

**DO NOT BE DECEIVED!**

Brian Jarrett

Honesty and truth are valued. Dishonesty distorts and damages. Examples of innocent, neutral, and harmful:

BIBLE has about 152 occurrences of 15 English words. Deception as old as Eden in Genesis 3. In NT, the phrase "(do) not be deceived" appear 5 times. Ancient warning with modern applications.

- 1. False Christs** Luke 21:8(Matt. 24:5,23-25; Mark 13:6, 21-23)
  - Jesus called a 'deceiver' in John 7:12 and Matt. 27:63-64
  - Satan called a 'deceiver' in Rev. 12:9; 20:3,8,10 Which is phony?
- 2. Failure To Reach the Kingdom** 1 Cor. 6:9-10
  - How we live determines where we go. Tendencies to minimize, rationalize, redefine, refine, or defend sins do not change God's Word. Another deception: Our sins forfeit God's forgiveness.
- 3. Friends That Corrupt** 1 Cor. 15:33
  - Context of a 'this-life-is-all-there-is' worldview. Pleasure principle
  - Friends are a HUGE part of life, but not all are helpful or encouraging in the right ways. Seek friends helping you seek God!
- 4. Fleshly Harvests** Gal. 6:7
  - Carnal and spiritual are always at war. Devil wants us to play both sides. Compromise with the flesh = contempt for the Father!
- 5. Foundation of Temptation** James 1:16
  - From God? No From Satan? Yes, but ultimately me!
  - James 1:17-18 - God is, God is Good, God is giving good gifts!



(Gallatin, TN 37066 unless noted otherwise)

Please send cards to let these know we are praying for them:

E.B. Wilson High School Staff  
685 East Main St

Guild Elementary School Staff  
1018 S Water Avenue

Please give Doyle the names of any person or group in our community that could use some encouragement or celebration.



HARTSVILLE PIKE CHURCH OF CHRIST

August 22, 2021

Please complete an attendance card  
& put on end of pew.

PRAYER REQUESTS

MEMBERS

**Beatrice Brown**, having some health issues and request our continued prayers  
**Sarah Foreman**, had revision knee surgery Monday. Surgery went well, she has been dismissed from hospital and is now at home.

**Steve Gregory**, pray for his health and life circumstances he's dealing with.

**Ernestine Jones**, was dismissed to home on Friday.

**Shelli Martin**, stress test was normal; ALS trial at Vanderbilt set to begin in a couple of weeks!!

**Elizabeth Womack**, Gallatin Center for Rehab & Healing, Room 417, 438 N. Water Ave. (no visitors at the facility) She has several serious medical issues as well as a broken hip from a fall. Surgery went well.

FAMILY/FRIENDS

**David Beard**, brother of **Mitzi Howell**, COVID

Danelle and Nick Hall's baby, **King James Hall**, is in Vanderbilt Medical Center. He is up to 3 lbs 3 oz. and was to have surgery on his intestines last week.

**Carolyn Holder**, cousin of **Ella Smith**, health issues

**Twyla McKee**, mother of Mark McKee (elder at Old Union), is home and getting stronger. Friends of Danny & Rosie. Thanks for your prayers.

**James Morris**, brother of **Sarah Foreman**, doctors found medication for his eyes. Doing much better. See doctor again next week for checkup.

**Eddie Robinson**, cousin of **Ron Schmittou**, COVID, is at home in Lebanon, TN now and has been told to expect recovery to happen over the next 2 months.

**Shelton Smith**, grandson of **Eric and Sarah Foreman**, is back in the hospital. He is hurting in both legs due to Sickle Cell.

**Jerry Vandercook**, step father of **Shelli Martin and Lori Hall**, is now at home.

SYMPATHY

Please keep **Jacqueline Johnson** and her family, in your prayers at the passing of her husband, Kevin Johnson. Jacqueline is the niece of **Kathy Brewington**. Jacqueline, her son Tommy, and mom Donna Hall attended HP in the past. Funeral was Monday. Jacqueline's address is 473 S Tunnel Rd

to **Jenny Rominger** at the sudden passing of her brother, and to **Libby & Walker Rominger** on the loss of their uncle, **Terry Williams**. Funeral was Wednesday.

