## **UPCOMING ACTIVITIES**

#### VBS is coming SOON, and WE NEED YOUR HELP! Yes, YOU! This year's VBS is on July 29th though August 2<sup>nd</sup>. Dinner will be provided at 5:30 PM with VBS following



from 6:00-8:30 PM. We have all kinds of jobs during the week, and we can find an area for you to serve! Please sign up in the foyer or scan the following QR code to choose your top preferences for areas to help! THANK YOU IN ADVANCE

for helping with this outreach ministry!

#### We are doing some Spring Cleaning & Renovating in some of our youth classrooms in the back. If you are



interested in helping purchase items, you can scan the QR code below to access the Amazon Wishlist. If you'd like to contribute towards a larger item on the list or you prefer to contribute monetarily and have us purchase needed items, please see Stephanie Mayo. Thank you

We want to celebrate our graduates again this year. Please sign them up and write where they are graduating from on the bulletin board in the education wing. This is for our High School & College Graduates. Graduate Sunday will be June 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Our Bible Studies are going on our Summer break starting May 28th & May 29th. I've enjoyed the first part of '24 with those who have come and shared so much.

No Choir Practice tonight (5/19/24)

## SERVING SCHEDULES

Sunday School & Worship Services- Nurserv 5/19 **SS/Church:** Wendy Stancill & Abby Gaskins 5/26 **SS/Church:** Sheryl Scott & Wendy Tucker

**Communion Table** Mav: Greg Spain & Dan Black June: Johnny Pinner & Bill Staton

**Preparing Communion** May: Debra Staton June: Becky Ormond

**Unlock & Secure the Building** May: Bill Staton

Opening 5/26 Dan Black 6/02 WL

Prayer Request **Communion Med** 5/26 Brandon Jenkins 5/26 Johnny Pinner 6/02 A.J. Stancill 6/02 Eugene Hyde

June: NEED VOLUNTEER

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**Organist**: Mary Coburn

Sound System: Dewayne Woolard, Mark Scott, David Tucker, Eric Briley & Ian Garris

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For announcement videos, please call/text Stephanie Mayo at 919-427-1434 or contact Dewayne Woolard.



## **UPCOMING AT MPCC**

#### **SUNDAY**

9:30 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Worship Service 5:15 PM Choir Practice 5:00 PM Children's Services 6:30 PM Evening Service

**No Choir Practice tonight** 

**VBS 7/29 thru 8/02** 

MONDAY 7:00 PM Ladies Aid Meeting (2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month)

**Next Contemporary** Service is 6/02/24

## **TUESDAY**

10:00 AM Bible Study 7:00 PM Board Meeting (2nd Tuesday of each month)

#### WEDNESDAY

4:30 PM Youth Group 6:00 PM Kid's Group 6:00 PM Worship Leader Practice 7:00 PM Bible Study

As a reminder – please check doors before you leave the church building & remember to turn the

alarm on. Thank you

## **ORDER OF SERVICE**

CALL TO WORSHIP

"Church"

Worship Leaders

#### WELCOME

#### **PRAISE & WORSHIP**

"Better"	Screen
"Greater"	Screen
Children's Moment	Dewayne Woolard
Communion Meditation	Robert Pinner

## **Communion Music**

"Man Of Sorrows"

Communion (if you wish to partake of the Lord's Supper, please hold emblems & take in unison)

Please place your offering in plates as you exit after the service

**Prayer Requests** 

Tom LaBarbera

Screen

## **Musical Offering**

"Different"

Worship Leaders

Morning Message James 1:14 & 15 John Ormond

## "A Harmful Recipe"

	Hymn of Deci	sion	
The Jesus Way"			Screen
Closing Prayer			
Closing Hymn	"Different"	(ch)	Screen
Depart to Serve			* Please Stand

SERMON

#### Sermon: A Harmful Recipe

Text: James 1:14 & 15

Thesis: When The Ingredients Come Together Often Sin Is Birthed.

