

SHUT-INS

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

NURSING HOME: 2:00 PM

Singing:
 Prayer: Next opportunity on 3rd Sunday!
 Serve:
 Preach:
 *Bring the Lord's Supper

OPPORTUNITIES TO PREACH

Sun. Morning Tim
 Sun. Evening Tim
 Wed. Evening Tim

RECORDS FOR JAN. 5

Sun. Bible Study 223
 Sun. Morning 304
 Sun. Evening 205
 Wed. Study 224

Offering \$88104.00

WEEKLY BIBLE READING

Complete the book of Genesis.
 Now you know where you came from!

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
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 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)

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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JANUARY WORKERS

Care for communion trays:	Melanie Allen, Lois Hudson, Sheila B
Care for baptismal clothes:	Connie McHenry
Cut out teacher material:	Kennedy & Claire Fleming
Lock church buildings:	Dean Rush
Change church sign:	Jordan Lankford

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Welcome, visitors! Please give us time to greet you and get to know you better!
- Pew Packer is on tonight!
- Is there a visitor today? Greet them! Visitor cards are on the table out front and on back tract rack.
- Keep up the good work with Meals on Wheels! Meet Monday at 9:45 prep or 10:15am distribute.
- Benevolence needs:* We could use some furniture of any kind and meaty soups.
- Visitation **team 4** will meet this evening in the library. Cards and stamps are provided.
- Check your mailbox for Christmas and birthday cards! Let's clear them out so we can re-organize the boxes

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

Entrance Greeters (Sunday is for next week)

Wed Eve. Philip and Brandy Fleming
 Sun. Mor. Benny and Candi Tuck, Pat Powers
 PM Alvin Allen, Rickie Hagan

Announcements

Sunday AM: Elders
 Sunday PM: Jackie Halliburton
 Wed: Tim

Lord's Supper and Offering: Presiding

Chester Hix

Lord's Supper and Offering: Serving

Morning: Todd Dickens Daren Brockett Cody Dickens
 Colton Eden Sam Jones Harold Colter
 Evening: Steve Spivey Lee Knight

Song Leaders

Sunday: Steve Smith
 Wed: Drew Stafford

Scripture Reading

Morning: Roger Carver (2 Peter 2:2-4)

Prayers

Morning: Nick Jones Benny Tuck Sam Jones
 Evening: Lynn Newberry, Jalyn Lankford
 Wed: Stone Copas, Jase Bohanan

Prison Ministry

Men's (1:00): Sam Gregory, Donnie Gammons
 Women's (2:00): Lois Hudson, Cathy Stafford

CONTACTS

Church Building: 699-2251
 Preacher's Office: 699-3768

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
 Harold Clark Phillip Stafford
 Donnie Gammons Mark West
 Joseph Draper Jonathon Royal

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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 regular 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

It would seem that certain topics are no longer preached on much in the church. The blood of Christ, Heaven, Hell, fellowship, the list goes on. Well, I like to preach on all the Bible and make sure to mention those topics that are neglected in the modern day and age. Our concern should be the same as the Lord's concern in His word. If Jesus preached on it, so should we. I have only had one sermon since being here on Hell and one on Heaven. I don't like preaching on Hell, I don't suppose Jesus did either, so here's what we will do. I am going to preach on it, and as my reward I am going to preach 2 sermons on Heaven, one tonight, and the next one next Sunday morning.

Your mail box: Remember that your box is not just for the holidays. Have you had a birthday? Check your box. Anniversary? Check it. Significant event in family? Baby? Baptism? Check it! Any thing might cause someone to think of you, so make a habit of glancing at your box as you go down the hallway.

Peru update: Please consider this trip, June 5-13. A hard commitment to go is due now since we must coordinate with other brethren who want to go with us.

Construction here at the building: Don't make any big plans for use of the fellowship hall area for the next little while. We are commencing the building update and it will be a mess. We are excited for the increased classroom and kitchen floor-room that we will get from this. We are planning during the Construction for Meals-on-wheels to be put together at the break room for Clark Lumber.

Gehenna

The final and eternal abode of those who die apart from God is Gehenna. The word is found twelve times in the Greek New Testament. In eleven of these instances, it is Jesus Christ himself who employs the term.

Bertrand Russell, the agnostic British philosopher, once penned an essay titled: "Why I Am Not A Christian." One of his main objections was this: "[Jesus] believed in hell." At least he knew what the Lord taught on this matter, which is more than can be said of some who profess an acquaintance with the Scriptures.

Gehenna is a transliteration of an Old Testament Hebrew expression, "the valley of Hinnom," which denoted a ravine on the southern side of Jerusalem. This valley was used by certain apostate Hebrews as a place where their children were offered into the fiery arms of the pagan god Molech (2 Chron. 28:3; 33:6). It was thus an area of suffering and weeping. When Josiah launched his reformation, this valley was regarded as a site of heinous abomination (2 Kgs. 23:10-14). It finally became the garbage depository of Jerusalem where there was a continual burning of refuse. Gehenna, being associated with these ideas, appropriately served as a symbolic designation for the place of suffering to which evil persons will be consigned following the Lord's return. Let us now consider the New Testament passages in which Gehenna is mentioned.

Jesus spoke of Gehenna several times in his "Sermon on the Mount." For instance, he warned that whoever addresses another: "You fool!" shall be in danger of the "hell of fire" (Mt. 5:22). This does not mean that a legitimate use of the appellation "fool" (or its derivatives) is prohibited (cf. Psa. 14:1; 1 Cor. 15:36; Gal. 3:1). Rather, the Lord condemns the explosive use of pejorative barbs for the sake of venting one's personal rage.

Employing several examples of hyperbole (for the sake of emphasis), Christ stressed that it would be better to proceed through life with great loss (e.g. deprived of an eye or a limb), rather than having Gehenna as a final destiny (Mt. 5:29-30; cf. 18:9; Mk. 9:43-47).

On another occasion, the Lord said: "And be not afraid of them that kill the body, but are not able to kill the soul; but rather fear him who is able to destroy both soul and body in hell" (Mt. 10:28; cf. Lk. 12:5).

In his blistering rebuke of the Jewish leaders who were on the brink of crucifying their own Messiah, Jesus charged:

"Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for you compass sea and land to make one proselyte; and when he is become so, you make him twofold more a son of hell than yourselves" (Mt. 23:15). Then in the same discourse: "You serpents, you offspring of vipers, how shall you escape the judgment of hell?"

--Wayne Jackson from *Christian Courier*

WILLETTE CALENDAR	RESPONSES	ANNUAL RECORDS
Prison Ministry (Jan 5 th , 1:00, 2:00) Nursing Home (Jan. 19 th , 2pm) Benevolence Building (Jan. 7 th , 8:30-12:30) Meals on Wheels: Monday at 9:45 & 10:15am Family Bible Time in February!	Restorations: Baptism &/or New Member:	Confessed Faults: 5 Baptisms: 1 Membership: 3