

# Prestonsburg Church of Christ

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## Attendance Record

9/4/2022

Sunday AM.....118  
Sunday PM.....38  
Wednesday....44

## Men Serving Today: September 11, 2022

**Announcements: Scott Thacker**

**Opening Prayer: Keith Hall**

**Scripture Reading: Derek Poe**

**Lord's Table:**

**Recite: Brett McKenzie**

**Usher & Count: Ron Hunt & Charles Hunt**

**Evening Services:**

**Announcements: Marshall Fugate**

**Lord's Table:**

**Recite: Scott Thacker**

**Wednesday Invitation: Scott Thacker**

**Communion Trays: N/A @ this time.**

*A weekly bulletin for God's family  
at the Prestonsburg church of Christ*

**September 11, 2022**

## "Indebted To the Older Generation"

The Psalmist wrote, "Now also when I am old and gray headed, O God, do not forsake me until I declare Your strength to this generation, Your power to everyone who is to come" (Psalm 71:18). We quickly note the concern the inspired writer had for the generations that would follow him. He wanted to show God's strength and power to "this generation" and "everyone who is to come."

Our attitude should be the same. It wasn't so many years ago that I was young, and the older generation was there to teach me the strength, power, and ways of God. I will always be indebted to that older generation for doing so.

May we never forget that God's truth must be taught and re-taught to each generation. The aged apostle Peter wrote to the young and old alike, "I will not be negligent to remind you always of these things, though you know and are established in the present truth. Yes, I think it is right, as long as I am in this tent, to stir you up by reminding you, knowing that shortly I must put off my tent, just as our Lord Jesus Christ showed me" (2 Peter 1:12-14). Peter strongly emphasized the need to keep reminding people of divine truth even when they may already know these things.

My generation witnessed a change of direction in the church beginning several decades ago. Less emphasis was given to what the Bible calls "first principles" (Hebrews 5:12). The Hebrews writer lamented that such "first principles" had to be re-taught to brethren who ought to have been teachers themselves. This reminds us that we should not teach only first principles, especially to those who already know and honor them; but if first principles are not being followed and respected, then we must teach and re-teach them.

We will always owe the next generation the knowledge of fundamental divine truths. Failure to teach today will bring nothing but trouble tomorrow.-- Milton Smith (Tulsa, OK)

## Prayer Requests & Update

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Paul Pelfrey, Mike Hall, Kodee Hill, Lily LawsonShayla Poe, Effie Cavins, Brenda Pennington, Olivia Holt, Nathan Merritt, Johnny Sturgill, Dalton Caudill, Teresa Chapman, Dean Laferty, Sharon Duncan, Phillip Hall, Lucy Davis, Cody & Dennis Snezek, Craig Culbertson, Danny Joseph, Ladonna Preston, Linda Walters, Ed Ousley, Sandy Scrimager, Grace Honeycutt, Allen Jennings, Kathy Thomas, Don Aukerman, Jim Slone, Zelma Watson, Larry Wells, Nellie Hall, Aleta Stanley, Betty Lazenick, Renee Seagraves, Vernon Hall, Jr., Ottaray Conley, Ben Lindsey, Dollie Williams, Jack Kendrick, Thelma Goble, Ruthie Goebel, Brenda Crum, Charlotte Hall, George Goble, Denver Goble, Stefanie Daniels, Brenda Hunt, Connie Deskins, Rick Fillers, Cray Stephenson, Lynn Cox, Peggy Boyd, Christina Simpson, Bob Bradley, Kevin Hays

**Our members:**

Curt Jarvis, Melanie Wilcox, Danielle McKenzie, Leonard & Ethel Sturgill, Joyce Smith, Patsy Ryan, Glennis Slone-Smith, Bucky Elliot, Delcie Endicott, Brenda Crider, Geraldine Jennings, Charlotte Hall, Kathy Ryan, Henrietta Orsborn, Scott Thacker, Katelyn SESCO, John Hall, Jackie Fugate, Roberta Sturgill, Scharlotte McKenzie; Brett McKenzie; Sharon Marshall, Benson & Marcy Hays, Valerie Hall, Vernie Tackett, Velvia Hall, Sue Justice, Tincy Cooley, Lora Dingess, Vernon Hall, Judy Hall, Lynn Hill, Nola Mayo, Jackie Tackett, Candace Tackett, Raymond Daniels, Veda Fields, Bethel Click, Lana Wright

**Friends/Family:**

Ruth SESCO, Landon Slone, Vicky Moore, Lisa Roberts, Rod Sturgill, Dean Hunt, Fred Hall, Greg Thacker, Johnny Keathley, Mike Shepherd, Sherry Daniels, Michael Hobson, Margie Blackburn, Donna Boyd, John Harris, Astor Crider, Traci Coleman, Johnny & Sissy Mosley, Delphia Thomas, Margaret Tackett, Harold Hall, Paul Hicks, Robert Comstock, Leighanne Hastie, Corbin Harris, Hope Thacker, Addison Lowe; Corbin Lewis; Gene Ramey; Luke Martindale; Justine Kidd, Liam Moore, Almas Shepherd

**Sympathy:**

Please remember the families of Jewel Blackburn and Rachel Hodnet.

**Riverview Nursing Home: Debbie Porter and Ernestine Slone**

***Today's Sermon Topics/Scripture Readings***

***AM: "Where Will You Be?" (2 Pet. 3:9-11)"***

***PM: "Discipleship"***

**CHURCH PANTRY ITEMS** (see: Dean Cooley) No Donations Needed at this time.

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR**

**Centurion of Scripture: Sept. 14th @ 28<sup>th</sup> 6 pm.**

**Fellowship @ the Spillway: Sept. 17<sup>th</sup>- 4pm-7pm**

**Good Samaritan: Sept. 21st @ 6 (Devo 630)**

**Men's Business Meeting: Sept. 24th @ 9 am.**

**Potter's Change Can Pick-Up: Week of Sept. 25<sup>th</sup>**

**Mountain Lectureship: Oct. 1<sup>st</sup> Paintsville CoC @ 8 am (Shawn speaks @ 10 am)**

**Have You Obeyed the Gospel of Christ?**

**Hear the Word** Rom.10:17

**Believe in Christ** John 8:24

**Repent of your Sin** Acts 2:38

**Confess Jesus is God's Son** Acts 8:37

**Baptized into Jesus** Mk. 16:16

**Live a godly Life** Titus 2:11-14

**Schedule of Services**

**Sun. Bible Study – 10:00 am**

**Sun. Worship – 11:00 am**

**Sun. PM Worship –**

**Wed. Bible Study – 7:00 pm**

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***Greeters next week***

*Main Doors:*

*Auditorium: Karen Daniels*

*Side Doors:*

*Foyer:*

If you haven't already, please fill out a visitors' card. We would love to have a record of your visit with us today!