

East Hill News

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*You Are Always
Invited To
Worship With Us*

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Sunday

Bible Classes 9:30 AM
Worship 10:30 AM
Worship 6:00 PM

Wednesday

Bible Classes 7:00 PM

Truth ⁱⁿ Love

Annual Lectureship

(Hosted by the East Hill Church of Christ,
Third week in May)

Elders

Joe Christopher
Joe Cooper
Johnny Jackson

Preachers

Robert Hatfield
Paul Sain



WKSJ • FM 98.3
Sunday
8:00 AM

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*East Hill Church of Christ ~ A place where Jehovah is exalted, Jesus Christ is
Savior, the Bible is respected,
Christians love one another and heaven is our final goal.*

“There is something better than...”

Satan has been a powerful force throughout the history of man on earth. He convinced Eve to eat of the fruit from a tree that God has said, *“Thou shalt not eat...”* (Gen. 2-3). Achan took of the accursed thing (Josh. 7:1ff). King Saul did not utterly destroy the Midianites (as God had commanded) (1 Sam. 15). Judas betrayed Jesus Christ (Luke 22). Demas forsook the Lord and the righteous way, for the love of the world (2 Tim. 4:10).

Tragically, there are many today (the 21st century) that continue to fall for the lies and deception of Satan and cease following the Saviour of all mankind. The devil still employs the lust of the flesh, lust of the eyes and the pride of life (1 John 2:15-17) to tempt and ensnare any and all to follow him. Satan is powerful, our adversary (1 Peter 5:8). He will lie, deceive, distort truth or whatever is necessary to convince you to follow him.

Satan promises great things – but he can NOT deliver! He convinces many if they will follow him, they will have peace and happiness – but instead unrest and tragedy result. Today so many have been convinced that *“one way is as good as another”* • *“worship is acceptable regardless of what we do”* • *“creed books of men are just as saving as the Bible”* • *“live however you desire, sin can be forgiven”* • *“get all the pleasure in life possible”* • *“serve any and every god”* • *“divorce is OK for any reason”* • *“think only of #1”* • *“if someone does you wrong, strike back”* and a variety of similar attitudes and mind sets.

Friends, God's way is better. God's way will bring true peace and happiness. Joy and salvation is found **ONLY** in following the way of righteousness. **“THERE IS SOMETHING BETTER THAN...”** the way of Satan and his followers. God can deliver. God is faithful and has always kept His promises. Our all-powerful Heavenly Father loves us and wants nothing but good for us (James 1:17).

May we have the wisdom to chose wisely – the determination to reject the false claims of the devil – the strength to continue following the righteous way – the resolve to live every day with the grand assurance that one day we will live in heaven. Yes, **“there is something better here and now – but especially forever in heaven with our Father and Saviour!”**

~ Paul Sain

Some Things You Will Never Regret

In the spring of 1976 Ron Wayne did some freelance work for a new computer company, and he was offered a 10% stake in the company in exchange for that work. Twelve days later, he gave up that stake in the company, asking to receive payment instead. He received \$800 for his work. That new computer company was Apple Computer. His ten percent stake in the company today would be worth approximately **32 billion dollars!** Do you think in the last thirty plus years that Mr. Wayne ever regretted not taking that 10% stake? I am sure that, if we thought about it, we would all say that we have some regrets in our lives.

However, there are some things that you will never regret. For instance...

- **Making spiritual things a priority** (Matt. 6:33).
- **Studying your Bible more** (2 Tim. 2:15).
- **Spending more time in prayer** (1 Thess. 5:17).
- **Giving to the Lord** (Acts 20:35).
- **Confessing sin** (Psm. 32:5).
- **Visiting someone who is sick or shut-in** (Matt. 25:36).
- **Showing kindness to someone in need** (Col. 3:12).
- **Being a good example for others** (1 Tim. 4:12).
- **Saving yourself for marriage** (1 Thess. 4:1-5).
- **Remaining faithful to your spouse** (Heb. 13:4).
- **Refusing to destroy someone's reputation through gossip** (1 Tim. 5:13).
- **Saying "I'm sorry" when you've hurt someone** (Col. 3:13).
- **Refusing to do something that is wrong** (1 Peter 4:1-5).
- **Doing something you know is right** (James 4:17).
- **Inviting someone to church** (Acts 10:24).
- **Telling someone what they need to do to be saved** (Acts 11:14).
- **Standing up for God's Word** (1 Kings 22:14).

May God help us to wisely chart our daily course in a righteous way. May we live every moment as if our Lord and Saviour was by our side. May we treat others as if they were our best friend. May we live every day as if it were our last – it could be!

(Adapted from article written by Joe Williams)

Phrases Our Grandmother Might Have Spoken

A mother becomes a true grandmother the day she stops noticing the terrible things her children do because she is so enchanted with the wonderful things her grandchildren do.

Just about the time a woman thinks her work is done, she becomes a grandmother.

Grandmas never run out of hugs or cookies.

Get a move on, or you'll be late for your own funeral.

Few things are more delightful than grandchildren fighting over grandmother's lap.

You put the "grand" in grandmother.

There's no place like home – except Grandmas.

Those To Serve

Please meet in room 101 after Bible Study. If late, an alternate will take your place.
If you cannot serve, please call Jimmy Alsup at 363-7936.

