

INDEPENDENCE CHURCH OF CHRIST~
OCTOBER 20, 2019

SYMPATHY: Sheila Massey's aunt, Molly Hudson, passed away Friday a week ago.

SICK/TEMPORARY: Tracy Roberts is in Baptist East 5360 and in need of our continued prayers as she contemplates further treatment and other options.

PROTRACTED: Janice Bailey—Alzheimers; Paul Baldwin—diabetes; Scooter Birmingham (friend of Destiny Clayton); June Black (mother of a high school friend of Tracy Roberts)—recovering from hip surgery; Don Blackwell (preacher at Southaven)—paralyzed, now at Shepherd Center; Brian Brown (Paul Brown's nephew)—epilepsy; Shelly Cates—fibromyalgia; Gladys Marie Elrod (Mary Ray's son-in-law's mother)—congestive heart failure; Addliae Farrow (Tabatha Clayton's great niece)—heart; Bubba Farrow (Emma Farrow's son)—Alzheimer's; Jerry Floate (of this community)—liver transplant; Brook Hale (Tracy Roberts' niece)—Grave's Disease; Henry Harrison (Paula Harrison's husband)—diverticulitis; Paula Harrison—Meniere's Disease; Martha Hopkins (Tracy Roberts' mother)—dementia; Paul Hounshell (Carl Hounshell's son)—a-fib; Wanda Jackson—a-fib; Brenda Jones—Lupus; Stan Jones—Meniere's Disease; Jeff Kidd (friend of Tracy Roberts)—paralyzed; Garrett Lentz (son of a co-worker of Cody Hadley)—seizures; Becky Munns (Tabatha Clayton's aunt)—heart problems, Crohn's Disease; Robert Rawson (preacher at Crockett)—diabetes; Ray Reynold's (Sheila Massey and Mary West's dad)—memory trouble; Brett Rutherford (Dan Cates' friend)—MS; Dan Sandidge (Syble Embrey's son-in-law)—Grave's Disease; Brittany Suttles (wife of a recent MSOP grad) is pregnant with twins, and has had some difficulty before; Blake Thompson (Tracy Roberts' niece's husband) recovering from an accident and numerous surgeries; Tammy Turner (a preacher's wife whom we support)—dementia; and Francis Wallace (friend of Mary Ray).

CANCER: Robbie Andrews (friend of Dan Cates)—prostate; Clifton Angel (preacher at Coldwater)—thyroid; Sherry Brown (retired MSOP secretary); Robin Brueck (niece of Allene Baldwin and Syble Embrey)—breast; Alicia Busby (from the community); Earl Carlton (son of a friend of Syble Embrey)—esophageal; Gary Darnell (Ella Darnell's son)—leukemia as well as diabetes; Brenda Davis (a grandmother of Edra and Ryan Farrow); Dwight Faulkenberry (Tracy Roberts' cousin); Debbie Farrow; Orville Fowler (father of the Browns' neighbor)—stomach; Joyce Geeslin—under hospice care; Tom Gordon (of Looxahoma); Nathan Jones (the Hounshell's neighbors' 16 year old family member)—brain; Sara Kiestler (an FHU student)—Hodgkin's; Billy Kimbrough (former son-in-law of Joyce Geeslin)—esophageal; Wade Loggins (member of congregation in Elkmont, AL); Dorothy Mosher (wife of an MSOP instructor); Carol Ogelsby (family of Sonny Stewart and the Browns)—stomach; Tommy Pierce (the Browns' friend); Tracy Roberts—undergoing treatments; and Tabby Waters (Tabatha Clayton's sister-in-law)—leukemia.

SHUT-IN: Marie Crockett (home), Emma Farrow (in a care facility in Sardis), Orelia Ferguson (home), Martha Hopkins (Tracy Roberts' mother—Life Point Villages room 108B).

SERVING: Dylan and Maggie Cooper (Air Force, Offut AFB, Neb.), Cameron Hadley (Grayson Hadley's dad—Marines, Camp Lejeune, NC), Jacob Petrowski (grandson of former members here—Marines, Romania). Also, please continue to pray for Kyle Embrey (Syble Embrey's grandson—policeman) and all other military [especially who are going or remain abroad] and for all those in authority that we might live "quiet and peaceable" lives (I Timothy 2:1,2).

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Missions [the latest reports from these works are on the bulletin board in the foyer]

Independence Mission Fund (next: tbd)

Memphis School of Preaching (Jonathan Jenkins)

Brown Trail School of Preaching (Spanish Department)

Jim and Tammy Turner (Fairfield, North Carolina)

Trent Kennedy family (Four Seas Bible College, Singapore)

Kakinada, Andhra Pradesh, India [Providing Bibles]

Netcasters and Fishers of Men (Tim Wilkes, II)

Tennessee Children's Home, West

Pablo Horna (David, Panama) [Overseeing funds]

