

WATERMILL CHURCH OF CHRIST

Weekly Newsletter

May 7, 2017

Order of Worship

Welcome

Song Leader
Kerry Cole

#543
#141

Opening Prayer
Russell Lilly

#1 (1,2,5)
#442 (1,2,4)

The Lord's Supper
Jon Davis

Our Contribution
Jon Davis

#684

Lesson
Bill McFarland

#125 (1,3)

Announcements
Jerry Young

#820 (1,3)

Closing Prayer
Jerry Milligan

Serve Communion
Jerry Stockdale
Luis Tovar
Kevin Westerman
Patrick Springer
Jonathan Pendergraft
David Grimm
Cambre Thrasher
Adam Barton
Randy Blackburn
Tim Bowling



"For if you keep silent at this time, relief and deliverance will rise for the Jews from another place, but you and your father's house will perish. And who knows whether you have not come to the kingdom for such a time as this." - Esther 4:14



GRADUATES RECEPTION *TONIGHT after PM Service*

Everyone is encouraged to stay for the Reception and celebrate these young men and women as they begin a new chapter in their lives.

Prayer List and Notes

Welcome Visitors

We are honored that you joined us. We hope you will be blessed by your time with us. We have an attended nursery, a cry/training room and a nursing mother's room for your convenience if you have small children.

Please fill out an attendance card and pass it to the end of the pew so that we may thank you for your visit.

For The Record

April 30

Bible Study:	240
Morning:	307
Evening:	193
Wednesday (5/3):	184
Contribution:	\$20,288
Weekly Budget:	\$10,119
Year-to-Date Above (Below) Budget:	\$ 2,913



◆ Continue to remember [Eula Compton](#), [Rachel Lilly](#), [Sherry Sherman](#), [Russell Lilly](#), [Donna Sanders](#)

- ◆ [Tim Bowling](#) will have surgery on his finger on May 9.
- ◆ [Elizabeth Lilly](#) had carpal tunnel surgery on both wrists this past Friday
- ◆ [Shirlane Horton's](#) surgery went well
- ◆ [Terry Loveland](#) is now at James River Nursing Home
- ◆ [Wanda Wilkinson](#) is in Elfindale Rehab room 709 after being in the hospital with a broken shoulder
- ◆ [Ellie Swartz](#) has a torn ligament in the groin/leg area due to another fall and has fallen twice since being in Iowa
- ◆ [Gracie Taylor](#) will be in Kansas City Tuesday and Wednesday for more tests and consultation.

Friends & Family

- Carolyn Young's brother, [John Sunderland](#), is recovering from surgery
- [Kelly Snider](#) is now home.
- Bill's mom, [Pauline Redmon](#), is in rehab at Care Manor, Room 305B, 804 Burnett, Mountain Home, AR 72653.
- [Ed Murray](#) as he continues his battle with cancer; Ed & Sherry's address: 203 Rendezvous Road, Riverton, WY 82501.
- Bonnie Cole's brother-in-law, [Jim Lavern](#), who is in experimental program in Florida for stage 4 lung cancer.
- ◆ Robert Keith's son-in-law, [Nick Puglisi](#), will have back surgery in St. Louis.
- ◆ Doris Iorg's husband [Clyde](#) is dealing with cancer in 4 different locations in his body.

Long Term/Shut-Ins

Marsha Bower
Eula Compton
Ola Jean Feeney
Doris Iorg
Doris Tobler
Nursing Homes
Ella Mae Findlay
Ann Freeze
Chloe Gaddis
June Jean
Jerry Gillespie
Sandra Pingenot
Nancy Snider

Ministry Opportunity

Be a Blessing!!

Be sure to check the table in the foyer!!

Have you started filling in a Be A Blessing sheet this month?

God is GREATER THAN ANY PROBLEM YOU FACE.
His POWER MAKES YOU WHAT YOU OUGHT TO BE.
PAUL DECLARED THAT:
**"THE ALL-SURPASSING POWER
IS FROM GOD AND NOT FROM US."**
2 CORINTHIANS 4:7



As most of you know, Bob and Ellie Swartz have sold their house in Springfield and will be moving to Iowa. They were in Iowa looking for a home, but Ellie has fallen twice since being there; so they will not be back for the move but their son will be here. **ON THE EVENING OF MAY 12 around 5:30 or 6 THEY NEED YOUR HELP TO LOAD THE POD FOR MOVING (3740 N. Oak Point Avenue).** A lot of you helped them unload their pod when they moved to Springfield.



Thank you all so very much for all the wonderful birthday cards, get well and Easter remembrances. You all are so very special. A special thank you for Bill and Gail for the wonderful cupcakes and visit. You all are so good to us. You helped make our days so much brighter. We appreciate each and every one of you. It's wonderful to know we aren't forgotten. In Christian love, [Clyde and Doris Iorg](#)

Once again we are indebted to you, our wonderful family at Water Mill, for your love and care for us. Thank you to all who helped in so many different ways when Jimmy had his issues and was in the hospital a few weeks ago. Thank you for your care and concern for "Mama" over the last few weeks, for the cards and visits and for your offers to help anyway you can now that she is in our home. Thanks for the prayers, cards and delicious food. And thank you for your overwhelming concern for my ongoing health issues. I will reschedule my biopsy in St. Louis sometime soon. We will take it all one day at the time. We love you. [Johnnie \(and Jim and Mama\)](#)

News and Activities

Upcoming Events

- ◆ **Be A Blessing meeting**, Sunday at 4:30 in room 126. Bring your Be A Blessing sheets and share ways we can bless each other. You will be encouraged and encourage others by your participation.
- ◆ **Book Club meeting**, Monday, 5/8 at 6:30 at the Curriers. Sub sandwiches and fruit pizza and book discussions on the following books: Crash the Chatterbox, Take One, Get Out of That Pit, In His Steps, Love Your God with All Your Mind.
- ◆ **Elders** meet Tuesday at 5 p.m. at Fair Haven
- ◆ **Mothers' Day** May 14
- ◆ **Quilters** meet the 16th at 10 a.m.