May 20th

Announcements Jimmy Alsup
Song Leader Robert Hatfield
Reading..... Rickie Britton
Opening Prayer Mark Woodard
Sermon..... Lectureship
Closing Prayer Steve Alsup

Preside At Lord's Table

Nathan Hale • David Stampfly

Serve:

Casey Cardin • Joe Christopher • Gilbert Jenkins
Jon Jackson • Robert Orr • Ronald Story
Garrison Wright (N)

Alternates:

Robert Brindley. • Rickie Britton • Richard Kelley

Sunday Evening

Opening Prayer..... Johnny Jackson
Reading Larry Thomason
Sermon Lectureship
Preside..... Thomas Wells
Closing Prayer..... Willard Carr
Song Leader Paul Sain
Sound (AM & PM)..... Richard Kelley

Wednesday Evening

Opening Prayer..... Larry Hamlett
Reading Joe Cooper
Offer Invitation Robert Hatfield
Closing Prayer..... Chris Cooper
Song Leader..... Charles Ball

Greeters: Ronalddy Story & Troy Whitworth

Jimmy & Nancy Alsup

Fill Trays – Chris & Beth Cooper

Clean Trays – Jack & Elizabeth Sisk

Attendance Cards – Bryce & Connor

Communion Cups – Lindsey, Caitlin & Briar

Baptismal Garments – Barbara Williams

Van Drivers:.....20th, AM..... Robert Brindley Jr.

20th, PM..... Lynn Garner

23rd, PM Lynn Garner

Ivy Crest: Jason Musgrove.....Prayer

Joel Orton..... Genesis 37:3-11

May 27th

Announcements Larry Hamlett
Song Leader Paul Sain
Reading..... Paul Young
Opening Prayer Jason Musgrove
Sermon..... Robert Hatfield
Closing Prayer Joe Cooper

Preside At Lord's Table

Lynn Garner • Jon Jackson

Serve:

Charles Ball • Bobby Coggin • Glen Garner
Johnny Jackson • Joel Orton • Eddie Williams
Tony Creecy (N)

Alternates:

Joe Colvett • David Stampfly • Troy Whitworth

Sunday Evening

Opening Prayer..... Paul Young
Reading Robert Clark
Sermon Paul Sain
Preside..... Jimmy Alsup
Closing Prayer..... Richard Kelley
Song Leader..... Robert Hatfield
Sound (AM & PM)..... Rickie Britton

Wednesday Evening

Opening Prayer..... Thomas Wells
Reading Jim Calahan
Offer Invitation Paul Sain
Closing Prayer..... Joe Christopher
Song Leader..... Joe Cooper

Greeters: K. Whitworth & C. Turner

Charles & Linda Ball

Fill Trays – Joe & Susan Cooper

Clean Trays – Carol Minatra & Mary Morrow

Attendance Cards – Garrison & Riley

Communion Cups – Steffany, Bryce & Garrison

Baptismal Garments – Barbara Williams

Van Drivers:.....27th, AM..... Steve Alsup

27th, PM..... Richard Kelley

30^h, PM..... Gilbert Jenkins

Ivy Crest: David Stampfly Prayer

Ronald Story Acts 6:8; 7:1-2, 51-60

East Hill's
News & Notes



Area-Wide
Sister congregations – please let us know of your planned activities and we will include them in this listing

WELCOME – We are honored to have visitors with us. If we can assist in any way, please let us know. If you have questions, feel free to ask. Thanks for coming our way – we hope to see you again!

AREA-WIDE SINGING – May 25th at the County Line Church of Christ in Lawrenceburg, TN, 7:00 PM.

FINAL PREPARATIONS – Lord willing, the 22nd Annual **Truth In Love** Lectureship will begin in a few hours. Considerable activity demonstrates the interest of many in final preparations and clean-up for this series. A special exhortation: always make **every visitor** feel welcome and special. They are our guests. Remember, the Lord said, we “*entertain angels unaware.*”

BLOOD DRIVE – The next opportunity you have to donor “*life-giving*” blood is May 21st at the Pulaski Recreation Center (beginning at noon).

THANK YOU – I want your congregation to know how much all the cards and prayers have meant to me. I am responding well to chemo and expect to be out of the hospital within a few weeks. The outpatient treatment will last for several more months, so please keep me on the prayer list. It’s working! Thank you,
Jacque Merritt Davis

Dear East Hill Christians, I want to thank all of you for the many cards I have received since my illness, all of your prayers and every act of kindness. You just don’t know how much it means to me. I love all of you, In Christian Love,
Dora Wells

MEMORIALS – The following have made contributions to the C. W. Hart Scholarship Fund at the Memphis School of Preaching:

Millis and Carolyn Brown in memory of
Joyce Brown

Pam Pigg in memory of **Helen Booth**

DIANA SINGING – The opportunity of singing with thousands of Christians will soon be here – Friday and Saturday evening – June 8th-9th

Be sure and mark your calendars and attend if possible.

Truth In Love Lectureship

May 16-20

Theme: “*There Is Something Better!*”

Summer Bible School @ East Hill

Tuesday & Thursday 9:00–11:00 AM

Entire month of June

Theme: “*Walking God’s Way*”

Vacation Bible School @ East Hill

July 15-19

Theme: “*A Walk Through The Life Of Jesus*”

**UPCOMING
RADIO PROGRAMS**

Sunday Mornings • 8:00-8:30 • WKSJ 98.3fm
Study God’s Word with Paul and Robert

May 20th
“*Back To Basics –
Worship As God
Has Authorized*”

Bible Class Schedule

As we continue **Studying Through The Bible:**
SUN. (May 20th) **LECTURES** –&– WED. (May 23rd) – **3 W**

ADULT CLASSES

Sunday Keys of the New Testament, #42 (Auditorium)
Sunday Improving Our Giving (Rm. 15)
Wednesday Bible Reading Plan: Job 1–31

DEACONS

At The East Hill Church Of Christ

Steve Alsup	Charles Gulley
Rickie Britton	Nathan Hale
Willard Carr	Joel Orton
Robert Clark	Dave Stampfly
Bobby Coggin	Mark Woodard
Tony Creecy	