

Welcome!

First-time Guests

LET'S GET ACQUAINTED CARD
We want to get to know you! Please fill out the attached card on the opposite page, tear off entire page, and drop it in the offering plate.

THIS WEEK'S OPPORTUNITIES

Sunday 9:45 AM Sunday School (Children, Youth & Adults)
11:00 AM Morning Worship
Wednesday 8:45 AM Seniors' Breakfast @ Sharpe's
6:45 PM Bible Study
7:30 PM Choir Rehearsal

MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS

Deacons of the Week **Unlock & Lock Buildings**
Rex Bell & Joel Masburn January - Ray Anderson

PASTOR'S THOUGHTS TO PONDER

Numbers 35:28,

"Because he should have remained in the city of his refuge until the death of the high priest: but after the death of the high priest the slayer shall return into the land of his possession."

In chapter 35, Moses was given the commandment to set aside six cities called, "cities of refuge". When a person took the life of another person they could run to the nearest "city of refuge" to escape being killed by friends or family of the one slain. If it was known that the killer took another person's life on purpose, then he/she would be put to death as well. But if it was determined to be an accident, the killer would have to dwell in the "city of refuge" until the death of the high priest. At that time, he could leave and return home, a free man. We, as guilty sinners, were brought under conviction by the Holy Spirit that we deserve to die. He led us to Christ, the sinner's only refuge. He helped us to understand that Jesus, our High Priest, died in our place, bearing our sin, that we could go free through His grace.

*Jesus gave us a new beginning.
What are we doing for our Lord?*

2023 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS

are available on the back table.
Please look yours over and let the secretary know ASAP if you find any errors or discrepancies.

Remember, all contributions must be in an envelope with your name on it in order to be credited to your account.
Pick up your 2024 envelopes if you have not done so.

A memorial was given in loving memory of
Reda Jurney
by Edwin & Sharon Persiani

The O.A.K.S. Planning Team
will meet promptly at 7:00 PM on Tuesday, January 23rd, in the Fellowship Hall.
All current members, as well as anyone who would like to join the planning team, are encouraged to be in attendance.

Revival at Oakdale

Sunday, Feb. 18 @ 11:00 AM

- John Whalen -

Sunday, Feb. 18 @ 6:00 PM

- Bradley Daniels -

Mon. - Wed., Feb. 19 - 21 @ 7:00 PM

- Jamie Fox -

January Birthdays

1...Daron Beane
2...Scott Andrews
3...Cooper Dahlia
8...Delores Swicegood
9...Jessa Turner
15...Jean Bustle
18...Richard Somers
23...Louise Grose
24...Tiffany DiStefano
26...Shannon Abel
29...David Whitesides
31...Rex Bell

Teams/Committees
need to meet & elect
officers & turn in the
names to the secretary
by Sunday, Jan. 28th.

BAPTIST MEN'S BREAKFAST

Sunday,
February 4th
@ 8:00 AM

This is our first meeting since Covid.
ALL MEN
are invited
and encouraged
to attend.

Yokefellow Ministries says,
"Thank you for your
contributions that allow us to
better serve our community."

Let's Get Acquainted

To know you better & minister to you more effectively, please complete this card and drop it in the offering plate. THANK YOU!

Name

Address

City/State/Zip

Phone Number

E-mail

JANUARY 21, 2024

Hymn 334 *Blessed Assurance*

Welcome, Announcements & Prayer
- Pastor Tony Daniels -

Hymn 57 *Shine, Jesus, Shine*

Special Music Jimmy & Beth Ball

Offertory Prayer Rex Bell

Offertory Joann Anderson

*Come, Thou Almighty King
with We Will Glorify*

Worship in the Word
Message Pastor Tony Daniels

Invitation 305 *I Have Decided to Follow Jesus*

Benediction Pastor Tony Daniels

Church Staff

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Facts & Figures

January 14, 2024
Sunday School Attendance 48
Morning Worship Attendance 67
Wednesday PM Attendance 26

Tithes & Offerings

General Funds Receipt.....\$6,370.00
Designated Receipt.....\$175.00
Total.....\$6,545.00
Weekly Budget Needs.....\$3,811.99
Over Budget.....\$2,558.01

Photos taken during church events may be posted on social media (website).

PRAYER REQUESTS

OBC Members & Concerns

Sylvia Lackey - recovering at home
Don Stephens - back at Maple Leaf

Nursing Homes/Homebound

Fern Meredith - back issues
Grover & Jenny Lackey
Nora Jenkins - back pain/sore on shoulder is healing

Other Needs

Steve Johnson (Mark's dad)
Gladys Sharpe (Doug Christie's cousin) - additional therapy
Billy & Betty Morris
John Booth (former pastor) - chemo every other week/pain meds
Chris Medlin (cleaning lady at Oakdale) - cancer/treatments/doing
better/more tests and upcoming surgery
Jerry Triplett (C. Johnson's brother-in-law) - lung cancer /chemo
Todd Elmore - cancer
Donna Grant (Jean Bustle's daughter) - Iredell Mem. Hosp./
serious infections, UTI, pneumonia, fever

Praise

Hunter Nolan (Perkins' great-grandson) - gaining weight/5 lbs. 3.8 oz
Lester Cannon - doing great after knee replacement

College Students

Natalie Tucker - Rowan Cabarrus Community College

This week's
Nursery Workers...
Kaylie Holmes
Delores Swicegood

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