

March 1, 2026

9:30 AM Worship

Song Leader – Brad Moser

949 – I Will Enter His Gates

866 – I Will Call Upon the Lord

438 - My Hope is Built on Nothing Less

Welcome and Prayer – Wayne Pinckley

500 – O Thou Fount of Every Blessing

645 – The Old Rugged Cross

Lord's Supper/Contr. – Cory Fuqua

708 – Walking in Sunlight

Dismissal to Junior Disciples

Reading: Acts 4:13-20 – Tyler Binkley

Sermon: Refuse to Stop Speaking

- Mike Peters

961 – On Bended Knee

970 – Step by Step

Closing Prayer – Travis Shivers

Nursery – Lanelle Craig

Greeter – Laura Bruggeman

Junior Disciples (2yr-3rd Grade)

Bible Class – 10:45 AM

Cradle Roll - Angela Shivers

1-2 years old - Angie Hughes

**3-4 years old - Edwin & Amanda
Rutherford**

K-5th - Brad & Thea Moser

6th-12th - Seth Riley

Saved to Serve (Aud.) – Mike Peters

**Y.M.C.A – Young Married, College and
young Adults – Tyler Binkley Will Pendleton**

**Chosen Sunday PM Service in the FLC –
5 PM**

Wednesday Bible Class – 6:30 PM

James: Pure Religion (Aud.) –Mike Peters

Class Behind Aud. - Donnie Mitchell

Ladies Class – Brooke Shivers

2-3's – Laura Bruggeman

4's-3rd Grade - Tyler and Kaylee Binkley

Teens - Seth Riley

Internet Guest Password: 1John4:4

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The Best Place To Be On The Best Day Of The Week

Why Good Deeds Need Good News

It's easy to talk about Jesus on Sunday morning surrounded by fellow believers in the church building. But what happens when we step outside those comfortable walls? For many Christians, sharing their faith becomes uncomfortable, awkward, or even anxiety-provoking. Yet speaking the name of Jesus is essential for followers of Christ.

In Acts 3, we find Peter and John heading to the temple for afternoon prayers. At the Beautiful Gate, they encounter a man who had never walked in his entire life. When Peter and John approached, Peter said, "Look at us," giving the man dignity by making eye contact. Then he declared, "I don't have silver or gold, but what I do have I give to you. In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, rise and walk." The man was instantly healed and began walking, leaping, and praising God for the first time in his life.

While we may not be able to perform miraculous healings, we can absolutely do good deeds for others. We can send cards, offer hugs to the grieving, provide food for the hungry, pay bills for those struggling financially, or invite lonely people into our homes. The key is doing these good works the way Peter did—in the name of Jesus Christ. When we help others, we should tell them we're doing it because of what Jesus has done for us.

When crowds gathered to see the healed man, Peter immediately redirected their attention away from himself. He said, "Why do you stare at us as though by our own power or piety we made him walk?" Peter understood that taking credit for God's work is both dishonest and harmful. When we do good deeds but remain silent about Jesus, people naturally assume we're just nice people. This robs Jesus of glory and robs others of hope.

Churches often debate whether good works or evangelism is more important. This creates a false dichotomy—we need both. Good works without the good news robs Jesus of glory and our neighbors of hope. What good is feeding someone for a day when we have the bread of life that can feed them eternally? You don't need to invite everyone to church or conduct Bible studies with every person you help. Sometimes it's as simple as saying, "Jesus has done so much for me, this is the least I can do for you."

This week, look for opportunities to do good deeds for others while specifically mentioning Jesus' name. When you help someone, tell them you're doing it because of what Jesus has done for you. Don't let people assume you're just naturally nice—give credit where credit is due. Good deeds without the good news rob Jesus of glory and our neighbors of hope.

Upcoming Events

3/1 – Shining Stars lunch in the FLC after class.

3/1 – Chosen Sunday — Join us at 5:00 PM in the FLC (not the auditorium) for a viewing of Episode 2 of The Chosen. We'll conclude with a guided discussion as we reflect together on the life and ministry of Jesus. Sound issues have been resolved. No food.

3/7 – Ladies Day at Ashland City. The Fearless Ascent with speaker Brooke Shivers beginning at 8:30 am. Please RSVP if you are planning on coming!

3 /9 - Krazy Kids Night. Starting at 5:30 ending at 7 o'clock pm. 2 years old to 5th grade. Meal provided.

3/11 - We will be packing Fuels bags in the old kitchen starting at 5:30 pm. Please enter through the side door under the office steps.

3/12 - Red Cross Blood Drive

3/15 – Bebout Connect Group will meet immediately following Bible classes at the home of Tim and Angel Bebout.

3/15 – Travis Connect Group will meet from 5-7 pm at the home and Chris and Stephanie Travis.

3/19 - There will be a food delivery from Second Harvest foodbank at 11:00 if you'd like to come help unload. They will be at the back entrance.

3/19 - Soda Pop Junction, Lynnville, TN Lunch Trip March 19th (weather permitting). The van will leave promptly at 9:30.

3/21 - The Y.M.C.A. group will be getting together for a time of food and fellowship in the FLC at 5 o'clock PM.

3/29 - Family Meeting with meal following Bible class in the FLC. The church will provide BBQ and buns. Please bring sides and desserts.

Shut-Ins

Louise Beshears (Vantage Point); Juanita Glasgow (Vantage Point Room 423); Linda Pewitt; Preston & Dot Tucker (Vantage Point Room 414)

Birthdays

Ford Rutherford 3/2
Angie Hughes 3/3
Jeff Burney 3/5
Lynne West 3/6
Will Pendleton 3/7

Stats For 3-1-2026

AM Worship – 118
Wednesday - 43

Contribution - \$4309.98
Weekly Budget - \$5731.00
Weekly Average - \$4436.50

Member Spotlight: Nick, Becca, Tyler, and Connor Hagler

Nick and the boys have been part of this church since childhood, while Becca began attending in 2009. Their connection to the church started through Granny and Nick, and it quickly became home.

Their favorite worship song is As the Deer.

One fun fact about the Haglers is that their home often feels like a zoo—there's never a dull moment!

Their faith plays a daily role in their lives, prompting them to look for opportunities to share God's Word whenever possible. Their encouragement to others is simple but powerful: In all areas of life, look to God first for advice.

News

Don Moreland has placed a box in the foyer for items needed in Guyana. He's needing an assortment of glasses, over the counter medications and garden seeds. He can take up to 100 pounds.

Continued Prayers for...

Jimbo Hannah, Henry and Cynthia Odom, Harper Penick, Melinda Riley, Darlene Baxter, Joe Bruggeman, Sr., Joe Demonbreum, Ricky Hackett, J.W. Hymer, Anita Lunn, Kim Mayberry, Char Nicholson, Trudy Thrasher, Ridge Tittle, Dee Shivers, Marilynn Delashmitt