

## An Update from Andrew...

On Sunday morning, we welcomed **Rachel Batey** to our church family. We are thankful she placed membership with us, and I hope you will be sure to get to know her. We also had approximately 50 who were part of our youth group's fall retreat last weekend. **Jon David** and several other adults worked hard to coordinate an excellent opportunity for spiritual growth. I am glad our young people have these chances to grow closer to God.

You will see filled grocery bags in the hallway, as we get ready to "Sack the Pulpit" on Sunday. We also have several grocery bags available for us to take and fill in preparation for Sunday. You can also go to the Piggly Wiggly in Neely's Mill to purchase grocery sacks that are already filled. Sunday is coming soon, so let's be sure to get those turned in ASAP!

I also hope you will consider signing up for Give Away Day. If you have never participated before, it requires the hard work and help of everyone to make it happen. Two of our Graymere families, **Matt and Julie Bowling** and **Andrew and Katie Williams**, have been working hard all year to prepare for this event, and the work will pick up over the next ten days. Even if you are not able to be there on the 27<sup>th</sup>, there will be times in the days before Give Away Day where help will be needed to set up the building and move items to give away. Let's be praying about the people we will meet on the 27<sup>th</sup>!

Our personal family schedule will be a little bit different over the next few days. Tonight, I will be speaking for the Southgate Church of Christ as part of their Fall Series. On Sunday, we will be in Germantown, TN for the Germantown Church of Christ Homecoming Sunday. This is the congregation where I grew up and where my father preaches. The Germantown congregation is celebrating its 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary, and I appreciate the opportunity for our family to be part of that celebration and worship service. **Tommy Gore** will be preaching on Sunday morning, and **Jon David Schwartz** will be preaching on Sunday night. **Monte Tatom** will be teaching the Fellowship Hall Class. I am grateful for these men preaching and teaching on Sunday, and we will look forward to being back with you as we prepare for Give Away Day. Let's keep learning and growing together!

**Sunday's Messages**  
**AM – Tommy Gore Speaking**  
**PM – Jon David Schwartz 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	Josh Love
Billy Bishop	Carl Martin
Bobby Bishop	Wayne Phillips
Shawn Butterfield	Troy Potts
Hollis Carpenter	Warren Robinson
Barry Christian	Ed Self
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	

### OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Thursday 8:00 AM – 4:30 PM  
Friday 8:00 AM – 3:00 PM  
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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	10-12-18
Sunday AM	530
Bible Study	376
Sunday PM	312
Contribution	\$23,216.45
Wednesday PM	341
Budget	\$23,000.00

# TRUNK OR TREAT

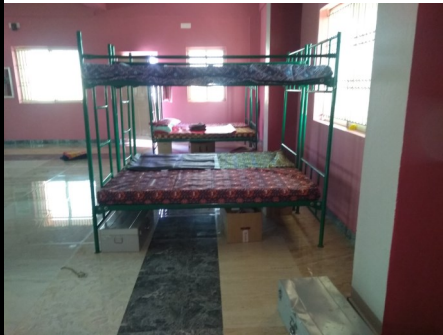
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 31

6:30 PM WORSHIP FOR EVERYONE

7:15 PM TRUNK-OR-TREAT

SIGN UP YOUR TRUNK  
AT THE INFO CENTER

## Mission News from Jonathan...



I am often hesitant to mention missions needs during mission reports. Not because Graymere would be offended, but, in fact, because Graymere always answers every need and I wouldn't want to overburden you. On August 26, I reported on our recent trip to India, and shared with you the need to purchase 48 beds for our children's home in Tada, India. My goal was to raise enough to purchase 10 initially. Thanks to the outpouring of your love and generosity, along with the collaboration of another generous church in Bald Knob, AR, we have been able to purchase all 48 beds and bedding. Now they just need to fill the home up with more children in need of the church's help. Thank you!

## New Member



**Rachel Batey**

We welcome Rachel Batey to Graymere. Her address is 105 Paul Craft in Columbia, 248-707-9934, Care Group 3.

## Sympathy

We extend our sympathy to the family of **Joe Long**, brother of J.B. Long. The funeral was Wednesday in Pulaski.

We extend our sympathy to the family of **Eddie Osborne**, father of Marsha Robinson. Funeral will be at a later date in Missouri.

## Congratulations

Congratulations to **Sheila Alderson** and **Larry Alexander** who were married Saturday.

Congratulations to **Buddy & Betty Rogers** who celebrated their 58<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary October 15.

## Thank You

Our heartfelt thanks for your love, support and prayers during Susan's illness and death. The many cards and words of comfort help us in our grief. We are blessed by our Graymere family.

**Nancy, Jeff, Misty, Finley and Gunner Skelton**

## Our Sick

MRMC: **Carl Martin**, CDU-8  
Dismissed: **Mary Ann Fry, Samantha Baugus, Garrett Lunn, Ray Davis**  
NHC-MR: **Leon Whitlatch**, 2504; **Mary Ann Fry**, 2302

## Remember in Prayer

Rebecca McNeese, Tessa Fleming, Kenny Compton, Linda Jobe, Charles Smith, Beverly Martin, Bettie Sparkman, Roger Riddle, Joann Sandefur (home with hospice), Sue Foster, Nan Price, Deane Pigg, Tim Mullican, Dianne Campbell

## Upcoming Events

### • Meals Program:

October 22: Wanda Robinson

October 24: Mable Delk

October 26: Kitty Chaffin

### • Visitation Team meetings:

Team 7: Russell Gibbons (Sr. Ctr.)

Team 12: Gary Tucker

• Ladies of the congregation are invited to a Baby Tea honoring Mary Beth Horton on October 28 from 4:00-5:30 in the Fellowship Hall. It's a boy!

### • Pantry Needs: canned meats

**Give Away Day:** Sorting and boxing has been completed, so we will not need to meet on Tuesdays. October 21 is SACK THE PULPIT DAY! Grocery lists and sacks are at all entrances, or you may pick up filled sacks for \$15 at Piggly Wiggly.

• **Senior Adults Fall Trip:** Departure time to The Ark will be at 8 am instead of 9 am. They are in Eastern Time Zone.

• **L2LL Bible Bowl** study session Sunday, October 21 at 5 PM in FR1.

• **CBI:** If you are a Graymere member and plan to attend CBI, please let Chad know or sign up online.