

SHUT-INS

Madeline Clark
Phoebe Dycus
Ed Goolsby
Mary Judd
Phil and Faye Kernell
Lois Key
Vicki Weisner
Roy Woodard
Shirley Tayse
Jimmy Gentry

NURSING HOME: 2:00 PM

Singing:
Prayer:
Serve: Next opportunity Oct. 20th *
Preach:
*Bring the Lord's Supper

OCTOBER WORKERS

Care for communion tray: **Kelsey, Heather, & Shelby Jenkins**
Care for baptismal clothes: **Jill Birdwell**
Cut out teacher material: **Molly Cooper & Gayla Rush**
Lock church buildings: **Tim Smith**
Change church sign: **David Carter**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Welcome, visitors! Please give us time to greet you and get to know you better!
- Pew Packer is a go!
- Is there a visitor today? Greet them! Visitor cards are on the table out front and on back tract rack.
- Advertisements are out front for the Youth Unite with Drew preaching on the 20th.
- *Benevolence needs*: it is not too early to start thinking about holiday food: canned ham, yams, green beans, baked beans, etc.
- Visitation **team 2** will meet this evening in the library. Cards and stamps are provided.
- The books are in for the ladies 10-10-10 class to begin in October.

OPPORTUNITIES TO PREACH

Sun. Morning Tim
Sun. Evening Tim
Wed. Evening Glen Colley

RECORDS FOR SEPT 29

Sun. Bible Study 230
Sun. Morning 293
Sun. Evening 211
Wed. Study 227

Offering \$14222.00

WEEKLY BIBLE READING

Read the book of Hosea this week. The prophet certainly had an interesting life!

MISSION WORKS

India: preachers (50), orphans (11), orphans' homes (9), widows' homes (8), - (www.indiamissionwork.org)
Thaddus Duncan, Jamaica
- (duncanthaddus09@gmail.com)
George Jensen, Hawesville, Kentucky
(gjjensen6@yahoo.com)
Memphis School of Preaching (MSOP):
Garrett Young – Jason Halcomb
Jakes Small – Josh Smith
Zackery Holmes (rooster2628@gmail.com)
Daniel Webster (danielwebster66@gmail.com)
Omaha, Neb. Mission: Jonny Royal & Houston McClure
World Video Bible School -(school.wvbs.org)
Southeast Institute of Biblical Studies
House to House/Heart to Heart: Jonathan Smith - (qb2000_37150@yahoo.com)
The Palace (nursing home)
Macon County Prison
Local Radio: 102.1 FM @ 12:15
Gospel Broadcasting Network
(NCTC-37, TwinLakes-16)

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

Entrance Greeters (Sunday is for next week)

Wed Eve. Sharon Fisher, Dorothy Stafford
Sun. Mor. Randy and Melanie Allen, Alvin Allen
PM Hugh W. Clark, Brandon Clark

Announcements

Sunday AM: Elders
Sunday PM: David Anderson
Wed: Tim

Lord's Supper and Offering: Presiding

Donnie Gammons

Lord's Supper and Offering: Serving

Morning: Jordan Lankford, Joseph Hix, JalyN Lankford,
Lynn Newberry, Chester Hix, Mark Newberry
Evening: David Anderson, TBA

Song Leaders

Sunday: Odell Cherry, Randy Allen, Donald Moss
Wed: Chris Jenkins

Scripture Reading

Morning: Cody Dickens (2 Timothy 4:8-9)

Prayers

Morning: Kendall Cooper, Hugh D. Clark, Drew Stafford
Evening: Austin West, Cole Heady
Wed: Richard Pratt, Tyler McHenry

Prison Ministry

Men's (1:00): Benny Tuck, John Royal
Women's (2:00): Gina Bohanan, Barbara Frye

THE WORD FROM WILLETTE

WILLETTE CHURCH OF CHRIST

"Preach the word; be instant in season, out of season; reprove, rebuke, exhort..." (II Timothy 4:2)
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SERVICE TIMES

Sunday Bible Class 9:00
Worship AM 10:00
Worship PM 6:00
Wednesday Bible Study 7:00

ELDERS

Alvin Allen 699-3315
Hugh Clark 699-2393
Hugh W. Clark 699-3199
Steve Draper (931) 678-4616
Terry Jones 699-3081
Joe Lynn 699-3613
Benny Tuck 477-5000

DEACONS

Randy Allen Jeff Hackett
Don Birdwell Donald Moss
Nick Jones Tim Smith
Brandon Clark William Smith
Harold Clark Phillip Stafford
Donnie Gammons Mark West
Joseph Draper Jonathon Royal

PREACHER

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INDIA COORDINATOR

Jack Honeycutt 655-2524

A WARM WELCOME FOR ALL

Welcome to the Willette church of Christ, where you will find the Bible as our only rule for faith and practice. We seek to speak where the Bible speaks and to be silent where the Bible is silent. We want to call Bible things by Bible names and do Bible things in Bible ways.

