



WEST COLUMBIA CHURCH OF CHRIST

“every disciple that is perfect, shall be as his master.” Luke 6:40

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

JULY 23-27

7:00 - 8:30 PM

Monday—Friday

“Old Testament Lessons” Pointing to Today!

- MONDAY — CREATION, MADE IN GOD’S IMAGE
- TUESDAY — NOAH, SAVED BY FAITH—AND OBEDIENCE!
- WEDS. — ABRAHAM, FATHER OF THE FAITHFUL
- THURSDAY — NAAMAN, LEPER OBEYS AND IS HEALED
- FRIDAY — DAVID, A MAN AFTER GOD’S OWN HEART

“For whatsoever things were written aforetime were written for our learning, that we through patience and comfort of the scriptures might have hope.” - Romans 15:4

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RECORDS 7/8/2007

Sun 10 AM Bible Study: 46
 Sun 11 AM Assembly: 93
 Sun 6 PM Assembly: 76
 Weds 7 PM Bible Study: 56
 CONTRIBUTION: \$2231

SERMONS 7/15/2007

AM: Joshua Manning
 PM: Jerry Manning
 Satan, the World’s Greatest Evangelist

A Warm Welcome awaits you at all our services. Come see!

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“PRAY FOR ONE ANOTHER” - James 5:16

- **REMEMBER IN PRAYER:** Beryl Parks, Margaret Herring, Nina Ruth Meadows (Marcella Klieves' mother), Jack and Elma Berrier, Nathaniel Manning (Jerry and Lynn's grandson) and our shut-ins Zudora Clegg, and Phyllis Johnson
- It was good to have all the Fields family up and back with us Sunday. Nancy requests prayers for Phyllis Nelson who had surgery last Wednesday in Ark.
- Betty Mathis and Carolyn Lee weren't able to make the assembly last Sunday due to ill health, but are doing some better now.
- Ron Banks has been dealing with nausea for some time and is to see a doctor.
- Michael and Megan Stoyk requested prayers for the Mabrey family with 2 young children at the church in Mt Vernon Illinois where they worshipped. The wife and mother was killed in a car accident
- Pray for our new brothers and sister in Christ, Alton Elledge, Richard Smith, Stephanie Westfall, Lamar Reeves, Rosa Smith, Ivette Watkins, Billy Carter and Michael Hutchinson.

"And so shall we ever be with the Lord. Wherefore comfort one another with these words" - 1 Thessalonians 4:18

“AND THEY CONTINUED STEADFASTLY” - Acts 2:42

- There was a great turnout at the youth devotional at the Manning home last Friday. Seventeen youth from the West and North Columbia congregations were there. Evan Manning and Daniel Manning brought devotional lessons from the scripture. It was a good time of prayer, study, singing and fellowship. Lynn said there was no chocolate though. Fortunately, her treasures are in heaven.
- Pantry items are needed. We've had many requests for help and the pantry is depleted. Canned goods with pop-top lids are especially useful.
- Baby Shower for Holly Wilson at the building, after the evening assembly Sunday July 15. Bring finger foods. Holly is due 8/16/2007.
- Remember our sister Anne Louise Gordon whose trial starts Monday. Remember her and the work at LCDC in your prayers. Brother Manning has been able to teach regularly and reach many who want to obey God and be baptized into Christ but are prevented from doing so. Also remember William Horan, an inmate in Pod G, who is teaching others the truth and wants to be baptized himself, but is hindered by the authorities. Send a card or letter to him at: PO Box 2019, PG-5 Lexington, SC 29071

“Lay not up for yourselves treasures upon earth, where moth and rust doth corrupt, and where thieves break through and steal: But lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust doth corrupt, and where thieves do not break through nor steal: For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also.” - Matthew 6:19-21

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PROVOKE TO LOVE AND GOOD WORKS” - Hebrews 10:24

- We need someone to give sister Marilyn Brooks a ride to the assembly on a regular basis. The Sheppards have been doing that faithfully for a long time but ill health now makes that very difficult for them.
- Sister Gwen Pittman came forward Sunday morning requesting the prayers of the church.
- Brother Klieves preached last Sunday at the Windsor Lake congregation. He will be preaching there again this Sunday morning while their minister Richard Ramkinson is in Venezuela on a mission trip. Remember brother Ramkinson as the political situation in Venezuela is in much turmoil.
- Remember our VBS! Monday through Friday July 23-27, 7 pm each evening. Signup sheets for various things are posted in the foyer.
- Clean the building! We need folks to help! Please see Gerald Boyd or Billy Geiger. It isn't hard, and it will be a good help to the church here.
- Michael and Megan Stoyk's new mailing address is:

1120 Starview Dr, West Columbia, SC 29172

"That ye might walk worthy of the Lord unto all pleasing, being fruitful in every good work, and increasing in the knowledge of God" - Colossians 1:10

THE GOSPEL

“Moreover, brethren, I declare unto you the gospel which I preached unto you, which also ye have received, and wherein ye stand; By which also ye are saved, if ye keep in memory what I preached unto you, unless ye have believed in vain. For I delivered unto you first of all that which I also received, how that Christ died for our sins according to the scriptures; And that he was buried, and that he rose again the third day according to the scriptures.” - 1 Corinthians 15:1-4

“REJOICE WITH THEM THAT DO REJOICE!” - Romans 12:15

We continue our rejoicing as Kaitlyn Sheppard was baptized into Christ Sunday morning. She made the good confession before those gathered and was immersed for the forgiveness of her sins by brother Jerry Manning. We are so happy for Kaitlyn, her parents Jamie and Debbie Sheppard and her grandparents Gerald and Janet Boyd who were all present. God is so good to us! Praise His Holy name in that He remembers us and has provided us such a great hope.

“The like figure whereunto even baptism doth also now save us (not the putting away of the filth of the flesh, but the answer of a good conscience toward God,) by the resurrection of Jesus Christ:” - 1 Peter 3:21