

## Larry's Lines...

### SOFTLY DOES IT

What would you do if you knew you were about to die? Hezekiah, the king, was warned by a prophet of God, "Set your house in order; for you shall die, you shall not recover" (Isaiah 38:1). I suppose that Hezekiah responded much like any other of us would under the circumstances. He wept and prayed.

But what then? Did anything happen? Are such things as crying and praying exercises in futility? Hardly! God said; (1) "I have heard your prayer," (2) "I have seen your tears; and (3) "I will add fifteen years to your life." Isn't it good to know that we have a God who hears...who sees...who answers!

Once Hezekiah has been heard he is at a loss to express his wonder and his gratitude. This much he knows, "I shall go softly all my years." Brought to the gates of death, the king can never be the same man again. From this day forward there will be a hushed and quiet spirit as he walks perpetually in God's presence.

Hezekiah would go softly as one who knows that he is living on borrowed time.

Hezekiah would go softly as one who remembered the goodness of God and His restoring mercy in a time of need.

Hezekiah would go softly as one who has learned to mourn as a dove with eyes ever looking upward.

Hezekiah would go softly as one who strives to retain the lessons he has learned in trouble. For he confessed, "By these things men live."

Hezekiah would go softly in the knowledge of God's forgiveness, "For thou hast cast all my sins behind thy back."

Go softly.... it's the only way to go.

Have A Great Week,  
Larry

#### OUTDOOR SERVICE

Get ready for our outdoor service, one of our biggest events of the year, October 20, 2019. We will start off with a pie contest at 4:00pm. Pies will be judged by our own hand picked judges and the best pie will be awarded bragging rights for the year. Sorry, no monetary awards. Horse and 4-wheeler rides at 4:30pm. Hamburgers and Hot Dogs (provided along with buns) at 5:30pm. Please bring side dishes, fixings for the hamburgers, desserts, and drinks. Our outdoor service will begin at 6:30pm, please bring your best singing voice, a lawn chair, jackets, and blankets if you are cold natured.

#### Upcoming Events

Sunday, TONIGHT, October 6, 2019 at 5:30pm will be our **Area Wide** service at the Springdale Performing Arts Center. Our Sunday evening service at Johnson will be cancelled.

#### Fall Fishing Trip at Bull Shoals Lake

Oct 11-12 - Everyone is welcome! Supper of chili, stew and drinks will be provided, Friday night at 6:00pm; all other meals are the responsibility of individuals. Everyone will need to make your own lodging and boat arrangements.

Wagon Wheel Resort - (870) 436-5401; Copper Fish - (870) 754-3638; 125 Marina - (870) 436-5390. Please let Alan Fortenberry know your are going, and please provide \$10 per/person for supper by Oct 6th,

**Harding University Homecoming** will take place October 17-19th on the Harding Campus. See the event board for details.

**Our annual budget meeting will take place October 24, 2019 during our Elder's meeting and we will finish up on November 14, 2019. Deacons please get your budgets ready.**

#### HONDURAS AUCTION

Join us at Mount Comfort Church of Christ for a fun filled evening of food, fellowship, and funding for the education of children in Honduras Saturday, October 12, 2019 at 5:30pm. We need auction items, chili, and soups. See Diane Murray for question or donations.

#### Congratulations



There wasn't a dry eye in the house when this believing man confessed his sins and put on the full armor of God and was baptized into Christ. Thank you Kent Holloway for reminding us how special baptism is to all of us.

