

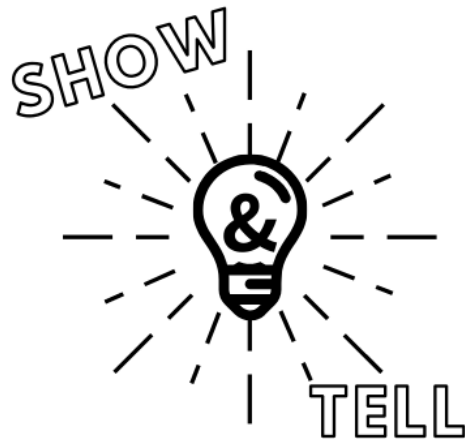
### Last Week's Statistics

AM Bible Study	N/A
AM Worship	N/A
PM Worship	N/A
Wed. Bible Study	N/A
Contribution	\$4,080.00
2020 Budget	\$4,000.00
2020 Average	\$3,703.86
Building Fund	\$369,646.12

### Today's Sermon

The Humble Estate  
(Luke 1:46-55)

### Acts 20:20 in 2020



Order of Worship and Those Serving		
<i>If you are unable to serve, please contact Jim Ross.</i>		
<b>AM WORSHIP</b>		
WELCOME		
SONG LEADER		
FIRST PRAYER		
LORD'S SUPPER		
	PRESIDING	
	PRESIDING	
BIBLE READING		
SERMON		
CLOSING PRAYER		
NURSERY		
NURSERY		
USHERS		
SECURITY		
INVITATION ELDER		
<b>PM WORSHIP</b>		
SONG LEADER		
FIRST PRAYER		
BIBLE READING		
SERMON		
CLOSING PRAYER		
ANNOUNCEMENTS		
LORD'S SUPPER		
USHER		
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>		
SONG LEADER		
CLOSING PRAYER		



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### Family Matters

**Kathryn Willbanks** is recovering from Tuesday's treatment. David's brother-in-law **John Booth** is doing better. Kathryn's brother **John Harrington** is dealing with some health issues.

Cindy Bullock asks prayers for her niece **Emily** and her boyfriend **Seth** who are battling COVID-19. Audrey Dempster (Jim & Cherie's daughter-in-law) asks prayers for family members battling COVID-19.

Oscar & Donna Farley ask prayers for **Rebecca Saylor** who has liver cancer and their daughter-in-law who may soon be induced.

Kristi Barnes asks prayers for 14-year-old **Peyton** (surgery May 14).

Florence Stubblefield's son-in-law **Dan Crum** is battling cancer.

Ron Ryan asks prayers for **John & Kate Thompson**. John is currently battling cancer and undergoing chemo.

Tammy Sparkman's nephew **Jeremy Warren** received a good report.

Jim Glenn's sister **Bea Johnson** is doing well following surgery Friday.

**Past Requests:** Curtis Hawkins, Allen Swearengin, Anibal Ramirez, David Downey, Buck Roberts, Oscar Farley, Barry Lawson, Greg Blevins, Diane Hawkins, Rowen Glenn, Dolores Lupo, Earl Yount, Candy Willbanks, Jake Neblett, Jerry Ivey

**Battling Cancer:** Nina Barrett, Helen Roberts, Ken Polston, Mistie Hale, Chuck Maurer, Vonda Zimmerman, Dan Crum, Charles Staton, Dina Faust, Julie Browning, Jerry Ladd, Greg Dexter, Angie Cureton, Phil Mitchell, Krista Lovejoy, Jerry Hickman, Susan Jones, Rick Stoffer, Heather Andrews, Jean Waddell, Russ Holden, Ed Goins, Amy Hoyle, Todd Turpen, Barb Halcomb, Jim Toombs, Pete Misuraca, Tim Smith, Dennis Cornett, John Thomas, Brianne Langley, Larry Smith, Carole Roloff, Karen Hamrick, Jimmy Mooney, Becky Bunch, Dwayne Cole, Darlene Sentelle, Susan Crigger, Jamie Johnson, Sarah Wolfe, Richard McCollough, Jeremy Warren, Courtney Kramer

**Shut-In:** Gracie Arnott, Rick Blair, Jack & Wanda Dickson, Doyle Helton, Kathy Johnson, Keith Sparkman

**Military:** Cameron Dean, Austin & Luke Whitelaw

### Our Purpose

**Live With the Lord  
Live Like the Lord  
Live For the Lord**

### Welcome!

Whether you're passing through or looking for a church home, thank you for joining us! If you need more info about us or have a prayer request, please include the appropriate information on your Connection Card and leave it in the collection plate.

