

## At Your House...

Will priorities be established in your children when...

- You are early for their ballgame, but late for worship?
- You check on their homework regularly, but never check on their Bible class lessons?
- You won't let them miss school even though they don't want to go, but let them miss church worship services?
- You won't let them stay up late on school nights, but let them stay up late on Saturday night.
- You will serve as room mother at their school or volunteer at school, but will not help with classes, activities, programs which involve spiritual matters?
- You attend open house at their school, but do not visit their class room of Bible school, or even know where their class meets?
- You support, attend, or even participate in their sports activities (baseball, softball, basketball, volleyball, etc.) but regularly miss activities involving the church?
- You never (almost never) miss meeting with the civic or social club of which you are a member, but frequently miss worship services?
- You go to work even though you do not feel like it, but stay home on Sunday in the same condition?

*Wendell Winkler  
1931-2005*

### MINISTERS

**Pray for our  
Minister search!**

**Campus Minister**  
Brad Tolbert

**Secretary**  
Joshua Pettigrew

**ELDERS**  
Mike Beard  
Larry Fisackerly  
Joe Moore

**Deacons**  
Marty Baker  
Chris Bryant  
Ray Linder  
Jason Meier  
Jeff Newton  
Joshua Pettigrew  
Kerry Rice  
Jeremy Wilson

**Assemblies**  
SUNDAY  
Bible Study 9:30 AM  
Assembly 10:30 AM  
Assembly 5:00 PM  
WEDNESDAY  
Bible Study 6:30 PM



MONTICELLO

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**

*"...speaking the truth in love..." Eph. 4:15*

**November 14, 2021**

## What Do You Value?

*"Some time later, Ben-Hadad king of Aram mobilized his entire army and marched up and laid siege to Samaria. There was a great famine in the city; the siege lasted so long that a donkey's head sold for eighty shekels of silver, and a quarter of a cab of seed pods for five shekels." - 2 Kings 6:24, 25*

That's a passage that really grabs your attention, doesn't it? While we may recoil at the idea of food being so dear that we would be reduced to paying a king's ransom for what we would not even have considered before to be food, we can relate (especially of late) to the idea that the value of something is demonstrated in what people are willing to pay to get it.

Jesus in **Matthew 13:44-46** compared the kingdom of heaven to items so valuable that you would be willing to sell all you had to possess them. God demonstrated the value that He places upon our salvation by offering His only Son upon the cross (**John 3:16**). This bulletin is far too short on space to list all who have given fortune, fame, and their very lives to save their souls from hell.

*"For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also." - Matthew 6:21*

What about us? What do our actions tell others about what we value? Do our children hear one set of values from our lips but another from our actions? Are we setting our hearts on things above or are we joining in the bidding wars over items destined for destruction? Let's show the world the value of salvation! In so doing, we will show them something so valuable that God is giving it away for free (**Ephesians 2:8**).

*Joshua Pettigrew*

*Deacon*

*Monticello church of Christ*

# Memory Verse

**"Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again:  
Rejoice!"**

**- Philippians 4:4**

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**TODAY'S EVENTS**

-Worship livestreamed at 10:30  
 -Small group studies at 5:00 with Birthday/  
 Anniversary Fellowship following

**REMEMBER IN PRAYER**

**Members:**

Linda Bates...Tony & Judy Beard...Terry Boykin...  
 Roger Harris... Joe and Peggy Moore...LaVerne  
 Potter...Rita Stiles... Carolyn Wilson...Donnie &  
 Janice Wright

**Shut-ins:**

Jean Enlow...Betty McGuire...Bob & Pat Turner...  
 Marie Wooten

**Serving in the Military:**

Mollie Aldridge...Corey Bryant...Bradyn Curtis..  
 Noah Draper... David Foret... Tucker Koonce...  
 Matthew May... Neil Rampy ... Christian

**SPECIAL PRAYER LIST**

Flora Austin...Rusty Blanks...Alli Cooper... the  
 family of Donald Dinger...Jeremy Ewell...Jeannie  
 French...Mignon Griffin... Olivia Harrod...Niyah  
 Jacobs...Tina Jarvius...Johnny Jeter...Deane John-  
 son...Judy Johnson...Shirley Majors... Erica Maril-  
 lo... the family of Neva McKeown... Austin & An-  
 drea Oesch...Robbie Pettigrew...Judy Purvis...  
 David & Loyce Ray.. Christy Rice...Turner Rob-  
 erts...Raegan Robinson... Don & Suzette Russell..  
 minister search.. Homer Shirey...Elizabeth(Moore)  
 Stepanovich(du e in Dec.)... Katie Strickland...  
 Sawyer Tannehill... Kaylee Thelli...Robert and Sue  
 Thomas...Sissy Tucker...James Walton... Dr.  
 Dwight Witcher... Wayne Witson..William  
 Woods... Sue Woodward...