I. We Start With An Internal Desire To Do Wrong.

A. Some call this a sinful nature, but it is better described as flesh.

B. Knowledge of this internal weakness is important.

II. Now Add An Outward Enticement.

A. This is something true to its title.

B. The lure by itself is not enough.

III. We Succumb To Temptation And Sin Is The Result.

A. Sin is a deadly fruit.

B. Those who play with fire will be burned.

Conclusion: Now we know what brings sin into existence. When our internal source meets an external force we are on dangerous ground. But each of us still has a decision to make. May God empower us to make the right ones and not bear the fruit of this dangerous recipe. However, if you have, the anti-toxin is here and it's still strong enough for any who truly want it.

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Date: Speaker: Message Jitle: Passage:	Notes:	
Main Points: 1. 2. 3. 4.		
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## PRAYER CONCERNS 5/19/24

- 1 Family of Caroline Lupton
- 2 Family of Tonya Harper
- 3 Mike Horst on love & support praise he's walking
- 4 Jeff Garner bladder surgery 5/21
- 5 Earnest Moore 3 gran mal seizures, lethargic & dehydrated
- 6 Linwood Jenkins recovering from by-pass surgery
- 7 Spencer Padgett in hospital; weakness in legs possible in-patient physical therapy
- 8 Sahana Chapman fell during seizure leg swollen will test to see if broken
- 9 Gracie Bocanegra in Florida with strep
- 10 Elise Goddard newborn with Aperts Syndrome
- 11 Brent Hamilton stage 4 colon cancer
- 12 Becky Ormond hip surgery 6/27
- 13 Ryan Ellis moved to stepdown unit doing better
- 14 Donna Rice skin cancer removal 6/07
- 15 Hailey Walker unborn baby has concerns
- 16 Terri Coburn breast cancer
- 17 Jim Swart heart surgery to replace valves 5/22
- 18 Christy Carringer- massive heart attack amputated one leg & kidneys beginning to work again
- 19 Chelsey Parker had a miscarriage; having heart issues
- 20 Rhonda Oakes started chemo
- 21 Sherry Maurice @Duke getting tests results for liver transplant
- 22 Ben Davidson COPD
- 23 Bobby Manning home with cancer treatments
- 24 Dawn Smith recovering from back surgery
- 25 Wayne Harrell surgery to remove tumor in colon
- 26 Lee Shackleford started chemo
- 27 Malachi Banks 15 yr old needs kidney transplant
- 28 Amy Moore eye surgery & wrist surgery 5/22
- 29 Ashley Neilson breast cancer
- 30 Buddy Teel recovering from surgery on both eyes
- 31 Billy Dunn Sr throat procedure
- 32 Anna House breast cancer

# PRAYER CONCERNS continued 5/19/24

- 36 Darline Cole major neurocognitive disorder
- 37 Vickie Stalls kidney & diabetic issues
- 38 Shirley Gladson hospice
- 39 Martha & Ray Scott Alzheimers he's in a facility
- 40 Lucille Forbes tolerating radiation & chemo pills well
- 41 Ann Carraway pancreatic cancer/meds & radiation
- 42 Sheryl Galin vertigo issues
- 43 Leslie Jordan back for another scan in October
- 44 Asa Wishall doing better still waiting on test results
- 45 Jeremiah Gerrard chemo into Sept; awaiting scans
- 46 Mark James completed treatment having trouble eating
- 47 Aubrey Wayland tumor removed / chemo
- 48 Bob Barbour McGregor Downs rehab
- 49 Susan Kellogg back in the hospital
- 50 Mary Coburn endoscopy surgery upcoming
- 51 Eli Cook July follow up
- 52 James Gruber- hospital with congenital heart failure

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Our Church Leaders
Our Music Ministry

On-Going Prayers For Our Church Family

**Our Country** 

Our Youth Ministry Our Military Forces

If there are any updates for the existing prayer concerns, please let us know so we can make sure we have the most accurate updates on each person listed. You can email or text Debra Staton - statondp53@gmail.com or <u>252-717-3297</u> - with any updates or additions to our prayer concerns. Thank you!