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EDDIE'S EDITORIAL

Conflict has been around since the beginning of time. The first conflict we find is in Genesis chapter 4 between Cain and Able. Come forward several thousands of years and the conflict still takes place. You have conflicts between nations. Conflicts between political parties and conflicts between neighbors to name a few.

However, the greatest conflict in human history is between God and man. The conflict exists because man sinned in breaking the laws of God. So, how does man repair the relationship between God and himself? It comes through Jesus. If man wants to be right with God, he must go through Jesus. Man must obey the gospel of Jesus Christ and become a part of His body, the church. When this happens, we have a mediator between us and God and that mediator is Jesus. Through Jesus we can approach God. The relationship has been restored. The scars of conflict are no more. Our sins have been forgiven. Our wounds have been healed. We are clothed with Jesus.

What a blessing it is to have Jesus to resolve the conflict that we started. What a blessing to be at peace with God.

Looking forward to seeing you Sunday. Eddie

OUR RECORD	
Sunday Bible Study	75
Sunday Morning Worship	133
Sunday Evening Worship	73
Wednesday Night Bible Study	65
Contribution	\$3429

Prayer list:

BLINDA HOUK is home recovering from spinal cord surgery.

BURT HANKINS will be seeing a doctor concerning test on his back. KATHY FINCH will be having knee surgery Feb. 25.

SHILOH FUNDERBURK is in the hospital in Amory with the flu. NORMA STANFORD will be having gallbladder surgery Feb. 20. BOBBIE LAMBERT, Hugh Windle's sister, in the hospital in Huntsville. LARRY PAGE, Tracy Windle's brother, is in the UAB rehab facility recovering from a liver transplant. He hopes to be coming home next week.

Remember our shut-ins in your prayers: Robbie Collins, Lola M. Edwards, Linda Livingston, Jean McGee, Jo Seay, Norma Stanford.

PRAYERS

A.M. Curtis Heatherly P.M. Brandon Stephens SONG LEADERS

A.M. – Ethan Thomas

P.M. – Malik Walker

WED - Mike Randolph

Announcements – Jerry Merchant Lords Supper & Contribution – Bill Pennington, Corey Funderburk, McKenlee Bardon, Jeremey Denton

Ladies to prepare Lord' Supper – Mallory Bardon

Security – Feb 23 – Brandon Stephens, Austin Brown

Feb 26 – John Windle, Lynn Pennington

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES:

Feb. 23 – Bible Bowl practice at 4:00.

Feb. 23 – Baby Shower for Reagan Potter in the fellowship room beginning at 2:00.

Feb 25 – First Responders Supper beginning at 6:00. Sign-up sheet on bulletin board for food items. If you could help with the preparation and serving, see Landon.

March 8 – Bridal shower brunch for Analeigh Mooneyham, bride elect of Ethan Thomas from 10:11:30.

Landon's Letters

How is your faith? That may seem like a simple question and while it might be simple it can get very deep. I remember a friend of mine telling this story at Maywood Christian Camp during a devotional one day about how when he was a senior in high school someone asked him that very question and it changed his life. So I ask you again how is your faith? Do you have a strong faith and relationship with the Lord or is it a weak one? Would you still be considered an infant in your spiritual walk even though you were in the waters of baptism many years ago, or has the Lord done many things in your life because you let him and you chose to grow closer to him and acknowledge him in all your ways? I hope everyone's faith is strong and you are striving to do the work of the Lord, but if it is not ask yourself why not? I encourage you to make sure that you have a strong faith and let the Lord guide your life!

If you would like to help with the First Responders dinner on the 25th please see me and we can get it lined up! Please be sure to sign up for the food items that need to be brought as well!

What's Going On With The Youth

If you have not turned in your Lads to Leaders registration fees please get them to me asap.

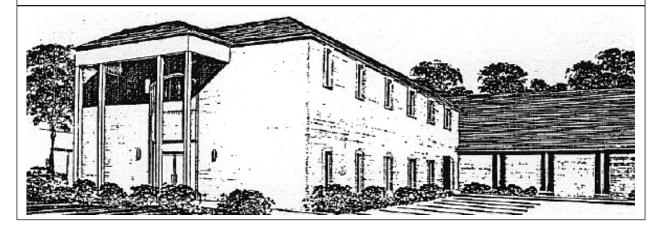
February 23rd Bible Bowl Practice @ 4pm

March 2nd Bible Bowl @ Detroit

April 17th-20th Lads To Leaders Convention in Nashville

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ELDERS

Glenn Butler Allen Chandler Burt Hankins Kurt Hankins Hugh Windle

DEACONS

Jason Burks Alvin Foster Curtis Heatherly Mike Randolph John P. Robertson O.Z. Rhudy

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Schedule of Services
Sunday Bible Study 10:00 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship
10:45 a.m. Sunday Evening Worship 5:00 p.m. Wednesday
Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

"The churches of Christ salute you . . ." Romans 16:16