



385 Mt. Zion church Road, Bowling Green, KY 42101

Serving in Worship

Bible Study Prayer: David Eadens (Charles Bolton)

Welcome: Ryan Barrick (Steve Croslin)

Prayer: Jerry Stahl (Allen Stewart)

Scripture Reading: Steve Croslin "John 6:53-60"

Message: David Eadens "Hard to Take"

Communion:

Jerry Willis (center) (Greg Barrick)

Bret Barrick (Bob Hardin)

Josh Hicks (Greg Sandidge)

Jimmy Myers (s) (Dylan Sandidge) s

Prayer: Richard Arnold (Steve Lyons)

Attendance: Greg Sandidge (Jerry Stahl)

(s) denotes silent on the Lord's Table

He Wants You!

Making the decision to become a Christ follower is one of the biggest and most important decisions one will make in their life. It is not a decision to take lightly. Jesus warns us to count the cost before following Him. The cost is your life. A christian's life is no longer their own, but is for Christ. For one to be saved, added to the Lord's church and identified as a Christian, the Bible tells us one must:

- Hear the Word of God ([Rom. 10:17](#)).
- Have faith in God ([Heb. 11:6](#)).
- Repent of your sins ([2 Cor. 7:10](#)).
- Confess your faith in Christ ([Rom. 10:9,10](#)).
- Be baptized for the remission of your sins ([Acts 2:38](#); [Mark 16:16](#)).

After one becomes a Christian, they must continue to live faithfully to God. Your salvation can be canceled if the costs were not counted before becoming a Christian. Some keys to living faithfully include:

- Regularly attend the services of the church ([Acts 20:7](#); [Heb. 10:25](#)).
- Worship God in spirit and in truth ([John 4:24](#) [Col. 3:17](#)).
- Pray frequently ([1 Thess 5:17](#); [James 5:16](#)).
- Develop good qualities of your character ([Gal. 5:22,23](#); [Eph. 6:13-18](#); [Phil. 4:8](#); [2 Pet. 1:5-8](#)).

Church Information

Assemblies:

Sunday Bible Study	10 am
Sunday Morning Worship	11 am
Sunday Evening Worship	6 pm
Wednesday Evening Bible Study	7 pm

Leadership:

Elder: Greg Barrick	270-991-4521
Elder & Pulpit Minister: David Eadens	270-777-3786
Elder: Greg Sandidge	270-202-8466
Deacon: Jerry Stahl	270-777-8978
Deacon: Steve Croslin	270-202-6315
Deacon: Steve Lyons	270-991-2495
Youth Minister: Ryan Barrick	270-991-4520

Praises for Him

Leader: Conner Hurd

24 Anywhere is Home (v. 1 & 3)

737 What a Day That Will Be (all verses)

56 Bringing in the Sheaves (all verses)

732 Heaven Came Down (v. 1 & 3)

299 I Have Decided to Follow Jesus (all verses)

536 The Old Rugged Cross (v. 3)

119 Father Along (v. 1, 2 & 3)

Leader Next Sunday: Brad Joyner

Today's Message: Hard to Take

John 6:53-60

1. Sell all, follow me
2. Few find it
3. Keep my commandments
4. Saved in the church
5. Jesus is head
6. Not worthy
7. Punishment is eternal

Baptism

We're excited to announce that **Jordan Turner** made the decision on Monday to be baptized for the remission of sins. We welcome him as the newest member at Mt. Zion and hope to encourage him in his spiritual journey. Please take time to show him the love of the church today.

Ark Encounter Details

Our date for the trip to see the Noah's ark replica is early Saturday morning August 27. There will be sign up sheets the next 2 weeks & you pay at the door.

We need an idea of interest level & please feel free to invite family & friends as we have made a bus trade arrangement with Lehman Avenue. We have 45 bus seats available. Those needing a wheel chair should go too. There are some \$10 wheel chair rentals there, but it is advisable to find a wheel chair if possible and load into the back of bus & we will take turns pushing those in need. It takes a few hours to walk thru the whole ark, which is 40 miles north of Lexington.

Prices are: 60 & above-\$31, 13-59-\$40, 5-12-\$28, under 5 free, plus 6% tax.

Prayer Requests

- **Jeff Zeigler** will be having thyroid surgery on August 5th & will see a surgeon on August 17th to set a date for arm surgery.
- **Mary Zeigler** will have an MRI Friday for headaches from neck cartilage damage & surgery is being considered.
- **Gale Pruett** was to visit a cardiologist at VA hospital last week.
- **Cameron Martin**, a friend to Nicholas Basham injured a ligament in his knee this week that will take 4-6 weeks to recover.
- **Tommy Davenport** is checking into Vanderbilt today in preparation for the August 5th bone marrow transplant. His donor and sister, Evon Hymer, will be checked in later.
- **Chris Conken**, Greg Barrick's 41 year old non-smoking first cousin in Mobile, AL, was determined to need a portion of his other lung removed soon.
- **Franklin Copas**, father of Beverly Joyner, fell and laid in a field yesterday for around five hours.