SEE MONDAY'S N&N'S OR CALL OFFICE FOR COMPLETE PRAYER LIST



## HARTSVILLE PIKE HAPPENINGS

- TODAY** - PM Lesson by Brian on Facebook
- WEDNESDAY** - classes for all ages @ 6:30 pm  
- PM Lesson on Facebook @ 6:30 pm  
- Youth Meeting after class in A104
- THURSDAY** - Ladies Bible Class, @ 9:30 am in A106
- SUNDAY** - Bible Class at 9:30 am  
- Worship at 10:30 am

**DEVO WITH DOYLE** each morning (M-F) on Facebook and YouTube.

## YOUTH NEWS

**WEDNESDAY NIGHTS- The Chosen** (Season 2) viewing at 6:30 pm in A104.

Discussion to follow. All ages are welcome.

**MEETING** for youth parents & anyone interested in helping with the youth program after class Wednesday night in A104. Bible Curriculum is the main topic.

## SUNDAY NIGHTS

We are beginning a new format on Sunday nights. We will meet on the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday nights of each month at 5:00pm.

**Sept 5- Sunday Night for the Savior**, a service focused night the first Sunday night of each month.

**September 19- Supper & Singing**

## THANK YOU FROM

**Beatrice Brown. Sarah Foreman**

**Ray Schoonover**

**Gladys Swan** is thankful for her birthday cards

**Jerry & JoAnn Vandercook**

## CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to **Jim & Lila Chaffin** and **Alpha Woodard** on the birth of their great grandson, **John Tate Ricks**. Proud parents are Chelsea and Taylor. Big brother, Grayson. Proud grandparents are Sherry & Kenny Chaffin. John Tate was born August 8, weighing 7 lbs, 15 oz & is 19 1/2" long.



Congratulations to **Tucker Carter**, on graduating from Tennessee Tech, with a degree in Business Management!

Tucker is the son of **Brian & Suzanne Carter** and the grandson of **Jamie Sidwell** and **Ray & Betty Carter**.



## OTHER NEWS AND NOTES

**NEW CONTACT INFO** **Namon Pope**, 1775 East Broadway Alley, Gallatin  
**J.D. Cantrell**, 227 Daniel Circle, Collinwood, TN 38450, cell # 615-561-9387.  
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**AGAPE** has opened a satellite office at the Portland Church of Christ and are looking for an office coordinator. If you are interested, please call the HP office.

**NEW WEBSITE** Check out our new website **thepike.org**. It is still under construction, as we continue to update and add new content.

**SUNDAY BULLETIN:** We have begun emailing the Sunday bulletin on Saturday morning. It will show up from "The Church Office". To access the complete bulletin, click on "click here to view the full archives". That will take you to the archives page where you will be able to view the complete bulletin. If you haven't received the email the past 2 Saturdays, first check your spam/junk folder. If you still can't locate it, contact the office.

**WEDNESDAY LADIES' CLASS** This class is open to any women. It is a Bible study—our class book is The Daily Bible (NIV) with commentary by F. Lagard Smith. Posted here will be the Wednesday date and the page through which reading should be completed. Feel free to join us anytime even if you don't have this Bible -- we are having very good discussions!

Aug 25 - p 256. Sep 15 - p 353

Sep 1 - p 288. Sep 22 - p 383

Sep 8 - p 322. Sep 29 - p 414

**NICARAGUA CHRISTMAS SHOEBOXES FOR TEENS:** Sending the boxes the first of September! Last pack day is Tuesday, 8/24 at 1.

Thank you so much to all who showed up this past Tuesday! Great crew!! ☐

**LADIES PRAYER STUDY**, at Sonja Jarrett's (1216 Wembley Ct.). This will be from 6:45 - 7:30 p.m. on 2nd & 4th Monday nights. Next one is August 23rd. Let Sonja know if you are coming.

## SUNDAY WORSHIP ASSIGNMENTS

Please meet in men's changing room in front of auditorium at 10:20 am.

Let Brian Carter or Scott Carter know if you will be unable to serve.

	Opening prayer	Communion	Scripture reading
August 29	Joel Dodson	Doug Lyle	Jerry Woodard