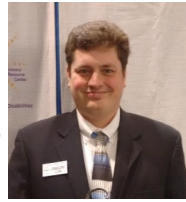


Staff Corner with Gregory Cline



How many times do we hear someone say, "don't dwell on the past". In many ways, we know this phrase is good advice, but we also consider the past as we strive to constantly evolve and change for the better.

"The Past". We all have one but we don't have to let it dictate who we want to become in the future. Because of God's mercy and forgiveness, every one of us has the opportunity everyday to have a closer relationship with God, which in turn changes us for the better.

I sometimes think of God, our Father, in this way. God longs to hear from us...just like a parent yearns to hear from his child. God is our Heavenly Father and spending time with Him in prayer and in scripture helps us to move forward building a strong relationship with the Savior. Then you don't have to worry about "The Past". Your Heavenly Father already took care of that.

Gregory

PRAYER LIST MEMBERS

Allen Beamon
Dreka Clegg
Brenda Cook
Addie Denby
Winnie Findley
Rick Gladney
Bruce Gunnels
Alice Hathcock
Bobby Hinman
Cyndi Jaeckel
Jessica McCall
Mike McDonald
Otis Moore
Carl Myers
Barbara Nichols
Spence Pryor
Larry Sellers
Glenn Smith (father of Kevin Smith)
Will Sullivan
Gloria Weathers
Family of Larry Wilson
RETIREMENT CTRS
Senior Living Vil-

lage:

Bea Phelps
Decatur: Pink
Whelchel
Lee County
Health Care:
Carolyn Barbree
Norma Walters
Magnolia Manor
Eley Frazier
Morningside: Carol Kirkland,
Sonny Campbell
Pruitt: Rosemarie Barfield, Valencia:
Mike Milam
Pine Shadows:
Jack Brand
MISSIONARIES
Scot Armistead
family - Pakistan
Elizabeth Coddington - Armenia
Chuck and Joyce Harper - Honduras
Sandi & Brian Royer
Guatemala
Robe Family-

Ethiopia
FRIENDS/RELATIVES
Family of Agnes
Inez Purvis (sister of Olin Apperson)
John Anderson
Annette Bowling
Linda Brimberry
Leonard Buce
Joann Bryan
Della Bunton
Allison Carver
Lloyd Cannady
Tiffany Cook - cancer (friend of Cheryl Hoover)
Evan Connelly 12yr-lymph system cancer
Creager Family
Whitney Dale
Ron Davis
Ed Deming
Family of Joy Dutton (friend of Michael Moss)
Retta Mae Dykes & family (D. Lambert's

Grt Aunt)
Shawn Freeland
Robert Garcia
Steven Gardner
William Gilbert
Family of Jim Graves
Gene Griffin
Sandra Godwin
Cathy Hairston
Dorothy Hardy
Family of Diane Holman (sister of Jane Hill)
Pam Hudson
Cpt. Thomas Kendrick (friend of Michael Moss)
Mason Kiep
Pat Lambert
Sarah Lee
Meghan and Rebecca McReynolds
Kari Middleton
LSM
Joan Montague
Vicky Musgrove
Jeremy Parkins
Dennis Pyles

Joan Riles
Bob & Carol Ragan
Mae Scott
Nita Shiyou (sister-in-law of Sue Hamlin)
Keith Smith
Bettie Southwell's daughter, Stacey's family
Kevin Rich
Stephanie Richardson
Dana Robbins (friend of Michael Moss)
Aaron Stone (nephew of Dave & Deb Baltenberger)
Mark Taylor
Jan Warren (sister of Donna Keel)
Larry Wilson (friend of Donna and Ronnie Keel)
Family of Barbara Carden Burgess
Deming Whiting
Luke Wrenn (son of Cecil)

STAFF

Dr. William D Coker, Sr Pastor
Rev. Eric Newman, (Free Methodist) Assistant Pastor
Chet Dreschel, Music Director
Richard Miller, Organist/Pianist
Cindy Garcia, Preschool Dir.
Cindy Pickren, Children's Dir.
Gail Korpel, Admin Assistant
Nancy Reimer, Opel Vol Dir.
Linda Walters, Financial Sec
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Ragan Elder, Nursery
Dani Newman, Nursery
Church Sexton
Gregory Cline, Sunday Sexton

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Superintendent
Assistant Superintendent

TRUSTEES

Class of 2016: Nelson Rushton
Class of 2017: Lallie Benkoski
Class of 2018: Larry Walters

