

## PRAYER NEEDS

**HOSPITAL: MED**—Payton Carter (friend of the Wiggins family is in serious condition after a car wreck)

### SHUT-INS

**AT HOME:** Marge Young, Gerald & Peggy Griffith, Inez Reavis, Rita Lawson

**IN THE NURSING HOME:** Springs of Broadway: Elizabeth Colunga (mother of Gene Jones); Willowbend-Gene Thompson, rm. 310; Three Rivers Healthcare & Rehab (33904 HWY 63, Marked Tree, AR 72365) - Louise Hall

**OUR MoSt FAMILY:** Donna Morris (is home with fractured vertebrae after fall), Judy Shepherd, Kay Clark (recovering from knee surgery), Peggie Curtis, Barbara Clothier, Peggy Parnell, Phillip Cooley (hospice care), Katie Chapple, Bill Williams, Betty Hinton, Katie Dunlap, Kenneth Foster, Pam Wiseman, Molly Abernathy

### OTHER PRAYER REQUESTS:

Cancer—Jessica Lemons (friend of the Yens—leukemia), Renee Flesher (Jan Goslin's friend), Jessica Thomas (friend of the Yens), Jeff Martin (son of Gerald & Janiel Martin), Wendell Webb (Loys Teague's brother)

Military—Connor Sandefer (Gretta Blanchard's grandson is in Air Force)

Other issues—Don Jenkins (brother of Deana Stewart), Sue Whatley (great aunt of Chadwick Lucas—in hospice care), Marvin Abernathy (Orlan & Molly's son—heart)

*With updates please contact the church office either by phone (870)735-3394 or email victoriadeal@comcast.net*

*We started a new Prayer List in December. If you want your loved ones to be included please let the office know.*

### Sunday

Bible Classes 9 AM (all ages)

Service 10 AM

L.I.F.E. groups meet at various times and locations (call office for information)

### Wednesday

Bible Classes 6 PM  
(all ages)

# Missouri Street Church of Christ

## December 11, 2022

Welcome to  
our EastArk guests!

Everybody is invited to the  
PARTY immediately following  
the service. Have lunch and enjoy  
watching our guests opening  
their presents.



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## ADULT CLASSES

### SUNDAY

**AUDITORIUM CLASS:** Letters from Prison—Philippians. Imprisoned in Rome, Apostle Paul wrote this “Letter of Joy” to the Philippians, encouraging them that they could always experience joy and contentment even in the most arduous situation if only they would unite and humbly serve one another. By living his life passionately for Jesus, Paul urges all readers to imitate him; to forget what is behind, and push toward the goal of heavenly rewards in Christ Jesus.

**HOME BUILDERS/Rash Hall:** Class for Young Married Couples is designed to help empower our young couples to seek a marriage based on Christ and the principles of a Christian marriage. Our focus is on relationship building and growing as one.

**SUM-THING ON SUNDAY** /room 221/ is a class for adults of any age. We are focused on Service, Unity and Ministry. For 2022 our study material is 52 Weeks Through the Bible.

**SCIENCE & THE BIBLE** /room 211/ The case for Biblical creation is presented through videos by creation scientists (PhDs), Bible scholars, and other experts. Class discussion follows the videos.

**1, 2, 3 JOHN & JUDE** /room 215/ Join us for the study based on the Max Lucado book about these key issues: Love & truth are two essentials in our lives. Being like Christ. Being generous. Stand against false teachers. Living for Christ in today’s world.

### WEDNESDAY

**3PM CLASS IN ROOM 221:** The Jack & Betty Raines Memorial Bible Class meets every Wednesday at 3PM for one hour. It was started to include those who have trouble seeing after dark. We have a textual study

of about 12-15 verses per week. Acts of the Apostles is our present study.

**LADIES CLASS** /room 221/ Class for women of all ages. It is a group of women who pray and care for others. We have a varied curriculum that has included lessons from RightNow Media, Beth Moore series, specific books of the Bible, and lessons taught by individuals in the class. Open discussions are encouraged.

**MEN’S CLASS** / room 211/ Men of MoSt meet on Wednesday evenings at 6. We are studying the book “How God Makes Men,” written by Patrick Morley. Morley develops ten different spiritual principles from ten different men in Scripture to illustrate how God builds and transforms the character of men to become godly leaders. Come join us & be a part of this study. “Iron sharpens iron.”

**PARLOR CLASS** /Parlor/ If you are looking for a Bible class on Wednesday night, come to the Parlor. We sing for about half of class, and then study from the Word. We just finished the study of Romans and are now in the Gospel of John.

**YOUNG ADULTS** /room 210/ Class for young adults-out of high school and single. Basics of Christianity: Who is Jesus? Do I know Him? Does He know me? How do we develop a better relationship with Him?

**WORLD BIBLE SCHOOL** /library/ World Bible School is a correspondence course based on Bible study program allowing students to progress at their own rate in a comprehensive Bible learning program. Many of the residents at the Arkansas Correctional facility here in West Memphis are enrolled as well as students from other areas. Grading and returning these lessons as they are completed is a great way to get involved in teaching others.

## WHAT’S HAPPENING

### EASTARK CHRISTMAS PARTY

- We are ready for the party in Rash Hall immediately following the service. Everyone is welcome to join us. Have lunch and enjoy watching our guests opening their presents.

### POINSETTIAS

- Poinsettias in the auditorium and in the lobby are on display in memory of Charles Garland Stokes, Clyne & Helen Belue, Al Creekmore, C.W. Hinton, Helen McNair, Ronald McNair, Ruben Parnell, Bobby Stewart, Griff Elzey, Larry Kutcher, Jerry Hargraves, Mack Adams.

**SINGLES** Next meeting will be on Saturday, **January 28**.

**CHRISTMAS DAY SUNDAY** No classes, just the service at 10 AM.

## DECEMBER BIBLE READING

**GOD WITH US (6 Days)** He’s with you through the pain. He comforts you in the waiting. When you’re anxious about your future, He gives you courage. As you climb the mountain, He keeps you safe in His arms. In every moment, you are not alone. <https://my.bible.com/reading-plans/9406-god-with-us>

**THE WONDER OF CHRISTMAS (4 Days)** Christmas is a time where we as believers celebrate God’s heart to write himself into our story. Only in Jesus was the veil torn allowing God’s manifest presence into the earth. We owe all that we have to Jesus. We owe all that we have to Christmas. May these four days be filled with joyful worship as we celebrate our newborn King. <https://my.bible.com/reading-plans/28583-the-wonder-of-christmas-4-day-devotional>

**CHRISTMAS: THE DIVINE INTERRUPTION (8 Days)** When Jesus was born into human existence, it was the most epic interruption to human history that has ever happened. God loves us enough to punctuate history in human skin; not as a king, president, or noble warrior, but as a helpless newborn. This reading plan studies the people surrounding Christ’s birth and their response to (or role in) this divine interruption on the timeline of history. <https://my.bible.com/reading-plans/27328-christmas-the-divine-interruption>

**IMMANUEL / GOD IS WITH US! (7 Days)** You’ll be encouraged and reminded of the great love of God for you! As you read and study through one of the main names that God uses to reveal Himself to us, you will understand that “Immanuel” means God is with us! <https://my.bible.com/reading-plans/13270-immanuel-god-is-with-us>

**THE MESSAGE OF THE MANGER (7 Days)** Christmas Reflections. You are invited to reflect upon the everyday joys and challenges of the Christmas season in order to quiet your heart in celebration of the message of the manger. <https://my.bible.com/reading-plans/34543-the-message-of-the-manger-christmas-reflections>