

MEETINGS IN THE AREA

Oak Grove Church of Christ in Henderson invites us to attend Annual Revival Meeting on Sunday, July 19th– Wednesday July 22nd. Theme: Can These Bones



Live: The Power of The Prophetic Words. In The Book of Ezekiel. Speakers: Sunday Bro Shobek Dethrow; Monday thru Wednesday Bro Kenneth Fleming, Jr of Richland Ave Church of Christ.



Mid-South Youth Camp in Henderson hosting a Fish Fry All-You-Can eat (Catfish, Sides, Drink and Dessert) Chicken Substitution available. Dine-In or Drive-Through Saturday, July 25th from 4-6 pm. Benefitting the Youth Camp

West TN Scam and Fraud Seminar on Helping you help yourself. Designed for seniors, open to all. Saturday, July 25th at 10 am at Campbell St Church of Christ. Featuring Speakers:



Lewis Crider, Retired Detective  
Abbie Vance, B.S. Cybersecurity, B.C.– Computer Science  
Kayla Hunter, MSW Master of Social Work



LADIES DAY PROGRAMS  
EJCoC Sister Ministry Prayer Line  
A special Sister speaking every Monday in July 2026

July 20th Sis Dorcas Curry of Jackson St Ch of C Nashville, TN  
July 27th Sis Pam Harris of Roswell Ch of Ch Kansas City, Kansas  
Sisters please join us each Monday evening at 6:00 pm. Please invite family and friends! Sister Prayer line information at the Sisters Ministry Table.

North Jackson Church of Christ in Jackson invites us to attend their Ladies Summer Series 2026. July thru August Theme: Ornaments Around Your Neck Practical Wisdom From The Proverbs. Wednesday Nights Ladies Bible Class 7:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall



NOAH'S ENCOUNTER TRIP  
The members of the Berea Ch of Ch will be going to Noah's Ark Encounter on Sept 4-5, 2026. Any members who is interested in going contact Bro Teddy Butler at 731-313-0018. He will email you the link to Hampton Inn Hotel. The room rate per night plus taxes and fees \$147.19 person with double beds, if you would like to share the room and split the cost. The DEADLINE to reserve your room is August 1st. The round trip transportation fee is \$110.00 per person that will be due August 8th. Transportation fees must be received by Bro. Teddy Bulter.



ARK ENCOUNTER & CREATION MUSEUM FEES:  
Adult (18-59) \$109.99 per person; Senior per person (60-over) \$99.99 per person; Youth (11-17) \$59.99 per person. These price are to enter both exhibits the Noah's Ark Encounter & The Creation Museum. They will be leaving Jackson at 5:30 am. on September 4th return trip leaves Kentucky at 2pm. Saturday September 5th. Contact Bro Teddy Butler for more information.

We need each member to follow, like, view and engage with our videos on our East Jackson Church of Christ Facebook page if possible. This is another tool to get the word out to the masses



2026 TENNESSEE STATE Churches of Christ LECTURESHIP  
KNOXVILLE, TENNESSEE | SEPTEMBER 11-13, 2026  
THEME: "Render Unto God, What Is God's"  
MARK 12:17

JOIN US! for a powerful weekend of biblical teaching, fellowship, and spiritual growth.  
SOUND DOCTRINE Faithful teaching from God's Word  
UPLIFTING FELLOWSHIP Strengthening bonds in Christ  
SPIRITUAL GROWTH Encouraging hearts and lives  
LUNCHEON SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 12, 2026 12:30 PM COST \$50.00  
HOST LOCATION EMBASSY SUITES HOTEL  
9621 Parkside Dr. Knoxville, TN 37922  
HOTEL GROUP CODE: SCC  
Book by calling the hotel at (865) 970-4300 or online at embassysuites.com Be sure to mention code: SCC  
REGISTER TODAY! Plan to attend and be encouraged. Register online at: www.tnstatelectureship.org  
Let everything that hath breath praise the LORD. Praise ye the LORD. PSALM 150:6

EAST JACKSON JOURNAL

Consistently about the business of Bridging Across To Bring Them In, To Build Them Up, To Become Of Benefit All to the glory of God: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit

Matthew 28:18-20

Website: www.eastjacksoncofc.org

Lovell C Hayes - Minister Samuel Jones - Minister  
Shobek Dethrow - Minister



July 19, 2026

A friendly, caring congregation ready to serve and teach the bible to East Jackson and beyond the glory of God.

