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Dalton Thomasson - 931-996-9920

Worship & Bible Study:

SUNDAY

Worship 9:00 AM
Bible Study 10:15 AM
Worship 6:00 PM

WEDNESDAY

Bible Study 7:00 PM

Family Line:

931-729-9846



Mike's Minute

The elder, to my dear friend Gaius, whom I love in the truth. Dear friend, I pray that you may enjoy good health, even as your soul is getting along well.

3 John 1-2

Leonard Pitts, Jr. wrote about the feeling he had when business took him to Natchez, Mississippi, where his mother was born and raised. Driving the streets of the town, he recalled how he had dreamed of the riches he had once hoped to give his mother. He said, "The costliest gift I was ever able to give her was a plane ticket. Actually, my sisters and brother and I all chipped in on that..."

He continued, "The ticket was a gift for what was to be her final birthday before cancer won its years-long battle. It seemed woefully inadequate in light of what she had given us— spiritual riches in the shadow of poverty, security on the edge of apprehension, a home in a city jungle. Sick from heart disease and hypertension, abused by a husband who sold his soul to the bottle, she gave us *ourselves*. She made us women and men. What's a plane ticket compared to that?"

Pitts had all but forgotten the gift until he stopped at the home of his mother's lifelong friend, Isabel. She told him that his mother had said, "My life has been really rough. But if I didn't have my children, I don't know what I'd have done. *My children sent me home for my birthday!* I'd been wanting to come home one more time."

Pitts reflected, "I'd always wondered if she knew how grateful we were. She knew."

Do the people who have blessed you *know*?

In Christian Love,

Mike





Just Joshin'

For this bulletin article, I wanted us to think about having a "Faith on the go." Summer is a busy time when it comes to traveling for a lot of folks. I, myself, have just taken a trip to Los Angeles, California at the time you all will read this. It can be easy to think of faith as something reserved for Sunday morning, but God calls us to carry our faith wherever we go. Whether we are at home, in the workplace, on vacation, or in our communities serving our neighbors, our daily lives are opportunities to reflect Christ's love.

Paul writes, "And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him." — Colossians 3:17

"Faith on the go" means choosing kindness when patience is tested, offering encouragement to someone in need, and trusting God even during busy or uncertain moments. Small acts of faithfulness, especially towards people you don't know, can become powerful testimonies of God's grace.

As we move through this week, may we remember that we do not walk alone. Christ goes with us wherever we are, and through Him, we can shine His light in every place we enter.

To God be the glory,
Josh

DEEPEST
sympathy

Sympathy to the family of **Ruth Ann Carathers**. Her funeral is Sunday, May 31st at 2:00 pm at McDonald Funeral Home. We will have a meal for the family after the burial.

Sympathy to the family of **Dorothy Noonan**. Graveside service was Thursday at Little Rock Cemetery.

Sympathy to the family of **Glenda Teet**. Her funeral was Friday at McDonald Funeral Home.



JUNE

- 1 Butch Sullivan
Kita Wright
- 2 Hannah Irwin
Myra Orton
- 3 Blake Graham
- 4 Denise McCoy
- 7 Sara Beth McClanahan
- 10 Darin Cochran
Larry Primm
Wyatt Sullivan
- 11 Jett Jacobs
- 12 Sandra Harrington
Glenda Jacobs
- 13 C.J. Totty
- 14 Deborah McClellan
- 16 Carleigh Liddell
June Prince
- 17 Eric Gilbert
Harrison Kelley
Crystal Skelton
- 18 Mark Anthony Licciardello
- 19 Patrick Brady
- 20 Chris Kimbro
Aiden Liddell
- 21 Ginger James
- 22 Brenda Fly
- 24 Chris England
- 25 Bobbie Graf
Kristie Jett
- 26 Damon McCoy
Connor Pitman



JUNE

- 2 Wallace & Sue Smith
Harry & Joyce Fielder
- 4 Dustin & Diana Bailey
- 6 Woody & Carla Woodruff
- 8 Nathan & Whitney Carroll
- 11 Rick & Joyce Bruno
James & Allison Jett
- 12 Trevor & Lauren Demary
- 13 Mike & Amber Kelley
- 16 Stephen & Deana Graham
- 19 Bobby & Rosa Waynick
Steve & Teresa Craft
Lonnie & Bettina Horner
- 20 Robert & Crystal Wilson
- 27 Curtis & Barbara Edwards
Tom & Lauren Gosser
- 29 Kenneth & Kristy Jett
- 30 Roy & Sharon McCoy



Blood Drive
Centerville Community
Fairfield Church of Christ

Fellowship Hall
 1860 Hwy. 100
 Centerville, TN 37033

Monday, June 1, 2026
1:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

To schedule an appointment, please visit:
RedCrossBlood.org and enter
Sponsor Code: Centerville19



June

2nd - Middle/High School devo @ 6:30 pm in FH

MEN TO SERVE

SUNDAY MORNING:

Song Leader: Darin Cochran
Opening Prayer: Lafayette Spears
Scripture Reading: Steve Baker
Scripture: 2 Timothy 4:7-8
Preside Lord's Supper: Buddy Chandler
Left: Wayne Prince **Right:** Carter Bates
 Lafayette Spears Brett Wilson
 Gary Basford Curtis Edwards
 Trevor Demary Rusty Bates
Announcements: Darin Cochran
Closing Prayer: Jerrie W Barber
Van Driver: Jack Green (931-994-8317)

SUNDAY AFTERNOON 12:30 pm:

