get More Involved! If you are new to our family and would like to get more involved, please fill out an opportunity to serve sheet located in the foyer. You can always call the office at 479-541-3410 or email the secretary and one can be sent to your email or home.

Keepers will meet next Sunday July 17th during evening services.

Upcoming Events

Pancakes with the Pastors is July 16th at 8:00am. This is an event the whole congregation is invited to enjoy, and is followed by Servant Saturday. We have several different servant projects you can help with, or just come and enjoy breakfast and fellowship.

Happy Birthday

July 12th Ganyon Gobb Ryan Lee Kamryn Lee

July 13th Deklan Gardenhire George Martin



July 10th Ronnie and Gynthia Burns

> July 11th **Keith and Sharon** Montgomery

July 15th Lete and Frankie Ball



"The Sign Up Book" Please check this for teacher sign up, nursery, Wednesday Night Devotions, and other events.

Lee Pennington Becky Bluse

Betty Jordan had a procedure on her back and is now at home recovering, Donnie Rice (uncle of Diane Murray) had a 4-wheeler accident and is in critical care, Nancy Bailey has just been diagnosed as a diabetic, Kristen Lee is recovering from gall bladder surgery, Mike Fine (Ron and Barbara Parsley's sonin-law) has a brain tumor and is seeking our prayers that he finds a treatment, Tori Griffiths (Granddaughter of Larry and Pat Culbreath) had her appendix removed Tuesday and is at home recovering, **Dana Bradford** is recovering from surgery, Kathy LaFerney had recent surgery (Herb and Laura Hughes' daughter), Glen Parker is back at Walnut Grove, Mae Wiles (mother of Darreleen Scott) is recovering from recent surgery, Mary Ellen Johnson is recovering from surgery, Jon Warren (Megan Bassing's uncle) had his lower leg amputated and is recovering, Leslie Cones is having health issues (niece of Alan and Trish Fortenberry), Denise Karnes (daughter of Larry and Dixie Dalrymple) recovering from surgery.

Genevra Montgomery (Keith Montgomery's mother) is not doing very well. Keith Montgomery is having cancer treatments, Bessie Richey is on Hospice, Sibyl Stroup, Oma Leta Smith is on Hospice, Don Neal, Pearl Couch. Arlie Pennington, James Allen, Irene Matthews, Shirley Bates, Terrance Tewell, Roger and Shirley Gross, Roy Howard, and Emmett Windham.

Please go to our website and fill out the VBS survey. This will help us to develop VBS for next year. It is short, simple, and takes verv little time.

Those Needing Our Prayers & Visits: Those with recent health issues:

Those who need your continual prayer and consideration!

The leaders of our community, our state, our country, and our troops.

Keep us on top by checking out our website

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Pantry Items: Pasta and Sauce

Please remember all of our family that are traveling this summer in your prayers.

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE IN THE MONTH OF JULY 2016

Lord's Table

Matt Bassing Darby York Jim Olmstead John Cobb

James Goodpasture Jonathan Martindale Steve Martindale Ty Brunkhardt **Chesley Martin** Phil Terry

Ushers

Jim Allen **Rodney Friend** Josh Fortenberry

Greeters

Phil Curlee Jennifer Fortenberry

Announcements

Alan Fortenberry David Cherry Rodney Friend

Deliver Communion

Steve Martindale

Prepare Communion

Vickie Craft/Becky Bluse Norma Williams

Nursery Attendants

Julie Marvin Anna Claire Marvin

Song Leader Brad Harriman P.A. System Larry Llovd

THE LORD'S DAY ORDER OF WORSHIP

WELCOME Announcements Alan Fortenberry

Song Leader Brad Harriman

Hymn #47 (1,2,&4) Holy, Holy, Holy

Hymn #62 I Exalt Thee (twice)

Hymn #790 Lord, Take Control (Once)

> OPENING PRAYER Ron Parsley

Hymn #221 (once) Jesus, Name Above all Names

Hymn #222 (once) There's Something About That Name

> COMMUNION SCRIPTURE Kevin Murray

COMMUNION PRAYER Randall Harriman

LORD'S SUPPER

OFFERING

Hymn #458 Redeemed (all)

SCRIPTURE READING Numbers 32:6-11 JP Bradford

AM SERMON Standing on the Promises or Sitting on the Premises

Invitation Hymn #927 Why Keep Jesus Waiting (1&3)

Hymn #738 (1st) Take The Name of Jesus With You

> Closing Prayer Heath Huffmaster

Welcome Visitors!

We are so happy to have you, and consider you our honored guest. If we can help you in any way, please don't hesitate to ask any of our members. We would love to help make your visit a pleasant one.

July EVENTS

Deacons Meeting 12th Threads of Love 13th Summer Series Speaker Jimmy Allen Robinson Ave Church of Christ 14th Elder's Meeting 16th Pancakes with the Pastors Servant Saturday July 17th LTC Kickoff **Keepers** PM Guest Speaker **Jerry Bates** World Evangelism and Voice of Truth July 20th Summer Series Speaker Luke Dockery Farmington Church of Christ July 24th 4th Sunday Fellowship July 26th Threads of Love July 27th Summer Series Speaker Sabino Rodriguez Robinson Ave Church of Christ July 28th Elder's Meeting 31st - August 6th Green Valley Bible Camp **AUGUST EVENTS** August 3rd Summer Series Speaker Bobby Dockery



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COME WORSHIP WITH US Sunday: Bíble Class: 9:30 AM Morníng Worship: 10:20 AM Eveníng Worship: 6:00 PM Wednesday: 7:00 P.M.

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Sunday Morning Announcements: Alan Fortenberry Song Leader: Brad Harriman Opening Prayer: Phil Curlee Communion Scripture: Virgil Harmc Communion Prayer: Michael Marvi Scripture Reading: David Cherry Closing Prayer: Ronnie Burns

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I don't need everyone to hear me say I'm a Christian, but I need everyone to see *Christ* in me.

2 Corinthians 13:5

JULY 10, 2016