

## SERVICE ASSIGNMENTS

November 8, 2020

### Sunday Morning

#### **Bible Study**

Song Leader: Mark Newman  
Prayer: Tim Dotson

#### **Worship Service**

Announcements: Brent Roberts  
Song Leader: Mark Newman  
Prayer: Jerry White  
Scripture Reading: Mike Sain  
Sermon: Ralph Hart  
Lord's Table: Paul Parsley

Closing Prayer: David Welborn  
Greeters: NO GREETERS  
TODAY

### Sunday Evening:

Song Leader: Mark Newman  
Prayer: Gary Winton  
Lord's Table: Paul Parsley  
Closing Prayer: Alex Newman

### Wednesday Evening:

**Nov. 11**

Song Leader: Mark Newman  
Prayer: Don Davidson  
Announcements: Chuck Taylor  
Closing Prayer: Virgil Robinson

#### **Preacher**

Ralph Wayne Hart  
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# THE RED HILL MESSENGER

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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

### Deacons

Howard Clutter

Jerry White

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**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

**Waymon Simmons** is slowly getting better.

**Debra Meeker** is now cast free and is to begin physical therapy.

**Mary Norman**, friend of Judy Randall, having surgery on one of feet.

Continue to pray for following:

**Teresa McCullough, Wilma Williams, Waymon Simmons, Jimmy Parsley, Leroy Dedmon, Mark Petty (alternate treatments), Sheila McCullough, Jimmy Gross, Scott Morgan, Rudy Fults, Lu Cope, Leonard Pike, Keith Beasley, Wendy Williams, Judy Atnip, Sandy Hamlet, Jon Lee, Wayne Clouse, Jerry Davidson, Bonnie George, Will Chatfield, Ken Springer, Ken Mizell, Tommy Morton, Gennady, Alex, Sergei, & Yuri, in Russia.**

## SHUT IN

**Sarah Bridges (Legacy) Gwen Carrick (home), Morris & Jean Floyd (home), Delma Gaither (NHC), Elmer & Lottie Green (Home), Mary Jernigan (home), Sue Moore (MHCC, 212),**

**Continued:**

**Carolyn Northcutt (Autumn Oaks), Vicki Orr (NHC, room 204), Hazel Scott (MHCC), Jewell Vandagriff (MHCC).**

## FOOD COORDINATOR FOR NOVEMBER

**Dixie Hart @ 728-2383 and Joyce Shores @ 952-9675**

## BIBLE READING

**November 1-7  
Mark 5— Luke 20**

## OUR SYMPATHY

**To Prater Powell and family at the passing of his daughter, Jennifer Whittington. Her Memorial service will be November 2nd at Oaks & Nichols Funeral Home in Columbia, TN, beginning at 3:00 p.m.**

## CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR BIBLE STUDENTS WITH PERFECT ATTENDANCE

**Ally Haggard, Max Parsley and Easton Townsend. We are proud of all of YOU!**

## JACOB'S LADDER

Genesis 28:10-17

This beautiful vision came to Jacob at Bethel. Not only was it an encouragement to the lonely pilgrim; but also a forecast of far-reaching consequence.

Near the beginning of his ministry, Jesus alludes to it. Unto Nathanael he said, "*Verily, Verily, I say unto you, Ye shall see the heaven open, and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of man.*" (John 1:51.)

Let's look at the meaning. A ladder is an instrument by which we may climb to greater heights.

Jesus is our spiritual ladder, the gracious means by which we may ascend. Concerning himself he said, "*I am the way, and the truth, and the life: no one cometh unto the Father but by me.*" (John 14:6). By means of him, the lowest man may climb.

Think about the length of it. It reaches from earth to heaven, "from lowly earth to heights sublime." In his human nature he is "set up on the earth," in his divine nature he reaches "to heaven."

He extends all the way --- and what a long way it is! 1 Timothy 3:16 "*And without controversy great is the mystery of godliness: God was*

*manifest in the flesh, justified in the Spirit, seen of angels, preached unto the Gentiles, believed on in the world, received up into glory.*"

Then think about the width of it. It is wide enough for all good men to climb together, yet too narrow for any sinful man. (Matthew 7:13-14).

It is both a wide gauge and a narrow gauge ladder --- it is wide enough to accommodate all righteous men, yet too narrow for even one wicked man.

Then think about the rounds we may climb. Though the ladder is sound and strong and altogether dependable, it profits only those people who climb it --- "*those who mount it round by round.*"

**Faith** in the Lord. (Hebrews 11:6; Romans 10:17).

**Repentance**—man cannot ascend with a weight of sin on his back. (Acts 17:30). **Confession** of faith. (Rom. 10:9-10). **Obedience** in baptism. (Mark 16:15-16; Romans 6: 3-6). And Christian **character through growth**. (2 Peter 1: 5-7; 3:18).

**Are you willing** to take the challenge to climb in order to be saved?

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