Scripture Reading: Wallace Smith
Scripture: 1 Corinthians 15:1-4
Song Leader: Gary Basford
Opening Prayer: Ronny Pitman
Closing Prayer: Gary Wright
Van Driver: Jack Green (931-994-8317)

WEDNESDAY NIGHT:

Announcements: Gary Wright
Song Leader: Gary Basford
Opening Prayer: Zach Bentley
Van Driver: Chris Love (931-994-7855)

FOR THE RECORD

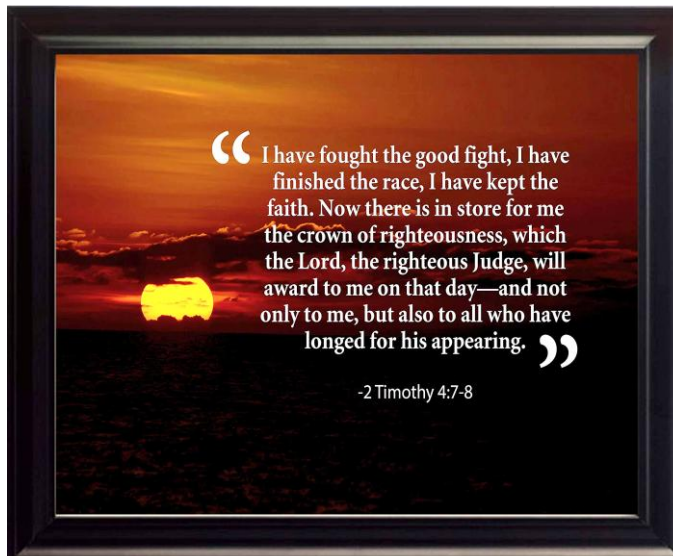
WEEK OF May 24, 2026

MORNING WORSHIP	177
CONTRIBUTION	\$3,936
2026 WEEKLY BUDGET	\$5,417

Welcome to all our visitors. Please fill out a visitor's card and leave it on the seat so we can have a record of your visit.



Stay in touch with us on social media:
Facebook: Fairfield church of Christ - Field Family
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UPCOMING EVENTS

Today, May 31st is a 5th Sunday. Steve Baggett will be the speaker for the day. We will have a covered dish lunch after Bible study, with the afternoon service at approximately 12:30. There will be no 6 pm service.

There will be a bridal shower for **Sara True**, bride elect of **Hunter Mayberry** Sunday, June 7th at 2:00 pm in the fellowship hall. They are registered at: theknot.com.

For several years, some of our young people have been taking care of the church sign. They are no longer able to do this. If you are interested in helping with keeping the sign updated, please see one of the elders.

The **Ladies' Bible Class** meets the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays at 6:00 pm in room 104.

The **Men's Prayer Breakfast** meets Tuesday mornings at 6:00 am in the **basement**.

If you enjoy **quilting**, several ladies meet each Thursday at 9:00 am in the basement to make quilts.



I want to thank our church family for the love and prayers during the loss of my brother, **Robert Cannon**. Thank you so much for the beautiful solar wind chimes, I love it so much. I am so blessed to be a part of this caring church family.

Gerry Loveless



Congratulations to **Dalton & Lizzie Barber** on the birth of their son, **Boone Scott Barber**, born Saturday at Dickson Horizon Hospital. Boone weighed 7 lbs. 6 oz and was 19" long. Proud grandparents are **Jerrie Wayne & Terri Barber**.

Congratulations to **Zach Bentley** on being named the new principal at Centerville Elementary for the 2026-2027 school year.

In Our Thoughts and Prayers

Members: Steve Baker (surgery postponed), Sharon Rochelle (had eye surgery recently), Glenda Newsom (home), Brenda Fly, Barbara Kelley, Jeff Rose, Yvonna Caillouet, Woody Woodruff, Amber McDonald, Dana McCaleb, Preston Rochelle, Dot Davidson, Gerry Loveless, Shelby Bates, Brandy Sullivan, Dave Davidson, Adam Lawson, Marlin & Barbara Lawson, Brenda Carroll, Sherrie Talley, Billy McCoy, Ed Sullivan, Rita Sullivan, Lelia Mae Poore, & Dorothy Weatherspoon

Friends & Family: Marty Mitchell (friend of the Bailey's-cancer), Lisa Bozeman (daughter of Dot Davidson), Cheryl Barringer (sister of Matthew Cozart), Davy Baker, Leroy Cannon, Brenda Kirk (mother of Tracy Edwards McCord), Linda Thomasson (grandmother of Dalton), Terry Hicks (St. Thomas Rehab), Tammy Boone, Frances McMeen (friend of Martha Butler-cancer), Mike Avery, Hayes Harrington (3-week-old nephew of Dannie George-Vanderbilt Children's hospital), Brenda Horner, Richie Spann (brother-in-law of Terri Barber), Hilda Atkinson (home), Doug Gardner (cancer), Gail Barber, Donald Brady, Tammy Wright, Amalia Rose Shaw, Regina Elkins, Kathryn Purcell, Randy Pitman, Dottie McClearn, Jimmy Rivers, Sunny Anglin, Mildred Rochelle, Edna Copley, Doug True, Linda Canady, Paul Harvill, Ronnie Carroll, Ryan Edwards, Willie Lawler, Pat Garrett, Cory Patterson, Carolyn Nash, Ila Faye Jenkins, Becky Carroll, Bryan Williams, Kevin Chandler, David Stewart & Donna Gaspard

Life Care: Bobby C. McCoy, Willie B Coates, Carolyn Phillips, Cynthia Butler

If you have a **prayer request**, please write it on a blue card and drop it in the wooden box in either foyer.

