

Prayer List

On a daily basis, ask the

Lord for direction.

Our 249 Family

Keith Bradley has been diagnosed with pancreatic cancer. He has begun chemotherapy.

Leroy Flowers completed radiation treatments for cancer and he did well. The doctor says his hoarse throat will heal.

Sherlyn Cartwright has had another biopsy and is waiting results..

Bill Cartwright is still having difficulty with his breathing.

Jessica Harold and family need prayers.

Alcadio Gonzales is having migraine headaches and has several doctor's appointments coming up.

Pam Woodley is having difficulties from a foot infection.

Stella Hamontree returned to work and is doing fine.

Janet Barnwell is continuing her cancer treatment and is seeking help for back pain and needs our prayers.

Robert Winston has had his surgical procedure re-scheduled due to an infection and needs our prayers.

Also Remember

Ruth Powers & Family, Larry & Jessica Harold & Family, Jackie Crawford, Carolyn Moon, Jane Moody, Doris Peavler, Willie Collins, Ira Goode and Daniel Williams

Friends and Family

Also Remember

Tony Mendoza, nephew of Lydia Walden is very sick.

Ben Moon (Son of Mike & Carolyn) is temp. paralyzed.

Van Webb (Brother-in-law of Mike Moon) has improved.

Richard Ross (Sandra Collins' brother).

Violet (Sandra Collin's daughter-in-law) mother died.

Darlene Hodges (Sandra's aunt)-rehab

Dot, Jerry, Leon & Morris Allee, Stephen Gillespie,

Andre White, (Debbie White's son),

Mrs.George (Shannon Cobb's grandmother),

Doris Dromgoole, Debbie Bachmeyer (Doris'daughter),

Howard (Dixie's husband- Doris Peavler's sister),

Terry Peavler (Doris' son) macular degeneration.

Owen Cobb (great grandson of Linda Cobb),

Mike Howsley (Doris Peavler's great nephew).

Mike Ringenberg, (Shannon Cobb's dad),

Shut-Ins

Thomas Bailey, Joyce Bradley, and Debbie Goode

WELCOME VISITORS

We want to personally thank you for joining us today. It is our prayer you leave our worship service with an uplifted spirit. Below is what you can expect during our services.

SINGING: Non-instrumental music plays a great part of our worship services. We hope that you will find this to be an uplifting praise to the Lord. (Eph. 5:19)

LORD'S SUPPER: Each Sunday we observe the Lord's Supper, which reflects on the death, burial and resurrection of our Lord Jesus, and the hope of everlasting life we now can live through Him. (I Cor. 11:23-26)

CONTRIBUTION: During the service, we as members are given the opportunity to give a portion of what God has given us. This money is used to support the church and to help spread God's Word. (I Cor. 16:2)



Sundays-7:00 a.m.

KUBE Channel 57 – Comcast Channel 53

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Upcoming Topics

March 19 – "Obeying God"

March 26 – "Who is Your Lord"

Schedule of Services

Sunday: Bible Study-----9:00 a.m.

Worship-----10:00 a.m.

Sunday Evening-----6:00 p.m.

Ladies Bible Class (September-May)---- 9:00 a.m.

Wednesday-----7:00 p.m.

Preacher-----Gerald Bennett & Keith Bradley

Song Leaders-----Keith Bradley & Jamie Cobb

Elders: Keith Bradley & Jamie Cobb



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FROM THE PREACHER'S DESK

THE ELDERS HAVE ASKED BROTHER GERALD BENNETT to temporarily take over the preaching work. With my chemotherapy beginning and weakened condition due to my recent diagnosis of pancreatic and liver cancer, I felt I would not be able to preach regularly. In the future, when I begin to feel better, you will hear me preach more often.

249 IS SO BLESSED TO HAVE GERALD AND JUDY AS MEMBERS HERE.

Gerald has over fifty years of preaching experience and over twenty-five years teaching preachers. His Wednesday night class on Hebrews has been excellent. Therefore, the elders feel confident asking Gerald to assume this work on a temporary basis.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR WORDS OF ENCOURAGEMENT as I embark on this new journey for cancer treatment. My first treatment last Wednesday and it went well. I do not know what the Lord has planned for me, but I trust Him implicitly. He holds my future and yours in His hands. Thanks for your concern and prayers.

