

The Mars Hill Messenger

August 8, 2021

<p>Sunday, August 8, 2021 <u>SOUND ROOM</u> Clay Winn <u>ANNOUNCEMENTS</u> Dan Blair <u>SCRIPTURE READING</u> Doug Ellison <u>LEAD SINGING</u> Thomas Martin <u>LEAD PRAYER</u> Bob Johnston Wade Haynie <u>LORD'S TABLE</u> Curtis Sawrie, b. Mike Widner, c. Alex Waltrip, o. Wyatt Bradshaw</p>	<p><u>Wednesday</u> <u>August 11, 2021</u> <u>LEAD SINGING</u> Michael Hunter <u>LEAD PRAYER</u> Gary Lambert Steve Shock</p>	<p>Mary Mcgonical is having several health issues at this time. John, Sharon, Josh, and Cruz Foster have been sick. Calton Clayton will undergo eye surgery on August 24th. Kim Wells is experiencing some health problems. Dale Haynie is improving slowly. Ova Lea Leighton is dealing with problems with her lungs. Melanie Gordon is undergoing cancer treatments. Leroy Kirkland, Dennis Kirkland's father, has been hospitalized this week.</p> <p>Roy Bulice, Shelia Riddle, Bernice Wells, Martha Walker, Gunner Smith, Gladys Widner, Charlene Lasley, Paula Stocks, Steven Moore</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>At A Glance</i></p> <p>August 18 – Wednesday Series. Vilonia C of C. Speaker: David Riley August 22 – Bible School Promotion Day</p>
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Bible School Promotion: Bible School Promotion will take place on Sunday, August 22nd. Classes are available for all ages. Every family of the congregation is urged to be a part of our Bible study program every Sunday and Wednesday.

Magi Boxes: Magi Boxes will be assembled soon for distribution around the world. Please bring items needed for the boxes as you come to services each week.

On My Attitude Toward the Church

“And hath put all things under his feet, and gave him to be the head over all things to the church, Which is his body, the fulness of him that filleth all in all” (Ephesians 1:22-23). There can be no unity as long as men think they mean more to the Church than the Church means to them. The church can live without me and it can be saved without me; but I can't afford to live without the Church and I can't be saved without it. Therefore, I need to be a humble servant in the Church. - DR

On What I Can Achieve with God

“For with God nothing shall be impossible” (Luke 1:37). Man has developed ways to control blood pressure, transplant vital organs, send men to the moon, and assemble automobiles that talk... Before they ever get to God, man has done some impressive things. Let this simply elevate the great statement of Luke. If man can reach such heights by his own ingenuity, what can I do by faith in the Creator of man? - DR

“For to me to live is Christ, and to die is gain” (Philippians 1:21). As I study this passage in Philippians, I need to ask myself some questions. Am I ready to die? Paul was prepared for such as he sat in prison... he eagerly awaited his time on earth to conclude so that he could be with the Lord. If I were to die today, would I find myself ready to be with the Lord? How is my spiritual state? Do I have a relationship with Christ or not? Do I view death as gain? This must be on my heart: “to live is Christ and to die is gain.” Jesus Christ is the only One for whom life is worth living. I must resolve to make sure my purpose for living is to live completely for Him! - DR