

Larry's Lines

Life's Best Investment

Gold, silver and rubies are coveted treasures of many. Yet Solomon praises wisdom as life's best investment.

Happy is the man who finds wisdom, and the Man who gets understanding, for the gain from It is better than gain from silver and its profit Better than gold. She is more precious than jewels, And nothing you desire can compare to her.
Proverbs 3:13-15

1. Wisdom Gives Happiness: The quest for happiness has become a universal treasure hunt. But many have failed to recognize that the pot of gold at the end of the rainbow is labeled "wisdom." The man who has found true understanding can count himself happy, since he has found that which is above everything else. "Happy is the Man that finds wisdom." (Proverbs 3:13)
2. Wisdom Gives Length of Days and Prosperity: Wisdom stands as a majestic woman offering rich blessings with both hands to those who seek her. "Length of days is in her right hand; and her left hand riches and honor." (Proverbs 3:16)
3. Wisdom Gives Pleasantness and Peace: Would you be free from turmoil and strife? Would you find abundance of delight and satisfaction? Then let wisdom guide you. "Her ways are ways of pleasantness and all her paths are peace." (Proverbs 3:17)
4. Wisdom Gives Security Against Sin: With wisdom as your companion, you will walk safely, and "Thy foot shall not stumble." (Proverbs 3:23) For wisdom will direct you into and keep you in the right way.
5. Wisdom Gives Serenity of the Soul: Listen to her offer: Whosoever hearkeneth unto me shall dwell safely, and shall be secure from fear of evil." (Proverbs 1:33)

"Wisdom calls aloud outside; she raises her voice in the streets... she speaks her words" (Proverbs 1:20)

We would be WiSE to listen and follow!

Congratulations Graduates!
Larry

Threads of Love are making microwave bowl pot holders for a donation of \$5.00 or more. All proceeds go to the Green Valley Renovation Fundraiser. Please pick out the one you like and give your donation to Dixie Dalrymple, Mary Hutton, Janice Thomas, or Barbara Parsley. You need to hurry, they will only be making them through June.

NOTICES

Class Updates are now due. If you are teaching an adult class for the summer quarter, please contact the office @ johnsonchurchofchrist.com.

Change of Address: **Mission Sunday**
The Scott's raised 12,212.00
1411 Fredonia Street for our Honduras
Springdale AR 72762 Mission Trips.
Tracy, Jordan and Delaney

TEACHER SIGN UPS going on right now:
Summer Quarter Begins June 3, 2018. Sign up book is in the foyer.

VBS Cards are available to hand out to friends, family, and neighbors. Grab a few on your way out this morning.
Carvers Coloring Crew will be collecting unused coloring books, colored pencils, crayons and other art supplies during the months of May and June. A box has been placed in the foyer for your donations. The more we collect, the more we can help the children at the Arkansas Children's hospital have a moment of happiness during a dark time in their lives. See Lexi Cobb for details.

Online Registration is now open for Green Valley Bible Camp. Register at www.greenvallybiblecamp.com.

Finish up those Wednesday night classes by May 30th: **Summer Series** begins June 6, 2018. Kids go downstairs for class and adults go to the auditorium. Teens stay right where you are.

Upcoming Events

Stuckey Cemetery Decoration Day is today.

4th Sunday fellowship next Sunday, May 27, 2018 after evening services. Bring your favorite Mexican dish, desert, or drinks. The 40's and 50's will be serving and cleaning up.

The Senior Group is going to the "Top of the Rock" in Branson Mo. June 2, 2018. We will leave the church building at 8:00am and will eat breakfast in Springdale. We will take a golf cart tour for 45 minutes and then tour the natural history museum and be back by 5:00 pm. The cost is \$28.00. For questions or details, see Steve Martindale. Sign up sheet is located in the foyer.

A wedding shower for Russell Keck and Sunni Rogers will be held on June 2, 2018 at 11:00 here at the church. The couple is registered at Bed Bath and Beyond and Target. Russell is the grandson of Phillip and Wanda Sanders.

More information about these and other events can be found on the Events board in the foyer.

Happy Birthday

May 20th
Smith Cruz Cherry
May 25th
Alexis Cherry
May 27th
Heath Huffmaster

Pantry Items needed:
Side Dishes

Happy Anniversary

May 20th
Chesley and Ashley Martin
May 24th
Darron and Dawn Mitchell
May 25th
Katie and Lincoln Phillips
May 26th
Justin and Amanda Gardenhire

VBS will take place June 25-27, 2018. A sign up sheet has been placed in the foyer that needs your name on it. Please take time to see what you can do to help make this the best VBS ever.

Those Needing Our Prayers & Visits:

Those with recent health issues:

Janice Thomas - twisted ankle and respiratory problems, **Fannie Guion** (Andrea Goodpasture's mother) is having health issues, **Elaine Jones** (Larry Dalrymple's sister) had a knee replacement and is having heart problems, **Parker Kholer** (Shirley Hesters great grandson) was hit by a truck and is in the hospital with a broken pelvis, **Henry Hickman** (brother of Lisa and Roy Lewis) is in stage 5 of kidney failure.

Those on Hospice: Millie Hood and Oma Leta Smith

Those fighting Cancer: Keith Montgomery, Leslie Cones and Darvil Tester (Pam Hill's step-father) **Kim Williams** (Megan Bassing's Aunt).

Those who need your continual prayer and consideration!

