

South Green Street Church of Christ

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Retirement Age

Retirement is an accomplishment to be celebrated! It is always a thrill to rejoice with those who have worked hard for many years and are now rightfully being honored and recognized. With the departure from a particular line of work comes the opportunity for both respite as well as new challenges.

Right here at South Green Street we have some who have just retired and a few who are anticipating doing so in the very near future. It is so great to see the bright expressions on their faces as they relate / anticipate the occasion of their retirement. You can't help but be excited with them.

This weekend, while spending time with Matt Cook, we teased each other about getting old. We talked about what life was like before kids and what it would be like once they were all out of the house. We talked about work and if we'd ever be able to retire...

But, as Allen has so often correctly pointed out, we know that there is no retirement age for Christians.

Whatever our age, God expects us to be serving others and living faithfully for Him.

Remember: There is an incredible amount of Scripture dedicated to aging / growing older. And, in fact, God says age is a GOOD THING! Age is a blessing!

- **Prov. 3:1-2** "My son, do not forget my teaching, but let your heart keep my commandments, for length of days and years of life and peace they will add to you."
The blessing of faithfulness and obedience was a long life. Age is a blessing.
- **1 Kings 3:14** "If you will walk in my ways, keeping my statutes and my commandments, as your father David walked, then I will lengthen your days."
His kingdom would last? Sure...but also him personally. Age is a blessing.
- **Genesis 15:15; 25:8** Abraham was promised and then blessed with a long life – he "died in a good old age, an old man and full of years"
This was God showing favor to Abraham – not punishment! Age is a blessing.

No one disputes that physical strength diminishes...this is the way God has made us! We were designed to age – to grow and to mature. (cf. 2 Cor. 4:16-5:5) But while the physical may diminish, spiritual strength can surge!

Pray to God and work to be a difference maker to younger generations! You are needed right now!

Don't look for excuses to avoid participation, look for opportunities to serve!

Let us join with Moses and plead with God that He will "teach us to number our days that we may get a heart of wisdom" (Ps. 90:12).

No matter what stage of life you find yourself in today, make the most of it! No matter what stage of life you find yourself in today, know that the choices you make today affect your life tomorrow.

Let us pray that God will allow us to live to a "good old age." If He should choose to bless us with a long life, let us remember that there is no retirement age.

Now...let's get to work!

--Bart

Ladies Bible Class

Ladies Bible Class will be held on Thursday, March 20, at 10:00 AM in the church basement.

Ladies Gathering

The Ladies Gathering for March is scheduled for Thursday evening, March 20, from 5:00-6:30. We will discuss Chapter 6. Check the Band app for the meal sign up. Contact Lauren Gibson should you have any questions.

Lads to Leaders

The ladies of the congregation are welcome to come and hear the girls' Lads to Leaders speeches and songs Sunday, March 30, at 4:00 in room 204.

High School Seniors

South Green will recognize our high school Seniors on Sunday, May 25. Please turn in names of graduates to Jeremy, Asa or to the church office as soon as possible.

Young N Heart

The Young N Heart are invited to embark on an evening of intrigue, deceit, and wrongdoing at the Full House Theatre. It's 1922 and you're there to audition for a part in the popular play "Tickle My Fancy". Yes, a whodunit dinner, #2 title: Murder Mystery of the Theatre. It all starts at 5:30 PM on Saturday, March 29, in the church basement. Please sign up by Sunday, March 23, to get a head count of those attending. The cost is \$10 per person to cover the meal. Sign up sheet is in the foyer. See John or Carol Weaver for additional information.

Community Soup Kitchen

South Green will prepare and serve the meal at the local Soup Kitchen on March 18. Scheduled to serve: Nancy Cline (leader), Lynn & Charlotte Beals, Scott Bradford, Brandi Clark, Roger Cline, Karen Drake, Nichole, Elijah, Levi, Daniel, Isaiah and Josiah Franklin, Teresa Hapney, Crystal Norris, Tony & Melissa Shirley and Lynn Vick.

Pantry

Items needed for the pantry: canned fruit, 5 oz cans tuna, instant oatmeal— individual packets, breakfast bars and crackers.

Taylor Christian Camp

Camper applications are now available for TCC 2025. The dates are June 8-13. Staff members who have not filled out their background and medical forms should contact Jeremy. The next staff meeting will be held Saturday, March 22, at 10:00 at the South Green St. church of Christ.