Many one-time, domestic and overseas, mission efforts

FIFTEEN TEACHINGS NOT FOUND IN THE BIBLE

Jason Hilburn

1. "Follow your heart" is not in the Bible (Prov. 14:12; 16:25; 30:12; Jer. 10:23; 17:9).
2. "It is always wrong to judge others" is not in the Bible (Matt. 7:5, 6, 15-20; Luke 12:57; 17:3; John 7:24; 1 Cor. 5; 6:2-5; Gal. 2:11-14; 4:16; Titus 2:15, etc.).
3. "Babies inheriting sin" is not in the Bible (2 Sam. 12:23; Ezek. 18:20; 28:15; Matt. 18:3; 19:14).
4. "Peter was the first pope" is not in the Bible (Matt. 8:14; 1 Cor. 9:5; 23:8-10; Acts 10:25, 26; Gal. 2:11-14).
5. "Choose the church of your choice" is not in the Bible (Matt. 16:18; 1 Cor. 1:10-13; 12:13; Eph. 4:4; 5:23; Col. 1:18).
6. "Faith only salvation" is not in the Bible (Matt. 7:21-23; Rom. 6:16-18; Heb. 5:9; 1 Pet. 1:22; James 2:14-26; 1 Jn. 2:3-6).
7. "The [alien] sinner's prayer for salvation" is not in the Bible (1 Pet. 3:12, 21; cf. Prov. 28:9; Jn. 9:31).
8. "Water baptism is not for salvation, but is merely an outward sign of an inward faith" is not in the Bible (Mark 16:16; Acts 2:38; 22:16; Gal. 3:27; Col. 2:11-13; 1 Pet. 3:20, 21).
9. "Sprinkling as baptism" is not in the Bible (Jn. 3:23; Acts 8:38; Rom. 6:3-5; Col. 2:12).
10. "Once saved, always saved" is not in the Bible (2 Cor. 6:1; Gal. 1:6; 5:4; 1 Tim. 4:16; 2 Pet. 2:20-22; Heb. 3:12-14; 4:1, 11; 10:23-31; 12:15-17; James 5:19, 20; Rev. 22:19).
11. "Communion monthly, quarterly, or yearly" is not in the Bible (Acts 2:42; 20:6, 7; 1 Cor. 11:20; cf. 16:2).
12. "There are many roads to Heaven" is not in the Bible (Matt. 7:21-23; Jn. 8:31, 32; 14:6; Acts 4:12; Rom. 16:17; 1 Cor. 1:10-13; Heb. 5:9).
13. "Jesus will reign on earth for 1000 years" is not in the Bible (Jer. 22:28-30; Zech. 6:12, 13; Jn. 5:27-29; 6:39; 11:24; 12:48; 1 Thess. 4:13 — 5:3; Heb. 8:4).

14. "A resurrection and secretive rapture of the saints before seven years of tribulation" is not in the Bible (Jn. 5:27-29; 6:39; 11:24; 12:48; Acts 24:15; 1 Thess. 4:13 — 5:3).

15. "Worship God any way you want, as long as you are sincere" is not in the Bible (Gen. 4:3-7; Lev. 10:1-3; Matt. 15:9; Jn. 4:23, 24; Col. 2:23; 3:16, 17; Heb. 11:4; 1 Jn. 3:12).

"That we henceforth be no more children, tossed to and fro, and carried about with every wind of doctrine, by the sleight of men, and cunning craftiness, whereby they lie in wait to deceive; But speaking the truth in love, may grow up into him in all things, which is the head, even Christ:" (Ephesians 4:14,15)

BIBLE QUESTION:

This week's question: Who descended "like a dove" at Jesus' baptism?

Last week's question: Who were told to "speak unto us smooth things"?

Last week's answer: The prophets of Isaiah's day (Isaiah 30:10)

SERMONS: The Essentiality of Jesus' Baptism (*Matthew 3:13-17*)

Moral Issues Facing America 2: Philosophy and Modern Society 2 (*Isaiah 5:20*)

DAILY BIBLE READING (October 21-27):

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thur.	Fri.	Sat.	Sun.
Matthew	23-25	26-28					
Mark	1-3	4-6	7-10	11-13	14-16		

SCRIPTURE READING (OCTOBER): Garrett Young (Matthew 3:13-17)

(NOVEMBER): Dan Cates

PRESIDE LORD'S SUPPER MORNING AND EVENING (OCTOBER): Dan Cates

(NOVEMBER): Carl Hounshell

ASSIST LORD'S SUPPER (OCTOBER): Mark Peyton and Paul Brown

(NOVEMBER): Garrett Young and Sonny Stewart

CLEAN BUILDING (OCTOBER): Ella Darnell and Carolyn Stanford

(NOVEMBER): Suzanne and Katie Brown

PREPARE COMMUNION (OCTOBER): Tabatha Clayton

(NOVEMBER): Kim Arrington

PANTRY NEEDS: The children's home truck will be here October 22nd. We also need imperishables for the pantry.

UPCOMING EVENTS (For particular details, check the bulletin board for flyers):

November 1

Ladies Night Out at Southaven.

Youth Retreat begins at Sardis. It will conclude on the 3rd.

WELCOME VISITORS!

We are honored to have you with us today. Please take a few minutes and fill out an attendance card for us so that we can have a record of your attendance. Once you have filled out a card, please hand it to one of the members. or lay it onto the pew.