OUR SEMI-ANNUAL CONTRIBUTION TO SUNNY GLEN. was picked up last Wednesday. They were thankful for your generosity in both food and checks. Thanks for helping to make their pantry full to help the children that live there.

THANKS FOR ALL WHO ATTENDED Family, Food, & Fun Friday Night. The food was great and so was the entertainment. .Thanks Sandra Collins for hosting.

Keith

Loved Ones Serving To Protect

- Drew Girton – Navy - Hawaii
- John Girton-Army-N. Carolina
- Carl Higgs-Army-California
- Jared Jensen-Air Force-Iraq
- Travis Little-Air Force-Ellington
- Scott Middleton –Marines-California
- James Thomas-National Guard
- James Williams-Navy-California
- James Boribourn-Navy-Boot camp
- Crystal Stallings Drake-El Paso Texas
- Aaron Abel-Army-Dangerous Location?

Sermons for Sunday

THIS WEEK

AM— “The Church, The Body of Christ

PM – “The Return of Christ” (2 Thess 2:1-12)

NEXT WEEK

AM— Gerald Bennett

PM – “The Gospel in Summary” (2 Thess 2:13-17)

Scripture for Today

Romans 12:5 (NKJV)

⁵ so we, *being* many, are one body in Christ, and individually members of one another.

WELCOME NEW MEMBER

Mary Lewis

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Houston, Texas 77070

Home: (281) 251-8616

New Address:

Jamie, Shannon & Emily Cobb

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Wednesday Devotional

Dave Donohoe brought the devotional. His lesson was on the subject:

How Great Thou Art

Carl Boberg the writer of this great hymn looks down and writes to see all the wonderment of God. God’s creation is great.

1. Your reward is great in heaven (Lk 6:23)
2. God has prepared things for those who love Him (1 Cor. 2:9)
3. I know a man in Christ who fourteen years ago—whether in the body I do not know, or whether out of the body I do not know, God knows—such a one was caught up to the third heaven.(2 Cor 12:2)
4. Now I saw a new heaven and a new earth, for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away. Also there was no more sea....⁴ And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes; there shall be no more death, nor sorrow, nor crying. There shall be no more pain, for the former things have passed away.” (Rev 12:1-4)
5. Let not your heart be troubled: ye believe in God, believe also in me.
² In my Father's house are many mansions: if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you.
³ And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there ye may be also.
⁴ And whither I go ye know, and the way ye know. (John 14:1-4)

Next Wednesday (3/22/2017) – Russell Dukes, Sr.

Proofs of our Love

Week of March 12, 2017

Bible Class-----	28
Morning Worship-----	78
Evening Worship-----	47
Wednesday Bible Class-----	31
Contribution-----	\$ 1,855.00
Budget-----	\$1,871.00
Under Budget for Week-----	\$16.00

249 Pantry Items Needed



Vienna Sausage, Beanie Weenee & Soup



Thanks from
Sunny Glen
Children’s Home

For you generous offering

HERE’S THE CHURCH

The word church comes from the Grekt word “ekklesia”. The word is correctly translated in Acts 19 “assembly” three times when talking about the idolatrous mob of Ephesus. And this is the true meaning of the word, “assembly”. But words in society take their meanings from usage. And we do not use the word today according to its true meaning. Notice how we talk and use the word in our speech.

We say, “I’m going to church” and though we know the building is not the church, sometimes our actions speak differently.

We say, “I don’t have to go to church to worship God.” I can do so on a creek bank out by myself. So what we are saying is I don’t have to be part of a church (an assembly). And yet the Bible says He “purchased the church with His own blood” (Acts 20:28). We are also showing our misunderstanding of the Lord’s Supper, because the only place that it can be partaken of is in the assembly. (More on this later.)

But there is another thing that is connected to this subject. I can get my teaching from T.V., Radio, or the Internet. That may be true, but you cannot get what the assembly gives you without assembling.

“...let us consider how to stimulate one another to love and good deeds, not forsaking our own assembling together, as is the habit of some,....” (Hebrews 10:24-25).

THINK ABOUT IT! --- GERALD