

## SICK IN THE COMMUNITY...

**Danny Bailey** went to Nashville Wednesday & got the pick line out & started new antibiotics. Prayers.  
**Mark Garrett** was not feeling well on Sunday.  
**Johnny Cyrus** (Joan Melton's brother) has cancer in several places & is in the Cookeville Hospital not doing well. Prayers.  
**Patsy Hicks** has been in the hospital with pneumonia & is now home. Prayers.  
**Jason Cantrell** has colon cancer & had surgery last week. Prayers.  
**Howard Gibson** has cancer & is not doing well. Prayers.  
**Bernice Martin** has pneumonia. Prayers.  
**Nancy Chambers** is in the hospital not doing well. Prayers.  
**Ann Allred** will have a virtual heart doctor's visit to discuss the 2nd leaky heart valve options. Prayers.

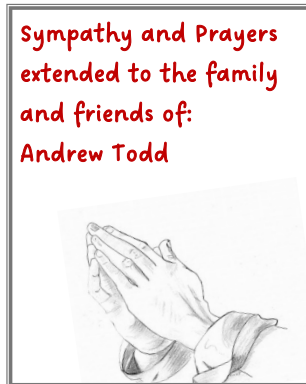
### EXTENDED SICKNESS: (has been on the sick list for some time now)...

**Kathy Sells** is scheduled for neck surgery on Sept. 13th. Prayers.  
**Gayron Franklin** has melanoma in the eye. Prayers.  
**Theresa Riley** will be having a hysterectomy on Sept. 18th.  
**Julie Poston** goes Aug. 28th for a pet scan. Prayers.  
**Francis Knight** got a good report that she could be cancer free in 6 months. Prayers.  
**Jerry Kennedy** has been diagnosed with cancer. Prayers.  
**Todd Upton** has been diagnosed with Leukemia. Prayers.  
**Gail Wilkerson** has been battling cancer for some time now & asks for prayers.  
**Buddy Ledbetter** did not receive good news & will be doing some radiation & chemo pills. Prayers.  
**Mark Houser** has pancreatic cancer & has started treatments & having a difficult time. Prayers.  
**Kenneth Conner** had cancer to come back. Prayers.  
**Mary Fossey** has been undergoing cancer treatments. Prayers.  
**Chris Conner** started chemo on July started 25th due to cancer coming back. Prayers.  
**Melva Nunnery** (Doris Mullins' sister) has been diagnosed with ALS. Prayers.

*\*Special prayers for all the people we have mentioned & know God is in control!*

*"Confess your faults one to another, and pray one for another, that ye may be healed. The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much." James 5:16*

# August 18th, 2024



Sympathy and Prayers  
extended to the family  
and friends of:  
**Andrew Todd**

Aug <b>THE LORD'S WORK</b>			
Wednesday Night, Aug. 21st at 6:30p.m.			
<b>SONG LEADER</b>	<b>FIRST PRAYER</b>	<b>CLOSING PRAYER</b>	
<b>KEVEN REEDER</b>	<b>LOGAN RAMSEY</b>	<b>ROGER HARVEY</b>	
Sunday Morning, Aug. 25th at 10:00a.m.			
<b>SONG LEADER</b>		<b>PRAYER</b>	
<b>LARRY MELTON</b>		<b>JACK PARROTT</b>	
*Speaker: Mark Garner			
Sunday Morning, Aug. 25th at 11:00a.m.			
<b>ANNOUNCEMENTS</b>	<b>SONG LEADER</b>	<b>FIRST PRAYER</b>	
<b>KEVEN REEDER</b>	<b>MARK GARRETT</b>	<b>MASON RAMSEY</b>	
<b>SCRIPTURE READING</b>	<b>LORD'S TABLE-SERVE</b>	<b>LORD'S TABLE-ASSIST</b>	
<b>EMMITT GUNNELS</b>	<b>TANNER LACY TEDDY DAILEY</b>	<b>MIKE COLEMAN TIM KENNEDY</b>	
<b>LORD'S SUPPER SCRIPTURE READING</b>	<b>JAMES WILSON</b>	<b>CLOSING PRAYER</b>	<b>LARRY MELTON</b>
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<b>SONG LEADER</b>	<b>FIRST PRAYER</b>	<b>CLOSING PRAYER</b>	
<b>JAMES WILSON</b>	<b>TEDDY DAILEY</b>	<b>DONALD WILSON</b>	