Area Events

- May 7-10: **Gospel Meeting** at Mountain Grove Church of Christ
- May 12-13: **Parenting Seminar** at Bona Church of Christ
- May 18-21: **Gospel Meeting** at Joplin with Josiah Peeler
- May 21-24: **Gospel Meeting** with Caleb Colley at Highlandville Church of Christ
- May 28-June 4: **Show Me State Bible Lectures** at Branson Church of Christ
- Brochures on the bulletin board.

- ◆ **Blood Drive** June 7
- ◆ **VBS** June 11-14
- ◆ **Blood Drive** August 2
- ◆ **Family Camping Trip** September 29—October 1

Bible Camps

- ◆ 6/5-9—Happy Hollow/ Alice Buckner
- ◆ 6/18-24—Happy Hollow/ Baggett/Stockstill
- ◆ 7/16-22—Green Valley
- ◆ 7/30-8/5—Happy Hollow/ T. Morrison/Luna

Ladies Bible Class

Ladies Bible Class
meets Thursday at 10:30 a.m. We are studying from the book "Women of Deliverance." Chelsea Thrasher will teach the class and her topic is: *Together But Far Apart "Euodias."*

Our Wednesday Evening Summer Series will begin June 21 and run through August 30.
As we have done the past two summers, we will have a different speaker from the area each week. Our theme this summer will be "A Fruitful People: The Spirit in the Life of a Congregation."

Birthdays

7 Gregory Johnson
Linzie Eilenstein
Jessica Orum
8 Clint Holden
10 Jared Duncan
13 Elizabeth Lilly
15 Barbara Barnes
16 Bryan Hannah
17 Coyeatte Ewing
Mackynzi Sekulic
19 Danielle Horton
Samantha Hughes
20 Ron Taylor



Elders, Ministers, Deacons & Staff

Elders

Scott Barton	417-234-2679
Barney Crawford	417-866-0592
Jon Ewing	417-569-8698
Eddie Sanders	417-833-5712
Bob Snider	417-833-3498
Jerry Young	417-724-0324

Minister

Bill McFarland	417-833-0110
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Youth/Associate Minister

Adam Blaney	304-520-9800
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Deacons

Tim Buckner	Aaron Morrison
Tom Davis	Travis Morrison
Jim Elliff	James Simons
Matt Keener	John Stayton
Russell Lilly	Mike Thurlkill

Staff

Johnnie Elliff	Secretary
Tim Bowling	Custodian



Ladies Tea 2017

Thank you to our committee for a great day at the 2017 Ladies Tea:

Lisa Stayton, Tabby Blaney, Coyeatte Ewing, Lora Luna, Sara Keener, Christina Snitker, Brittany Springer, Gerri Dickens, Ruth Essex



Family Bible Time Tonight at 5 p.m.

SERVICE ROSTERS

THIS MORNING

Greeters: Jackie & Virginia Buck
 Van Driver: Kevin Wuench/833-6134
 Nursery: Melinda Barton/Donna Jordan

THIS EVENING

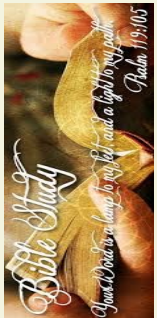
Song Leader: Travis Morrison
 Opening Prayer: Steve Prewitt
 Lesson: Bill McFarland
 Closing Prayer: Adam Blaney
 Communion: L. Baggett/J. Buck
 Nursery: Linda Tracy/Gloria Luallin

NEXT WEEK, May 14

	<i>AM</i>	<i>PM</i>
Song Leader:	Kerry Cole/Jon Ewing	Travis Morrison
Opening Prayer:	Paul Lines	James Simons
Communion:	Verl Duncan	L. Baggett/J. Buck
Closing Prayer:	Aaron Morrison	Brian Carroll
Greeters:	Brendan & Jenny Carroll	
Van Driver:	Brock Snitker/405-694-9774	
Nursery:	AM: Wanita Duncan/Emily Simons	PM: Alice Buckner/Kasey Sekulic

Wednesday, May 10

Devotional: Larry Baggett
 Song Leader: John Mahon
 Prayer: Eddie Sanders
 Van Driver: Tim Stockstill/849-7678



Bible Classes (Adult)

Sunday AM

Adult	The Beginning of Your Story. (Genesis)	Fellowship Rm	Jon Davis/David Grimm
Adult	Job	Room 126	Barney Crawford
Adult	Learning from Bible Characters	Auditorium	Byron Nichols
Adult	Pray Without Ceasing	Room 129	Jon Ewing
	A Study of the Prayers of the Bible		
Adult	Chronological Study of the Bible	Room 130	Paul Lines
College	Scorched and Choked	Room 119	Patrick Springer

We need YOU in BIBLE CLASS each week!

If you are unable to attend services, don't forget that all of our services are "Live Streamed." Go to www.watermillchurchofchrist.org and click on "Live Video."

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 "In Search of the Lord's Way"
 7 AM Sundays KOLR TV 10
 "KNOW YOUR BIBLE"
 10:30 AM Sundays/Springfield 33/KSPR

Schedule of Services

Sunday Morning Bible Study9:00 AM
 Sunday Morning Worship.....10:00 AM
 Sunday Evening Worship....5:00 PM
 Wednesday Night Bible Class....6:30 PM



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