ELDERS

Richard DePriest  
Sonny Phillips  
Thomas Pirtle, Jr  
Jerry Truelove

DEACONS

Culinary Ministry  
Senior Saints  
Joe Reeves  
Thomas Curry

Educational Ministry  
Bruce Ingram  
Cedric Hampton, Sr

Inside Facilities Ministry  
Blanks Branick

Media Ministry  
Kenneth Mercer

Outside Ministry & Transportation Ministry  
Morris Denwiddie

Worship Ministry  
Jackie Dodson, Sr.  
Terry Smith

Young Adult Ministry  
Reginald Davis, I

Ministry Leaders  
Involvement Ministry  
Tony Black

Compassion Ministry  
Middle Adult Ministry  
Alexander Smith, III

Security Team Ministry  
Patrick Willis

Annual Family & Friends Day  
Summer Gospel Meeting  
August 2-5, 2026

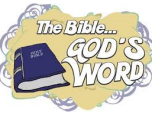
Sunday Services

Morning Worship 9:00 a.m.  
Bible Classes, all ages 10:45 a.m.  
Fellowship Meal 11:45 a.m.  
Evening Worship 2:00 p.m.

Monday through Thursday  
Each Evening 7:00 p.m.

Speaker:  
Bro. Samuell Pounds  
of Winter Haven, FL

What Will Happen When You Support Our Gospel Meeting?



You will learn more about the word and will of God. You will grow in the grace and knowledge of Jesus Christ (2 Peter 3:18).

You will be encouraged and you will encourage others through your fellowship with them in the fellowship of the gospel, Acts 2:42; Philippians 1:4-5. And You will encourage and support the preacher as he takes a stand on the word of God and proclaims the truth that makes men free. You, thereby, become his fellow laborer in the greatest work in the world (1 Thess. 1:2-8).



You will be refueled. Your spiritual fires will be rekindled and your enthusiasm or zeal for Christ will be positively affected, Jeremiah 20:9.

You will be a light for the glorious light, the gospel of Christ which brings men out of darkness, Matthew 5:16; Rom. 1:16.



You will participate in the mission which Jesus left for us, His disciples to reach out to the world with His glorious good news: the gospel. Matthew 28:18-20; Mark 16:15-16

ORDER OF SERVICES

OPENING SERVICE

Alexander Smith, III

SONG DIRECTOR

Alvis Black (AM)

Jackie Dodson, Sr (PM)

SCRIPTURE READING

Larry Davis

PRAYER

Jerry Truelove (AM)

OFFERING &  
COMMUNION

Tony Black

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Ernest Adams, Jr

CLOSING SERVICE

Alexander Smith, III

BAPTISMAL WORKER

Tony Black

USHER

Bruce Shanks

Tagen Transou

Andrew Johnson

Kendis Transou

Sunday Evening

Worship Service

at 5:30 p.m.



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On-line Giving

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Or <https://giving.servantkeeper.com/ejcofc.2328>

Or Website:  
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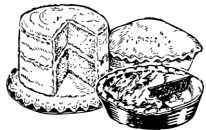


Please remember to set your cell phone to vibrate or silent during the worship services.

# Announcements and Upcoming Events

## The Culinary Ministry is in need of our HELP.

On Sunday, August 2nd, during our Summer Gospel Meeting we will be serving a Fellowship Meal. We need Cakes and Pies for our meal. Sign up sheets will be available at the lobby table.



The Supporters of Southwestern Christian College want to thank all of you who gave donations to the college. We were able to send a total of \$9,500. to the school this year. Please see the bulletin board for the school's letter of appreciation. We invite all to join in to our \$100 Club and other avenues of contribution for the support of "our school".

## WE LOVE VISITORS

We're glad you chose to come & worship with us today. Feel free to attend any and all of our services, classes and events. Please take a moment to fill out a blue visitors card and turn in to one of our ushers.



My health may fail,  
and my spirit may grow weak,  
but God remains the strength of my heart; He is mine forever.



Just a gentle reminder to us  
**PLEASE DO NOT BRING DRINKS OR SNACKS INTO THE AUDITORIUM !!!**

**OUR PEWS & CARPET WERE RECENTLY CLEAN!!**

## BACK TO SCHOOL ONCE AGAIN

On Saturday, July 25th the church will be hosting our Annual Community Back To School Giveaway; Book-bag and School Supplies. We are asking members to donate or bring supplies starting on now. Thanks in advance for supporting this great ministry. Check out the youth & Teen Table for supply list.