Arlie Pennington, Pearl Couch, Emmett Windham, Shirley Bates, Roger and Shirley Gross, Norma Williams, Roy Howard, Betty Jordan, Genevra Montgomery, Vada Loker and Kendra Phillips.

The leaders of our community, our state, our country, as well as our Military Service Men and Women deployed overseas. Please say a special prayer for all of our Graduates.

***All names submitted to the prayer list will appear for four continuous weeks. After that time, they will be removed unless further updates are received. You can always resubmit a name should they need continual or additional prayers.**

Teen Notices/Events

Many of you remember Jackson from last summer. He was here last summer doing an internship for ARVEST and is back this summer as our summer youth intern. He is originally from Amarillo, TX, where he worshiped with the Southwest Church of Christ. He is a student at Harding University studying Accounting with a second major in Leadership and Ministry. He hopes to use this summer to invest in the youth at Johnson and develop their faith as disciples of Christ. His interests include music, reading, podcasts, and staying active. Please help make Jackson feel welcome this summer! We are excited he is here!

Join us tonight for **Senior Sunday** : We will celebrate our graduating Seniors right after evening services.

Teen Devo at Dustin and Lauren Mayhew's house, May 26, 2018 at 5:30.

Uplift is June 9-14, 2018 at Harding University in Searcy, AR for youth in 7-12th grade.

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**THE LORD'S DAY
ORDER OF WORSHIP**

WELCOME

Announcements
Joe Harriman

Song Leader
Brad Harriman

Hymn

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Hymn

OPENING PRAYER

Marc Wolfe

Hymn

COMMUNION SCRIPTURE

Ephesians 1:3-8
George Martin

Communion Prayer
Terry Huffmaster

LORD'S SUPPER
Offering

Hymn

SCRIPTURE READING

2 Timothy 3:14-17
Darby York

*Longterm
Investment*

Invitation Hymn

Closing Hymn

Closing Prayer
Keenan Couch

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.

May Events

May 20th
Jar (Graduation) Sunday

May 22nd
Threads of Love

May 24
Elders Meeting

May 26th
Teen Devo at the Mayhew's

Am Outline

New Traditions. Same Cycle.
Intergenerational Biblical Relationships.
Psalm 48:12-13
Psalm 71:17-18
The work of a mentor.
They need _____ to grow in their faith.
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They need _____ to grow in their faith.
2 Timothy 4:7

PM SERMON OUTLINE

1. Learn to wait on God
Psalm 25:4-5
Psalm 37:7
Psalm 62:5-8
Isaiah 40:31
Romans 8:24-28
2. Learn to Lean on Jesus
2nd Corinthians 12:10
1st Corinthians 10:13
Romans 8:31-39
3. Learn to set your priorities
Mark 4:18-19
Matthew 6:25
Matthew 6:33
Luke 21:34
4. Learn to Appreciate your family and friends more
Galatians 6:2
John 13:34-35
Romans 12:15

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COME WORSHIP WITH US

Sunday:
Bible Class: 9:30 AM
Morning Worship: 10:20 AM
Evening Worship: 6:00 PM
Wednesday: 7:00 P.M.
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Church Office Hours:
Monday, Tuesdays, and
Thursday 8:30 – 4:30
Wednesday 8:30-6:30
Friday 8:30 – 2:30

MISSIONARIES

Marco Antonio
Herbert Chukwu

ELDERS

Alan Fortenberry
Virgil Harmon
Joe Harriman
Terry Huffmaster
Kevin Murray

DEACONS

Jim Allen
Pete Ball
JP Bradford
David Cherry
Jared Cobb
Josh Fortenberry
Doug Goodpasture
Randall Harriman
Richard Hutton
Heath Huffmaster
Chesley Martin
Steve Martindale
Michael Marvin
Dustin Mayhew
David Shew

PROOF OF OUR LOVE

May 13, 2018

Bible Study: 157
Morning Worship: 245
Evening Worship: 128
Wednesday Night: 139
Chapters Read: 216
Contribution: \$8748.00.00

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

Sunday Evening
May 20, 2018

Song Leader: Steve Martindale
Prayer: Chesley Martin
Sermon: My Thoughts after Surgery
Scripture: 2nd Corinthians 12:7-10
Announcements: Matt Bassing
Closing Prayer: Michael Marvin

May 23, 2018

Wednesday Evening

Song Leader: Justin Goforth
Opening Prayer: Randall Harriman
Devotional: Larry Scott
Announcements: Heath Huffmaster
Closing Prayer: Lincoln Phillips

May 27, 2018

Sunday Morning

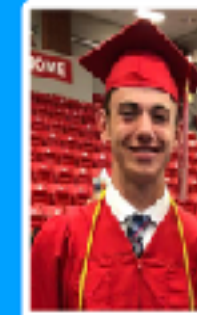
Announcements: Joe Harriman
Song Leader: Brad Harriman
Opening Prayer: Justin Goforth
Communion Scripture: JP Bradford
Communion Prayer: Charles Couch
Scripture Reading: Keenan Couch
Closing Prayer: Jared Cobb

*Welcome
to
Johnson church of Christ*

SENIOR SUNDAY
at the Johnson Church of Christ



LilyAnne Witt



Haycan Vanlandingham



Connor Trolinger



Ella Wilson



Logan Wolfe

Congratulations to all our Graduating Seniors!
May 20th, 2018