

**Those Honored To Serve:**

<b>Sunday Morning Bible Study</b>	<b>December 8th</b>	<b>December 15th</b>
Song Leader	Bobby Ray	Bobby Ray
Prayer	Cecil Painter	Dale Turnbo
Bible Scripture Reading	Richard Gaines Jr	David Parker
<b>AM Worship</b>		
Announcements	Bernie Patt	Cecil Waldron
Song Leader	Bobby Ray	Bobby Ray
Speaker	Jerry Maxwell	Jerry Maxwell
Opening Prayer	Jon Gary Williams	Jerry Mitchell
Bible Scripture Reading	Charles Talley	James Holaday Jr.
Communion #1 (Serve)	Chris Campbell	Rick Harris
Communion #2 (Preside)	Willie Hughes	Cecil Painter
Communion #3 (Preside)	Gary Sole	Jerry Prince
Communion # 4 (Serve)	Harry Paul	Inman Turner
Closing Prayer	Laurie Davenport	Harry Paul
Audio/CD	Burton Waddey	Bernie Patt
Attendance Count	Harry Paul	Harry Paul
Usher	Lewis Edde	Donnie Fergus
Usher	Jerry Prince	Billy Wisener
<b>PM Worship:</b>	<b>December 8th</b>	<b>December 15th</b>
Announcements	Bernie Patt	Cecil Waldron
Song Leader	Bobby Ray	Bobby Ray
Speaker	Jerry Maxwell	Jerry Maxwell
Opening Prayer	Denver Horton	Richard Gaines Sr.
Bible Scripture Reading	Ronald Luther	Brian Drescher
Communion #2 (Preside)	Willie Hughes	Cecil Painter
Communion #3 (Preside)	Gary Sole	Jerry Prince
Closing Prayer	David Parker	Joe Eccles
Audio/CD	Burton Waddey	Bernie Patt
Attendance Count	Charles Talley	Charles Talley
<b>Wednesday Evening:</b>	<b>December 11th</b>	<b>December 18th</b>
Announcements	Cecil Waldron	Bob Hayes
Song Leader	Joe Eccles	Ronald Luther
Opening Prayer	Denver Horton	Steve Clendenin
Adult Class	Jerry Maxwell	Jerry Maxwell
Invitation	Richard Gaines Sr	James Holaday Jr
Closing Prayer	Brian Drescher	Jerry Prince
Audio/CD	Jerry Prince	Burton Waddey
Attendance Count	Charles Talley	Charles Talley

***If you cannot serve, call Jerry Prince (793-9151) or Bernie Patt (893-4925)***

**SUNDAY MORNING TV PROGRAMS**

WZTV/Channel 17 - Comcast Ch #6

✓ 6:30 a.m. – Think About It  
(focuspress.org)

WXUP/Channel 30 – Comcast Ch #14

✓ 7:00 a.m. – Search Ministries  
✓ 7:30 a.m. – Preaching The Gospel  
✓ 8:00 a.m. – Good News Today

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If you as a member, or someone you know would like to have a **Home Bible Study**, please see Dale Turnbo. If you are a visitor, let our preacher Jerry Maxwell know or fill out one of the visitor cards with your address and phone number and put it in the collection plate or give it to one of our ushers or men and you will be contacted.

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**BULLETIN NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

If you have any news regarding the sick or adding to the bulletin, please call or contact either:

- ☎ Jerry Maxwell-- 400-7084  
(jerrymaxwell@me.com)
- ☎ Sandy Sole - (615) 828-6901  
(glsolajr@bellsouth.net)
- ☎ Bertie Higdon—945-5224  
(Bhigdon@tds.net)

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**Thought For Today**



*“Spread love everywhere you go. Let no one ever come to you without leaving happier.”*



**December 8, 2013**

**TIMES OF OPPORTUNITY...**

Sunday Morning Bible Study ----- 9 a.m.  
Sunday Morning Worship-----10 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Worship----- 5 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening Bible Study ----- 7 p.m.  
Tuesday Ladies Bible Class -----10 a.m.

**Welcome to all our visitors and members**

If you are a visitor, it is wonderful having you here today. We appreciate your visit and would like to welcome you back at every opportunity. Please fill out a visitor’s card located in the pew in front of you and drop it in the collection plate. If you have any questions or would like to know more about the church, please let us know.

**COME GROW WITH US**

**I HAVE ONLY TODAY**

This is the beginning of a new day. God has given me this day to use as I will. I can waste it or use it for good. What I do today is important because I’m exchanging a day of my life for it. When tomorrow comes this day will be gone forever, leaving in its place something that I have traded for it. I want it to be gain, not loss; good, not evil; success, not failure: in order that I shall not regret the price I paid for it.

...Author Unknown

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*Minister: Jerry Maxwell*

**Lessons for week of December 8, 2013**

Bible Class:

**Following Jesus**

Mark 2:14-17, John 6:66-69, Philippians 3:7-11

Sunday AM:

**How To Keep Saved**

2 Peter 3:15-18

Sunday PM:

**The “I Am’s” of a Christian**

Romans 1:13-17

Wednesday Bible Class:

**Survey of the Life of Christ**

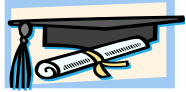
**Jesus’s Baptism & Temptation**

Matthew chapters 3 & 4

Jerry Maxwell



**December 8 – Men’s Business Meeting at 3:30pm.** All men are urged to attend.  
**December 15 – Singing at Christian Care Center.**  
**December 21 – Children’s Winter Craft Day.** There is a sign-up list on the bulletin board, if you want to help. Suzanne Cornwell will be handling and will give more detail later.  
**December 22 – A.T. Pate** will teach the Sunday School Class and preach Sunday morning.  
**January 7, 2014 – Ladies’ Bible class will resume.** **Note:** When school in Rutherford or Davidson County is cancelled due to weather conditions, ladies’ class will also be cancelled.