**Joe Moore** has been diagnosed with tem-  
 poral arteritis. His doctors are treating it, be-  
 lieving it to be the possible cause of his vision  
 and palsy symptoms.

**Peggy Moore** is due to have an ultrasound  
 on her gall bladder. She has been having stom-  
 ach related problems.

**Cheryl Shirey's** test results showed that she  
 will need a valve replacement. She is thankful  
 for the prayers and food.

The **Tolbert Family** were present this past  
 Wednesday and are doing much better. Thank  
 you for your prayers!

**Shelly Martin Baker's** (Fern Baker's sister  
 -in-law) mother passed away.

**Chris Beard** (Roger Harris's son-in-law) has  
 been dealing with migraines.

**Oliver Griffin** will have hip replacement  
 surgery November 29th, and **Mignon Griffin**  
 has been feeling much better.

**Kaylee Thelli** (friend of Caroline Wilson)  
 tore her ACL and MCL. She will be having  
 surgery November 24th.

**Olivia Harrod** (friend of Olivia Wilson) tore  
 her ACL.

**Dr. Dwight Witcher** was bitten by a dog,  
 causing a hand infection.

**Birthdays  
 &  
 Anniversaries**



- Nov. 15 Pam Beard  
           Ryan & Stacy Usry
- 16 Leah Bryant
- 19 Dillon & Sarah Rabb
- 20 Shirley Fisackerly
- 23 Judy Beard  
           Monty Meier  
           Corey & Holly Dial
- 28 Jeremy Wilson
- Dec. 3 McKenzie Light  
           Dillon Rabb
- 4 Bob & Pat Turner
- 6 Denon Weaver

This Sunday Evening will be our *Second  
 Sunday Singing* followed by the *Birthday/  
 Anniversary Fellowship*.

All Ladies are invited to *Ladies Night Out*  
 this Tuesday, **November 16th** at 6 p.m. in the  
 Fellowship Hall. Bring your favorite soup for  
 a soup potluck. See **Stacey Usry** or **Sara  
 Newton** if you have any questions.

There is still one slot open (Nov. 16) to pro-  
 vide food for the *Weevils For Christ*. If you  
 would like to help, sign the sheet in the foyer.

All Ladies are invited to the *Wednesday  
 Morning Ladies Bible Class* every Wednes-  
 day morning at 10:00 in room 134 at the  
 building.

As in years past, we will be adopting a cot-  
 tage from *Paragould Children's Home*.  
 Please give money to help with gifts to **Stacy  
 Usry** or **Shirley Fisackerly**.


Sunday, **December 12th** following evening  
 worship, everyone is invited to the home of  
**Kelly** and **Anna Koonce** for *Carols at the  
 Koonce's*.

**A Card Of Thanks:**  
 "To our dear church family, Thank you so  
 much for the beautiful plant, all the wonder-  
 ful cards, and for the food that was prepared  
 and served at the family meal after the death  
 of our beloved mother, Neva McKeown.

We love you all,  
**Joe & Peggy Moore, the family of Neva  
 Dell McKeown"**

**Nov Daily Bible Reading Schedule**

15	Acts 1-4
16	Acts 5-8
17	Acts 9-12
18	Acts 13-16
19	Acts 17-20
20	Acts 21-24
21	Acts 22-28



**Attendance**

Bible Class .....	77
Sunday AM Worship .....	95
Sunday PM Worship .....	78
Wed. Evening .....	72
Contribution.....	\$5.084

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**MISSIONS**  
 Truth for Today  
 In Search of the  
 Lord's Way

**NURSERY**

**Communion Preparation**  
 Nov 14 Janet Staudinger  
 Nov 21 Angela Stewart  
 Nov 28 Angela Stewart  
 Dec 5 Mandy Tolbert

**Ladies November Duties**  
**Cards:** Angela Naron  
**Food:** Kathy Linder  
 Linda Bates