

Last Week's Statistics

AM Bible Study	65
AM Worship	109
PM Worship	45
Wed. Bible Study	79
Contribution	\$4,360.57
2017 Budget	\$3,700.00
2017 Average	\$3,608.90
Building Fund	\$352,605.00

Today's Sermons

AM: The Servant of the Lord
(Luke 1:35-38)

PM: The Blessing of Simeon
(Luke 2:25-26)

Vision 20:20 for 2017



Order of Worship and Those Serving

If you are unable to serve, please contact Jim Ross.

AM WORSHIP	June 11	June 18
WELCOME	Blaine Kelly	Blaine Kelly
SONG LEADER	TBD	David Willbanks
FIRST PRAYER	Bob Bobo	Mike Sobiech
LORD'S SUPPER	Bill Rouse	Bill Rouse
	Luke Whitelaw	Luke Whitelaw
PRESIDING	Jim Dempster	Jim Dempster
PRESIDING	Tom Montgomery	Tom Montgomery
	Curtis Hawkins	Curtis Hawkins
	Jeff Maxwell	Jeff Maxwell
BIBLE READING	Terry Browning	Russ Mitchell
SERMON	Blaine Kelly	Blaine Kelly
CLOSING PRAYER	John Dean	Tim Thompson
NURSERY	Becky Hawkins	Jennifer Maxwell
NURSERY	Janet Cose	Martha Ross
USHERS	Mark Coe	Mark Coe
	Jim Ross	Jim Ross
SECURITY	Larry Capshaw	Jeff Whitaker
INVITATION ELDER	Jim Dempster	Tom Montgomery
PM WORSHIP	June 11	June 18
SONG LEADER	Russ Mitchell	Kenneth Ross
FIRST PRAYER	Wayne Lilly	Van Frasher
BIBLE READING	Jeff Maxwell	Mark Coe
SERMON	John Dean	Bob Bobo
CLOSING PRAYER	Jerry Barrett	Tom Montgomery
ANNOUNCEMENTS	Richard Hawkins	Richard Hawkins
LORD'S SUPPER	TBD	David Willbanks
USHER	Tim Thompson	Tim Thompson
NURSERY	Rhoda Cooper	Melissa Thompson
INVITATION ELDER	John Dean	David Willbanks
WEDNESDAY	June 14	June 21
SONG LEADER	Steve Hernandez	Jerry Barrett
CLOSING PRAYER	Richard Hawkins	Bob Bobo



MORRISTOWN CHURCH OF CHRIST

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Weekly Newsletter - June 11, 2017

Welcome!

Are you new?

Whether you're just visiting or looking for a church home, it is great to have you with us. If you have any questions or would like to know more about our church family, feel free to speak with any member or take a brochure located in the hall.

What to Expect

All that we ask of you is to relax. We are people just like you. Please complete a 'Connection Card' from the pew in front of you. This is solely for our records — you won't get any surprise visits. Our worship order is listed on the back of this newsletter. As our guest, please don't feel obligated to give to the offering.

Thank you for being with us!

Our Elders

John Dean	581.4373
Jim Dempster	587.0535
Tom Montgomery	587.0743
David Willbanks	586.4747

Our Minister

Blaine Kelly	736.1505
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Family Matters

Rowen Glenn is recovering at Vanderbilt after undergoing heart surgery Monday. Please pray for her continued healing.

Wells Sommer learned last week that his cancer has returned and started a new round of chemotherapy this past Wednesday.

Cheri Miles has been undergoing tests for thyroid issues.

Brenda Dean goes to the doctor this week regarding vision issues.

Barry Lawson remains in much pain with Crohn's disease.

David Willbanks is currently in Peru for a medical mission trip.

The Farleys request prayers for **Jeff Roberts** and for their daughter-in-law **Christa Farley** as she deals with pregnancy complications.

Cindy Bullock's nephew **Mitch Plumb** is recovering from surgery to remove tumors. He now awaits test results.

Janet Cose requests prayers for her son **Matt Cose** and his family as their house was damaged last week by lightning.

Past Requests: Barry Lawson, Kathryn Willbanks, Rowen Glenn, Margie Ladehoff, Leslie Williams, Eleanor Creech, Justine Hickman, Ann Dunlap, Craig Thornburg, Ovell Alexander, Dolores Lupo

Battling Cancer: Allen Swearingin, Mistie Hale, Ken Polston, Julie Browning, Regina Gauntt, Alida Priestner, Bill Baker, Mitch Plumb, Donna Lane, Lisa Vicks, Danny Herren, Joe Clusky, Mary Springer, Angie Dean Cureton, Virginia Hopkins, Ann Long, Susan Howlett, Joe Loveless, Vanessa McMillan, Mary Nolen Bond, Greg Dexter, Mike Joyner, Brenda Dillman, Tonya Bennett, Mary Ramsey, Jamin Hymel, Charlotte Sierocinski, Casey Beck, Nancy Gallagher, Herbert Browning, William Austin, Kallie Reece, Courtney Kramer

Shut-In: Mignon Adkins, Rick Blair, Pam Capshaw, Doyle Helton, Allene Powell, Melody Roberts, Bill Ross, Keith Sparkman

Military: Cameron Dean, Austin Whitelaw, Tristan Capshaw, Jacob Helton, Cody Miller, Benjamin Wingfield

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

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My Father's House

Opening Conversation: No matter how young or old you are, how can you glorify God at your age? In what ways could Jesus have glorified God when he was a child and a teenager?

