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Thank you for being with us today!



VISITOR



ROGERSVILLE CHURCH OF CHRIST

SEPTEMBER 08, 2024

Today's Service - September 08	
Morning	Evening
Opening Prayer Clay McMeans	Opening Prayer Derek Pigg
Preside/Reading Matthew Davis	Bible Reading Randy Comer
Closing Prayer David Myers	Lead Singing Garrett Beavers
Lord's Supper to Shut-Ins Steven Burchell	Closing Prayer Nathan Ragasa
Wednesday 9/11/24	
Opening Prayer Patton Jones	Devotional Morris Lentz
Read Scripture Randy Comer	Closing Prayer Benjy McCafferty
Lead Singing Steven Burchell	
Children's Devotional	
Bible Reading Tucker Wright Song Collins Hardy Prayer Asher Owens	
Sunday 9/15/24	
Morning	Evening
Opening Prayer Reid Newton	Opening Prayer Stephen Speake
Preside/Reading Stephen Embry	Bible Reading Matthew Davis
Closing Prayer Danie ml Nix	Lead Singing Steven Burchell
Lord's Supper to Shut-ins Randy Comer	Closing Prayer Randall Tucker
Lock Up Building	
9/08 SUN AM Benjy McCafferty	9/15 SUN AM Terrell Phillips
9/08 SUN PM Reid Newton	9/15 SUN PM Stephen Speake
9/11 WED Brock Owens	9/18 WED Bobby Street
Sound Room	
September 1-17 Shane Lee, Tucker Wright	
September 18-30 Shane Lee, Tucker Webster	
Prepare Communion	
September 01 & 08 David & Wanda Myers	
September 15 & 22 Trent & Krista Patterson	
Baptismal Garments	
Christy Reeves	
Attendance	Contribution
9/01 SUN BIBLE CLASS. 148	9/01. \$13,738.00
9/01 SUN AM 228	Budget \$11,577.00
9/01 SUN PM. 89	
9/04 WED. 136	

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SUN AM Bible Class . . 9:00 a.m.
SUN AM Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.
SUN PM Worship 5:00 p.m.
Wed. Bible Study 6:30 p.m.
Tues. Bible Study. . . . 10:00 a.m.

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The songs we sing are not divinely inspired in the same way that the Bible is (unless the song is taken directly from Scripture), but we understand that the sentiments are certainly spiritual in nature. The issue that many of us battle is when we sing these songs as many times as we have over the course of our lives, we grow so accustomed to them that we often allow our minds to wander due to their familiarity.

My challenge to all of us comes in two parts: (1) May we make a more concerted effort to pay attention to the things we are saying with our mouths and hearts during worship and (2) May we put a stop to the always, only comfort songs and give way to a place where we aim to grow beyond our comfort zone into a place that is FAR more concerned with worshiping our God than our own personal creature comforts. The second challenge comes from a place of love and concern because we (myself at the top of the list) have frowned upon the use of "devotional" songs as a part of our worship.

First of all, to snurl my nose and speak ill of something that evokes devotion to God is already off on the wrong foot. Secondly, to state that you do not like a song simply because you don't know it is embarrassing. Thirdly, I appreciate singing old songs as much (if not more) than anyone because I grew up singing those songs in my house, with my family, and at the congregation where we worshiped. However, I have grown to appreciate even more the people who are actively seeking to spiritually create songs that will bring me into an even closer relationship with God.

All of this is presented to simply say... When we come to worship our God, it is not about us and that must move out of being just "something we say" and into a place where our emotions are engaged in worship due to our overwhelming feeling of gratitude to the Creator.

As always... I am glad to answer questions, discuss things, or simply listen to the venting :)

God bless you as we worship Him together today!

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Sick

Millie Goode has been in the hospital but is now at home.

Ursela Rose is taking medication for an infection and is at home.

Steve Hooie was taken to the hospital Wednesday. He is having complications with neuropathy.

Martha Flanagan is now at home recovering from a fall.

Linda Rekart has an infection in her mastoid bone.

Eddie Maxwell had surgery and is now at home.

Marc Peck is recovering from shoulder surgery.

Jewelene Thigpen is recovering from foot surgery.

Patsy Brooks received good test results.

Wayne & Sylvia Lentz are improving, but because of weak immune systems they request no visitors currently.

Betsy Kalakau is undergoing tests for her back.

Kathleen Phillips, sister of Doris Jackson, is under hospice care.