TCC Donations

A list of donations needed for our upcoming week of camp has been posted in the basement. Please see the list to sign up. This list will have the amount/sizes needed. Please see Jeremy Prichard or Nancy Denham should you have any questions.

Area Events

- Gospel Meeting-Center church of Christ-March 27-30-Tyler Alverson, speaker-6:30 PM Thurs-Sun
- Gospel Meeting-Poplar Log church of Christ-April 6-9-Robby Eversole, speaker-Monday-Wednesday services begin at 7PM
- Why Jesus? Because Life is Tougher Without Him!-Eight Sessions-Saturday, April 12-Cave City Conference Center-10:00 AM-6:00 PM-Speakers include—Dennis Hogan, Hiram Kemp, Bart Warren, Matt Ashby, Allen Jones, Wayne Hatcher, W. Tom Hall and Darrell Wallace

Family Matters

Prayer List

- Gibson Arnold, 185 Park Boundary Rd., Smiths Grove, KY 42171
- Frenchie Belcher, 78 Temple Hill Rd., Glasgow
- Shirley Birge, will undergo back surgery on March 20, 34 Circle Rd., Glasgow
- Dorothy Brake, 300 Westwood St., Rm 34, Glasgow
- Steve Brown, 105 Wingate Ave., Glasgow
- Terry & Debbie Bunnell, 343 Winners Circle, Glasgow
- Shirley Coffey, 300 Westwood St., Glasgow
- Suzie Dove, 361 Dunedin Way, Glasgow
- Judy Dugger, 180 Scottie Dr., Apt. 152, Glasgow
- Gary Edmunds 5899 Old Bowling Green Rd., Glasgow
- Jeff Edwards, son of Anna Edwards, 308 Circle Springs Dr., Glasgow
- JB & Kathleen Emberton, 119 Robin Dr., Glasgow
- Suzanne Fant, NHC, P.O. Box 247, Glasgow, KY 42142
- Sherry Furlong, 130 Longhunters Trail, Glasgow
- Debbie Gray, 2341 Old Munfordville Rd., Glasgow
- Tish Gumm, 350 Paul Bastien Lane, Glasgow
- Karen Kerney, 3958 Roseville Rd., underwent surgery last week
- Michelle Kingrey, family of Fran McCracken and Bonnie Estes, 38 Oakwood Dr., Blue Ridge, GA 30513
- Jeffrey Lynn Lile, brother of Sonya Hogue, 447 Lanny Harlow Rd., Hardyville, KY 42746
- Virginia Neville, 104 Ridgecrest, Glasgow
- Sherri Perkins, 1081 Dripping Springs Rd., Glasgow
- Billy Pritchard, 117 Douglas Dr., Glasgow
- Fred Proffitt, 307 Hall St., Glasgow
- Lenneth Rich, SKY Rehab in Bowling Green, 1300 Campell Lane, Bowling Green, KY 42104
- Ed Spear, 1038 Poplar Springs Rd., Glasgow
- Jean Stephens, 480 Hollis Thomas Rd., Glasgow
- Debbie Turner, 112 Country Lane, Glasgow
- Mike Williams, 4556 Old Bowling Green Rd., Glasgow
- Erica Wilson, 205 Marion Dr., Glasgow

Additional Prayer Requests

- Tony Appleby, son-in-law of Mike & Kathy Williams
- Catherine Bagby, mother of Robert Bagby
- Melissa Brown, daughter of a friend of Betty & Mark Green
- Maria Bryant, coworker of Sonya Hogue
- Jeff Burd, nephew of Karen Kerney
- Jim Creech, brother-in-law of Freda Dugger
- Jessica Durham, granddaughter of Billy & Patty Brown and niece of Janet Harp & Bethany Matthews
- Roy Fox, family of Norma Redford and Sherry Furlong
- Pat Green, friend of Jewel Searcy
- Jim Gregory, friend/coworker of Jeffrey & Sonya Hogue
- Mark Hanstein, father of Laura Warren
- Jason Hapney, son of Gary & Teresa Hapney
- Cathy Holley, friend of Sonya Hogue
- Tom Hughes, friend of Tony & Melissa Shirley