### What to Expect

We seek to exalt the Lord while encouraging each other in our worship. We sing together as a congregation and welcome all voices to join us. As our guest, please don't feel obligated to give to our offering. Our worship order is listed on the back of this newsletter. May God be glorified and you be blessed today.

*Thank you for being with us!*

### Service Times

Sunday Bible Classes:	9:30 am
Sunday AM Worship:	10:30 am
Sunday PM Worship:	5:00 pm
Wednesday Bible Classes:	7:00 pm

### Contact Us

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Blaine Kelly	736.1505
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## We Had Hoped

“We had hoped.” Those words come from two of Jesus’ disciples in Luke 24:21 following his crucifixion. Spoken in the past tense, “We had hoped” also implies “We no longer hope.”

Few things hurt like unfulfilled hope. We all know the pain of such disappointment.

These disciples had no reason to be hopeless, however. They soon learned that the resurrected Jesus was alive, well and standing in their presence!

Why had the disciples given up hope so easily? Because the object of their hope was too shallow and short-sighted. They hoped Jesus would redeem Israel back to prominence (Luke 24:21). Jesus later revealed that his mission was far bigger (Luke 24:45-47).

Like the disciples, our hopes sometimes suffer from being too small.

Right now we all hope that the pandemic will soon end. But what if it doesn’t? Can you and I still live with hope? We absolutely can!

That’s because Christ offers a hope that extends beyond the circumstances of “here and now.” The disciples discovered that here and now will sometimes be painful and unpredictable. When the things for which I hope slip through my fingers, I am only being reminded that my hopes were misplaced and too small. When my hope goes beyond here and now, however, I can continue to live with hope right here and right now.

Instead of saying “We had hoped,” in Christ we can all proclaim, “We hope for something more.” — Blaine

## High Rock “Big Fish” Tournament

High Rock Bible Camp is holding a virtual fishing tournament for the month of May to help support the camp. Participants are asked to fish anywhere in Virginia or Tennessee that is open to the public. Pictures of your catches must be submitted to Bill Kittrell at [wbkittrell@hotmail.com](mailto:wbkittrell@hotmail.com) or texted to him at (276) 492-4394. Cost of entry is \$25 per person, and checks are to be made out to “High Rock Bible Camp.” Please mail entry fees to Bill Kittrell, 503 Court St., Abingdon, VA 24210. A picture of the event’s flyer is on our Facebook page and includes full details about fishing requirements and photo submissions.



**NEW MEMBER!** We’re happy to announce that Ron Ryan is now a part of our church family. Ron recently moved to Morristown from Murfreesboro and worshiped with us some over the winter. When we return to the building, please welcome him!

**CONGRATULATIONS** to Erin Dean on receiving her Ph.D. in Education Leadership from Carson-Newman University!

**CHILDREN’S LESSON:** Weekly Bible lessons for kids can be found on our Facebook page.

**FOOD PANTRY:** Please check expiration dates before donating. Here are our current needs: Spaghetti Sauce, Oatmeal, Canned Meat, Box Meals, Canned Fruit, Jelly & Cereal

**WEEKLY CONTRIBUTION:** You can give your contribution by dropping it off at the building throughout the week or by mailing a check to

Morristown Church of Christ  
c/o Bob Bobo  
1408 E Andrew Johnson Hwy  
Morristown, TN 37814

**ONLINE SERVICES:** Join us every Sunday at 10:30 AM and Wednesdays at 7 PM at

[www.facebook.com/MorristownChurchofChrist/](http://www.facebook.com/MorristownChurchofChrist/)  
Recordings of the services will be available on Facebook or the church’s website at:  
[morristownchurchofchrist.com/live-stream.html](http://morristownchurchofchrist.com/live-stream.html)



### This Week at a Glance

Today	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
10:30am Worship (Livestreaming)			Bible Study 7 PM (Livestreaming)			