

# Prestonsburg Church of Christ

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## Attendance Record

4/12-15/26

Sunday AM.....169  
Sunday PM.....58  
Monday.....70  
Tuesday.....80  
Wednesday.....72

**Men Serving Today: April 19, 2026**

**Announcements: Jeff Wells**

**Opening Prayer: Keith Hall**

**Scripture Reading: Ryan Johnson**

**Lord's Table:**

**Recite: Shannon Risner (Tim & Scott)**

**Usher & Count: Charles Hunt & Thomas Coleman**

**Evening Services:**

**Announcements: Don Wilcox**

**Lord's Table:**

**Recite: Brett McKenzie**

**Wednesday Invitation: Derek McKenzie**

# Prestonsburg Informer

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

**April 19, 2026**

## “In the End What Matters Most”

As life draws to a close, priorities often come into sharp focus. Things once pursued with urgency—money, possessions, status—begin to lose their shine. In those quiet, reflective moments, a sobering truth emerges: what we spent a lifetime collecting may not be what truly matters most.

Jesus addressed this reality in Matthew 6:19–21 when He said, “Lay not up for yourselves treasures upon earth... but lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven... For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also.” Earthly possessions are temporary, they decay, they can be lost, and ultimately, they cannot follow us beyond the grave.

At the end of life, no one clings to bank accounts or material goods. Instead, what matters is far deeper: a faithful relationship with God, a life lived in obedience, and a heart devoted to Christ. Scripture teaches that “treasure” is not merely material wealth, but whatever we value most—and that choice shapes our eternal destiny.

The most valuable possession a person can have at the end of life is not something they hold in their hands, but something held in their heart—faith. A life spent serving God, loving others, and walking in truth builds a treasure that cannot be taken away. These are the riches that endure.

Consider the contrast: a person may leave behind great wealth yet depart spiritually bankrupt. Another may leave little in material terms yet possess a rich inheritance in Christ. Which is truly valuable?

When the final chapter is written, what will matter most is this: Were we faithful? Did we seek first the kingdom of God? Did we invest in what is eternal?

In the end, the greatest possession is a saved soul, a steadfast faith, and the hope of eternal life. Everything else is left behind—but that treasure goes with us



## Prayer Requests & Update

**April 19, 2026**

Carolyn Patton, Reaford Coleman, Shawna Gibson, Maynard Coleman, Lora Vance, Nick Music, Brian Frasure, Danny George, Kaylee McGuire, Grant Ratliff, Rodney Keathley, Janet Sanders, Don Hicks, Doretha Hunt, Diane Comstock, Charles Hale, Diana Adams, Jayden Gayheart, Kim Evans, Freddie Banks, Shirley Hall, Max Love, Don Hicks, Saul Newsome, Wilma Campbell, Mary Lou Bailey, Teddy & Gloria Powers, Drexel Springer, David Scott, Nancy Scott, Alonzo & Shirley Conley, Annie Poston, Matthew Hays, Sudie Allen, Amber Goble, Randy Wilcox, Paula Layne, Danny Risner, Dean Hunt, Mary Joseph, Paul Hill, Anna Ottis, Matthew Goble, Pat Dye, Barb Lykens, Loretta McCray, Brian Stapleton, Millie Parsons, Sherry Slone, Elizabeth Mulkey, Leland Ousley, Barb Crouse, Roy Hall, Fronie McKinney, Wesley Hyden, Denise Slone, Lou Hall, Betty Lazenick, Thelma Goble, George Goble, Denver Goble, Peggy Boyd.

### Our members:

Raymond Coleman, Mona Mitchell, Joan Ousley, Bulavene Hall, Judy Adams, Marshall & Jackie Fugate, Rose Young, Rosie Daniels, Veda Fields, Connie Deskins, Ryan Johnson, Merle Marshall, Sparkel Conn, David Mosely, Larry Hall, Dean Cooley, Danielle McKenzie, Eula Stiltner, Curt Jarvis, Leonard & Ethel Sturgill, Glennis Slone-Smith, Geraldine Jennings, Henrietta Orsborn, Katelyn SESCO, John Hall, Roberta Sturgill, Brett McKenzie; Sharon Marshall, Marcie Hays, Velvia Hall, Lora Dingess, Vernon & Judy Hall, Lynn Hill, Jackie Tackett, Candace Tackett, Raymond Daniels, Bethel Click

### Friends/Family:

Brenda Cook, Jimmy Fish, Axel Combs, Nicole Samons, Karson Roop, Wanda Prince, Jerry Kinzer, Terry McCutcheon, Janice Feltner, Danny Patrick, Bonnie Reed, Debbie Samons, Kathy Thomas, Verlie Compton, Irene Ramey, Bucky Ellis, Gilbert Marcum, Wilma Moore, Kevin Hays, Ruth SESCO, Vicky Moore, Rod Sturgill, Donna Boyd, Johnny & Sissy Mosley, Margaret Tackett, Leighanne Hastie, Corbin Harris, Hope Thacker, Gene Ramey, Luke Martindale; Liam Moore, Almas Shepherd

### Sympathy:

Please remember the families of Thelma McPike and Kenneth Chaffins.

### Rejoice:

We rejoiced last Sunday with Chris Stanley and his decision to obey the gospel.

**Riverview Nursing Home: Debbie Porter and Donald Coleman.**

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

**AM: "When Faith Gets Tired (Gal. 6:9,10)"**

**PM: "Old Testament People: Moses"**

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## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

**Ladies Zoom Class: Mon. @ 10 am**

**Ladies Class In-Person: Tuesday's @ 11 am**

**WINGS: Apr. 23<sup>rd</sup> @ 6 pm.**

**Friday Fellowship: Apr. 24<sup>th</sup> @ 7pm-10pm.**

**Men's Business Meeting: Apr. 26<sup>th</sup> @ 5 pm.**

**Ladies Painting Class: Apr 27<sup>th</sup> @ 6 pm.**

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

<b>Hear the Word</b>	Rom.10:17
<b>Believe in Christ</b>	John 8:24
<b>Repent of your Sin</b>	Acts 2:38
<b>Confess Jesus is God's Son</b>	Acts 8:37
<b>Baptized into Jesus</b>	Mk. 16:16
<b>Live a godly Life</b>	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 & Brenda Crider***

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