

SERVICE ASSIGNMENTS

July 25, 2021

Sunday Morning

Bible Study

Song Leader: Mark Newman
Prayer: Coty Haggard

Worship Service

Announcements: Brent Roberts
Song Leader: Mark Newman
Prayer: Ernest Finney
Scripture Reading: Ronnie Meeker
Sermon: Ralph Hart
Lord's Table: Paul Parsley

Closing Prayer: Keith Pippenger
Greeters: NO GREETERS
TODAY

Sunday Evening:

Song Leader: Mark Newman
Prayer: Don Davidson
Lord's Table: Paul Parsley
Closing Prayer: Mike Sain

Wednesday Evening:

July 28

Song Leader: Mark Newman
Prayer: David Welborn
Announcements: Chuck Taylor
Closing Prayer: Jamie McCullough

Preacher

Ralph Wayne Hart
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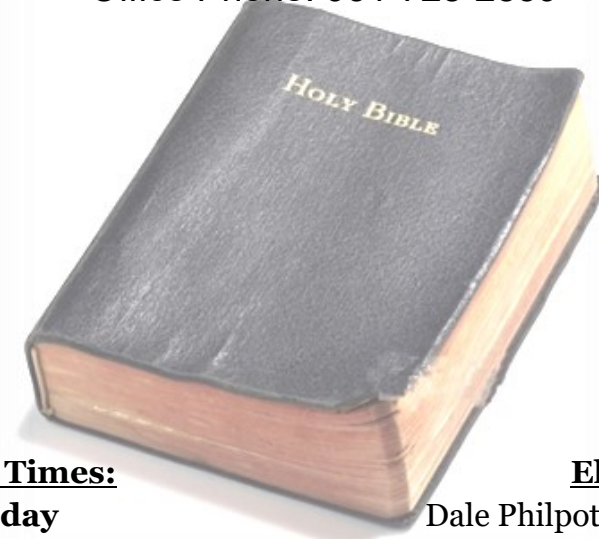
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Service Times:

Sunday

Bible Study --- 9:00 AM
Worship ----- 10:00 AM
Evening ----- 6:00 PM

Wednesday

Bible Study -- 7:00 PM

Elders

Dale Philpott --- 728-5720
Chuck Taylor --- 728-7086

Deacon

Jerry White

Interpreting for the hearing impaired: Dale Philpott.

“And He said to them’ “Go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature’...” Mark 16:15

PRAYERS NEEDED

Mason Pennington is scheduled for surgery on his heart August 13.

Janie Dotson has been sick this week.

Wilma Williams scheduled to see surgeon on 20th.

Brent Roberts had a medical procedure Wednesday concerning his kidney stone.

Ray Winton has been diagnosed with Lymphoma.

Dixie Hart is undergoing treatments on her back.

Grace Davidson undergoing some medical tests.

Richie Carter is dealing with results of a stroke. Friend of Neal and Jennifer.

SHUT IN

Sarah Bridges (Legacy Rehab)
Gwen Carrick (home), **Morris & Jean Floyd** (home), **Elmer & Lottie Green** (home), **Mary Jernigan**, **Sheila McCullough** (NHC), **Sue Moore** (MHR, Room 212), **Ken Mizell** (Winchester), **Vicki Orr** (NHC, room 204), **Hazel Scott** (MHR).

BIBLE READING

July 18-24

1 Peter 4-Revelation 19

CONTINUE TO PRAY for following:

Sherryl Roberts, Sue Reed, Bob Brinkmann, Donna Pinkston, Gina Tincher, Sandy Hamlet, Donna Tincher, Scott Morgan, Ann Broadrick, Judy Atnip, Jon Lee, Emily Bouldin Smith, Roxanne Evans, G. M. Holland, Martin Ley, Mike Mason, Ashley Wilson, Doris Broadrick, Ken Springer, Rachael Archer, remember our brothers working in Russia: Gennady, Alex, Sergei, & Yuri Bayev.

FOOD COORDINATORS JULY

Donna Finney @ 224-7353, Kerrie Pippenger @ 808-5752, & Emily Townsend @ 581-6038.

EVENTS IN AREA

July 18-23, Coffee County Week at SMBC. Pray for good and safe week, for campers and workers.

August 21, VBS @ Red Hill. Time: 9:00 a.m. Classes for all ages.

BEING CLEANSED

I am sure that most people have read or heard about Naaman and his cleansing. There is no doubt in the mind of a person who believes what the bible says, that Naaman was cleansed of his leprosy by dipping 7 times in the Jordan River.

“And Elisha sent a messenger unto him, saying, Go and wash in the Jordan seven times, and thy flesh shall come again to thee, and thou shalt be clean”.(2 Kings 5:10). One cannot fail to see that the water had no healing powers.

Jesus said: *“And many lepers were in Israel in the time of Elisha the prophet; and none of them was cleansed, saving Naaman the Syrian.”* (Luke 4:27).

Of course Naaman was cleansed by the power of God, after he met the condition.

Now compare what Elisha told Naaman and what Ananias told Paul to do.

“And now why tarriest thou? arise, and be baptized, and wash away thy sins, calling on the name of the Lord” (Acts 22:16).

WHY is it so difficult for people to acknowledge the cleansing of Naaman that came as result of water by the power of God, but ignore the idea of sinners baptism in water, so that God can save them? (Colossians 2:12).

Now let me ask this question. Why did God choose this action, whether for Naaman or baptism for us? I believe it is a test of faith. Do I believe God and am I willing to do what he says? But one thing I do know and that is baptism is the point that a person is cleansed of sins.

Look at some passages:
Our sins are forgiven (Acts 2:38).
Our sins are washed away (Acts 22:16).
We are saved (1 Peter 3:20-21).
We are buried and raised to walk in newness of life (Romans 6:3-4).

We obtain all spiritual blessings in Christ when we are baptized into Christ (Galatians 3:27; Ephesians 1:3).

So why not obey? Why do you delay?

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