### Prayer List

*(Those who have an extended illness, injury, or has asked for prayers)*

Donald Norrod	Howard Gibson	Larry Coleman	Kathy Sells
Scott Mullins	Betty Winningham	Robert Leach	Joyce Wakefield
Anita Beason	James Winingham	Danny Bailey	Gail Wilkerson
Ann Allred	Chris Conner	Roy Dailey	Kim Reagan
Melva Nunnery	Elaina Conner	Sheila Tedford	Richard Newman
Lucas White	Ben Walker	Jason Cantrell	Tony Robbins
Julie Poston	Francis Knight	Rex Tompkins	Missie Richardt
Mary Bell	Anna Short	Kenneth Conner	Kristin Robinson
Randall Richardson	Gayron Franklin	Howard Gibson	Billy Tucker
Wayne Reeder	Mark Houser	Greg McDonald	James Nelson
Mary Fossey	Dean Mayberry	Glenn & Theresa Riley	David England
Lonnie Melton	Buddy Ledbetter	Todd Upton	Jerry Kennedy
Bernice MartinLadies	Ivan Coil	Johnny Cyrus	Conner Stokes

\*Your assistance in keeping the Prayer List up to date is greatly appreciated. You can notify Donna or Keven Reeder of any names that can be removed. Thank you!

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Noah Hinson & Chris Ferrell on Aug. 12th.  
 Jameson Dailey & Donald Wilson on Aug. 14th.  
 Sarah Melton on Aug. 15th.  
 Stacy Johnson, Gage Coleman, & Cooper Lacy on Aug. 17th. ^ \*LAST WEEK'S BIRTHDAYS!  
 Cindy Hinson, Marla Dailey, & Cynthia Harvey on Aug. 18th.  
 Nancy Smith & Gerald Tray Seber on Aug. 20th.  
 Kanessa Winningham & Zoey Seber on Aug. 21st.  
 Trey Seber on Aug. 22nd.  
 James Kennedy on Aug. 23rd.  
 Kathy Winningham on Aug. 24th.

## HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Willa Dean Mayberry's address:  
 C/O Jeff Mayberry  
 10599 N. Keppel Lane  
 Mooresville, IN 46158

### ADDRESSES FOR CARDS:

Francis Hargis  
 8005 McFarland Road  
 Indianapolis, IN 46227

David England  
 410 Poplar Point Lane  
 Rickman, TN 38580

Mercy to Enemies by Zeke Flores

"Ah, sword of Yahweh, how long will you not be quiet? Withdraw into your sheath; be at rest and stay still. How can it be quiet? Yahweh has given it a command; against Ashkelon and against the seacoast — there He has assigned it" (Jeremiah 47:6-7 LSB).

While God's judgment is certain on those who deny their accountability to Him, Jeremiah 46:6-7 seems like a cry for mercy toward them. Whether it's the anguish of the Philistines upon whom the devastation was promised or Jeremiah's concern for his national neighbors, it's a helpful reminder to be intercessors for people doomed to condemnation.

We may not like the attitudes and actions of the ungodly surrounding us, but what are we doing about it? Here are two things we can do:

The first is easy: **Pray for them.** Instead of complaining and lamenting their way of life, lift them up to God in prayer, hoping they'll turn to Him.

The second is a little more challenging. **Give them the message they need to change their ways.** Try to think of ways to help without being confrontational, to declare God's will without being obnoxious.

Being condemned before God is the worst thing that can happen to a person; wouldn't you rather see them saved?

## More Church Events...

**Bridal Shower for Sarah Melton on Sunday, Aug. 25th at 2:00p.m. given by the ladies at Free Communion Church of Christ!**



## Upcoming Church Events...

Meeting at Allison Lacy's home for a women's bible study will be Saturday, Aug. 24th @ 10:00a.m.

Overton County Nursing Home visitation Sunday, Sept. 1st @ 2:00p.m. (Free Communion's visitation time will be every first Sunday of the month.)

Ladies Card Fellowship with Finger Foods on Thursday, Sept. 19th at 6:00p.m. We would like to send cards to our "Extended Sick List in our bulletin!"

Attendance for last week...	
Sunday A.M. Bible Study	82
Sunday A.M. Worship	97
Sunday P.M.	47
Wed. Bible Study	44

# Free Communion CHURCH of CHRIST



"For where two or three have gathered together in My name, I am there in their midst." Matthew 18:20

### ELDERS:

Roger Harvey  
Larry Melton  
Jack Parrott  
Roy Parrott  
Keven Reeder

### Church Meeting Times:

Sunday Bible Study 10:00a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11:00a.m.  
Sunday Evening 6:00p.m.  
Wednesday Night 6:30p.m.

Members Expected... Visitors Welcome...

### DEACONS:

Teddy Dailey  
Mark Garrett  
Tanner Lacy  
Logan Ramsey  
Donald Wilson

"Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is, but exhorting one another: and so much the more, as ye see the day approaching." HEBREWS 10:25