

# Family News and Announcements For:

May 09, 2010

*Happy Mother's Day!*

## *Recent Prayer Requests/ Updates*

**Iris Jean Calhoun** (ill); **Jeff Cline** (throat cancer); **Riose Humble** (Randy Humble's mother, PMC); **Jasmine Porter** (had tests last week); **Darrell Ryan** (Joe's nephew, heart cath, Kingsport, TN); **Lowell Samons** (was scheduled for MRI last week); **Earl Smith** (very sick); **Bob Tackett** (good test results); **Amy Wright** (Richard Bowen's granddaughter, tumor on brain stem); **Suzi Wright** (diabetes complications).

**HOSPITAL/NURSING HOME: Riverview:** Ruby Hughes, Minnie Joseph, Eunice Wilson. **Highlands:** (Don Wilcox, Sr., 313).

**OUR MEMBERS** - Wanda Blankenship, Opal Boyd, Gracie Burchett, Harold Cooley, Terri Ford, Joy Gibson, Judy Hall, Maggie Hicks, Linda Lyon, Nola Mayo, Regina Miller, Sande Moore, Lorraine Porter, Herlie Samons, Mary Samons, Candace Tackett, **John D. Webb**, Everett Wells, Gerald Williamson, Mary Zemo.

**Friends/Family**— Joanne Adams, **Myrtle Ellen Anderson**, **Michelle Bain**, Nell Banks, Sam Barton, Gordon Bartrum, Richard Bowen, Jim Clark, **Madeline Clark**, Janice Cole, **Lee Collins**, Vivian Conn, Janice Cole, Junior Collins, Bill Crider, Barb Crouse, Lora Dingess, Tom Ellis, Nathan Feltner, Clark Frazier, Debbie Gibson, Eleanor Goble, George Goble, LeeAnne Goble, John Paul Greer, Christine Hall, Jan Hall, **Virgie Hall**, Roy Hamilton, Sherri Hammel, Janie Hammonds, Loretta Harvel, Carol Howard, Joan Howard, Marvin Howard, Dennis Hubbard, Ian Hubbard, **Billie Sue Huffman**, Oscar Jervis, Trena Joseph, Lydia Johnson, Brent Keathley, Keith Kidd, Tyler Kidd, Patrinn King, Frances Lewis, Jack Lewis, Marie Lewis, James Lowther, Violet McGuire, Woodroe Meade, Tex Mitchell, Burnis Mollette, Burnis Mullins, Sharon Music, Ted Music, Sandra Newbrough, Mae Newsome, Jack Nichols, Mattie Orsborn, Rick Oulette, **John Ousley**, Jonathan Ousley, Jerolyn Perkins, Carol Rice, Courtney Robinette, Vicky Rogers, Annie Rosenberg-Savitch, Treva Sellars, Ritchie Shepherd, Judy Skeens, Joseph Slone, Jimmy Smith, Kristin Buckley-Spears, Kent Stewart, **Roberta Sturgill**, Oscar Tackett, Mary Taylor, Bruce Walters II, **Rusty West**, Judy Williams, Elizabeth Wilson.

**MILITARY SERVICE:** Dan Stephens (Iraq); **Andrew Martindale**, Charlie Sullivan (Afghanistan)

**SYMPATHY** - Extended to the families of **John Paul Greer** (James' brother), who passed away before the printing of last week's bulletin. Also to the families of **Amanda Estep** (33 yrs.), and of **William Hall** (friend of John & Mike Hall, Jean & Larry Birchfield). All these have all been mentioned recently in our bulletin.

## **MARK YOUR CALENDAR:**

**MAY 11** (TUES., 6pm) - WINGS @ Rosa Young's.

**MAY 11** (TUES., 6pm) - Mtg. w/ Harbour Inc.

**MAY 16-20** - GOSPEL MTG. - **Prestonsburg** (Eddy Craft)

**MAY 16** (2:00pm) - Prestonsburg Healthcare Ctr.

**Jun. 5** (6pm) - Men's Business Mtg.

**Jul. 3** (6pm) - EDP Mtg.

## **A Mother's Prayer**

By John E. Mackey

She kneels each night at bedtime  
After working hard all day.  
Her mind is on the ones she loves  
For whom she now will pray.  
Her prayer is from a mother's heart  
With a mother's endless love.  
"God please protect my children  
And watch them from above.  
"Oh, God, You know their failings  
And the weakness prone to man.  
So lead them in Your guiding light;  
Please take them by the hand.  
"We try to teach them right from wrong  
As we rear them day by day.  
But I know there'll be shortcomings  
Of which tonight I pray."  
There are poems of love and songs of faith  
And paintings, oh, so rare  
But nothing quite as sacred  
As a mother's humble prayer.

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**GRADUATION FORMS** - Are in the foyer now. If you have a child/grandchild who will be graduating from **College, High School or Middle school** this spring, please fill out the appropriate form and return it to Tim Blankenship by **Sunday, May 23**.

**RESTORED** - Our hearts rejoiced together when **James Greer, Jr.** came before the church asking to be restored to fellowship with the church. We commend his determination to do that which is right, and know that he will be encouraged by his spiritual family to remain faithful to the Lord and His church in the future!

**BAPTISM!** - We rejoiced last Sunday afternoon when **Christian Kelley** was baptized into Christ! We are so grateful for his decision, and want to encourage him every way we can.

## **Attendance Record (04/25 & 04/28)**

**Sun. AM:** 157

**Sun. PM:** 61

**Wed.** 82

## **MEETINGS IN THE AREA:**

**May 15** - LADIES' DAY - Scott Co. CofC

**May 16-19** GOSPEL MTG **Mike's Branch-K.** Kasarjian

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

**AM:** "Godly Mothers" (**Mark 3:32-35**)

**PM:** "The Joy of Seeing What God Sees" (**Jas. 2:1-13**)