

## An Update from Andrew...

Last Sunday, we enjoyed a wonderful Friends Day. Not only did we have a large crowd of people, we also had several guests worshipping with us for the first time. I am thankful for how many people reached out and invited others. It is my prayer that seeds were planted, that future conversations can water those seeds, and that God will give the increase. We enjoyed a great potluck meal together, and our afternoon worship service in the Fellowship Hall. You may not know how many people are involved in getting ready for a day like Friends Day, but there are several who work hard setting up tables, chairs, and helping serve food. I am thankful for all the hard work of those individuals.

We have also had several announcements to keep in mind about families in our congregation. Last week, we celebrated the announcements of several new births in the first part of April. This week, we are grieving with several families who have experienced the loss of a loved one, including the family of Phil Lindsey, a member here at Graymere. Several other members have lost family members. In a way, this symbolizes what Paul writes to the Romans about in Romans 12:15: Rejoice with those who rejoice, weep with those who weep. Let's be sure to be there for our brothers and sisters, no matter what is happening in their lives.

We have a few things to remember for this coming Sunday. Between our worship service and Bible classes, we will be recognizing all our Lads to Leaders participants. If your child participated, even if they were not part of the convention. Not only do we want a good group picture, we also want our members to have the chance to encourage these children. We will also be starting a new Bible class in the Small Auditorium on Sunday. This class is designed for those who have not found a class to plug into yet, and we are hoping it can increase the number of people who stay for class.

Our Future Ministers Camp and Spiritual Growth Camp are both coming up soon – May 30-June 3. We always have students from all over the south participate, and we really want to focus on involving our local students. You can find more information, as well as registration forms, on our website. We will also be calling on some of you to help prepare food for our campers. It is a great resource, and I am glad we are involved with it!

On Sunday, we will continue our journey through Matthew's gospel; let's keep learning and growing together!

### Sunday's Messages

**AM – King of Kings #3: Amazing Faith (Matthew 8:5-13)**

**PM – John Vaughan Speaking**

### ELDERS

Rick Combs	931.380.0081
Jerry Kirk	931.381.5120
Hugh Langley	931.381.6455
Jack Love	931.388.1089
Fred Porter	931.388.8088
Roger Riddle	931.381.4657
Dennis Stephen	931.619.0329
Steve Thomason	931.797.8983
Kevin Thompson	931.797.6642
Rick Whitley	931.626.6628

### MINISTERS

Andrew Phillips	Pulpit/TV
Chad Landman	Education
Jack Malone	Senior Adults
Jonathan Winchester	Missions /Evangelism
Jon David Schwartz	Youth

### DEACONS

Rick Barker	Carl Martin
Billy Bishop	Wayne Phillips
Bobby Bishop	Troy Potts
Shawn Butterfield	Warren Robinson
Hollis Carpenter	Ed Self
Barry Christian	Charles Smith
Ken Compton	Austin Simmons
Ben Farris	Jeff Skelton
Dwayne Fulks	Ricky Thompson
Jason Golden	Doug Wilburn
Randy Goodwin	Ken Wiles
Tim Gordon	Doug Williams
Eddie Harris	Larry Winchester
Jeff Harris	Phillip Wright
Vance Hendrickson	Ken Young
Josh Love	

### OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Thursday 8:00 AM – 4:30 PM  
Friday 8:00 AM – 3:00 PM  
Phone 931.388.4796  
Fax 931.388.4797  
graymere@graymere.com  
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### TIMES OF WORSHIP

Sunday 9:00 AM  
Sunday Bible Study 10:15 AM

### COUNSELING CENTER

Mondays 11:00 AM—5:00 PM

931.540.0174

### TELEVISION

*Connections*  
Charter Channel 195  
Wednesdays 7 PM,  
Sundays 5 PM  
CPWS Channel 13  
Sundays 7:30 PM  
*Sunday Morning Worship*  
Charter Channel 195  
Sundays 8 AM

### OUR RECORD

Week of	4-15-18
Sunday AM	561
Bible Study	399
Sunday PM	225
Contribution	\$23,944.33
Wednesday PM	306
Budget	\$23,000.00

## Our Shut-ins

### NURSING HOME:

#### **NHC-MAURY REGIONAL**

Emily Long, 2406  
Fran Ferrell, 2301

#### **LIFE CARE CENTER**

Theresa Shouse, 212  
Mary Robertson, 324A  
Elaine Bills (Kathie Porter's mother)