- Mark Isenberg, brother of Lloyd Isenberg
- Denise Jackson, friend of Don & Peggy Nims
- Roy Lanier, grandfather of Laura Warren
- Marjorie Palmore, mother of Kim Palmore
- Marty Pennington, friend of Don & Peggy Nims
- Natalie Philbeck, friend of Mike & Charlotte Pruitt
- Judie Pitcock, mother of Amy Gill
- Kim Smith, sister of Tony Shirley
- Margie Smith, friend of Sandra Kidd
- Greg Stevens, friend/coworker of Sonya Hogue
- Jennifer Stump, friend of Freda Dugger
- Bart & Holly Tarrigin, great niece of Covella Hare
- Denis Tarry, uncle of Tarry Lockett
- Kim Turner, friend of Angie Kessler
- Charles Tyler, father of Karen Drake
- Larry Williams, friend of Tommy Gumm
- Susan Williams, friend of Frenchie Belcher
- Betty Wright, sister-in-law of Becky Speer

Sympathy

We express our sympathy to the friends and family of Betty Garmon. She passed away on March 12. Funeral services were conducted Saturday at the Ballou & Stotts Funeral Home in Burkesville. Betty was the sister-in-law of Covella Hare.

Young Men's Night

All young men who have been baptized and are interested in leading worship on young men's night are encouraged to meet in the basement for practice on Sunday, March 23rd at 4:00pm. Should you have any questions, please see Jeremy or Asa.

For The Record

Sunday Morning Attendance.....	407
Sunday Contribution <i>week of March 9</i>	\$13,305.00
2025 Weekly Budget.....	\$13,547.69
2025 Weekly Average <i>week of March 9</i>	\$13,575.07

Responses Year To Date

Baptisms	2
Prayer Requests	2
Placing Membership	4

Deacons in Charge	Zac Turner
.....	Tarry Lockett
Song Leader/Welcome	Patrick Wright
Opening Prayer	Joe Prichard
Scripture Reading	Jet Warren
Lesson	Bart Warren
Presiding at the Table	Andrew Drake
Serve Communion (Auditorium)	Mark Bowman
.....	Jimmy Lowe
.....	Roger Cline
.....	Raymond Utzman
.....	Rob Garmon
.....	David Alls
Serve Communion (Balcony).....	Kevin Redford
.....	Danny Johnson
.....	Carter Alls
Serve Communion (Basement)	Shannon England
.....	Jimmy Smith
Closing Remarks	Frankie McCoy
.....	Leland Glass
Dismissal Prayer	Terry Bunnell
Ushers	Ronnie Turner
.....	Gary Groce
Pick Up Cards	Bo Bishop
.....	Jeremiah Franklin
Control Room	Brandon Turner
.....	Mike Burress
Bus Driver	Hunter Clark

Song Leader/Welcome	Patrick Wright
Opening Prayer.....	Marcus Franklin
Lesson	Bart Warren
Presiding at the Table.....	Asa Jones
Dismissal Prayer.....	Nickolas Dubree

Announcements.....	Bart Warren
Song Leader	Robbie Fudge
Opening Prayer.....	John Weaver
Lesson	Bart Warren
Dismissal Prayer	Tommy Vick

If you are unable to serve, please contact one of the Deacons in Charge

Elders

Mark Bowman	Tommy Gumm
Scott Bradford	Frankie McCoy
Robbie Fudge	Jackie Perkins
Leland Glass	

Ministers

Bart Warren—Pulpit Minister
Allen Jones—Associate Minister

Deacons

Robert Bagby	Jeremy Prichard
David Gray	Joe Prichard
Allen Jones	Brandon Turner
Christian Kaumanns	Zac Turner
Tarry Lockett	John Weaver
Chris Page	Patrick Wright

Church Information

Search Information

Bart's Email bart@sgcofc.com
Allen's Email allen@sgcofc.com
Nancy's Email nancy@sgcofc.com

Worship Times

Sunday Morning Bible Class	9:30 a.m.
Sunday A.M. Worship.....	10:30 a.m.
Sunday P.M.	5:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening Devo	6:30 p.m.

The following services are livestreamed on our website:

Sunday 10:30 A.M.

Sunday 5:00 P.M.

Wednesday Devo 6:30 P.M.