Oaklynn Jackson, daughter of Eli & Taylor Gordon Jackson and granddaughter of Tammy Gordon may possibly go to New York for surgery.

Kim Schaffer, sister of Donnie Lane, has been moved to hospice care in Huntsville.

Margie Pittman, grandmother of Brandi Springer, was taken back to the hospital Wednesday.

Bill Stokes, friend of Randall & Jean Ann Tucker, fell and has several broken bones including a broken neck and a brain bleed.

Melanie, friend of Johnny Williams, underwent surgery on her spinal cord.

Extended Illness: Cecil Haraway, Dude Weathers, Jerry Bedingfield, John Embry (father of Melia Owens and brother to James Embry), Whitney Skipworth (friend of Shirley Haraway), Marleigh Gilbert, Lisa Grossheim, Rachael Weir, Dennis Raney, Mattie Pugh, Larry Pugh (relatives of Floyd & Millie Goode), Jacob Black, uncle of Kim Lane, Larry Bailey (friend of Gearld Whitman)

Shut-Ins

Mary Ann Kerr (home), Vera Cox (Lauderdale Christian), Neal Trousdale (home), Vella Green (Rm 2308 Col. Robert L. Howard State Veterans Home, 7054 Veterans Pkwy, Pell City, AL 35125), Willie Mae Eldridge (El Reposo 260 Milner Chapel Rd, Rm 217, Florence, 35634), Alice Ezell (home), Bob Fay (Avita of Brunswick, 89 Admiral Fitch Ave., Brunswick, ME 04011), Mahlon & Gladys Graham (home), Ruth Comer (Cedar View Rm 113, Killen 35645; ph. 256-272-6071), Dixie Kelly 109 Stone Hedge Dr. Rogersville

Trip

The possibility of a trip to the **Creation Museum** and **The Ark** is being discussed. If you would be interested in this two-day trip, please sign the list on the education wing table.

Wednesday Evening Meals

Our Wednesday evening meals are each week at 5:15. We ask for \$5 per person eating, if you are able, to keep the meals going. Please see Rachael if you can help with preparing food/menu each week.

Beth's Babies

Beth's Babies is an organization in Athens that is collecting new and gently used children's coats for the upcoming winter months. We are currently collecting size 2T up to a youth extra-large. We are also collecting warm blankets (small size) that could be used for infant car seats. A box for these donations is in the main foyer. If you have any questions, please see Audri Ragasa.

Annex Set Up

Please sign the list on the table in the education wing if you are willing to help set up the annex for our fellowships. We need individuals, couples, and families, to help.

There will be instructions/guidelines located in the annex's kitchen closet, along with an updated calendar allowing us to see when the annex is available for set up. The serving and cleanup of the meals will remain the same, being based on the first letter of last name.

Healing Hands International MAGI Boxes

MAGI boxes to fill are in the main foyer. A list is in the box for items needed as well as a size chart on the back. The cost to fill a box is approximately \$30 plus \$8 for shipping. If you would like to fill a box, but are not able to shop for the items, you may give a check for \$38 payable to "Rogersville Church of Christ" to Donnie or Kim Lane (as soon as possible) and we will purchase the items for you. Bibles are no longer put in boxes. They are collected in bulk and provided to ministers to distribute. Let us know if you would like to make a donation to purchase Bibles.

Please return filled boxes to the main foyer by **September 29** and give \$8 cash or check payable to "Rogersville church of Christ" to Donnie or Kim Lane.

If you would like to fill a box, but did not get one, please let us know. We have more available.

Boxes have been given to children in Arizona Navajo, Brazil, Dominican Republic, Haiti, Honduras, India, Kenya, Paraguay, Texas/Mexico border, Uganda, Ukraine, Zambia, and Zimbabwe. Read more about this good work at www.hhi.org/magi. Thank you!

Events

Fall Festival October 28

Area Event

Girls' Day East Main Murfreesboro, TN September 14

Atlas September 04 - October 02 Wednesday Night Series

West Huntsville September 21 Ladies Day

HCU September 23 at 6 PM "Navigating Grief" Mental Health Forum

Coxey Ladies' Day September 28

Week 37

September 8-14

**I Kings, Nahum, Habakkuk,
Zephaniah, Mark**

(47 chapters)



Week 38

September 15-21
**II Kings, Nehemiah,
I & II Thessalonians**

(46 chapters)