

# Church News

## Missouri Street Church of Christ

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**MASKS and SOCIAL DISTANCING:** Please wear a mask and leave the marked pews empty. Observe social distancing.

**CHILDREN'S MINISTRY:** Since we are not having Bible class, activity bags are available for all of our Bible school for worship time & home. There are names on each bag & a few extras for visitors. Kim Shirley

**DRIVE BY BABY SHOWER** honoring Lydia & Hamilton Archibald will be on Saturday, **August 1**, drive by between 5-7 PM at 201 N. 8<sup>th</sup> Street (Northside church building). They are registered at [babylist.com](http://babylist.com). Instead of a card you are asked to bring a children's book for "Baby Cheese" to enjoy. If you want to contribute to a group gift let Victoria know.

**WEDDING SHOWER FOR LAPHONDA SIMS:** In lieu of a Wedding Shower for Laphonda Sims, we will be doing a Money Tree. You can take your money or gift card by the Church office by August 2<sup>nd</sup>, or you can mail it to MOST 1600 N. Missouri, AR 72301.

**WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT:** With great pleasure Laphonda Sims and Christopher Willis invite you to join them at the celebration of their marriage on Saturday, **September 5**, 2020, at four o'clock in the evening at Missouri Street Church of Christ.

### ONLINE RESOURCES

- **CHURCH WEBSITE.** Click [here](#).
- **Church Facebook page.** Click [here](#).
- **YOUTUBE CHANNEL:** [Join us for worship](#).
- **YOUTH GROUP.** Click [here](#).
- **"SHINE" CLASS (K-3RD GRADES):** Full lesson with related videos (updated every week) on our blog. Click [here](#).
- **All of the above is on our APP.** (to download text MOST APP to 77977, follow the instructions on the link you will receive. Allow Push Notifications)

### PRAY FOR

**HOSPITAL:** Baptist Desoto—**Kaye Black** (fell, broke her hip, had surgery on Thursday)

**HOME FROM HOSPITAL:** Jim Cherry

### SHUT-INS:

**AT HOME:** Marge Young, John Townsend, Maggie Boals, Inez Reavis, Larry Kutscher, Rita Lawson

### IN THE NURSING HOME:

 PRAY FOR STAFF & RESIDENTS

•-Community Compassion Center: **Griffin Elzey**, rm. 303, **Nema Richmond**; **Gwen Townsend**, rm. 212;

- Willowbend Nursing Home: **Ruie Harmon**, rm. 214;
- Craighead Nursing Home (Jonesboro): **Kelley Webb** (brother of Loys Teague);
- Lakeside Nursing Center (1207 Willow Run, Lake City, AR 72437): **Betty Bigham** (give Betty a call, write her a card)
- St. Bernard's Villa (2217 W. Parker Rd., Jonesboro, AR 72404) - **Gene Thompson**, room 414.

**PRAYERS FOR OUR MoSt FAMILY:** **Louise Hall, Peggy Griffith, Lacie Tinnon, Sheryl Taylor**

### OTHER PRAYER REQUESTS:

**Penny Lewis**, Wednesday Night Ladies class participant, needs our prayers. Write her an encouragement card: 391 Cypress Point Rd, Apt. 8, West Memphis, AR 72301

**Cancer**—**Alex Jones** (Linda Washington's brother-stage 4 cancer), **Charles Jones** (Linda Washington's brother-stage 1 cancer-procedure rescheduled for Sep. 8), **Lorri Petty**

**Other health issues**—**Bill Robertson** (son of Bill & Bernie Robertson-fell & broke his back), **Laura Pollard** (Pokorski-had surgery on Monday), **Jim Bell** (former member at MoSt—fell & broke his hip), **Clark Taylor** (cousin of Emily Stewart), **Dale & Martha Wadley** (friends of Doris Bridges—He has multiple myeloma that has been in remission causing softening. He fell and broke his hip and has compression fractures. He had a partial hip replacement and is in Methodist Rehab unit), **Kevin Nicholson** (son of Larry & Vonna Nicholson, brother of Keith Nicholson-Crohn's & ulcerative colitis), **Lois Wright** (mother of Sue Cash—pray for the family—she was diagnosed with inoperable advanced aortic stenosis), **Jim Williams** (cousin of Jane Darr, has been moved to a Long Term Adult Care ICU. He still has pneumonia & other issues, and is still in critical condition. They will do some type of PT on his arms, hands & legs), **Herbert Baker** (Jane Darr's brother-in-law), **Shirley Baker** (Jane Darr's sister), **Peggy Warbritton** (friend of the Yens), **Noah Rickard, Morgan Yen Pattison** (grandson & granddaughter of the Yens)

**SYMPATHY:** We express our sympathy to the family of Foylen Bryant, friend of Glenda Runions (she was on our prayer list). Foylen passed away last week.

**READING THROUGH THE GOSPELS IN 30 DAYS:** Join us in [Follow the Rabbi](#) reading plan in July.

Day 24 of 30

Devotional

John 2

John 3

John 4

Day 25 of 30

Devotional

John 5

John 6

John 7

Day 26 of 30

Devotional

John 8

John 9

John 10

Day 27 of 30

Devotional

John 11

John 12

John 13

Day 28 of 30

Devotional

John 14

John 15

John 16

Day 29 of 30

Devotional

John 17

John 18

John 19

Day 30 of 30

Devotional

John 20

John 21



Hello! My name is Micah Tolleson! I have grown up attending church at Missouri St. Church of Christ. I have learned to love and live my life for the Lord from the years of being poured into at this Church. I want to thank you all for being role models for me and exemplifying what it looks like to truly live for the Lord. Now, I would like to invite you to take part in what the Lord is doing through my life thanks to the seeds you all have planted.

For the past two years, I have volunteered with a ministry at a local High School in Conway, Arkansas. Now that I have graduated, I have decided to answer God's calling on my life and go into full-time ministry with FCA. FCA, or Fellowship for Christian Athletes, is a nationwide nonprofit sports ministry. Their mission is to lead every coach and athlete to a growing relationship with Jesus Christ and His Church.

Our vision is to empower students and change the culture of High School. We want to share with them the authority they have in Jesus Christ. We want them to know that their failures DO NOT define them. That failures don't exist, only lessons to be learned. We want them to find their identity not in their peers, social media, or the world, but in Jesus Christ. Once they know who they are in Christ they will be free and able to fulfill the purpose the Lord has put on their life.

Thanks again for investing in my life! Now I would love to give you the opportunity to invest in my ministry and be a part of what the Lord is doing through my life to reclaim our High Schools back for the Lord. So, that one day High Schools will be a place that welcomes prayer, encourages servant hood, and promotes the name of Jesus.

If you are interested in investing in the ministry you can go to this link to give!

<https://my.fca.org/micahtolleson>

If you have any questions you can contact me at this number, 870-514-8821.