Introduction: The Bible tells us about Jesus' birth and early life in Matthew 1-2 and Luke 1-2. Except for one passage, the remainder of Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John tell us about Jesus as an adult. The only passage that tells us about Jesus between his birth and adult life is Luke 2:41-52.

Read Luke 2:41-51

Devotional: In this passage, we find Jesus and his family going to Jerusalem for the Feast of the Passover that took place every year. Passover was a special time of worship and celebration of God freeing the Israelites from Egyptian slavery during the days of Moses. At this particular Passover, Jesus was twelve years old. Jesus' family traveled from Nazareth to Jerusalem by walking with a crowd of people. When it was time to return home, Mary and Joseph assumed that Jesus was with the group. After a day's travel, they realized that he was not with them and returned to Jerusalem to search for him. They found him in the temple among a group of Jewish teachers. Even though he was only 12-years-old, Jesus amazed the teachers with his understanding of Scriptures. As his parents saw this, they were amazed too. But they also asked him why he had stayed behind in Jerusalem. Jesus responded, "Did you not know that I must be in my Father's house?" That was Jesus' way of saying that learning about God's was of greatest importance to him. Even though Jesus was still young, we learn three things about him: (1) At the age of twelve, Jesus knew Scripture very well. (2) Jesus wanted to know even more things about God and His Word. (3) Jesus put God first in everything that he did.

Read Luke 2:52 — Luke chapter 2 ends with the special words of verse 52. That verse tells us the kind of person Jesus was in his younger years and all throughout his life. Even though he had great understanding at a young age, he continued to grow in wisdom. He also grew "in stature," meaning he grew up physically. Finally, Jesus "grew in favor with God and man." That tells us that Jesus grew in his relationship with God and his relationships with all people. Even though this verse is about Jesus, all of us can grow in these ways no matter how young or old we are.

DISCUSSION: How can we grow in wisdom, in stature, and in favor with God & man?

Prayer: Thank God for helping us grow up and pray that we grow in Him in all ways.

Family News & Notes



SUNDAY SUMMER NIGHTS: Please join us at 5pm tonight for worship as John Dean speaks for us and stay afterwards for a time of food, fun & fellowship.

- Tonight is Taco Bar Night. Please bring sides that go with tacos.
- Next week will be Breakfast for Dinner. Pancakes will be provided. Please bring Casseroles, Donuts, Fruit, etc.

THEME NIGHTS: If you would like to organize/host one of our Summer Night meals or the activities afterwards, please see Blaine.

VISITATION MINISTRY will use some of our Sunday Summer Nights to encourage and visit others. Please see Larry Capshaw for more info and be a part of this meaningful ministry.

JUNE CALENDARS are on the hallway tables.



A BABY "SPRINKLE" for Jennifer Gilbert will take place Saturday, June 24. You may drop in between 2:00—4:00pm. Jennifer is expecting a girl. For more information, please see Karen Crumbley or Dana Talley.

ATTENTION PARENTS: Weekly outings for this summer for our children are on the calendar. Join us Thursday for a picnic at Panther Creek Park at 11:00am. Please bring your own lunch.

VBS 2017 is 4 weeks away! Join us July 9-12 as we go back in time in our Bible Time Machine. We will meet each night from 6 to 8. Please be praying for this great week together and bring someone with you!

CLOTHING DRIVE: Our Clothing Giveaway will take place on Saturday, July 8. Now is the time to bring your clothes to the building. Please see Cherie Dempster if you have clothes to donate. Please DO NOT leave clothes at the pavilion. Thank you!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- 6/12 Sherrie Montgomery
- 6/16 Stryder Wilson
- 6/16 Stryker Wilson
- 6/16 David Willbanks

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!!!

- 6/12 Van & Jackie Frasher
- 6/17 Jeff & Jennifer Maxwell

This Week at a Glance

Today	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thurs-	Friday	Saturday
11 <i>The Story</i> 9:30am Bible Class 10:30am Worship 5pm Worship & Summer Nights	12	13 Prayer Group 10 AM 39 cards sent last week.	14 "The Story" Bible Classes 7 PM	15	16 Parents: Panther Creek Park 11:00am	17 Be Ready for Chapter 23 of The Story!!