

The Mars Hill Messenger

March 13, 2022

<p style="text-align: center;">Sunday, March 13, 2022</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>SOUND ROOM</u></p> <p>Clay Winn</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>ANNOUNCEMENTS</u></p> <p>Rodney Partee</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>SCRIPTURE READING</u></p> <p>Gary Lambert</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>LEAD SINGING AM/PM</u></p> <p>Curtis Sawrie</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>LEAD PRAYER AM/PM</u></p> <p>Steve Shock Ralph Hunter</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>LORD'S TABLE</u></p> <p>Doug Ellison, b. (AM/PM) Michael Hunter, c. (AM/PM) Wade Haynie, o. Rustin Barnett</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Wednesday March 16, 2022</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>LEAD SINGING</u></p> <p>Harmon Sawrie</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>LEAD PRAYER</u></p> <p>John Foster Mark Mauney</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Bible Class Lessons</p> <p>Sunday, March 13: Lesson #380: Paul: 1 Timothy 3-4 Adults: Life of Christ</p> <p>Wednesday, March 16: Lesson #381: "Paul: 1 Timothy 5-6</p> <p>Sunday, March 20: Lesson #382: Paul: Titus 1-3 Adults: Life of Christ</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Sick</p> <p>Lou Riley has been hospitalized this week with heart issues. Wade Haynie is having problems with his back. Dale Haynie is in the Rehab Center in Cabot. He is improving. Rodgie Taylor of El Paso is ICU in Searcy. Lee Adkisson is recovering from hip replacement surgery.</p> <p>Stanley Gordon, Carlton Clayton, Roy Bulice, Ova Lea Leighton, Martha Walker, Gladys Widner, Paula Stocks, Charlene Lasley</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;">At A Glance</p> <p>March 13 – Let's Be Friends. K-4th. Subject: Bullying. 3-4:30 p.m. March 14 – Preacher's/Leader's Meeting. 10 a.m. April 9 – Egg Hunt for the children. 3 p.m. April 9 – Ladies' Day. Higden C of C. 9:30 a.m. – Lunch. Speaker: Denise Martin April 10 – Mars Hill Memorizers will be recognized and awarded April 15 – 5th-6th Outing at Camp Areopagus. 4 p.m. - Dark April 23-23 – Ladies Sewing Weekend at Camp Areopagus</p>
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Let's Be Friends: The K-4th Graders of the Mars Hill, Vilonia, and Liberty congregations will meet at the Mars Hill building today from 3 – 4:30 p.m. There will be a Bible lesson, singing, prayers, and games.

Egg Hunt: Saturday, April 9th, at 3 p.m. at the Mars Hill building. Each child needs to bring 12 filled plastic eggs. See Lisa Hunter for more details.

Mars Hill Memorizers: Sunday, April 10th, our children will be recognized for the hard work and dedication. They are encouraged to invite all their family and friends to come on that day. After the morning service pizza, salad, and dessert will be served for lunch. After lunch the children will make slim. Everyone is encouraged to share in the lunch. We need to know if you will be eating with us. Please sign the sheet in the foyer to let us know.

5th-6th Grade Outing: Saturday, April 15th, the 5th and 6th Graders will go to Camp Areopagus for fishing, games, food, and fun. 4 p.m. – dark. See John Foster for details.

We Owe It To The Next Generation

The psalmist wrote, “Now also when i am old and gray-headed, O God, do not forsake me until I declare Your strength to this generation, Your power to everyone who is to come” (Psalm 71:18).

I belong to a generation that has witnessed a change in direction within the church. Beginning several decades ago, attitudes started to change. Less emphasis was given to what the Bible calls “first principles” (Hebrews 5:12). The Hebrews writer lamented that such first principles had to be taught over and over again to some in the church who should have been teachers themselves. This shows that we must teach more than just first principles, especially to those who know and honor such simple truths. But if first principles are not being followed and respected, it becomes necessary to teach and re-teach them.

Note the concern that the inspired writer had for the generations that would follow him. He wanted to show God’s strength and power to “this generation” and “everyone who is to come.” Our attitude should be the same.

We will always owe the next generation the knowledge of fundamental divine truths. Failure to teach them today will bring nothing but trouble tomorrow.

~David