

# The Mars Hill Messenger

February 27, 2022

<p><b>Sunday,</b> <b>February 27, 2022</b> <b>SOUND ROOM</b> Clay Winn <b>ANNOUNCEMENTS</b> Dan Blair <b>SCRIPTURE READING</b> Curtis Sawrie <b>LEAD SINGING AM/PM</b> Thomas Martin <b>LEAD PRAYER AM/PM</b> Gary Lambert Wade Haynie <b>LORD'S TABLE</b> Rustin Barnett, b. (AM/PM) Harmon Sawrie, c. (AM/PM) Michael Hunter, o. Byron Sawrie</p>	<p><b>Wednesday</b> <b>March 2, 2022</b> <b>LEAD SINGING</b> Michael Hunter <b>LEAD PRAYER</b> Mark Mauney Doug Ellison</p> <p><b>Bible Class Lessons</b> <b>Sunday, February 27:</b> Lesson #375: Paul: Ephesians 3-4 Adults: Life of Christ <b>Wednesday, March 2:</b> Lesson #376: "Paul: Ephesians 5-6 <b>Sunday, March 6:</b> Lesson #377: Paul: Philippians 1-2 Adults: Life of Christ</p>	<p><b>Sick</b> Mary House underwent surgery Friday to remove skin cancer. Lou Riley will have a pacemaker installed tomorrow. Roy Bulice has been sick. Troy Buchanan is sick. Dale Haynie has been moved back to the Rehab Center in Cabot. Stanley Gordon is having many health issues. Lee Adkisson will undergo surgery tomorrow to replace a hip. Miranda Sweeney is undergoing more tests. Jimmy Buchanan, Troy's grandfather, is recovering from back surgery.</p> <p>Carlton Clayton, Roy Bulice, Ova Lea Leighton, Martha Walker, Gladys Widner, Paula Stocks, Charlene Lasley, Kenneth Johnston</p> <p><b>At A Glance</b> <b>March 11-12</b> – Men's Retreat hosted by Downtown C of C. Camp Areopagus. Theme: Act Like Men</p>
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**Consideration for Eldership:** Members of the congregation are asked to give prayerful consideration to Steve Shock and Thomas Martin for this work of elders. If you know of any reason either of these men should not serve in this capacity, please let this be known.

**Wednesday Services:** The time for Wednesday services has been changed to 6:30 p.m.

**Let's Be Friends:** The K-4<sup>th</sup> Graders of the Mars Hill, Vilonia, and Liberty congregations will meet at the Mars Hill building Sunday, March 13<sup>th</sup>, from 3 – 4:30 p.m. There will be a Bible lesson, singing, and prayers.

## Invasion!!!

The world has been captivated this past week with Russia's invasion of Ukraine. Our hearts ache for our brothers and sisters in Christ who are suffering due to circumstances out of their control. We sympathize with all the innocent victims who will lose everything. We pray for their safety and well-being.

America is also being invaded and no matter how we fortify ourselves, it is going to conquer. This army is going to capture every city and town in every state. This army is going to take possession of every business, school, and political office. Every home and every congregation of the Lord's church will be taken over. Nothing will be left to us – absolutely nothing!

Who makes up this great army? This army is made up of the children who are growing up in our homes! Every generation since Adam has been displaced by this army. The training these children receive will determine the world of tomorrow.

God said, "And these words which I command you this day shall be in your heart; and you shall teach them diligently to your children" (Deuteronomy 6:6-7; Ephesians 6:4). It is sad when a generation arises to take control that has not been trained in righteousness. "And also all that generation were gathered unto their fathers; and there arose another generation after them which knew not the Lord, nor yet the works which He had done for Israel" (Judges 2:10; Deuteronomy 32:7). Every child has the right to be loved, accepted, protected, and trained. The child does not know by instinct what is right and wrong, what is good and bad. The responsibility for instruction rests upon us, the parents.

~David