#### Happy Birthday

October 6th

Peyton Briggs

Charles Couch

October 7th

Jonathan Martindale

Stefanie Cavanaugh

October 8th

Lincoln Phillips

Sherry McCoy

October 9th

Matt Braswell

Mike Mitchell

October 10th

Chesley Martin

October 12th

Carol Moore

#### Pantry Items

Oatmeal and Crackers

#### Happy Anniversary

October 10th

Leon and Joyce  
Strope

October 12th

Arvin and Patsy  
Allen

#### JAR YOUTH

JAR FALL RETREAT:

WE ARE LEAVING THIS FRIDAY, OCT 11TH, AT 5:30PM IF YOU ARE GOING TO THE RETREAT. BRING YOUR BIBLE, \$ FOR A FAST FOOD MEAL ON THE WAY UP, BEDDING, TOWEL, CLOTHES, TOILETRIES. WE WILL RETURN TO THE BUILDING BY THE END OF AM SERVICE ON SUNDAY.

#### Attention Seniors

The trip to Dogwood canyon has been rescheduled for October 19th. A sign up sheet and more information will be available in due time.

#### Those Needing Our Prayers & Visits

**Those with recent health issues:** Larry Combs (preacher from Huntsville) is having stents put in, **Oma Leta Smith** is getting Chemo, **Jim Olmstead** will have knee surgery October 15th, **Bruce Casada** is having knee surging in Nov., **J.D. Frost** (Father in law of Colleen Casada) is in ICU with Sepsis following surgery, **James Allen** is having medical issues, **Bonnie Cherry** is recovering from surgery, **Brandy Reynolds** (niece of Patsy Allen) recent surgery, **Jacob House** is getting treatment for a brain tumor.

**Those fighting Cancer:** Rachel Myers, Nathan Pirtle, Justin Williams (friend of Justin Cavanaugh), Elaine Nicklas, Eddie Thomas, Kim Williams (Megan Bassing's Aunt), and **Carol Edwards** (Laura Hughes's sister).

**Our Expectant Mothers:** Megan Johnson and Rachel Ladymon.

**Our New Mothers:** Monica/Beaux and Hanna/Charlie.

**Shut-Ins who need your continual prayer and consideration!** Oma Leta Smith, Lenora Sutton, Emmett Windham, Shirley Bates, Roger and Shirley Gross, Norma Williams, Roy Howard, Betty Jordan, Geneva Montgomery, Vada Loker and Kendra Phillips.

**Remember in Prayer: Those who have lost loved ones, those fighting cancer and** our Military Service Men and Women deployed overseas and protecting our country here at home. The leaders of our Church, our community, our state, and our country.

#### October 2019 Mentor Challenge

Pick someone together in the Church to "BOO" with a small surprise.

#### MENTOR TRAINING LUNCH: NOVEMBER 10th.

#### OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE IN THE MONTH OF October 2019

##### Lords Table

Brad Harriman	Terry Huffmaster
Adam Rowe	Michael Marvin
Roy Lewis	Darron Mitchell
Ethan Ladymon	Randall Harriman
Nelson McCoy	Corbin Cobb

##### Ushers

Heath Huffmaster  
Matt Johnson  
Joe Harriman

##### Greeters

Virgil Harmon	Diane Murray
Eric Keeter	Tracy Scott

##### Announcements

Kevin Murray  
Josh Fortenberry  
Matt Bassing

##### Deliver Communion

Jared Cobb

##### Prepare Communion

Jesse Shefelbine  
Kaileigh Shefelbine

##### Nursery Attendants

Teena Cobb      Becky Bluse

##### P.A. System

Jared Cobb

##### Song Leader

Doug Goodpasture

If you would like reminders on when you serve, please provide the office with your email address.