ELDER EMERITIAE

Sally M. Hairston
Cecil Wrenn
Palma James
Barbara Nichols

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W. Pinckney Whelchel
HONORABLY RETIRED PASTORS OF FLINT RIVER PRESBYTERY

Rev. Walter H. Flint
Rev. Ben A. Rice

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

Cheryl Coker, Moderator
Debbie Syfrett, V. Moderator
Rita Cline, Secretary
Deb Wilson, Treasurer
Cathy Darby, Program Director
Beverly Hysler, Dorcas Ministry
Linda Walters, Bereavement
Ellen Smith, Christian Community Action
PW CIRCLE MODERATORS
Circle of Hope: Myrtle Tarpley, Beth Flournoy
Circle of Faith: Joy Carver, Sheila Ratliff

SESSION

William Coker, Moderator
Jay Smith, Clerk of Session
Class of 2016: Buzz Calek, Donna Keel, Terry Lee, Ruby Pickron, Chris Smith
Class of 2017: Jimmy Fuller, Steve Goss, Dan Pope, Larry Sellers
Class of 2018: Jay Smith, Larry Hysler, Michael Moss, Lawson Vann, Ed Reaves

DIACONATE

Judy Miller, Moderator
Ben Strickland, Vice Moderator
Class of 2016: Gail Allen, Carl Croft, Jake Hager, John Loomis,
Class of 2017: Rita Cline, Tom Korpel, Judy Miller, Ben Strickland, Linda Walters
Class of 2018: Otis Moore, Chip Underdown, Victor Sullivan, Sue Henson

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CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

July 10, 2016

11:00 a.m.

Welcome, Announcements, Peace of Christ, Prayer Requests, Quiet Meditation

Prelude

One Sweetly Solemn Thought

R.S. Ambrose

Call to Worship

Micah 6:6-8

With what shall I come before the Lord and bow down before the exalted God? Shall I come before him with burnt offerings, with calves a year old? Will the Lord be pleased with thousands of rams, with ten thousand rivers of oil? Shall I offer my firstborn for my transgression, the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul? He has showed you, O man, what is good. And what does the Lord require of you? To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God. Let us worship God.

*Blue Hymnal #447

Lead On, O King Eternal

WE GIVE THANKS TO GOD

A Time to be Generous with God's Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory Anthem

My Tribute

Andrae' Crouch
Arr. By Lani Smith

A Message for the Young at Heart

(Children 4-5th grade exit for KEWL)

A Time for People to Pray and the Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the Kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Elder/Deacon JULY Assignments

Ushers

Tom Korpel- 9:00 am; John Loomis-11:00 am

Visitation:

Carl Croft, John Loomis, Steve Goss

Attendance 7-3-16

167

Sunday School - 59
11:00am - 108

Financial Snapshot - Week of 7-4-16

YTD Revenue	174,813.39
YTD Expenses	219,315.18
Surplus (Deficit)	(44,501.79)
Capital Campaign	
Monthly Note	4,166.00
July Given	500.00
July Needed	3,666.00

VISITATION AND CONTACTS

Home Visits: Dr. Coker visited the homes of Pam Barbree and Keith and Ruth Anne Posey. Rev. Newman visited the homes of Spence Pryor and Babs Beauchamp and Lois Arnott.

Hospital Visits: - Dr. Coker and Rev. Newman visited Jan Warren.

Other Contacts: Dr. Coker's other contacts Jamie Gresham, Chris Baltenberger, Katey Mann, Stacey Denny, Ann McMurray, Jane McDonald, Don and Patty Spidahl, Paul Luthman. Rev. Newman's other contacts were Michael Moss, Donna Keel, Jake Hager, Nancy Beamon, Jimmy Clegg and Jane McDonald.

If you would like a visit, please let us know and Dr. Coker, Rev. Newman & Elders/Deacons will be happy to come and pray with you. If you prefer a visit by appointment, let us know.

Covenant Calendar

Sunday, July 10	Monday, July 11	Wednesday, July 13	Thursday, July 14
9:00am - Early Service	4:15PM - Staff Meeting	9:00am - Golden K	
10:00am - Sun School		Kiwanis Club - Fellowship Hall	Friday, July 15
11:00am - Worship Ser	Tuesday, July 12	10:30am - AI-Anon - Church Parlor	10:00am - Bulletin Team
Rev. Eric Newman	4:00pm - Visit Teams		