Volunteers are needed for our Back To School Giveaway. If you are willing to stuff bookbags on Thursday, July 23rd at 6 pm; plus we need help on Saturday, July 25th at 9 am. to help pass out bookbags to the community at 9 am. Please sign up if you are willing and available to help out.

## QUOTABLES

**U** Now that I'm 'older' here are things I've discovered.  
**O** I finally got my head together; now my body is falling apart.  
**T** Funny, I don't remember being absent minded...  
**E** I started out with nothing, and I still have most of it.  
**S** I wish the buck stopped here; I sure could use a few.  
If God wanted me to touch my toes, he would have put them on my knees.



## PRAYER LIST

Sis Joyce Jarmon, Audrey Bray, Carla Lewis, Daine Brandon, Nella Ray, Judy Williams. Tamara Ragland-Henning, Bobbie Guess, Ruth Womack, Julia Cotton, Phyllis Staten, Diane Awatt, Acquanetta Collier, Patricia Kirk, Janice Cole, Lue Helen Martin, Betty Jones, Terry Ragland, Marthenia Barbour, Alsenia Conner, Ann Cole, Eunice Exum, Jennette Gladney, Francheska Grimes, Angela Harvey, Elizabeth Harrison, Hattie Johns, Betty Jones, D. Jean Morris, LaGween McDonald, Jacqueline Long, Everjean Parson, Brenda Pearson, Farris Phillips, Helen Pirtle, Nella Ray, Terry Ragland, Hazel Ragland, Earline Ransom, Barbara Reeves, Loustisha Richardson, Corene Steele, Rosie Trice, Vanessa Truelove, Frances Turner, Louvenia Walker, Jacqueline Waller, Barbara Warlick, Viennese Yarbrough, Bro. Christopher Griggs, George Gray, Ferdie Waller, JC Cockrell, Lloyd Johnson, Albert Jeffries, Sr, Roger Bowles, David Greer, Richard McClain, Thomas Pirtle, Jr, Daniel Terry, William Kirk, Paul Young are asking for prayers for health, strength and good test results.



Bro William & Sis Rose Branick,  
Bro James & Sis Hazel Ragland  
Bro William & Sis Patricia Kirk  
Sis Elaine Haynes is AHC Nursing Home in Rm 219 B.

Sis Martha Parker & Dianne Brandon who are dealing with some health issues. Please pray for patience and health and strength.



East Jackson Church Family  
Please keep our family members in prayers. Plus those asking for prayers on behalf of their family and friends who are dealing with health and medical issues.



## AS FOR ME AND MY HOUSE



And if it seems evil to you to serve the Lord, choose for yourselves this day whom you serve, . . But as for me and my house, we will serve the Lord. Joshua 24:15 NKJV

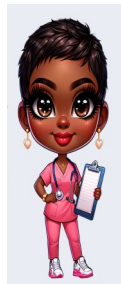
Joshua challenged the people of Israel to remember the Lord who had given them victory, deliverance and the promised land. And he was determined that whether they did or not, the choice of he and his household was to do just that: serve the Lord. What about you and your house? Let it be said that **AS FOR ME AND MY HOUSE: WE WILL PRAY TO THE LORD!** Spend time this day and every day praying together as a family (cf. Philippians 4:6). **WE WILL PRAISE THE LORD!** Family worship is also important. Worship collectively with the saints (Acts 2:42) and privately as a family (Acts 16:14-15). **WE WILL PLEASE THE LORD!** Families must be steady and walk according to the precepts of God. When it does, Psalm 128 promises that the family will be blessed by God.

## NURSE ON CALL JULY 2026

19th Angelina Brown & DeAnna Baker

26th Debranna Johnson & Brenda Triplett

If you are unable to server please give Sis Brenda Triplett a call at 731-267-0818.



## JULY BIRTHDAYS 2026

|                        |    |
|------------------------|----|
| Jonathan Monroe        | 20 |
| Carlos Roberson, Sr    |    |
| Garvin Dennis Parchman | 21 |
| Amber Temple           |    |
| Alice Williams         |    |
| Jacqueline Sail        | 22 |
| Eric Boyd              | 23 |
| Joyce Jarmon           |    |
| William Hunt           | 24 |
| Tamara-Ragland-Henning |    |
| Sharon Dodson          | 25 |
| Beverly VanDyke        |    |



Donnie & Tura Lewis will celebrate their 33rd Wedding Anniversary on July 22nd



## CHURCH CALENDAR JULY 2026

July 25th Back To School  
Annual Community Giveaway