Jesus said, "Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost" (Matthew 28:18-20). Our evangelistic efforts include several local and foreign mission works listed on the back of this bulletin. The home congregation is the most important work. Therefore, every month, we spend time door knocking, visiting, and helping our local community. We have a large benevolent building that operates every Tuesday from 8:30-12:30, which offers free clothes and other items to anyone in need. Our primary foreign work is found in Andhra Pradesh, India, where Brother *Jack Honeycutt* serves as our full time mission coordinator. We are also blessed to have a full time prison ministry with services conducted each Sunday from 1:00-3:00. Brother *Tim McHenry* is our regular preacher. In addition to preaching, he teaches classes, works with youth events and community outreach. Our associate preacher *Mark West*, preaches, teaches classes, ministers in the nursing home, coordinates our visitation teams, and work with our Bible camp and youth in general. In addition, we have a radio program on 102.1 FM that airs each weekday around 12:15. If anyone has special needs our Christian Counselor, Dale Sadler, is ready to help by calling 615-513-3642

We are a Bible centered, mission minded, and family oriented church. Thank you for coming, and please return at every opportunity.

Tidings from Timothy

Everyone needs the Gospel. This morning we will look at that simple truth in a whole new way.

Please welcome Glen Colley: He will be teaching us Wednesday night. He is a popular speaker in the brotherhood and will in a sense “round out” our Summer Series. However, he will be speaking on a different theme, I think you all will like it.

Thank you: Maybe you provided food during the Meeting and encouraged fellowship, maybe you brought someone to church, maybe you changed your schedule to be able to come yourself, maybe you encouraged someone to be more faithful, whatever you did to help: it is appreciated.

Meetings, meetings, meetings: Well, there are a lot of them out there going on. Brant Stubblefield is speaking at Center Grove today through Wednesday. Union Hill in Clay county begins a Meeting today with various speakers. White Oak begins a Meeting today with Dennis Ballard speaking. Carthage begins a Meeting on the 13th to the 15th with Ben Flatt speaking. Ben Smith will be preaching at Mt. Gilead Oct. 13-17th. Jack will be at Moss Oct. 13-15th.

Safety notice: One of the VBS songs I have always loathed (it just gets on my nerves, you know how certain songs can do that) is the one that goes, “Noah built the ark for safety... and he put the animals in.” As much as the song bugs me, I have to admit I remember the song and the idea of safekeeping. Anyway, I want to speak on another aspect of safety that we all need to remember AT ALL TIMES: we have little ones in our parking lot, please take note of this and slow it down as you pull out after church. Also, we have a lot of events here at church, if you set a door to be unlocked, please set it back to lock before you leave. We will all be safer if you follow these guidelines.

PTP Resources: We are pleased to post for a couple of weeks a username and password to access all the great teaching that has been done at PTP. Just go to 365.polishingthepulpit.com and use the username: **WillettcoC** and the password: **Genesisoneone**

Personal Work

Take just a moment to note the different endings of the epistles to the churches in the New Testament. Note how that there is an abundance of *communication* between the brethren. Observe the heartfelt extension of goodwill as Paul said things like, “My love be with you all in Christ Jesus.” What do these many salutations teach us? Well, are they not evidence that brethren even over great distances got to know one another and were mutually supportive in their work for the Lord? And how would Paul and those other brethren know one another? Is it not because they were so active in traveling about and spreading the gospel?

Let us take a look at how the church works. If you see that it has about 10% doing 90% of the work, then there is an obvious problem. But this is not the only problem that is sometimes faced. Only a limited number of people hear the preacher each Sunday. What about the others? How can they hear about Jesus and His church? The preacher and elders and whoever else is involved can only see so many people. Not only is everyone’s help needed, but many, many more people are a must if we are to make significant headway into the world to reach them with the gospel. They all need it, there are so many.

One way that has been suggested to spread the gospel that accounts for the lack of gospel-spreaders is the House to House campaign. But even sending people literature will only be so effective in a practical sense, because even those involved in this campaign would admit that you need follow-up personal work in each local area. When the apostles spread the gospel, they did so by both going to the people and letting the people come to them. “And daily in the temple, and in every house, they ceased not to teach and preach Jesus Christ.” (Acts 5:42) Really, the apostles and early Christians spread the gospel as they went and wherever they were (cf. Acts 8:4). This is in stark contrast to how people now seem to move and then forget their work for the Lord.

I hope these thoughts compel you to consider whether or not you have been mentioning religion to people outside the church building. Whether you have been telling someone who said “Thank you” for a good deed that you did it because you are a Christian. Whether you have let someone close to you know that you are a member of the church of Christ. We would have the church grow, then it takes *you* talking to others about the church!

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WILLETTE CALENDAR	RESPONSES	ANNUAL RECORDS
Prison Ministry (Oct. 6, 1:00, 2:00) Nursing Home (Oct. 20, 2pm) Benevolence Building (Oct. 8, 8:30-12:30) Youth Unite: October 20 Fall Party: October 26	Restorations: Aimee Birdwell Baptism &/or New Member:	Confessed Faults: 49 Baptisms: 21 Membership: 7