

IN THE SERVICE OF THE LORD

SUNDAY AM & PM
January 29, 2012

Announcements: Walt Holman
Songleader: Sam Moore
Scripture: Bobby Hutson - Jeff Turner
Prayer: Charles Myers - Kenneth Broyles
Speaker: Derrick Coble
Dismiss: Bill Burns - Keith McCulley

WEDNESDAY - 7:00
February 1, 2012

Songleader: Jimmy McCoy
Scripture: Michael Harris
Prayer: Bo Young
Speaker: Derrick Coble
Dismiss: Alton Lowery

BUS DRIVER
Kenneth Broyles

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NHC SERVICE

January 29, 2012

Group 5 - Danny Phillips

Songleader: Quentin Tindle
Scripture: Cody Shockley
Prayers: Danny Phillips - Brandon Conley
Speaker: Cody Shockley
Communion: Jarrett Young - Michael Harris

Group Members: : Danny & Teresa Phillips, Derrick & Mindy Coble, Brandon Conley, John Warren Kirby, Ashley Phillips, Lindsey Phillips, Jesse Phillips, Quentin Tindle, Tony & Tonya Tindle, Jarrett Young, Casey Vickers, Cody Shockley, Michael Harris, Drake Williamson.

January Duty Roster

Preside at Lord's Table - Don Pearson

Serve - Dee Harris - Russell Dinkins

Danny Phillips - Chris Young

Prepare Communion - Pat Guess

Wash Baptismal - Carol Baker

Serve in Nursery - AM: Joy Cook

PM: Rhonda Girdley

Usher - Jim Owen - Keith McCulley

Secure Building - Bill Burns

Attendance Cards - Ty Johnson

Dylan Goodwin

Sound System - Michael Harris

Clean up - Group 1 Kenneth Broyles

THE WEST SPARTA MESSENGER

"As the cold of snow in the time of harvest, so is a faithful messenger to them that send him: for he refresheth the soul of his masters" ~Proverbs 25:13

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You Are Always
Welcome to
Worship With Us!

Sunday Assemblies

Bible Class - 9:00

Morning Worship - 10:00

Evening Worship - 6:00

Wednesday Assemblies

Ladies' Bible Class - 9:00

Evening Bible Study - 7:00

Church Office Hours

Monday - Thursday

9:00 - 3:00

Elders

Kenneth Broyles 738-5869

Walt Holman 738-8798

Don Pearson 738-5472

Jeff Turner 738-8678

Preacher

Derrick Coble 837-2298

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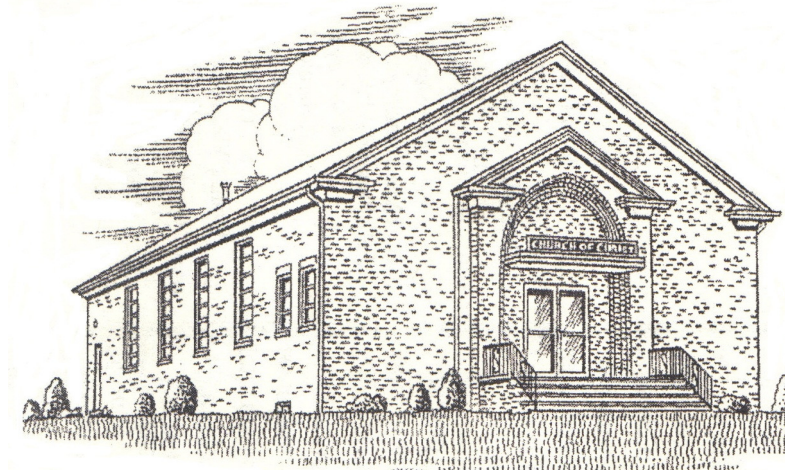
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West Sparta Church of Christ 54th Anniversary

January 29, 2012



Schedule of Services

Sunday Morning Bible Study - 9:00 am

Sunday Morning Worship - 10:00 am

NOON MEAL

Afternoon Worship - 1:30 pm

Everyone Is Welcome

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

POTTER CHILDREN'S HOME FOOD DRIVE

The food truck will be here the week of January 30 - February 7

Items to be donated

Unscented Laundry Detergent

Regular Laundry Detergent

Pancake Syrup

Taco Seasoning

 **FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES**

Charles Dinkins 2
 Tabitha Williamson 2
 Will Girdley 6
 Janice Owen 7
 Alberta Garnder 8
 Scott Griffith 10
 Edna Jones 11
 Betty Conley 13
 Gary Dodson 17
 Zachary Dinkins 19
 Robert McCulley 19
 Loyce Wolaver 19
 Polly Burns 20
 Jim Oakes 23
 Edward Baker 24
 Lela Nesha Johnson 27
 M/M Steve Smith 11
 M/M Russell Terry 26