## THE LORD'S DAY ORDER OF WORSHIP

### WELCOME

Kevin Murray

**Song Leader**  
Doug Goodpasture

**Hymn #779**  
I Love You, Lord

**Hymn #43**  
All Things Praise Thee

**Hymn #761**  
Prince of Peace! Control My Will

**OPENING PRAYER**  
Josh Fortenberry

**Hymn #902**  
Nothing But the Blood

### COMMUNION SCRIPTURE

Isaiah 53:3-6  
David Shew

Communion Prayer

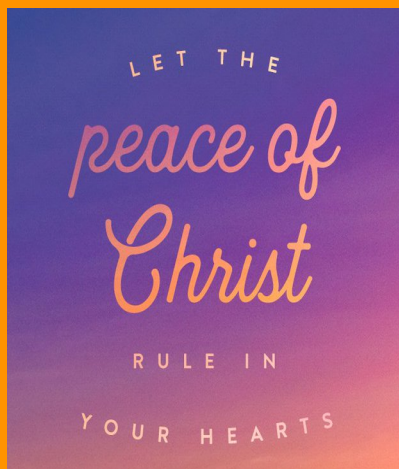
### LORD'S SUPPER

Offering

**Hymn #490**  
It Is Well With My Soul (ALL)

### SERMON SCRIPTURE

Colossians 3:15-17  
Chesley Martin



**Invitation Hymn #917**  
I Bring My Sins to Thee

**Announcements**  
Kevin Murray

**Closing Hymn #479 (1,2 and 4)**  
Peace, Perfect Peace

**Closing Prayer**  
Bobby Hill

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.

## October Events

**October 6th**

Area Wide Services

**October 8th**

Threads of Love

**October 9th**

Preachers Exchange

**October 10th**

Elders Meeting

**October 11-13th**

JAR FALL RETREAT

Fall Fishing Retreat

**October 12th**

Honduras Auction at Mt Comfort

**October 12th-13th**

Silver Dollar City Church of Christ Weekend

**October 16th**

Re-Fuel @ Mall Food Court

**October 17-19th**

Harding University Homecoming

**October 19th**

Teen Devo @J. Cob's 6-8pm

**October 20th**

Outdoor Service

**October 22nd**

Threads of Love

**October 24th**

Elders Meeting

Budget Meeting

**October 26th**

Huffmaster Hayride

**October 30th**

Trunk or Treat

## November Events

**3rd** Daylight Saving ends

**6th** Re-Fuel @ Steak and Shake

**8-9th** Deeper Youth Conference

**10th** -PM Guest Speaker

**12th** Threads of Love

**14th** Elders Meeting

**16th** Teen Devo @ Keeter's

**19th** -Threads of Love

### AM Outline

1. Peace is a tranquility of heart, an inner calm, and an undisturbed quality of the soul.
2. The nature of Christ's peace.
3. The rule of Christ's peace.
4. Unity through Christ's peace.
5. Called into Christ's peace.
6. Be thankful.

Johnson church of Christ  
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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.

Website: [johnsonchurchofchrist.com](http://johnsonchurchofchrist.com)

Email: [office@johnsonchurchofchrist.com](mailto:office@johnsonchurchofchrist.com)

### PROOF OF OUR LOVE

September 29, 2019

Bible Study: 134

Morning Worship: 198

Evening Worship: 152

Wednesday Night: 151

Chapters Read: 100

Contribution: \$8,842.00

### OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

October 6, 2019

Sunday Evening

## Area Wide Services

October 9, 2019

Wednesday Evening

Song Leader: David Cherry

Prayer: Brad Harriman

Devotional: Keith Kilmer

Announcements: Josh Fortenberry

Closing: Nelson McCoy

October 13, 2019

Sunday Morning

Announcements: Kevin Murray

Song Leader: Doug Goodpasture

Opening Prayer: JP Bradford

Communion Scripture: Virgil Harmon

Communion Prayer: Mike Mitchell

Sermon Scripture: Darby York

Closing Prayer: Lincoln Phillips

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Herbert Chuoku

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Monday, Tuesday, & Thursday 8:30 - 4:30