Congratulation to Jerry Maxwell on completion of his classes, and graduation on Friday December 6<sup>th</sup>. Complete announcement is on bulletin board.

**Week of December 1, 2013**

Offering ..... \$2761  
 AM Bible Study..... 85  
 AM Worship..... 115  
 Sunday PM .....86  
 Wed. Bible Study.....65

If you wish to donate the money that you would spend for cards to the Potter Children’s Home. You can make your check out to Potter Children’s Home and turn in to Dena Edde. Your Holiday Greeting will appear in the bulletin. As in the past, you can still send cards



**Anniversaries...**

20 . . . Steve & Jan Clendenin  
 23 . . . Ronald & Janet Luther  
 25 . . . Enoch & Jean Jones



**Holiday Card Exchange**

- Box is in foyer area for depositing holiday cards
- December 15<sup>th</sup>** – Sunday, deadline to drop off cards.
- December 18<sup>th</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup>** – will be available for pickup.
- Please put in alphabetical order and band together A-L and M-Z.
- There will be a sign up list on the bulletin board to deliver cards to the shut-ins on the list.

**Birthdays ...**

- 8 . . . Connie Barnes
- 8 . . . Inman Turner
- 10 . . . David Parker
- 11 . . . Jim Ackley
- 11 . . . Barbara Hawkins
- 14 . . . Paula Curtiss
- 14 . . . Helen Leonard
- 17 . . . Jane Davenport
- 18 . . . Lewis Edde
- 18 . . . Judy Lancaster
- 23 . . . Christopher Riley Holaday
- 27 . . . Harold Dale
- 27 . . . Fred Poe
- 28 . . . Enoch Jones
- 29 . . . Ann Schmidt
- 31 . . . Brenda Hughes
- 31 . . . Brady Walker
- 31 . . . Adam Williams



**Remember In Prayer . . .**

*“The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much” (James 5:16)*

- Leon Willis** – (father of Brenda Hughes) is recovering well from knee surgery. Address: **159 Trace Creek Road, Hohenwald, TN 38462.**
- Anna Maxwell** – (Jerry’s mother) keep in our prayers as she is having some health issues.
- Bess Parker** – (mother of Linda Turner) is having some health issues.
- Mary Mitchell** – will have cataract surgery on December 10<sup>th</sup>.
- Daisy Tucker** – went home from rehab for knee surgery and is doing well.
- Dianne Poe** – has not been feeling well this past week.
- Bertie Higdon** – has been having upper respiratory problems.
- Ronnie Carver** – (brother of Paula Hooks) went home from hospital. Had 2 stents inserted and will soon start cardiac rehab for a few weeks. Address: **768 Sweetwater, Old Hickory TN 37138.**
- Harold Hooks** – had eye surgery on Thursday.
- Joyce Quick** – remains in Hickory Woods, room 106..
- Sally Jones** – still not feeling well; has upper respiratory problems.

*Please remember these listed in your prayers. Pick up a bulletin, and give these people a visit, call or card. If you have any prayer request, updates or announcements that need to go into the bulletin, please let us know. Please let us know if someone on the prayer list is well and can be removed.*

**Members, family members and friends:**

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| <b>Patricia Batson</b> (sister-in-law of Phyllis Herrod) | <b>Jean Pope</b> (sister of Helen Leonard)  |
| <b>Gladys Burgess</b> (aunt of Melinda Maxwell)          | <b>Tootie Potter</b> (neighbor of Lewis & Dena Edde)  |
| <b>Jane Davenport</b> (friend, lives in TX)              | <b>Scott Talley</b> (son of Charles & Beverly)  |
| <b>Sarah Denami</b> (sister of Dot Reeder)               | <b>Bill Travis</b> (relative of Hooks)  |
| <b>Jimmie Hooks</b> (relative of Hooks)                  | <b>Annie Thompson</b> (sister of Bertie Higdon)   |
| <b>Robert Hooks</b> (relative of Hooks)                  | <b>Brett Wilson</b> (grandson of the Luther’s) continue in our prayers, as he has completed all treatments. |
| <b>Shane Honeycutt</b> (neighbor/Williams)               | <b>Jean Pope</b> (sister of Helen Leonard)  |
| <b>Graham McDonald</b> (Scotland Missionary)             |   |

**Shut-ins:**

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| <b>Lloyd Brewer</b>               | <b>Sally Jones</b>             | <b>Reather Robertson</b>            |
| <b>Margie Cunningham</b>          | <b>Ray and Helen Leonard</b>   | <b>Marian Ryan</b>                  |
| <b>Myra Eccles</b>                | <b>Anna Maxwell</b>            | <b>Homer &amp; Juanita Shamblin</b> |
| <b>Wylie &amp; Phyllis Herrod</b> | <b>Howard &amp; Hazel Paul</b> |                                     |

**Our Country, Leaders and our Men and Women in the Military**

**Katie Drescher** (daughter of Brian & Susan) – looking forward to Katie’s return to us soon..

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**WELCOME...** to Kyle Webb, who made known his desire to work with the Gilroy congregation. We have known Kyle for many years in various capacities here at Gilroy and his work with the “Friday Night Area Singings.” Likewise, we welcome back Marissa Waddell, as she and Kyle plan to be married in March.