February Duty Roster - 2012

- Preside at Lord's Table** - Scott Griffith
Serve - Jeff Turner - Cody Shockley
 Bobby Hutson - Quentin Tindle
Prepare Communion - Martha Sue Broyles
Wash Baptismal - Reba Barr
Serve in Nursery - **AM:** Jeannie Shafer
 PM: Sherrie McCulley
Usher - Tony Tindle - Drew Taggart
Secure Building - Ray Shafer
Attendance Cards - Haden Coble
 Drake Williamson
Sound System - Gary Dodson
Clean up - Group 2 Walt Holman

 **Sunday's Sermons**

AM: The Good Gift of Christ (1John 4:14-19)
 PM: The Good Gift of Salvation (Eph. 2: 4-9)

time in

Study



Difficult Texts 2012 - Answers

JANUARY

1. If the Old Law had not been taken out of the way, how much of it would we have to keep today? All of it.
2. List some of the commands we would have to keep from the following passages (Lev. 8; 11:2,3,13; 24:16; Deu. 16; Jos. 5:2,3) animal sacrifices, forbidden meats, stoning of blasphemers, keeping Passover, circumcision, and all other rites and ceremonies.
3. How did Lot use a type of situation ethics (Gen. 19:8)? He tried to give his daughters to the sodomites for what was perceived to be the lesser of two evils (fornication) instead of sodomy. Both acts are wrong.
4. Can we really know right from wrong (Heb. 5:12-14)? Yes, we should have our senses exercised to discern both good and evil.
5. The word "angel" simply means, "a sent one or a messenger." How does that clarify the statement made concerning Peter in Acts 12:15? Those who made the statement, "It is his angel" could have been saying, "It is his messenger." We don't know how angels minister for us fully today, but we do know that the modern concept of guardian angels is false.
6. What is providence and how is it different from the miraculous working of angels? Providence is God's continuous activity of preserving and governing the whole of creation by his wisdom and goodness and power, for the fulfillment of his eternal purpose and for the glory of his name. When angels work in providence it does not negate our free will. All the work is done "behind the scenes" so that everything appears to be natural and normal.

time in

Prayer



Our Sick

- ☞ **Geneva Gilliam** had a CT scan on Monday and will know the results this week.
- ☞ **Lesa Elkins** will undergo a stress test this week.

Nursing Home and Shut-in

NHC: Ernestine Holman (room 307), Dianne Gamble (room 101), Janice Owen (room 312), Ralph Barr (room 206), and Joyce Bond (room 311), Doris Daulton (room 111).

LifeCare Center: Virgie Lewis (room 310), Marie Seibers (room 305).

Shut In: Robert Eller, Dale Lowery, Mary Elizabeth Hutson, Ellen Payne.

Continue to Remember

Friends and Family: Joyce Bond (Bruce's sister), Donnie Carter, Reba Gentry.

▶ **Reba Gentry** had half of her lung removed at Cookeville Hospital.

Other: Military: Joshua Dinkins, Zachary Dinkins
Preaching School: Jonathan & Kelley Burns, Jonathan Hagar.

Barnabas List

*Ray Anderson, *Gordon Stewart, *Sid Smith, *Robert and Brenda Selby, *Eula Faye Young (address corrected), Billie Rogers, Jan Angell, Sandra Page, Steve Hutchings, Don Johnson, Wanda McGhee, Charles Roberts. (*Information sheets are available in the foyer* - *Indicates new name added)

congregational

News



Upcoming Events

- ▶ **January 29** - 54th Anniversary Sunday with noon meal and 1:30 service.
- ▶ **January 29** - Standing Stone service.
- ▶ **February 5** - Bible Bowl at New Union. Congregational PM Singing
- ▶ **February 12** - SMBC planning meeting. Anyone interested in helping is invited. Fellowship Meal
- ▶ **February 19** - Youth Singing at Eastland.
- ▶ **February 20** - F.O.M. monthly meeting 6:30 pm.

Other Information:

- ▶ **Response:** Wednesday January 18, 2012 Lesa Elkins responded to the invitation asking for prayers for her health. Please take the time to pray for and encourage Lesa when you see her.
- ▶ **In Memory:** A donation has been received from Tom and Linda Alsop to go toward the kitchen expansion. This donation is in memory of **Pearl Turner**.
- ▶ **Donations:** The Potter Children's Home truck will be here on Monday January 30th to pick up all donations. If you have not brought your items in, please have them here by Monday, so they may be ready for pick up.

Food Drive

**PANCAKE MIX/SYRUP
 SOUPS/CANNED MEATS**