Wednesday 8:30-6:30

Friday 8:30 - 2:30

### 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

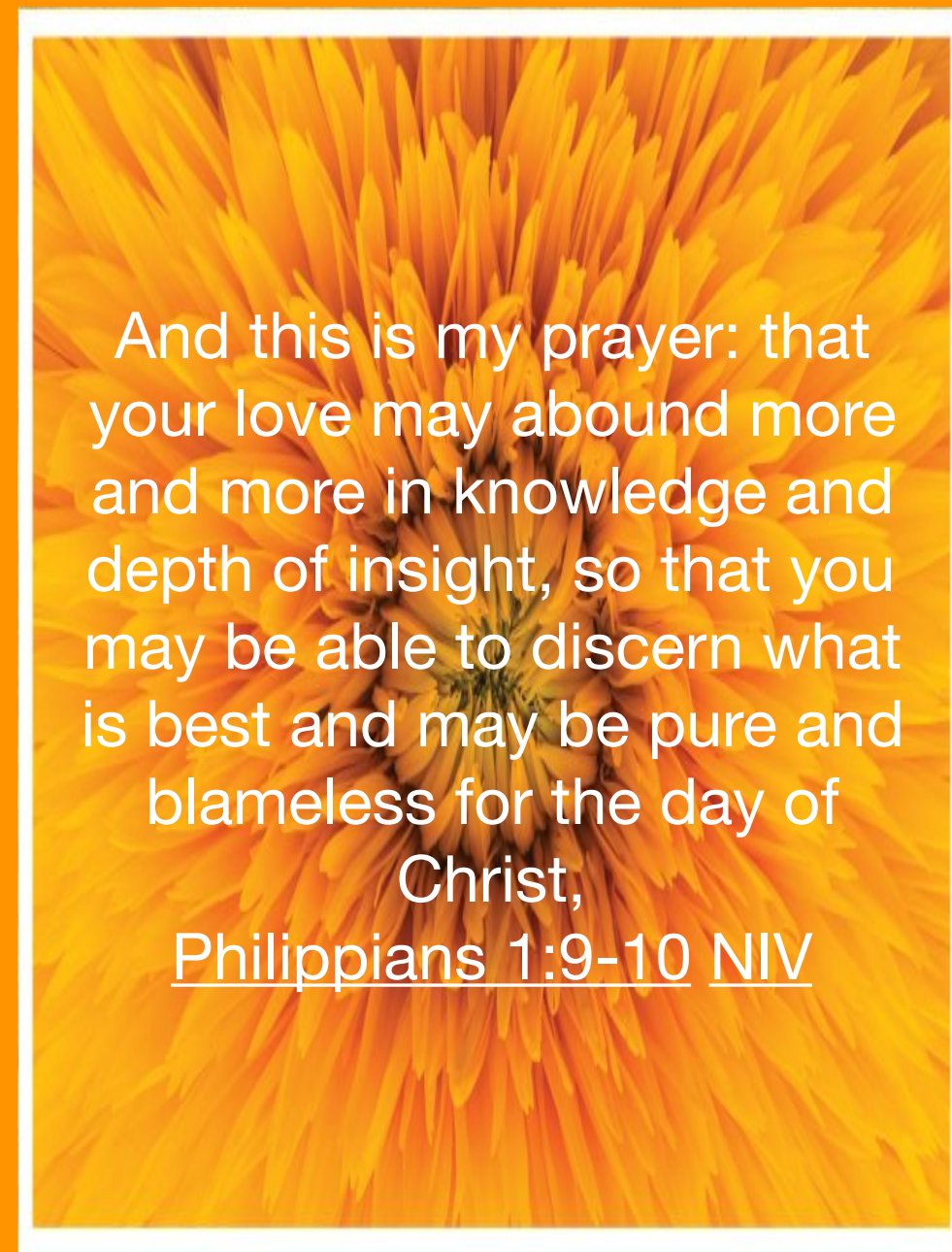
Dustin Mayhew

David Shew

# WELCOME

to

Johnson church of Christ



And this is my prayer: that your love may abound more and more in knowledge and depth of insight, so that you may be able to discern what is best and may be pure and blameless for the day of Christ,  
Philippians 1:9-10 NIV

## October 6, 2019