Upcoming Events

- TODAY **Songs of Praise Service** at 6 pm followed by a men's business meeting.
- Aug. 21 **Breakfast** in the all-purpose room beginning at 9:15am
- Aug. 27 **Ark Encounter** museum trip to Williamstown, KY.

MTZYG Events

- MONDAY **SYS** at South Green St. beginning at 7 pm with Reed Swindle.
- THURSDAY **TNT** at Richardsville Park - Kickball from 6:30 - 8:30.
- July 30 **Youth Rally at Big Reedy** Armor Up beginning at 9 am
- July 31 **Youth Night** at 6 pm. Young men of the congregation will help lead the worship service. Speaker: Randy Wells of Alvaton church of Christ. The young ladies will help serve a meal following the assembly. Meal theme: Italian.
- Aug. 20 **Shine Youth Rally** at Three Forks coc beginning at 9 am with Neil Mathis.
- Nov. 4-6 **Fall Youth Retreat** at Lake Barkley for grades 4th grade & up. Theme: Act Justly, Love Mercy, Walk Humbly (Micah 8).

Bus Driver Rotation

- **Today:** Greg Barrick
- **July 31:** Greg Sandidge

Last TNT of the Summer

Thursday night will be the last TNT of the summer. Currently the plan is to play kickball from 6:30-8:30 at Richardsville Park. We're also going to grill out hotdogs. Adults and youth are welcome to come and play this week. If anyone has a charcoal grill they'd be willing to bring, please let Ryan Barrick know. Also, if anyone would like to volunteer to bring chips, plates, canned drinks or any other sides, it would be appreciated.

Youth Rally - Big Reedy Christian

There will be a youth rally held on Saturday at Big Reedy Christian Camp beginning at 9 am. Speakers are Steven Hunter (Glendale Road) and Scott Ballard (Birdwells Chapel). The theme is "Armor Up". Lunch will be provided. Please let Ryan know by Monday if you will be attending.

SHINE Youth Rally - Sign-ups

A sign-up has been posted in the Welcome Hall for anyone wishing to attend the Shine Youth Rally on Sat. Aug. 20 at Three Forks church of Christ beginning at 9 am. Sign-up by July 31 in order to receive a free t-shirt. Please do not sign-up for a t-shirt unless you're committed to attending.

1 Year Bible

PLAN THIS WEEK...

7/24	Ecclesiastes 1-4
7/25	Ecclesiastes 5-8
7/26	Ecclesiastes 9-12
7/27	Song of Solomon
7/28	Isaiah 1-4
7/29	Isaiah 5-8
7/30	Isaiah 9-12

Song Leader Rotation

- **7/30:** Brad Joyner
- **8/7:** Gabe Willoughby
- **8/14:** Steve Croslin
- **8/21:** Greg Sandidge
- **8/28:** Ryan Barrick
- **9/4:** Conner Hurd

Birthdays & Anniversaries

- 25 Lori Gray
- 25 Gina Brandon
- 26 Bailey Wahl
- 26 Debbie Lyons
- 29 Haley Lyons
- 30 Lynn Barrick
- 31 Bridget Evans

24 Greg & Lynn Barrick

Sunday School Collection

as of 6/26/16

Nursery \$45
 Beginner: \$39.26
 Primary \$19.44
 Intermediate \$15
 Teens \$2
 TOTAL **\$120.70**

Duties

Building Cleaning & Lord's Supper Preparation: **Gina Brandon & Carol Sandidge**
 Door Greeting: **See bulletin board**

Bible Study Opportunities

- Nursery (Infant - 3 yr.) - Anita Sandidge - **The ABC's thru the Bible**
- Beginners (4 yr. - K) - Crystal Young - **Acts of the Apostles**
- Primary (1st-3rd Grade) - Michelle Willis - **Adventures in Acts**
- Intermediate (4th-6th Grade)- Jerry Stahl - **Being a Christian**
- Youth Group (7th-12th Grade) - Ryan Barrick - **Life of David**
- Adult Class (any adult) - Bret Barrick - **Construction in Progress**
- Adult Class (any adult) - David Eadens - **Acts**

Wednesdays

- Pre-K/Kindergarten - Anita Sandidge
- Youth Group (6th-12th) - Ryan Barrick - **Exodus**
- Adults - David Eadens - **Esther**

Year Round

- Read the Bible through in 2016.

Help Needed

- There remains one vacant month for 2016 for building cleaning and Lord's Supper preparation. Two months remain for door greeting. Please sign-up on the bulletin board in you would be willing.
- 4th Quarter Bible teachers are needed. Please sign-up on the bulletin board.