### ASSISTED LIVING:

#### **THE BRIDGE**

Bobby Smithson, 227  
Frances Logsdon, 102  
Olivyn Hardison, 209  
Mary Margaret Lovell, 225  
Grace Frank, 106

#### **MORNING POINTE**

Marie Voss, 126  
Sue Foster, 114  
Rebecca McNeese, 102

#### **POPLAR ESTATES**

Mary Robb, The Gardens  
Barbara McNeese, The Gardens

#### **BROOKDALE**

Gladys Olive, 104  
Ruby Mathis, 5011

#### **SOMERBY OF FRANKLIN**

Sara Pigg, Apt. 1207  
Faye Locke, Apt. 1315  
Mary Jo McGee (mother of Pam Hendrickson)

#### **NHC PLACE, Cool Springs**

Robert Waddell, 313

### AT HOME:

Edwin Derryberry  
Marie Mayberry  
Jewel Whitlatch  
Rebecca Burgett  
Aurelia Reed  
Sarah Johnson  
Dorothy LaCroix



## Graduation Banquet April 29

Graduation Banquet honoring Graymere high school graduates will be April 29 following evening worship. All graduates and their families eat free of charge. Anyone else is welcome to come. Cost for the meal is \$5 per person. Everyone planning to come, please sign the list at the Information Desk and give the number in your family who plan to attend so that we can finalize plans.

### *Thank You*

"I would like to thank the Graymere congregation for the prayers, cards, calls, and wonderful feelings you have given me during this illness and my surgery. It is so good to be a member at Graymere, since I was 9 years old. We would also like the congregation to know that our son, Matt Shouse, began serving the White House church of Christ as a minister in February."

**Theresa Shouse**

### **MAURY CHRISTIAN CAMP**

Week 1: June 3-8

Week 2: June 10-15

*Register online:*

SHORTMOUNTAINBIBLECAMP.COM  
\$85 deposit required for each week.  
You must also provide a notarized medical form and photocopy of insurance cards.

If you register by May 13, cost is \$185.  
(May 13 is last date to get an MCC t-shirt.)  
Between May 13 and camp start, cost is \$200.

## Our Sick

Vanderbilt: **Bea Matthews**  
(mother of Debbie Kirk and grandmother of Andrea Love)

Dismissed: **Buddy Rogers, Judy Cofer**

Remember in prayer: **Gladys Olive, Beverly Martin, Tessa Fleming, Bettie Sparkman, Roger Riddle, Susan Campbell, Janice Hardison, Theresa Shouse, Elaine Bills**

### *Sympathy*

We extend our sympathy to the family of **Azella Martin**, mother of Carl Martin. The funeral was Wednesday in Nashville.

We extend our sympathy to the family of **Barbara Baker**, mother of Jim & Aubrey Baker. The funeral was Tuesday.

We extend our sympathy to the family of **C. Don Ladd**, brother-in-law of Angela Gibbons. The funeral was Saturday.

Please come to a  
**Tea**  
honoring  
**Graymere Shut-ins**

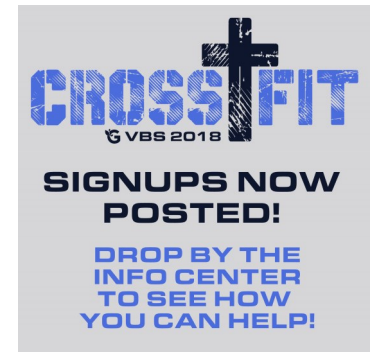
Sunday, May 6, 2018  
1-3 PM  
Graymere church of  
Christ  
Fellowship Hall

## Upcoming Events

- **Visitation Teams-Sunday**  
Team 10: Matt Bowling
- **Meals Program:**  
April 23: Kyla Harris  
April 25: Kathie Porter  
April 27: Lynda Barker



All ages are welcome, feel free to bring your daughter or your dad. There will be fishing, sports games, hamburgers and camping. Sign up at the Information desk if you plan to go or Email Chris Webb at [chris.webb@fbitn.com](mailto:chris.webb@fbitn.com).



We will have another Information Meeting for VBS **after evening services on May 6** in the Small Auditorium (after communion). We'd like anyone helping with VBS this year to be there. As always, we appreciate your support!